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Dated Halifax the 14th February, 1900. Alfred Whitman, Solicitor of Applicants, 58 Bedford Row, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

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INTERESTING LETTERS

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tion—the rear rank carrying shovels and the front rank, in which I was, with fixed bayonets.

We got very close to the Boers before they discovered us, when they opened a fierce fire. We at once threw ourselves on our faces. I put my rifle crossways to help protect my head; then I raised my helmet full of sand and put it on my head. Then taking my bayonet I dug out a place for my head and buried it, digging up the clay in front. This done I opened fire on them myself. All the time a perfect hail of bullets was whizzing round me and how I escaped I do not know. Riggs was shot near me, as well as a lot of other of our company; we held our own in spots all till the Engineers and our men got trench after trench. Then we took shelter in it, dragging ourselves back most of the way on our faces.

After a while we opened fire on the Boers from our new trenches. Suddenly we saw a white flag, for it was now daylight; then a few men came from the trench towards us; then more, and soon they all surrendered. I was right on the spot and the surrender was first of all to our company. You may be sure there was great rejoicing.

One of the first things we did was to get poor Riggs' body. It was between our trench and the first Boer trenches, which were about thirty yards off. He was shot through the head while he was lying down. He could not have felt it; and death must have been instantaneous. He was a fine young man, a particular friend of mine and a great favorite with his comrades. We, of course, went into the Boer trenches. They were long and narrow, and built right down in the earth, and very skillfully constructed. Here we found lots of rifles of all kinds, bags of flour, tins of meat, mealie, etc. I got a good Boer rifle to keep if possible for a souvenir. In the meantime the Boers had been formed up in their laager and taken to the other side of the river in pontoons where a regiment with fixed bayonets took charge of them. I then went back to our trench and found some of H company making pancakes out of the Boer flour; and being a Haligonian I was kindly helped to some and they tasted very nice.

After the Boers had been sent over the river we all marched into their laager. What a sight! Wagons on all sides torn to shreds by shells. Everything lying about in confusion. Our men could not be kept in line after we halted. In fact the officers were as anxious as the men to get some loot. The men got tins of lard, tea, flour and all sorts of things to eat, and soon they had fires going cooking them. The Boers had been living in trenches such as I have described to save themselves from our fire. They are calling for the letters and I must stop. All the regiments are congratulating us Canadians, and Lord Roberts addressed a very flattering speech to us. We are now encamped in the Boer laager and have good water. Jack Harris was shot in the arm, but is doing well.

Major Stewart has very kindly allowed THE EXAMINER to make the following extracts from a capital letter received from his son, Corporal Loraie Stewart, who is with the first Canadian contingent in South Africa:

PAARDEBURG, March 3rd, 1900.

DEAR FATHER, You are already aware of the fighting we have been in.

Poor Roland Taylor was killed instantly on Sunday, the 18th Feb. and Fred Waye slightly wounded. The Canadians knew no fear. They made every advance in the most orderly manner possible. The Boers say the Canadians are excellent shots, their losses being the heaviest on this occasion of any engagement since the war commenced.

The British lost heavily; I cannot say exactly how many men. The Boers had a very strong position on the banks of the river, and it commanded the country for nearly two miles. So you see that with-

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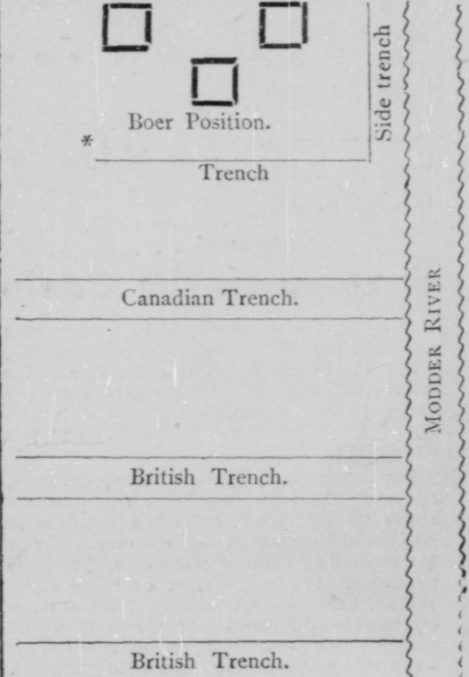
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out any cover of any kind it was a wonder our losses were not heavier. But we drove them from their position to one further up the river.

On Monday we buried the dead.

Tuesday we were again digging at each other. But only three Canadians were wounded on that day. The British then started to dig trenches from the river banks outwards and completed several. It was our lot to dig the last one which was to be one hundred and fifty yards in advance of the furthest out at that time. But we built it four hundred and fifty-five yards in advance and about one hundred yards from the Boer position. It was rather a surprise to the Boers and also to Lord Roberts in the morning to find us so close to each other. The Boers surrendered to the Canadians at six in the morning.

But about our advance is what will interest you most. We went into the trenches at about 8 o'clock in the evening, and remained there till half-past two next morning, when we made an advance. The front rank with bayonets fixed and marching hand in hand, the rear rank fifteen paces in the rear, rifles slung and carrying shovels and picks. The front ranks were within ten paces of the Boer trenches when they poured a tremendous volley into us. Then one after another, using their magazines. We immediately dropped flat on the ground. We then received the order to retire, which was done in good order, not leaving a wounded man on the field (G. Company, anyhow, the others I am not so sure of.) We built our trenches amid a shower of lead such as I do not want to experience again. Alf Riggs was killed in the first volley, but received other wounds afterwards. Some of the dead had eight or ten shots in them. John Harris had a wound in the arm. Nelson Brace a slight wound in the leg. It just scraped him. Ern. Bowness and Hedley McKinnon were in the rear of the Boer trench when the first volley was fired. They rolled down into the river and escaped unharmed. I will try and give you some idea of the river and the trenches where Bowness was.



*Where Bowness got into the Boer position.

He jumped the side trench and got in among the trees in the river bank and made his way back to our trenches before daylight.

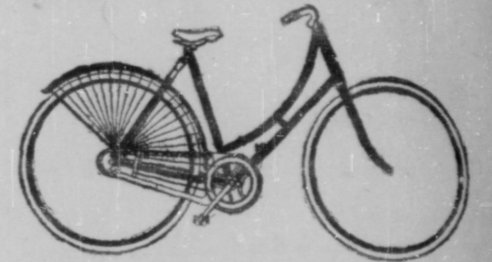
We are all sorry about the deaths in the company. It makes our home-coming sad not for only to those at home but to us as well. We have a great deal to be thankful for in having come through such heavy firing without losing more of our Islanders. I am not sure, but I think our fighting is over; if not, we will still uphold the honor of Canada in general and the Islanders will see to it that the tight little Island's reputation will not only be sustained but made greater if possible. Diggs and Taylor died in a good cause, and personally I know that they showed courage which will be worthy of mention. It has been impossible for me to send a telegram. Here is fighting going on a few miles from here at present. I think we will leave for some time this month. We have had pretty hard times; living on from two to three biscuits per day and quarter rations of tea and coffee; dinner sometimes at five in the evening, and often no supper. Some times we lay in the rain without blankets or overcoats, sometimes going to sleep without our supper. We got very weak and cold. But now we are on three-quarter rations and have plenty of Boer flour, coffee and cornmeal. We are only about ten miles from Kimberley and we expect a mail from there today. I look for a letter or so from home.

I have plenty to say and very little time to write, but I hope to be able to tell it to you within the next six weeks.

We are badly in need of boots, trousers, coats, etc. Bowness looks like a brigand, so the Captain says, for he has a pair of Boer trousers, and he also requested a Boer prisoner to take off a pair of kneeboots that he was wearing and put on a new pair that he was carrying, so that Bowness might wear the old ones. The Boer did so and Boney looks a "peach." I am sure that some time the Gordons or some of them will take him prisoner in mistake for one of the enemy.

Give my regards to Lt.-Col. McLeod. Tell him that he has reason to be proud of his men that are here. Col. Moore and Dr. Warburton also have reason to be proud of the selection they made, for G Company is the healthiest in the regiment; they can march further, live on less and fight as no other company in the regiment has done. G. Company is considered the crack company by all the officers and men in the regiment, and the regiment is considered by the Gordons, Cornwalls,

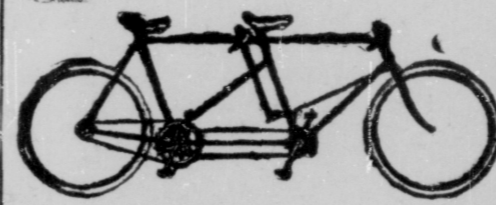
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Mr. W.N. Riggs, of the Prince Edward Island Railway, last evening received the following letter from Captain Weeks:

PAARDEBURG, Orange Free State, March 3rd, 1900.

DEAR MR. RIGGS,—It is with feeling of the greatest sorrow and deepest sympathy that I write to you regarding the death of your dear son, Alfred. Words cannot express how I feel for yourself and family in this great grief. It will be a consolation to you to know that Alfred died in the very front of the fight, fighting heroically and meeting a true soldier's death. His name will ever be remembered by his comrades.

Alfred was a good boy, his equal was not in the regiment, and in your time of grief and sadness let it be a source of pride to you to know that your son was always about doing good and was highly respected and loved by those who knew him. His death, with that of Roland Taylor, has cast a gloom over us all.

Their fate may meet some more of us; but whilst I have the opportunity I must express my heartfelt sympathy for yourself and family in this time of sadness.

Believe me, Yours most sympathetically, WILLIAM A. WEEKS, Capt. R. C. R.

Mrs. Riggs has received a letter from Lieutenant Macdonnell, commanding "G" Company, in the course of which her son Alfred is highly spoken of and his heroism referred to in terms of praise. Alfred was buried with some others on the banks of the Modder River, and the Church of England service was read over his grave. His watch and chain will be brought home by Private Gaudet. Lieut. Macdonnell extends his deepest sympathy and the sympathy of his comrades to Mrs. Riggs and family in their time of trial.

[Letters from Messrs Nelson Brace, Neco Doiron and others, together with editorial articles, etc., are unavoidably held over until Monday.]

A LADY'S STATEMENT

Volunteering to Act as Witness in Favor of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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| P. M. 12 30 | lv Ch'town ar | A. M. 7 15 |
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| 1 51 | N. Wiltshire | 9 39 |
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| 4 05 | Emerald Juc | 7 44 |
| 5 09 | Kensington | 7 09 |
| 6 20 | 9 50 ar | lv 6 35 |
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| 1 13 | Wellington | 9 27 |
| 1 51 | Port Hill | 8 49 |
| 3 00 | O'Leary | 7 40 |
| 4 05 | Alberton | 6 35 |
| 5 09 | Tignish | 5 49 |
| P. M. | | A. M. |
| P. M. | | A. M. |
| 2 10 | lv Charlottetown | ar 10 10 |
| 3 35 | ar (Mt. Stewart) lv | 8 45 |
| 3 50 | lv Junction | ar 8 30 |
| 5 02 | Cardigan | 7 15 |
| 5 25 | Georgetown | lv 6 50 |
| P. M. | | A. M. |
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| 3 45 | lv Mt. Stewart | ar 8 35 |
| 4 23 | Morell | 7 57 |
| 4 52 | St. Peters | 7 28 |
| 6 20 | ar Souris | lv 6 00 |
| P. M. | | A. M. |
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| 5 15 | lv Emerald Junction | ar 7 35 |
| 6 05 | ar Cape Traverse | lv 6 45 |

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NOTICE!

Lobster Fishermen

Lobster Fishermen are hereby notified that the law prohibits the putting out of Traps or Gear for the purpose of taking Lobsters before the 20th of April.

Any party setting lines before the 20th will be prosecuted.

J. A. MATHESON, Inspector of Fisheries, Ch'town, April 2, 1900