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MANY OFFICERS ARE REPORTED MISSING

Ottawa, April 22.—Another long list of casualties among Canadian officers came in tonight at militia headquarters. Four officers are killed, viz: Capt. J. W. McGregor (Victoria), Lieut. F. R. Midland and W. P. D. Jarvis of Toronto, and Lieut. George M. Williamson of Montreal.

Thirteen officers are reported wounded, of whom four are from Toronto and the rest principally from Montreal and Victoria.

Seven officers are reported "wounded and missing," and seven "missing" with Toronto and Montreal suffering most heavily.

The report of missing officers lends additional color to the belief that at least a portion of the Canadians are now prisoners.

Today's cable of casualties states that they occurred on the 21st, indicating that the Canadians were again in a severe action yesterday, although it may be that the date is erroneously made out as referring to the battle of last week.

OFFICERS' CASUALTIES 162

Tonight's additional list of casualties among officers brings the total of the past week's fighting up to the staggering figure of one hundred and sixty-two of whom thirty-two are killed, one hundred and sixteen are wounded and the balance either wounded or prisoners.

The total number of commissioned officers in the whole division engaged in the battle was approximately six hundred and the figures above show that nearly one officer in every three has been hit.

There is nothing official yet to show the total of casualties among other ranks, but it is certain that the whole Canadian division has been very badly cut up.

So far, the maritime province men seemed to have escaped well but the Ontario, and western province men have suffered very seriously.

The names in tonight's list include some of the best known families in Lieut. W. P. D. Jarvis, reported killed is a son of Amelius Jarvis of Toronto. Lieut. Melville Greenshields of Montreal, reported wounded, is a son of J. N. Greenshields, the well known millionaire. Major D. R. McCuaig, reported wounded is the second son of C. J. McCuaig, the Montreal stock broker.

The casualties in the first Canadian contingent and the evident need of further reinforcements at the front will hasten the departure of the second contingent and its departure in the near future is foreshadowed in official circles.

VALLEY ROAD PROBLEM WORRYING THE GOVERNMENT

The Valley Railway problem is causing the provincial government a lot of worry and anxiety at the present time. Mr. A. R. Gould, president of the St. John and Quebec Railway Company, is still here and has had several interviews with the government. Mr. Markey, solicitor of the Prudential Trust Company of Montreal is also here, and also had an interview with Premier Clarke. Mr. A. E. Trites, railway contractor of Salisbury, who built the Minto road is also here, and it is said is making an effort to get hitched up with the Valley Railway. Mr. H. A. Powell, barrister of St. John and Mr. W. B. Chandler, barrister of Moncton, are also here on business with the executive. The government to use a slang phrase seems to be "up a tree." Some of them are anxious to eliminate Mr. Gould, but are afraid to take the plunge for fear he may cut loose and make no end of trouble. A bill dealing with the matter has been prepared, but it is likely to undergo some changes before being submitted to the House. It is reported today that several government supporters have decided to oppose the measure when it comes up for consideration in the House. There was talk of a government caucus last evening, but there were so many other things on that it failed to materialize. It is likely that a caucus will be held this evening to consider the situation.

ON THE RANGE

Some men of the Divisional Ammunition Column were on the St. Mary's rifle range yesterday and put on some good scores. Group shooting was tried by the soldiers. The firing was from the two-hundred yard mound. The troops were well pleased with the condition of the range. On the barrack square the men of the Column have been training in battery-drill using the twelve-pounder guns.

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PATRIOTIC POTATOES

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estate by refusing to accept the valuation given. He thought that a sworn statement as to the value should be accepted without question.

Hon. Mr. Baxter said that he did not think an occasion would often arise when officials would go behind the valuation but there certainly should be some power for them to do so if they had any reasonable grounds for doubting its validity.

The bill was then agreed to with certain amendments.

The House again went into committee with Mr. Young in the chair and took up consideration of a bill relating to the manufacture of spruce and other pulpwood on crown lands.

CROWN LAND VIOLATIONS

Hon. Mr. Clarke said that notwithstanding provisions of the act passed in 1911 prohibiting the exportation of pulpwood cut in crown lands, there was reason to believe that the law was being violated and the parties suspected of doing so had been warned of the penalties they would incur. Notwithstanding the warnings, the violations still went on. The remedy of course, would be the cancelling of the license but the government did not want to proceed to such an extreme right away, so it was proposed to enact legislation, provided in this bill, which gave power to the minister of lands and mines to investigate any charges of violation of the law and if such investigation proved the charges to be true, to inflict a penalty of \$5 per cord on all pulp wood wrongfully cut. Permission would be granted, however, to export any kind of pulp wood in its unmanufactured state to Great Britain until two months after peace was declared.

The bill was agreed to, as were also bills respecting mechanic liens and to amend the Audit Act. The latter bill provides for an increase in the auditor general's salary from \$1,800 to \$2,100 per year. Mr. Stewart (Northumberland) wanted to know if any change was contemplated in the personnel of the auditor general's department.

Hon. Mr. Clarke said there was no change contemplated just at the present time. The present auditor general had proven himself a most excellent and faithful official who had rendered most useful service to the province, who well deserved an increase in salary.

The bill to amend the New Brunswick Elections' Act was also agreed to. This bill provided for additional polling places in York county, at McNutt's Mills and Napadogan, and in Restigouche county at or near Isaac Manns, at or near B. F. Peters, and at Anderson's Siding on the International Railway.

SIR WILLIAMS-TAYLOR

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11 a.m.—Inspection of the equipment of departments in the new Engineering and Physics Building.

2 p.m.—Academical procession formed in Dr. Cox's lecture room.

2.30 p.m.—Chair taken by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

Address in praise of the Founders by Prof. Kierstead.

3 p.m.—Distribution of medals, prizes and honor certificates and conferring of degrees.

3.45 p.m.—Address to the Graduating Class by Sir Frederic Williams-Taylor, Montreal, P.Q.

4 p.m.—Alumni Oration by Rev. L. Ralph Sherman, B.A., B.Litt., St. John, N.B.

4.30 p.m.—Valedictory Address by Ewart C. Atkinson.

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PTE. ARCHIE SMITH

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order to send reinforcements to France. The battalion was said to be about nine hundred strong. Despatches stated that heavy drafts of Canadian reinforcements left Shorncliffe on Monday and its probable that a large number of the 12th Battalion have gone to France.

NO TICKETS FOR SOLDIERS

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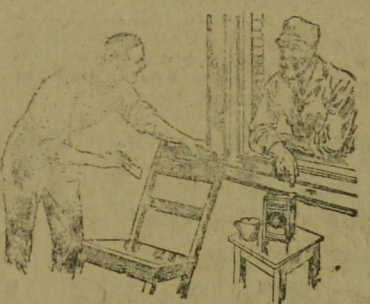
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