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Still No News Of Victory By French Or British Forces

Paris, However, Officially Announces Advances Made

SOME TROUBLE IN SOUTH AFRICA

Cable Brings News of Rebellion by Some Boers and Union is Placed Under Martial Law—Titled Soldiers Wounded—Belgians Remove Government to France

Paris, Oct. 12.—The following announcement was given out in Paris this afternoon: On our left wing our forces have resumed the offensive in the regions of Hazebrouck and of Bethune against detachments of the enemy composed in large part of cavalry coming from the front along Bailieu, Estaires and La Bassée.

"Between Arras and Alost, we have made notable progress. On the centre also, we have made progress in the region of Berry-Aubeac, and we have advanced toward Souain in the west of the Argonne and North of Malancourt.

"Between the Argonne and the Meuse, on the right bank of the Meuse, our troops who hold the heights of the Meuse to the east of Verdun, have advanced. To the south of the road from Verdun to Metz, in the region of Agnetz, we have gained a little territory on our right, and repulsed a German attack on our left.

"On our right wing, Vooges, and Alsace there has been no change. To sum up, yesterday was marked by perceptible progress on the part of our forces in various points on the field of battle.

"In Galicia the Austrian corps defeated in Galicia, are endeavoring to reform at a point four kilometres west of Przemyel."

BELGIAN GOVERNMENT TO HAVRE
Bordeaux, Oct. 13.—It has been decided to transfer the Belgian government to France, in order that it may have full liberty of action. This was announced officially in Bordeaux today.

REBELLION IN SOUTH AFRICA
Cape Town, Union of South Africa, Oct. 13.—It has been officially announced here that a command under Colonel Maritz has rebelled in the northwest of the cape provinces. Martial law has been proclaimed throughout the union.

JANAL CLOSED TO BUSINESS
London, Oct. 13.—The Kaiser Wilhelm canal, telegraphs the Amsterdam correspondent of Reuters, between the Baltic and the North Sea, has been closed to ordinary traffic for the duration of the war.

Goals of War
Bordeaux, Oct. 13.—A sub-lieutenant at the front found in the pocket of a wounded German a letter from the latter's wife. One sentence reads: "I hope you will spare neither women nor children."

Criticism Church
London, Oct. 13.—The Morning Post, in an editorial today, severely criticizes Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, for what it describes as a costly blunder in sending a small force of marines to Antwerp.

The Interned Soldiers
The Hague, via London, Oct. 13.—The total number of interned Belgian and English soldiers enroute to northern Holland is estimated at 20,000 exclusive of the wounded who are being treated there.

Weather Bulletin
Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director, meteorological service.

Synopsis—A very pronounced area of high pressure has moved quickly southward from Hudson's Bay and has caused a decided fall in temperature over Canada from Manitoba eastward to the maritime provinces.

Argentine Consul Killed
London, Oct. 13.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Central News quotes the newspaper Het Volk to the effect that the Argentine consul in Antwerp, M. Lemaire, was killed during the bombardment.

Russian Prince Killed
Petograd, Oct. 13.—Prince Oleg, a son of Grand Duke Constantine, died of wounds received during the war.

AFTER FALL OF ANTWERP WHAT?

Matter of Reinforcements For Von Kluck MORE FOR THE NAVY TO DO

May Mean British Patrol of the Whole Dutch Coast—Opinion in England as to the Present War Situation

(By Ashmead Bartlett)
London, Oct. 13.—The immediate operations of the Germans following the fall of Antwerp will be of absorbing interest. There is no particular reason why the German army should advance on Ostend as the occupation of that port would be of little advantage to them but they will be obliged to do so in order to force the king and court, and the government to quit Belgian territory and drive the remains of the Belgian army away from their right wing.

It may be we are strong enough to hold this army in check in north west Belgium in which case Von Kluck will receive no reinforcements and his communications be in even more danger than when Antwerp still held out. Events will show, in any case, that it does not seem as if the fall of the fortress will materially affect the main situation in France.

Colonel Hughes Due in England Tomorrow And Definite Word Expected by End of Week

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—While offers for enlistment are pouring into the militia department to an extent which indicates that it will be easy to raise in a short order the second Canadian contingent of 20,000, no conclusive arrangements for the departure of the contingent have been made.

REPORTS FROM EAST DISAGREE
Russians and Enemy Both Say They Have Advantage in the Fighting

London, Oct. 13.—A despatch to the Central News from Rome says a telegram from Petrograd to the Tribune states that no Germans remain in the provinces of Suwalki and Lomaz, Russian Poland, that the Russian army continues to advance in the direction of the entire district of Lyck is now occupied by the forces of Emperor Nicholas.

London, Oct. 13.—A despatch to Reuters from Petrograd says: "A big battle was fought at the village of Rakacki (and Suwalki) after seven days of continuous fighting, drove out the Germans, who crossed the river and then posted their guns on a hill. Several batteries, including those sent as reinforcements from Koenigsberg, were captured."

London, Oct. 13.—Reuters' Amsterdam correspondent sends the following German official communication concerning events in the eastern theatre of the war: "After their expulsion from East Prussia the Russian armies were pursued across the frontier. The centre of the German military operations is now in Poland. The whole of Poland west of the Vistula is now in German possession, the Russians occupying only Warsaw."

London, Oct. 13.—Several battalions of troops have left Pola, the great naval port and arsenal of Austria for Galicia in the past few days to fill gaps in the Austrian forces. There is now one huge barracks. Most of the civilians and women and children have left the town.

London, Oct. 13.—A national fight on the proposed war tax of one cent on every \$100 grain transaction was started at the eighteenth annual convention of the Grain Dealers' Association here today when A. E. Reynolds of Toronto presented the report of the legislative committee and it was adopted unanimously.

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John A. Kelly Dies Suddenly

Tenor Singer, Teacher And a Leader in The Musical Life of City

Not for some time has the community been so stirred with regret and sympathy as was the case today, when it became known that St. John had lost one of its most bright and popular young citizens, in the person of John A. Kelly. He died at his home, 408 Union street about six o'clock this morning with a warning of only a few minutes to those of his family that anything was amiss.

The news was a great shock to his numerous friends in St. John, and will be elsewhere through the province. He was widely known as a vocalist and teacher, and had established himself in a high place in this regard, though of late years he had not so much on the concert platform in consequence of the pressing duties of attending to his classes.

Having a rich, pleasing tenor voice, he was much in demand in local singing endeavors, and had been a prime favorite in operatic productions in St. John, notably as Frederick, in "The Pirates of Penzance," and when he left there he became engaged with Leamy & Co., in their music store in King street. His artistic bent asserted itself, and he gave his attention to the study of music, becoming a pupil of the late Mr. Neilson, of York. He was also studying in New York.

For a time he was engaged on the Keith circuit, where he added to his laurels. He was a member of the St. John's choir, and when he left there he became engaged with Leamy & Co., in their music store in King street. His artistic bent asserted itself, and he gave his attention to the study of music, becoming a pupil of the late Mr. Neilson, of York.

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To Take Up With The Government Tomorrow

Matter of N.B. Regiment

Col. J. L. McAvity Has Been Consulting Military Authorities in Halifax—More Local Gifts For Belgian Relief

After having been in consultation with the militia authorities at the maritime headquarters in Halifax for the last few days, Col. J. L. McAvity returned home this morning. He had a discussion upon several matters of importance in local militia circles and among others was his project to raise an infantry regiment in New Brunswick.

He was given to understand that a similar scheme was being fostered in Nova Scotia, but as yet no orders had been received to recruit. Word from the British War Office is expected, accepting the offer of Canada's second contingent, but until it comes no action will be taken other than the course at present adopted.

A meeting of the provincial government is to be held in Fredericton tomorrow and Colonel McAvity will appear before the members to take up the matter of a New Brunswick regiment being sent to the front.

The Relief Funds
The cash received by Mayor Frink for the Belgian relief fund is now well above \$40,000. His Worship today acknowledges receipt of the following amounts:—Mrs. I. D. J. Landry, \$5; Mrs. Edmund Breeze, \$2; Stetson, Cutler & Co., \$200; St. Andrew's church, per Dr. A. S. Smith, \$102; Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, \$8; Rev. W. F. Chapman, \$10; St. John Baptist church, \$215; Mrs. A. G. Gregory, \$5; James Macfarland, \$10; Mrs. J. Friend, \$2; Mrs. J. G. Cliff, \$1 per Dr. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cowan, \$10; Rev. H. R.

Boyer, \$1; Miss Gertrude Rupert, \$1; T. Stevens, \$1; John O. Wilson, \$1; Mrs. S. Hutchinson, \$1; Little Lepraux, per C. S. Hanson, \$60, as follows: P. Knight Hanson, \$5; Charles E. Hanson, \$5.50; H. M. Hanson, \$8; D. K. Hanson, \$2; E. B. Hanson, \$1; H. R. Hope, \$2; Will Lomas, \$2; N. F. Lomas, \$2; W. H. Boyns, \$2; Alfred R. Hope, \$2.50; Mont M. Hope, \$2.50; P. Lomas, \$2; Haasen Lomas, \$2; Everett C. Lomas, \$2; Charles R. Archibald, \$1; Howard Boyns, \$2; Mrs. Boyns, \$1; Walter McPherson, \$2; Chas. L. Rogers, \$2; O. Hanson, \$2; Mrs. Oscar Hanson, \$2; E. Strickney Hanson, \$3.

Along the River
All along the St. John river the people are showing their patriotism by subscribing liberally towards the patriotic fund as well as giving liberally for the relief of the Belgians, both food and clothing. Two successful pie socials were held last evening, one at Hampton, where \$85 was raised, and another at Round Hill, Kings county, the proceeds of which amounted to \$36 for the relief of the Belgians.

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Rudolph Against Bender

Is Belief For Today

Mack's Men Facing Desperate Situation—Prize Money Less Than in World Series of Other Years

Boston, Oct. 13.—A northerly breeze brought slightly cooler air for today's game between the Philadelphia Athletics and the Boston Braves. The sky was partly overcast, but there was no prospect of rain.

The Athletics, three times champions of the world, today fought with their usual dash and vigor against the Boston Braves. Defeated in three successive games, one of which will be written up in our world series annual, the American League contenders in the fourth game in Fenway Park today are fighting to win the next four contests in order to retain their world's title.

Opposing them with menacing bats and seemingly impervious defense, the Braves still bent on the compelling dash of their success in world series honors. The capturing of four straight games by Boston would create a new world series record.

It was a desperate situation for the men of Mack. Never in their history had they been so beset. Desperate measures were necessary.

The Athletics' said Harry Davis, former pitcher and now manager, "I will play today as they never did before. It would be fatal to the future of the team to lose four straight."

Accidental Deaths on C. P. R. Reduced 50 Per Cent in Six Months

A reduction of fifty per cent in accidental deaths on the C. P. R. for the first six months of this year as compared with the same period last year is attributed to the results of the "safety first" campaign.

The management is making every effort to ensure the safety of the passengers and the employees. There is a great influx of contractors and manufacturers here and orders are being placed to ensure the speedy fitting out of the 22,000 immediately on their being received.

Two Princes of Serbia Wounded; One of Them Fatally

London, Oct. 13.—The Star's Copenhagen correspondent says the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin reports that Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia has been slightly wounded and that his brother, Prince George of Serbia, has been mortally hurt in the fighting against the Austrians.

Crown Prince Alexander, second son of King Peter, is twenty-six years old, and became heir apparent to the Serbian throne, when his brother, Prince George, who is one year his senior, renounced his rights to succession in 1909. Prince George had killed his servant and it was believed he had developed homicidal mania.

Prince Alexander has acted as regent of Serbia during the illness of King Peter.

Times Extra Will Tell of Baseball

As on each day of the world's baseball series so far, the Times today will publish an extra edition, giving the story of today's game in Boston.

Successful Hunters
Harry B. Tibbitts and Louis Ready of Fairville returned home today from the woods near Tracy station, bringing a splendid moose, besides several partridges. The antlers of the moose had a spread of forty-two inches, and were much admired.

Moncton's Cabbage Case
Moncton, N. B., Oct. 13.—The adjourned case of Charles McGovern and James Gould, charged with stealing cabbages from the farm of John E. Bars, Shelburne Road, was continued this morning. McGovern said he and Gould were merely driving out the road when Gould got out of the wagon and went towards the cabbage patch. Next thing he knew Gould called out that he had been "caught." McGovern said he had not been in the patch.

Wheat Prices Up
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 13.—Reports of liberal European buying at Kansas City helped bring about an advance today in the wheat market here. The bulls were also assisted by continued falling off in receipts at Winnipeg, and by the lightness of world shipments. The fact that selling operations in Europe were decidedly backward counted further against the bears. After opening unchanged to three-quarter higher; prices made a general all-round return.