

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

WAR REVIEW.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.

The period of comparative quiet which has existed on all battlefronts for some time, except in Roumania, continues. In no theatre aside from Roumania has important engagements taken place, activity everywhere being carried out by means of artillery and by small patrol parties. In Roumania the Teutonic Allies gained another considerable success in the capture in Northern Dobruja of the towns of Matchin and Jijila on the eastern bank of the Danube, opposite the important town of Braila and forcing the Russians to a point just south of the Danube where the river bends and separates Dobruja from Bessarabia. In Moldavia and Northern Wallachia the invaders are keeping up their gains and hold the northward and eastward from the Transylvanian Alps region. At several points in the centre lines of Northern Wallachia, however, the Russians and Roumanians are tenaciously fighting to hold them back, and, according to Petrograd, in the region southeast of Pochranj, near the River Rimnik, the Teutonic Allies were defeated, the defenders taking several villages and capturing 6 officers, 205 men, 5 cannon and 8 machine guns. On the Austro-Italian front bombardments alone have taken place. There is still no news concerning operations in Macedonia. Wireless reports from Berlin crediting Swiss sources to the effect that a German submarine torpedoed and badly damaged near Malta, the French battleship Verite, is declared by the French Ministry of Marine to be absolutely false. Another Berlin report says that since the beginning of the war 19 warships of a total tonnage of 759,430 tons, not including auxiliaries and special type ships have been sunk.

ARMY SCANDAL.

LONDON, Jan. 3. An Army scandal, involving the exercise of influence over high officers by a prominent society woman, is described in the report of the Court of Inquiry, issued to-night. Mrs. Cornwallis West, wife of Col. William Cornwallis West and mother of the Princess of Pless and Duchess of Westminster is severely censured. The late Sir Arthur Basil Markham, Liberal, who died last August demanded the inquiry in the Commons into this matter and was seconded by Irish members, who declared a young Irish officer's honor was involved. It has since developed the officer was Lieut. Patrick Barrett of the Welsh Fusiliers. According to the statement in the Commons before recess he was completely exonerated. His

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commanding officer, Lieut. Col. Delna Radcliffe, was removed from his command. General Sir John Cowans was censured, but was returned because of his good work. General Owen Thomas, who was also censured, was vindicated.

ZEPPELINS DESTROYED.

LONDON, Jan. 3. Two Zeppelins were destroyed at Tondern Schleswig, by fire, because of defective electric wiring in a recently constructed double shed, says a Reuter despatch from Copenhagen.

NORWEGIAN STEAMERS EXEMPTED.

CHRISTIANIA, Jan. 3. The British Legation here says that the Norwegian fishing steamers which supply fish to England are exempted from the British Government's prohibition against the export of coal to Norway. Dissatisfaction with Norway's method of exporting ore or fish from this country and her failure to fulfil certain other provisions of the agreement with Britain, is said to be responsible for the British Government's action. It is feared the British action may bring about a coal famine. The Norwegian Cabinet is considering the next step in what is regarded as a serious situation. Several leading papers criticize the Radical Cabinet's methods and advocate it be succeeded by a non-partisan body of the most prominent men, regardless of their political affiliations.

THE PEACE QUESTION.

LONDON, Jan. 3. Reuter's Telegram Company tonight publishes the following, on the reply of the Entente Allies to President Wilson's recent note suggesting the belligerents state their terms: The peace document is still undergoing a slight modification in draft and will not be published until a day or two after it is in the hands of the President. The note will be more positive than the reply to Germany, and is expected to indicate in a more precise fashion the only preliminaries upon which the Allies are prepared to negotiate. In again going over the ground for the responsibility of the war, it is likely the Allies will emphasize the only possible terms for peace, thus contrasting sharply with the German note which purposely was of a negative character.

GERMANY WILL ISSUE AN EXPLANATORY NOTE.

LONDON, Jan. 3. It is reported from Berlin that Germany will shortly issue an explanatory note to neutral powers in connection with certain statements which the Entente's reply to the German peace proposals, says a despatch to the Central News from Amsterdam.

GERMAN NEWSPAPER DISCUSSION

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 3. The Frankfurter Zeitung, a copy of which has been received here, discussing the peace terms which Germany will not accept, says if the peace terms are to be concluded today the Entente Allies must renounce all plans for conquest. Russia must give up the idea of conquering Constantinople, Balkans, Galicia and that part of Prussia inhabited by the Poles. France must renounce Alsace and Lorraine. Serbia must give up the idea of taking over the southeastern part of Austria-Hungary. The Entente Powers must agree to furnish certain guarantees to make certain frontier rectifications on behalf of Germany and her allies, especially in the east and in the southeast. Britain must, perhaps, even grant freedom of the seas. The newspaper adds, after such peace, or perhaps before its conclusion the Entente would be badly reared and the whole system upon which European policy has been built for the last twelve years should collapse.

TRAIN ACCIDENT.

EDINBURGH, Jan. 3. Eleven were killed and 40 injured to-day, when a train loaded with persons returning to Edinburgh after the New Year's holiday collided with a

switch engine 10 miles outside of the city.

AUSTRIAN OPINION.

VIENNA, Jan. 3. The Austrian-Hungarian press almost without exception, considers the reply of the Entente Allies as a definite refusal to their offer. The editorials assert the offer was made in good faith, and that the Entente had no right to label it as a war manoeuvre, so long as the Entente has not ascertained by suitable means that the offer lacked good faith.

BRITISH PROGRESS.

LONDON, Jan. 3. Some further progress has been made by the British on the Tigris front where offensive operations recently were resumed after a long period of quiet during the hot weather. The following official report from this front was given out here to-day: Since December 26th operations on the Tigris front have been impeded by heavy rain which has fallen almost daily and reduced the ground to a morass. In spite of these adverse conditions further progress has been made on the right bank of the Tigris, east-north-east of Kut-el-Amara.

BERNSTORFF ATTACKED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. During the Senate debate to-day on the resolution to endorse President Wilson's peace note, Senator Lodge attacked the German Ambassador Count Bernstorff, for giving out to the newspapers a statement publicly approving the note. It is hardly to be wondered at, with such a statement as that from the German Ambassador, said Senator Lodge, that there should be general misinterpretation of the note. The general belief, it was designed and timed so as to help Germany attaining peace upon the terms she desires to impose.

CANADA'S RECRUITS.

OTTAWA, Jan. 3. During the year just closed 178,537 men were recruited in Canada, or nearly half the total of the 385,955 since the outbreak of the war. In the last fortnight 2,517 men entered, a decrease of 700 in comparison with the preceding two weeks.

STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 3. Lloyds announces the Norwegian steamer Britannic, 2,289 tons, has been torpedoed; crew landed. The Shipping Agency also announces that the British steamer Bay Craig, 2,404 tons, and the Norwegian steamer Eirik, 587 tons, have been sunk. The crew of the Eirik have been saved.

TERMS KNOWN TO WILSON.

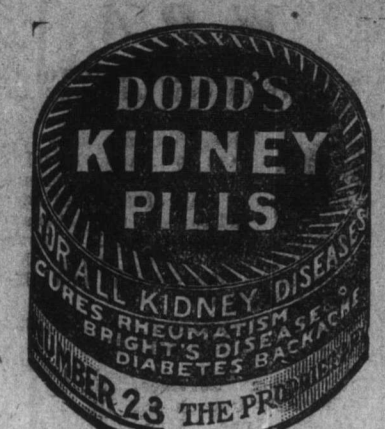
LONDON, Jan. 3. "President Wilson now knows the peace conditions of the Teutonic Allies. The Entente Powers can learn what they are from him," Count Julius Andressy, formerly Premier of Hungary, is quoted as asserting, according to a despatch from Budapest, forwarded by the Central News Agency by way of Amsterdam. The statement attributed to Count Andressy was made in a New Year's speech.

The version of the Budapest despatch received by the Reuter Telegram Co. via Amsterdam, quoting Count Andressy as saying the peace conditions of the Central Powers will be communicated to President Wilson, is as follows: "If the Entente reject our peace offer only because they maintain our offer is not honestly meant, but is a manoeuvre, and that they can't enter into negotiations be-



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TEUTONS CAPTURE TOWNS.

BERLIN, Jan. 3. The towns of Matchin and Jijila, in Northern Dobruja, have been captured, it is announced officially.

GREEK MINISTER RESIGNS.

HAVRE, Jan. 3. Spyridon Levidis, the Greek Minister to the Belgian Government, has resigned as minister, not being in agreement with King Constantine's policy.

FRENCH BATTLESHIP TORPEDOED.

BERLIN, Jan. 3. A despatch to the Zurich Post from Milan reports the French battleship Verite torpedoed by a German submarine, near Malta, says an Overseas News Agency announcement to-day. The Verite is badly damaged, lying near the port of Malta, the despatch adds.

VENEZUELOS RECOGNIZED BY FRANCE.

PARIS, Jan. 3. Following similar action on the part of Britain, the French Government has appointed Robert de Billy, formerly Councillor of the French Embassy at Rome, as French diplomatic agent to the Government set up by former Premier Venizelos of Greece.

GERMAN PRINCE KILLED.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 3. Berlin newspapers to-day announce the death of Prince Friedrich Zou Fuerstenberg was born at Donauessing in Roumania. Prince Friedrich Zou Fuerstenberg was born at Donauessing in Baden on April 27, 1898. He was the third son of Prince Maximilian Egon Zou Fuerstenberg, head of the Fuerstenberg house, one of the most prominent in Prussia.

RAISING A PROTEST.

LONDON, Jan. 3. The British Admiralty quotes the German wireless service as stating that the American Government is raising a protest to Britain against the bombardment of Drama in Macedonia by British airmen before the consul and officials of the Central Powers who had been ejected from Athens had left for their destination, the airmen knowing that these officials had to be met at Drama station. The Admiralty commenting upon this says: The German propagandists' methods are thus admirably illustrated. The Admiralty publishes the Vice-Admiral's report to the effect that the request of the German Minister that the Drama and the Kavala Road should not be bombarded while women and children were passing over it on Nov. 25 was acceded to, and that no bombing was done until Nov. 28, except the bombing of Drama airdrome only on Nov. 28th, before the message was received by the airmen from the German minister who was a member of the party ejected from Athens.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

PARIS, Jan. 3. Artillery was rather active north and south of the Somme, in the regions of Retzvoy and Verdun, and around Deadman's Hill and Besonvaux, and also in the Champagne, says to-day's communique from the war office. Our patrols were very active and brought in prisoners.

MORE STEAMERS SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 3. The British steamer Holly Branch, 3,568 tons, and the Norwegian steamer Ertis, have been sunk.

NORWAY'S COAL PROBLEM.

LONDON, Jan. 3. Norwegian newspapers, according to a despatch from Copenhagen, say the British Government has prohibited the exportation of coal to Norway, because of the unsatisfactory manner in which certain obligations were fulfilled by Norway.

AT REST.

The mortal remains of the late Robert Nash, of Topsall Rd., were laid to rest at Belvedere Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Undertaker J. Nash, nephew of the deceased, had charge of the funeral arrangements. A large concourse of mourners were present. Rev. Dr. Greene officiated at the Cathedral.

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ICE-SKATING. Ice skating is an old-fashioned winter pastime which used to be more popular than a giddy bachelor at an Epworth league social, but is now getting harder to find than corn meal mush without an assortment of lumps as big as a lawn tennis ball. Forty years ago the young people in town and country were obliged to manufacture their own pleasures out of any material that came to hand. They did not have a roller skating rink to go to in the dead of winter, where they could inhale chalk dust and, cut the figure eight on their left ear. They did not have the moving picture show or the K. P. dance, and if anybody had suggested a game of Five Hundred he would have been kicked out of the church without a dissenting voice. If it had not been for the river, with its coat of ice, life in the winter would have been dull for the average boy and girl as a safety razor blade on the second trip out. There was something about skating on the ice which made a boy impervious to cold. He would go out after supper and circle around a small pond when nobody had seen the mercury for a week, but if asked to split up a small jig of cordwood he would almost freeze in his tracks. It was a bonny sight to see a country boy or girl come in from the ice wearing red noses in their cheeks and carrying more fresh air in their lungs than they ever saw after they got off the farm. Ice skating prolonged everybody's life except that of the anxious mother who was afraid her boy would break through. Nowadays people skate in a hot hall, full of dust and undisciplined feet, and run into every variety of germ and microbe known to science. It is no wonder that we have so many flabby youths with spider legs and concave chests. If our boys would pass their idle time on the river, instead of curling up over a pool table with both lungs full of cigarette smoke, they would not be in danger of playing out in middle life with a sudden jerk. ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT.—The pupils of St. Patrick's Presentation Convent repeated the concert and entertainment last night that proved so successful the previous evening. Quite a large number of friends and admirers of the instructors and pupils attended and greatly enjoyed the affair. The programme, which was carried out in a faultless manner, reflects credit on the performers. This afternoon the entertainment will again take place. EDWARDS' LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

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