

ROUMANIA HAS MOBILIZED

Bulgaria Demands Explanation—New Balkan League Formed—Roumania, Serbia, Greece and Montenegro Will Compose Strong Alliance to Counteract Turco-Bulgar Treaty.

KITCHENER HINTS AT CONSCRIPTION, BUT DOES NOT FEEL PESSIMISTIC; RESPONSE HAS BEEN GRAND; RESERVES NEEDED

War Secretary States That 210,000 Men Have Been Sent to France and Have Been Well Tested; Front Has Been Increased Over Seventeen Miles.

London, Sept. 16.—Lord Kitchener in the House of Lords yesterday read a carefully prepared and optimistic speech on military operations. In the course of his address the Secretary of State for War made the interesting disclosure that the German attacks with gas, liquid fire and asphyxiating shells, lacking, as they now do, the element of surprise, have failed in their object and have lost much of their offensive value owing to the steps taken to counteract them.

GERMAN EAST AFRICA ALONE REMAINS UNDER BLACK EAGLE AND PART OF KAMERUNS

Along Two-Thousand-Mile Front Allied Armies of British and French Are Operating in Conjunction and Have Obtained Remarkable Results—Blockade of Coast Effected by British Vessels.

Paris, Sept. 16.—"Fighting continually in Africa since last September along a front of more than 2,000 miles the French colonial troops, aided by the British allies, have obtained remarkable results," said Gaston Doumergue, minister of the colonies.

Russian Woolwich Destroyed Caused the Change of Plans

London, Sept. 16.—The Daily News in an article to-day says it was through German treachery that the great Russian ammunition factory at Okhta, a suburb of Petrograd, was blown to pieces some months ago.

RECRUITING DEPOT FOR THE CITY AND BRANT COUNTY

Will be in Command of Captain Henderson, of 32nd Battery—Recruits for Every Branch of the Service Will be Handled When It Opens.

A meeting took place yesterday afternoon at the Armouries at the call of Capt. Henderson. The authorities have made Brantford a recruiting depot for the City and County and Capt. Henderson has been selected as the officer in charge.

JAPAN DOING ALL POSSIBLE AIDING THROUGH SUPPLIES

Tokio, Aug. 24.—(Correspondence).—The decision of the Japanese Government, announced to-day, to mobilize the industrial resources of the country to increase the output of arms and ammunition for allies is explained by Premier Okuma in an interview in the Kokumin Shimbun.

British Prize Court Confiscates Cargoes on Four Yankee Steamships.

LONDON, Sept. 16, 3.33 p.m.—The prize court to-day condemned the greater part of the American products forming the cargoes of four steamships. The products, valued at several million dollars, are declared forfeited to the crown.

Considering Terms. By Special Wire to the Courier. New York, Sept. 16.—Standard Oil millionaires including John D. Rockefeller, Jr., it was reported to-day, are considering the terms of the proposed billion-dollar credit loan to Great Britain and France with a view to participating.

ROUMANIA, HARASSED BY THREATENING ATTITUDE OF THE CENTRAL EMPIRES, MOBILIZES HER ARMIES AND STANDS BY, READY TO ENTER FOR ALLIES

KITCHENER'S WORDS ARE COMING TRUE ON THE EAST FRONT

London, Sept. 16.—Coincident with Earl Kitchener's optimistic remarks in the House of Lords concerning the position of the Russian armies, they are showing an increasing disposition to resume the offensive at many points on the Eastern front.

OTTOMAN BANKS PREPARING FOR AN EVACUATION

Early Fall of the Dardanelles is Said to be Imminent at This Time.

London, Sept. 16.—Advices from Constantinople, according to the Athens correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company are to the effect that all government financial institutions, such as the Ottoman Bank are making preparations to move to the interior of Asia Minor.

SUBMARINE E-7 PROBABLY LOST IS THE REPORT

London, Sept. 16.—5.01 p.m.—The Admiralty announced to-day that in all probability the British submarine E-7 had been sunk off the Dardanelles.

Berlin Papers Publish Statement Evidently to Prepare Public Opinion For Eventualities; Bulgaria Now Taking Action

LONDON, Sept. 16, 10.30 a.m.—A Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, says German newspapers were permitted yesterday to publish sensational telegrams intimating that Roumania's participation in the war may be expected at any minute.

WHOLE GERMAN LINE AFLOAT; PLANS FOR WINTER TRENCHING SMASHED BY THE RUSSIANS

Turn of the Tide is in Sight—The Hun Armies Require Regrouping on Whole Front—Exhaustion is Daily More Apparent—Fatal for German Offensive, Disastrous for Their Retreat.

London, Sept. 16.—Petrograd correspondents speculating on the possibilities of the German campaign in Russia, which seems not easy to understand at the present moment, point out that the recent Russian successes upset the plans of the Germans to dig themselves in for the winter, if such was their intention.

German Memorial Charges Native Troops With Ugly Atrocities

Berlin, Sept. 15.—Via London, Sept. 16.—The foreign office has just issued in English a memorial against the employment of colored troops in the European theatre of the war by France and Great Britain on the ground that they have brought with them savage practices of warfare of their native countries.

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