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Events of the War.

Owing to the space occupied by map of Canada we have little room in this issue for news of the war. In our next issue, however, if unfortunately the war should

be in progress at that date, we shall publish a map showing the principal places mentioned in the war despatches. Up to the time of writing the chief events of the war are as follows : Greek irregulars crossed the boundary into Macedonia. The Turks claimed that these irregulars were led by many of the regular army officers of Greece, and at once declared war. The Greek minister at Constantinople was notified to leave and the Turkish diplomatic officers were recalled from Greece. The Turkish army moved against the enemy and soon had possession of the Milouna passes. The next move was against Larissa, the headquarters of the central division of the Greek army. After a stubborn resistance this stronghold also fell into the hands of the invading army, with considerable loss to the Greeks. The latter retreated a short dis-

tance south to Pharsalos, where they are now preparing to make a stand against the foe. Both countries are massing troops at this point and a heavy engagement will, in all probability, soon take place. If the Greeks should be defeated here the war will doubtless come to a speedy close. The Greeks have had successes in the east and the west which to some extent offset their disasters in the centre. In our next issue, with a map before our readers, we shall deal more minutely with the events of the war.

> Districts of Canada.

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Doubtless many of jour readers will be pleased to see a map showing the new districts of Canada.

With the creation of these districts our North-west and North-east Territories disappear. As is well known the Territories were under the direct control of the Dominion Government, and we suppose the new districts will be, for a time at least, under the same jurisdiction.

