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THE SITUATION

News from Greece is of a more or less indefinite nature, but that matters there are in a most chaotic state is very clear. King Constantine, in his desire to side with Germany, deliberately ignored the oft-repeated contrary advice of Venizelos, and now he has landed himself in a peck of trouble. His reported abdication has not yet been officially confirmed, but it would seem to be the only way out for him. The known facts are that his people in Macedonia are in rebellion against him, and that an allied fleet of twenty-three war ships and seven transports is at the port of Athens.

In the Somme region the Huns have been making tremendous and furious counter-attacks against both the French and the British. They have only made slight gains, while their losses have been enormous.

The Russians continue their successful operations, and the Italians have commenced an offensive in Southern Albania with good opening results.

Gen. Smuts reports from German East Africa that he has occupied the seat of government, and that the Teutons are in full retreat.

The opinion grows that Germany has reached a point when she must shorten her lines, and in this regard the abandonment of a portion of Belgium is spoken of.

LOCAL GRIT OR SHOULD EXPLAIN

"In a little more than a fortnight the Ontario Temperance Act, so called, will go into operation, and will remain in operation, unless after a referendum, which is to be held after the war, the people of the province decide to do away with it. In the light of the North Perth and Southwest Toronto bye-elections, in what spirit it is to be greeted by its parents, the Hearst government?"—Expositor.

It is only a little while back that the self-same Expositor was claiming that Rowell was the one and only true daddy of the measure. It claimed that it was the voice of Hearst but the parentage of Rowell. Does the organ now wish to go back on the Ontario Grit leader in the matter? By the way, it was the self-same Expositor which not so very long ago had this to say of the Minister of Militia:

"Sir Sam Hughes is on his way back to Canada to meet the charges which have been preferred against him in connection with the fuse contracts, and it is only fair to say that who, despite a good deal of bump-tousness and loquaciousness, has undoubtedly rendered valuable services to Canada, and to the Empire as a whole, in a time of great emergency, that judgment should be suspended as regards his connection with these transactions until he has had an opportunity to be heard. Sir Sam unquestionably has his shortcomings, but of his dishonesty, in a personal sense, he has not yet been accused."

Well, at the enquiry, the personal integrity of Sir Sam was absolutely demonstrated. And having paid the tribute quoted, where has the organ been latterly with regard to Sir Sam?

THE ZEPPELIN RAIDS

So far from affrighting the English as a people, the Zeppelin raids over old Albion have aroused far more curiosity than alarm, and have served to strengthen the grim determination of the inhabitants, if indeed any such impetus was needed.

The damage, beyond the murder of many innocent non-combatants, including women and children, has been infinitesimal, but in the Fatherland the results are recorded in the papers as enormous and paralyzing. Here is a sample of the stuff which is handed out there:

"Undeniable reports regarding the ship attacks of July 28-29, July 31-Aug. 1, and Aug. 2-3 confirm that very heavy damage was caused. A hall which was under construction, with a remount depot, was completely destroyed. Most of the horses perished.

"At the mouth of the Humber a light-house was destroyed. A small cruiser, with three funnels and one mast, was badly damaged. Below Grimsby two munition sheds were completely destroyed. Ships anchored between Grimsby and Cleethorpes harbour establishments, and in the neighborhood of Cleethorpes, were seriously damaged.

"The damage caused in Hull amounts to millions. Several arms and munition works were destroyed, as well as other establishments of military importance. A panic broke out among the population when they realized that the anti-aircraft guns could do nothing against the airships.

"The harbour of Immingham has been closed on account of the extensive damage caused in the docks and the coal depots. In the region of Norwich there were several cases of destruction on the railways. To the south of Cambridge a large factory was set on fire. Near Yarmouth a battery of searchlights and anti-aircraft guns was destroyed. Harwich an airship shed in course of construction was brought down. In Dover the docks were bombed for half an hour, and fires were observed there.

"Woolwich and the surrounding districts were seriously damaged, and several munition factories were hit. In the eastern suburb of London a cotton-mill used for the manufacture of shell-cases was completely destroyed. Over a thousand men and women have been put out of employment. Several large bridges across the Thames, including the footbridges of the Tower Bridge, were damaged. In the docks several warehouses and landing-piers were destroyed. Ships anchored there were partly seriously damaged. In one dock numerous ships, including a large English steamer, which were supposed to take provisions to France to the troops, were destroyed by fire. Many persons were wounded, some seriously, by the anti-aircraft fire. In the Thames a torpedo boat was hit by our bombs, and sunk.

"In Oxford, near London, two munition factories were destroyed. The surroundings of the factories were still on fire the next day."

When the Huns are hampered by such lies as the above there is small cause for wonder that they actually believe the British to be the aggressors in the present war, and that John Bull deliberately incited hostilities for his own sinister purposes.

NOTES AND COMMENT

Now don't work too hard on Labor Day.

No wonder the political pot of the Balkans is boiling so much with Greece under it.

Gen. Smuts has occupied the enemy seat in German East Africa, while the Teutons are forced to hoof it.

There will be no issue of the Courier on Monday, but the usual bulletin service will be maintained.

Along with the approach of winter there is the advance in the price of coal, which is cold comfort for those who need coal comfort.

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NEWS FROM SIMCOE

Inquest on Dead Chinaman—Jury Finding in the L. E. and N. Fatality.

Simcoe, Sept. 1.—From our own correspondent.—The following coroner's jury sworn in by Coroner Dr. Richardson, viewed the remains of the dead Chinaman at Elwood's undertaking parlors and took a look through the room in the Battersby House in which the man was found dead: Wm. Burgess, Chas. Chadwick, Wm. Gilbertson, Jno. Goodland, Lorne Green, Geo. Knight, T. E. Langford, (foreman), H. Wood, Robt. Vance, John McLeod. The inquest will be resumed in the town hall on Friday, Sept. 8th, at 8 o'clock.

Sam Yuen, who sold the Pointe Dover laundry to Dickie and is now running a restaurant here, threw some light on the mystery today. He had a letter a few days ago from the man now dead, informing him of his location and promising him of his money, and intimating that he was soon going to pass over. \$40 Yuan has found a bank, Dickie had not, however, paid for the Dover business.

All indications go to prove that death was the result of dope, and while "Dickie" was in the dead, the other local Celestials were wiring Toronto and other places in search of him. He did not fraternize with them here.

The body was interred in Oakwood cemetery this afternoon, under Yuan's direction and at his expense.

The inquest in the case of Mrs. Jos. Snively, who was killed south of the Lutesville crossing last Sunday night by an L. E. and N. car, was concluded this evening. The evidence corroborated in every detail our account of the accident in Monday's dispatch. Additional facts regarding the case of his niece, the whistling, stopping and efforts to get a physician, were given by the trainmen and passengers. The verdict was that with a rider exonerating the crew of the car of all blame or negligence. It was shown that the speed was not excessive, the car's equipment was in order and the motorman acted promptly. When Mrs. Snively stepped back towards the track, evidently misjudging width of the car, there was no time to stop.

The board of education spent the evening opening tenders for the building of the new schools. There was a big sheaf of them, and considerable variation in figures. The property committee was instructed to have the heating system of the old school put in condition for service at once, as an expert who had examined it, had expressed the opinion that it would be criminal to attempt to use it in its present state.

There was a mere quorum out at to-night's meeting.

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MORE AND MORE

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Roumania's intentions for not bringing the intervention of Greece, at least simultaneously with Roumania. The Star's correspondent quotes him further as follows:

"With the Bulgarian troops between the Roumanians and the armies of the Entente-Allies, and with the Russians advancing through Dobruja, who can doubt that Bulgaria will seek to sign a separate peace with the Entente. If this should happen before Greece goes in, on the side of the Entente, it would mean the burial of Greece."

The correspondent adds that the idea of a separate peace for Bulgaria is opposed by many of the belligerent states.

AN AUDIENCE

London, Sept. 2.—After an audience lasting two hours on Thursday with King Constantine of Greece, which gave rise to persistent rumors Premier Zaimis, according to a despatch filed at Athens yesterday, the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company, said that Greece maintained her policy of friendly neutrality toward the Entente powers while awaiting events.

London Soldier Dies From Effects of Drugs?

Toronto, Sept. 2.—Yesterday afternoon at the Military Base Hospital on Gerrard street, east, Pte. W. Howarth, of the 114th Haldimand Battalion was taken suddenly ill and died in spite of all aid. The symptoms of his attack suggested that he had taken drugs. The case was reported to the Coroner and an inquest will probably be held.

Pte. Howard was a man of about 35 years. He was married, his wife residing near London, Ont.

When asked how it was possible that drugs could be got to the soldiers in the Military Hospital, Col. Richardson, the C.O., stated that one method was by sending them through the mail.

INCREASED TAXES

By Courier Leased Wire.

London, Sept. 2.—An increase in Austrian taxes for the purpose of covering the interest on the war loans is reported by Reuters' correspondent at Amsterdam. Under imperial ordinances published in Vienna, virtually all direct and stamp taxes are increased. New taxes are imposed on the receipts of race track betting, and on matches and other articles.

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LOCAL NEWS

WOUNDED

The name of Pte. Wm. Taylor Paris appeared in the casualty list this morning among the wounded.

FOUR BIRTHS.

Four births took place in Brantford General Hospital during the month of August, two being male and two female.

FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The city is indebted to the North Electric Co., Ltd., of Toronto for \$300, for three fire alarm boxes equipped with code key guards, boards, pipes and rain caps. They are to be installed upon Terr Hill.

TAKEN ILL.

Many friends will be sorry to hear of the serious illness of Dr. Chas. E. Constantine. Dr. Constantine, who was attending to his practice usual when taken suddenly ill, on removal to the hospital an operation had to be performed.

HAS RESIGNED.

The local police force yesterday lost the services of one of its most able members in the person of Constable Ernest Blanchett, who after a month or more spent in service of the law here, tendered resignation. Mr. Blanchett left this morning for Hamilton, where there is a possibility of his obtaining similar situation.

IN STRAIGHT HEATS

The 235 pace at Rowell, N. this week, was won in three straight heats by Princess Mary. Mr. G. Buck's good young pacer, time 2:14; 2:16 1-4; 2:15 1-2, the fastest race of the meeting. The same owners' trotting mare, Lady Sherwood, was three times second in the week with a large field of horses before her; time 2:20 1-4, 2:20 1-4, 2:20 1-4. Mr. Abe Johnson drove the horse and will start them at Olean, next week.



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