

Roumania Centre of Attraction in East
German Cruiser Torpedoed Off Sweden
Fall of Gorizia is Expected Every Hour

DR. CHAMBERS IN AMERICA FROM ASIA

Tells of Harsh Treatment Meted Out to Him and the Good Work of Consul.

New York, Nov. 26.—The Rev. Dr. William Chambers, who has been doing missionary work in Asia Minor for thirty years, his wife and a number of women and children from the mission at Adana, Asia Minor, arrived today on the Greek steamer Themistocles.

SCPTICAL OF NEW GRECIAN ASSURANCES

Pall Mall Gazette Thinks Promise of Greek Premier Should Not be Heeded.

THEIR ARMY STILL MOBILIZED

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Nov. 26.—12.42 p.m.—The Pall Mall Gazette, recalling the assurances given by Eleutherios Venizelos, the Grecian premier, and the way they were nullified by King Constantine's actions, regards present Greek assurances with skepticism and declares that the promise of Premier Skouloudis and his colleagues, whatever shape they may assume are not to be taken too seriously.

What has been secured apparently by the gentle pinch of foreign arrest of Greek shipping, "the newspaper says, is the assurance that Greece will not be quite as treacherous as words which certain of her ministers might have implied. That the Greek army is to remain mobilized will prevent any sure sense of safety on the part of the Entente allies."

Fresh Pork Tenderloin, 25 cents a pound, Saturday, Nov. Marche Grocery, 66 Colborne street. Phone 280.

Roumania Now is the Problem in Balkans

Russian Forces Gathered at Odessa Believed to be Ready to Advance Into Bulgaria—Czar States He Will be There in a Week.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Nov. 26.—Greek affairs having emerged from the uncertainty which for some time has been a potential menace to the allied campaign in the Balkans, Roumania's problem now commands chief attention in Europe. Although Roumania is beset with difficulties somewhat similar to those which caused Greece to hesitate, she is not involved in the same political turmoil, and her situation is expected to mature more rapidly.

Whatever German efforts have been made in Roumania it is believed here that they have been largely offset by the presence of large Russian forces close to the frontier, and the now rapidly developing Russian preparations, with Odessa as a base, from which no other inference is possible than her immediate entrance into the Balkan conflict.

Emperor Nicholas is said to have promised the appearance of Russian troops in Bulgaria within a week. There are increasing indications that this campaign will be launched by way of Roumania, and it is reported that conferences are now being held between representatives of Russia and Roumania to obtain the latter's consent to this move. This consent, as

MACHINE GUN MEETING NOT MONOTONOUS

Several Subscribers Declared That They Wanted Their Money Back.

One Suggestion Was That \$5,000 be Given to Red Cross Society.

The council chambers last evening were quite full before the meeting started. It was by no means a peaceful session for some subscribers seemed determined on getting their money back. They stated that they had given their money for machine guns because the need then had been so great but because the government was supplying the necessary guns now they wanted their money returned instead of giving it to the Red Cross Society for ambulances and other equipment.

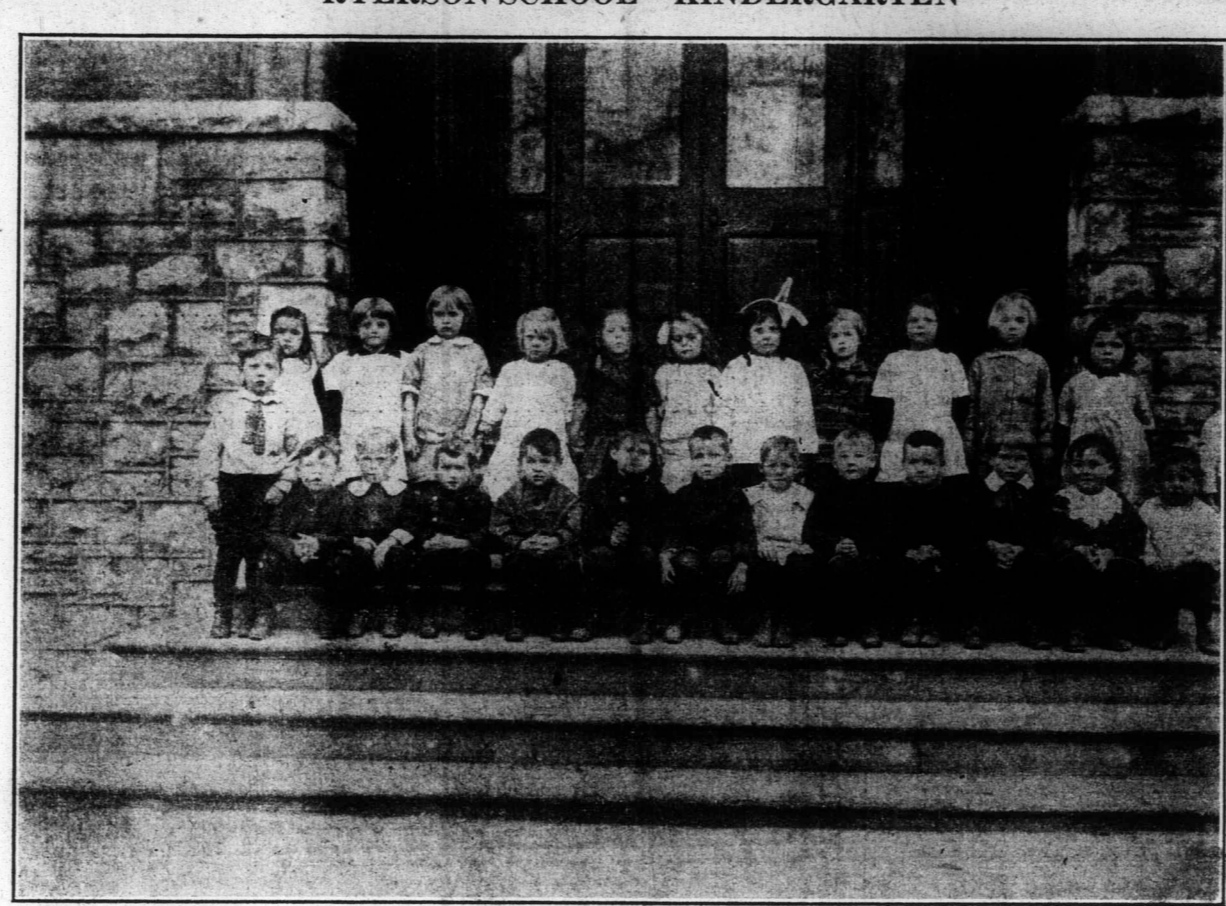
MR POWELL in opening the meeting, as chairman of the fund, said that the people of the city had subscribed most liberally. He had expected to close the fund sooner, but had been delayed by several factories. Nothing had as yet been done with the money. It was lying in the bank untouched, waiting for the recommendation of the committee as to what should be done with it.

Secretary Hatley then read the report of the committee. The Board of Trade "Machine Gun" and "Equipment" Fund was organized for the purpose of purchasing, for the use of the Canadian Contingents, Machine Guns, or Ambulances, or other equipment, as may be most needed.

The following statement explains itself: Total Subscriptions \$27,783.67 Bank interest to Oct. 31st 55.80 From this should be deducted contributed for Special Objects as follows: For Battalion Fund \$1,000.00 For Field Kitchens 1,977.50 For Home Defence 200.00 For Red Cross 13.00 For Tobacco Fund 4.00

Leaving for Objects of Fund as specified \$24,924.97 After deducting the expenses incurred for publicity purposes, (not exceeding \$100.00, being the expenses charged on the fund), and the Ex-Officers' Fund, expended direct, there remains at the disposal of (Continued on Page 6)

Brantford's Bright Pupils Have Been Photographed RYERSON SCHOOL—KINDERGARTEN



Girls.—Daisy Oates, Helen Minshall, Isabel Nelson, Florence Gerrish, Dorothy Pearson, Mamie Hodge, Audrey Craig, Nellie Cleghorn, Mamie Mercer, Laurel McCartney, Iva Gardiner. Boys.—Percy Givman, Sidney Goodwin, Donald Robertson, Jamie Smiley, Chester Powell, Willie Adam, Alfred Tomlin, Rufus McGibbons, Glynn Jones, Bertie Warren, Kenneth Peart, Morley Tipper, Raymond Crouch.

GERMAN CRUISER FRAUENLOB IS SUNK BY ALLIED SUBMARINE OFF SWEDISH COAST

Was Sent to the Bottom Somewhere Off the Coast of Sweden in the Same Place That Sister Ship Undine Was Put Under a Week Ago.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Nov. 26.—The German protected cruiser Frauenlob has been sunk by a submarine of the Entente allies, according to a semi-official announcement made at Petrograd, says a despatch to the Central News Agency.

The Frauenlob is reported to have been sent to the bottom in the same locality where the German protected cruiser Undine, a sister ship of the Frauenlob was lost. The Frauenlob was a protected cruiser of 2,672 tons and was built in 1909. A despatch published in the Politiken of Copenhagen on November 21 said a report had been received that the Frauenlob had been sunk off the south coast of Sweden. Her sister ship the Undine was sunk, according to an official announcement made in Berlin by two torpedoes from a submarine on the afternoon of November 7, while patrolling the south coast. Nearly the entire crew was saved. The Frauenlob and Undine, both carried crews consisting of 275 men each. The vessel were 328 feet long, 40.3 feet beam and had a depth of 15.8 feet. They were armed with ten 4.1 inch guns and were equipped with two 18-inch torpedo tubes. Both cruisers were capable of travelling at a speed of 21 knots.

Killed by Train. Quebec, Nov. 26.—When their buggy was struck by an I.C.R. train early this morning, at Cap St. Ignace, Mr. George Brigeault was instantly killed, while Mrs. Edgar Methot was fatally injured. Mrs. Methot is a sister of Mrs. Leopold Morin, the noted French Canadian pianist of Montreal. EVENING SLIPPERS We carry the newest and latest styles in all kinds of ladies evening slippers. Coles Shoe Co., 122 Colborne street.

RUSSIAN OFFICERS OBSERVING ENEMY FROM CAPTURED TRENCH



VIEWING THE ENEMY'S POSITION FROM A RUSSIAN TRENCH The Russian artillery has done splendid work in the desperate encounter still waging. In the accompanying picture the Czar's soldiers are shown viewing the enemy's positions from a trench recently captured from the Austrians.

THE BROTHERS CHERNIAVSKY TALENTED TRIO

Patrons at the Opera House Last Night Enjoyed Rarest Kind of Treat.

Repeatedly Encored and Responded With the "Spring Song."

A more talented trio of artists than the Cherniavsky brothers has never visited Brantford, and those people who were at the Opera House last night enjoyed the rarest kind of musical treat. The brothers three, are Leo, Jan, and Mischel, and each in his respective sphere is an artist of the very highest rank. The programme opened with a trio for pianoforte, violin and cello, consisting of four Mendelssohn movements, anything more delightful in chamber music, than this perfectly blended selection could not be imagined. Their concerted work in the Mendelssohn trio No. 1, as in the group of three small numbers, arranged by Widor, Schubert, and Brahms, revealed a mutual understanding and sympathy, which is only obtainable by years of practice together, and all three play with the abandon and vigor of youth. One of the most enjoyable features of the programme were the cello solos by Mischel Cherniavsky, his rendition of the well known Saint Saens cello solo, "The Swan," was simply superb (b) Musette-Offenbach, (c) Rhapsodie-Popper, were given with characteristic fire and displayed to perfection the wonderful bowing and technique of the cellist. The young artist graciously responded to an encore.

A decided genius is Jan Cherniavsky, and in his three solo numbers, for piano (a) Nocturne-Chopin, (b) Studie-Chopin, (c) Rigoletto-Listz, he displayed the great versatility for which he is famous. The Nocturne, played with a smooth singing touch, to Rigoletto, which displayed the brilliant technique and natural interpretive ability of this young artist, who was repeatedly called upon for an encore, and responded graciously. The violin solos by Leo Cherniavsky were quite one of the best features of the programme, (a) Ave Maria-Schubert, (b) Humoreske-Dvorak, (c) Danse-Basque-Sarasate met with tremendous applause, and the talented violinist, after repeated calls, responded to two encores, which amply displayed his facile execution with bow and left hand, the muted strings being especially effective in his final encore number. The Cherniavsky's are accomplished soloists in every sense of the word, and it is not often that Brantfordites have an opportunity to hear chamber music played by professional artists of such standing. At the close of the programme the brothers were repeatedly encored, and as an encore played the Mendelssohn Spring Song, which brought down the house. As a suitable closing number, the trio then played while the audience stood, the Russian National anthem and the French national anthem and the

READY TO HOLD OUT TO THE LAST

Serbia Will Never Abandon Hope, No Matter if Fortune Turns Against Her.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, Nov. 26.—A prediction that no matter what happens Serbia will be "born again" was made by War Minister Bokovitch to The Matin's Monastir correspondent, who quotes the Serb general as saying: "We all are ready to hold out to the last. If fortune abandons us altogether, so much the worse, but we still shall hope. Serbia knew how to win liberty after five centuries under Turkish yoke. It will be the same to-morrow. Serbia will live forever. You cannot kill all Serbs and Serbia will be born again to grow greater in the future." When the despatch to The Matin was filed on the 19th the situation at Monastir was reported unchanged. Serb advanced posts were no longer in contact with the Bulgarians who were believed to have detached troops to reinforce the army attacking the French. The Serbians then occupied the village of Brod, north of Krushovo, although the town had changed hands several times being occupied several hours the day before by Bulgarian irregulars.

ONE MILLION PLUM PUDDINGS FOR SOLDIERS

Money to Pay For Them Pouring Into Fund in Small and Big Lots.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Nov. 26.—(In Montreal Gazette)—One million Christmas plum puddings are being turned out by one of London's biggest wholesale bakershops for the soldiers at the front. The big shop has been at it for a week and already 25,000 of the plum puddings have been made, packed and sent away. It may be when things get running faster and funds to buy puddings accumulate, the aggregate shipped off to the soldiers will be nearer two millions. Money for the puddings is pouring into one of the Christmas funds. It comes in big and small lots, from everywhere.

Kitchener in Rome.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Paris, Nov. 26, 2.40 p.m.—The arrival at Rome of Field Marshal Kitchener, British War Secretary, is announced in a telegram to the Havas Agency. The Field Marshal reached Rome from Naples and went directly to the British Embassy.

English national Anthem. Alex. Czerny accompanied the solo numbers most acceptably, showing himself to be a thorough master of that difficult art. Mr. Whitaker hopes to get a return engagement of the trio, and also later to secure the Elgar choir from Hamilton.

British Casualties Over 1000 in Two Weeks

Stafford Regiment Suffered Most Severely—Berlin Reports That the Ameer of Algiers is Stirring Up Arabs to a Holy War.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, Nov. 16.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Officers' casualty lists for the fortnight ending November 8, show losses in British army of 356 killed, 609 wounded and 69 missing—a total of 1034.

Since the beginning of the war the number killed amounts to 6,383, wounded 12,561, and missing 1,752, a gross total of 20,702. During the fortnight, losses have been most severe in the Stafford regiments, which had 96 killed, 47 wounded, four missing; Royal Engineers 25 killed, 24 wounded; Lincolns, 13 killed, 23 wounded, 3 missing; Sherwoods 12 killed, 25 wounded; Yorkshires 15 killed, 24 wounded; Lincolns, 13 killed, 14 wounded, 11 missing; Lancashires, 6 killed, 29 wounded; Kent 16 killed, 13 wounded, 5 missing. Many other regiments have losses of more than twenty. Brigadier-General Forbes Trefusis was killed, Major General Walker

wounded and seven Lieutenant-colonels killed. ROUSING THE ARABS. Berlin, Nov. 26.—(By wireless to Sayville)—The Overseas News Agency says: "It is reported from Constantinople that Ameer Abdul Malik, grandson of the famous Abdul Kadir, Ameer of Algiers, has called on all Arab tribes to take up the holy war against the French. A large number of chieftains with their tribes, responded to the call. The general opinion is that Abdul Malik will obtain the participation of all tribes there. "It is reported from Tangier that Moroccan tribes attacked the French camp at Kreibia."

Abdul Malik is leader of the Moroccan rebels who have been reported in despatches from Berlin on several occasions previously during the war, to have won victories over the French,