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ALLIES' FLEETS BOMBARD DARDANELLES

Six Battleships Take Part—Turks Say Not Much Damage Done—British Report Says Forts on European Side Straits Silenced—Allies Want to Release Big Stock Wheat in Russian Warehouses

London, Feb. 21.—The first serious attacks by the British and French Mediterranean fleet, assisted by aeroplanes and seaplanes, on the Dardanelles forts, which commenced on Friday and continued yesterday, has met with considerable success, according to a British official report and unofficial reports received at Athens from the Island of Tenedos.

Germans Renew Attack on British

Severe Fighting Near Ypres Effort to Gain Dominating Pass in Vosges Ends in Failure

Paris, Feb. 20.—Official despatches from the North state that the Germans have again resumed their attacks against the British forces lying near Ypres.

Pieces of Torpedo Found on Steamer

London, Feb. 21.—In connection with the damaging of the Norwegian tank steamer Beiridge by an external explosion off Folkestone on Friday, the Admiralty announces that seven pieces of metal found aboard the Beiridge after she was beached at Wainfleet, have been examined at the Admiralty offices, and proved beyond a doubt to be pieces of a discharged torpedo.

Bombard Dardanelles

London, Feb. 20.—The British and French fleets and aviators bombarded the Dardanelles forts yesterday and to-day, says the Admiralty. The centre fire is commanded by Vice-Admiral Sackville H. Carden.

Roumania's Policy Armed Neutrality

Petrograd, Feb. 20.—The Russian Minister to Roumania in a report to the Russian Foreign Minister, says that according to such information as he has been able to gather, Roumania will continue her present policy of armed, watchful neutrality, taking sides neither for nor against Russia and the Allies.

To THE GULF SEALERS!

DON'T SIGN any Agreement that contains a clause fixing \$3.75 per cwt. for Seals. Before sealers will accept \$3.75 the owners of ships will have to prove to the President of the F.P.U. that seals are not worth more.

Irish Coaster Goes To Bottom

London, Feb. 21.—A small Irish coasting steamer, the Dronshire (Downshire, 365 tons gross) was sunk last night by a German submarine off the Calt of Man, an Island in the Irish Sea.

Mine Searcher Blown Up

Berlin, Feb. 21.—An announcement issued by the War Office is as follows:—Near Nieuport an enemy ship, probably a mine-searching vessel, touched a mine and sank; the enemy destroyers disappeared when shelled.

Amer. Steamer Meets Disaster

Berlin, Feb. 21.—The American steamer Evelyn, which sailed from New York on January 29th, with a cargo of cotton for Bremen, struck a mine off Borkum Island in the North Sea yesterday. The vessel sank.

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At the Grenfell Hall

A large gathering assembled here last night to hear an address from Mr. Weir, of the Halifax School for the Blind.

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Italian Paper Speaks of Peace

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SWEET CHARITY THE NICKEL

The Nickel is crowded every night, and it is only right it should be. Mr. Kiely and his good staff deserve the commendation of us all for his splendid idea to help the poor.

Not Decided

The proprietors and publishers of the contemplated new paper have not yet decided if it shall be issued in the morning or afternoon.

Wallace & Co. Chocolates are "Candidates of Character."

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Football Medals

We pass along the request, asked of us this morning, that the Football Committee, or whoever are interested in the matter, present the medals won during last season's contest.

Magistrates' Court

A city cooper, drunk and disorderly in his own home, was fined \$2 or 7 days.

Weather Report

Toronto (noon)—N. and N. E. winds, few local snow falls or furies, mostly fair, not much change in temperature.

Coal

The news that the Dominion Coal Co. will open up a business in this city is welcome tidings to everybody, but the coal suppliers, who have made so well in the past.

BRITISH TRANSPORT REPORTED SUNK

Berlin Papers Feature Report in Big Head Lines—London is Silent on the Matter

Berlin, Feb. 21.—Reports of the sinking of a British transport with troops and the accompanying steamer, reached Berlin too late for comment by the morning papers.

Steamer Torpedoed Without Warning

Third Engineer and Two Firemen Killed—Another Member of Crew Drowned

London, Feb. 20.—The steamship Cambank, of Cardiff, was torpedoed to-day off Alnmich ay, Wales, by a German submarine, without warning.

Artillery Effective

Counter Attack by Enemy Brilliantly Repulsed—The French Master of Situation North of Leomenits

Paris, Feb. 21 (official)—There has been intermittent canonading from the sea to the Aisne with a very effective fire by our artillery.

Appeals To Volunteers

During his sermon at last Mass yesterday, Fr. Cox, S.J., made a powerful appeal to the Volunteers who were present, never to forget the tenets of their religion, or the practice of it, and to remember that true soldier and a true patriot are never ashamed of the faith of their Church.

French Take Prisoners and Guns

Paris, Feb. 21.—The following official communication was issued by the war office last night.

Cotton Cargo Goes Down

Washington, Feb. 22.—Secretary Bryan announced the receipt of a telegram last night from the American Consul at Bremen, reporting the loss of the American steamer Evelyn.

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