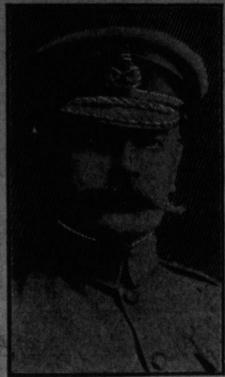


Kitchener Heads The King's Birthday Honor List Which Contains Names Of Several Canadians

British War Secretary, Knight of The Garter—Lt.-Gov. Hendrie, of Ontario, Principal Peterson, of McGill and Very Rev. Danie. Miner Gordon, of Queen's University Knights of Order of St. Michael and St. George—Few Political Honors—Sir Gilbert Parker Made Baronet.



FIELD MARCHAL EARL KITCHENER (Created Knight of The Garter)

London, June 2.—The list of honors conferred on the occasion of the King's birthday, which was issued this evening, was, as had been expected in view of the war, an unusually long one. Three Canadians are among those honored. Lieutenant Colonel the Hon. John Strathearn Hendrie, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario; Dr. William Peterson, Principal of McGill University, Montreal, and the Very Rev. Daniel Miner Gordon, Principal of Queens University, Kingston, Ont., are made Knights of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

The list is headed by the names of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, Secretary of State for War, who received the Knighthood of the Garter, and Sir Francis Bertie, Ambassador to France, and Sir Kenneth Muir, Mackenzie, Clerk of the Crown. The two latter are the only old servants of the Crown who were raised to the Peerage, each having been made a Baron.

Following these names is a long list of officers of the army and navy who receive promotion in or appointment to the Order of the Bath, chiefly for services in connection with the organization of various departments, such as recruiting and training of the Territorials and the new armies, naval

construction, equipment and transport which have demanded special attention since the outbreak of the war.

It is mentioned in the communication making the list public that a further list of honors, conferred in recognition of meritorious services during the war, will be announced later, which probably means that the men in the field who are not included in the present list will then come in for their share of honors.

The list contains very few political honors. Half a dozen members of the House of Commons, both Liberal and Unionists, are appointed Privy Counsellors, and an equal number receive Baronetcies. Among the latter are Sir Gilbert Parker, the novelist, and Sir Henry Normat, Liberal member of parliament.

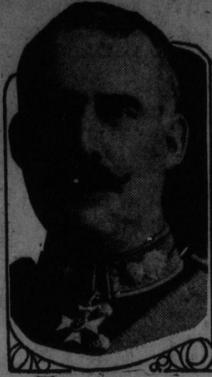
Twenty persons are given Knight-hoods, among them E. L. Fletcher, one of the managers of the White Star Line, for services in connection with the transport of troops; Charles Edward Foyer, the fisheries expert; Leo G. C. Money, Liberal member of parliament, and a number of officials in the Civil Service.

Sir John Newell Jordan, Minister to China, is appointed a Privy Counsellor. Right Honorable Sir James Rennell Rodd, Ambassador to Italy, is given the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George; Charles Louis D. Gras, Minister to Serbia and France



SIR GILBERT PARKER (Created Baronet)

William Stronze, Minister to Chile, are made Knight Commanders of St. Michael and St. George.



LT. GOV. HENDRIE OF ONTARIO (One of three Canadians created Knights of Order of St. Michael and St. George)

Ottawa, June 2.—The following birthday honors granted to Canadians were announced from Government House this evening: To be Knight Commander St. Michael and St. George—Lieut. Col. John Strathearn Hendrie, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario; Dr. William Peterson, Principal of McGill University, Montreal.

To be Companions of St. Michael and St. George—Vice-Chancellor the Rev. D. M. Gordon, D. D., of Queens University; Kingston; Commander Richard M. Stephens, Chief of Staff of the Canadian Navy Service.

To be Knights Bachelor—Henry L. Drayton, K. C., Chief Commissioner of the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners; John C. Eaton, Toronto; Charles F. Fraser, Supt. of the School for the Blind, Halifax, N. S.; H. B. Ames, M. P., for St. Antoine division, and Hon. Secretary of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, Montreal.

To be Companions of the Imperial Service Order—Francis H. Cisarbone, Parliamentary Counsel, Ottawa; Captain Richard Burton Dean, late Supt. Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

ENGINEERS AN IMPORTANT FACTOR IN WAR

Rendered invaluable service at Arras—Cause enemy to lead life of infernal damnation, German letter states.

Paris, June 2, 6 p. m.—The part played by engineering corps in the fighting in the region of Arras is described in a narrative from an official observer attached to the French army, given out here tonight.

"In the vicinity of Carency the battle has been conducted by use of mines since January," the observer writes. "The calm courage shown by our men in the face of great dangers is especially worthy of mention. In this region the galleries and subterranean connecting trenches are more than a mile and a half in length, and the quantity of explosives used from March 6 until May 1, is more than twenty-eight tons.

"On May 9 an attack was begun on Carency. Early in the morning the attack was prepared by artillery, and simultaneously by the explosion of seventeen mines fields, which destroyed completely a majority of the enemy's barbed wire fortifications and breast-works and demolished the enemy's subterranean passages. German sappers and miners were killed outright, only seventy being captured.

"This gave great courage to our infantry in charging, owing to the knowledge that the ground beneath was not mined and that they need not fear that any minute they might be blown up.

"Many other places also were captured, owing to the splendid work and long preparation of the engineers. Their work was particularly valuable at Lorette and Decauville. The work of the sappers in the construction of trenches, bomb-proofs, platforms for guns and batteries, also has been excellent. As soon as ground has been gained engineers are brought up to organize it against counter-attacks.

"A letter taken from the body of a German says: 'The French engineers cause us to lead a life of infernal damnation.'"

ITALY'S FLEET OFF AUSTRIAN COAST READY FOR BATTLE, BUT ENEMY KEPT OUT OF SIGHT

Rome, June 2.—Announcement was made at the Ministry of Marine today that the Italian fleet spent all of yesterday in cruising off the Austrian coast without sighting the Austrian fleet. The statement follows:

"Yesterday our fleet cruised the entire day near the Dalmatian archipelago without sighting the enemy. While waiting, our ships destroyed a newly installed semaphore and wireless station on the island of Lissa, which had been re-established after the bombardment by the French fleet last November. Our ships also destroyed the observation station north of the island of Curzola. (Sgd.) "THAON DI RIVEL, Chief of Naval Staff."

AMERICANS IN URUMIYAH ARE REPORTED SAFE

Washington, June 2.—Americans at Urumiyah, Persia, where foreign missionary schools recently were attacked by Turks, are reported safe in a despatch today from American Consul Paddock at Tabriz. He reported that a relief expedition with food had set out from Tabriz.

TORONTO BANK CLEARINGS.

Toronto, June 2.—Thursday being a bank holiday, the weekly clearings are available today. Clearings, this week, (five days), \$31,560,182; last week, (five days) \$27,975,902; a year ago, \$37,520,322; two years ago, \$40,659,552.

FIND WRECK OF AN ENEMY AEROPLANE

Wrecked airship believed to have been one of fleet which dropped bombs on Brindisi.

Brindisi, Italy, June 2.—An Austrian hydro-aeroplane has been found floating in the river. It is evident that those manned it have been drowned. This machine is supposed to be the one which flew over Brindisi yesterday morning throwing down bombs. An examination of the aircraft indicated that it had been built in Germany. There were found on it certain writings and drawings which showed that the aviators on board had been inspecting the Italian coast and taking notes, evidently with the idea of a possible landing of troops.

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MEMBER OF AUSTRIAN CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES WITH ITALIAN ARMY

Has been condemned to death by authorities—Wanted to serve with Italy's Alpine Troops.

Brescia, Italy, June 2.—Dr. Cesare Battisti, a member of the Austrian Chamber of Deputies, has been condemned to death by the Austrian authorities, though absent. Dr. Battisti enlisted in the Italian army, and asked permission to serve as a scout with the Alpine troops on account of his intimate knowledge of the topography of the province of Trent.

Vienna, via London, June 2.—An official announcement made public here today says: "The result of the bombardment of Pola by Italian airships is incorrectly stated in the communication issued by the Italian Admiralty. Four bombs were exploded, but the damage done was very slight. No fire broke out."

Leonard Craig Wounded Mrs. John Kirsh of South Bay has received a letter from her son Leonard Craig, now in France. In his letter Pte. Craig says, "These few lines are to let you know that I am no longer in France, but back in England again. I accidentally ran into some stray pieces of shell and got wounded. It was not very serious but enough to put me out of action for a month or so if not longer. I am in a nice hospital in Birmingham and enjoying myself immensely. It is a little hard for me to write very much."

Leonard Craig's name was in the list of Friday morning last as wounded. He was seventeen years of age on the 23rd of April last, the day on which the Canadians did such splendid work at Langemarck. He was wounded on May 24th.

STEAMER SEIZED. Mobile, Ala., June 1.—Str A A Raven, which was seized by the Customs Department on Saturday for leaving an American port without foreign clearance papers, was released today. The case has been referred to the head of the Treasury Department at Washington.

NO AMERICANS KILLED IN AIR RAID ON LONDON

London, June 2, 7.15 p. m.—Details of the Zeppelin raid over London on Monday night are still being withheld from the public on account of the rigid censorship.

The Associated Press is permitted to announce, however, that of the four dead none was an American.

EXPLAIN TORPEDGING OF GULFIGHT AS MISTAKE

Berlin, June 2, via London.—The German government has transmitted a communication to American Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, explaining that the torpedoing of the American tank steamer Gulfight off the Scilly Islands on May 1, was a mistake.

Germany disavows any intention of attacking harmless neutral ships, and in cases where she is at fault she offers to compensate.

SCHOONER ON FIRE.

Capt. Wincher of the Danish schooner Immanuel reports that on Sunday, May 30th, passed the schooner Harry on fire, 40 miles south of Cape Sable. No signs of life around. The Harry was before reported abandoned.

SUGGESTS SHOOTING OF SPECULATORS WHO TRADE WITH ENEMY

Are Smugglers, and Smugglers in war time no better than spies, Milan paper says.

Milan, Italy, June 2, via Paris. The Milan Secolo, in its issue of today, urges the Italian authorities to take drastic measures against, and even to shoot, those persons who are found guilty of speculating with contraband in favor of Germany and Austria. Such men are smugglers, the paper says, but at this time smugglers are no better than traitors and spies.

The Secolo calls attention to the fact that as there is at present no state of war between Italy and Germany, certain products may still be exported from Italy into Germany, which means Austria. It urges that these conditions be changed.

SAYS FORMER PREMIER OF ITALY FLED COUNTRY TO ESCAPE DEATH

Copenhagen via London, June 2.—The Kreuz Zeitung, of Berlin, is authority for the statement that Giovanni Giolitti, former Prime Minister of Italy, who led the pacifists in the crisis which preceded the Italian declaration of war upon Austria-Hungary, has fled from Italy. He was fearful of being murdered, the paper says. An attempt upon his life had been planned.

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