

The Germans Retreat; British Are Pursuing

Give Up Positions On Important Front Between Lys and St. Yves

Khaki Advance East of Messines and Pressure South Too Much For Von Hindenburg—British Progress Elsewhere and Successful Raids

London, June 14—Important sections of their front between the Lys river and St. Yves have been abandoned by the Germans. This is announced officially.

Our further advance east of Messines, combined with the pressure of our troops south of the front of our attack, has compelled the enemy to abandon important sections of his first line defensive system in the area between the River Lys and St. Yves.

"We raided enemy trenches last night north of Bulleourt and south of Hooge, and captured a few prisoners in each case."

ASSESSMENT BILL IS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

Consideration at Fredericton Continued This Afternoon

Fredericton, June 14.—The public accounts committee met this morning and heard from Dr. J. V. Anglin, superintendent of the Provincial Hospital, Lancaster, an explanation of the accounts relating to that institution.

The question of the amounts due from the various municipalities was taken up and particular reference was made to Kent county, which at present owes \$8,000.

Following the collapse of No. 5 warehouse in West St. John yesterday, the grain conveyor tower at the eastern end of the shed, and a long section of the conveyor fell last night.

NEW WAREHOUSE SHOULD BE READY BY NEXT FALL

If Piling Foundation is Unaffected Work of Reconstruction Will Present Few Difficulties—Conveyor Tower Fell Last Night

The most important problem in connection with the work is the question whether the foundation of piling has been affected. If it still is sound the work of rebuilding will be comparatively simple.

Little difficulty in having the new warehouse ready for use when the next winter season opens.

TOTS OF FIVE TO SEVEN WERE VICTIMS OF THE BOMBERS

Pitiable Scene in London School House Wrecked by Germans

Engine of Destruction Burst in Room in Which 64 Little Ones Were Being Taught—Some Tiny Bodies So Mangled As To Be Unrecognizable

London, June 14.—The bombing of a school-house furnished one of the most pitiable scenes in yesterday's air-raid by German airplanes.

SHIPBUILDING IN ST. JOHN SOON

Important Announcement is Made Today

Marsh Creek Yards

THREE MORE SEPARATE REPUBLICS IN RUSSIA

Situation at One Place is Declared to Be Serious

London, June 14.—A Petrograd despatch to the Mail says that there seems to be a reign of terror in Tzaritsyn, where a separate republic has been declared.

UNUSUAL CASE OF FAMILY PATRIOTISM IN FLORIDA

Washington, June 14.—War department records disclose a remarkable case of family patriotism.

GUEST OF FRIENDS

A novelty shower was tendered Miss A. Geraldine Walsh at the home of Miss Mary Crawley, King street east, last evening when about fifty girl friends assembled and made her the recipient of many articles.

FIFTY KILLED

Explosion in British Part of Refinery Plant in Brooklyn is Wrecked

Many Are Injured—Bonar Law Reports Disaster At Ashton Under Lyne—Deaths of More Victims of the Air Raid—A Zeppelin Destroyed

London, June 14.—Late last night Bonar Law announced that there was no official confirmation that any other German airplanes had been brought down except the one mentioned in the afternoon.

JAMES PENDER'S WILL DIVIDES ESTATE OF \$52,000

Mrs. Esther Ann Gambelin

At Pearsonville, N. B., on May 31 occurred the death of Esther Ann, widow of Samuel M. Gambelin, in the 82nd year of her age.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service

Synopsis—Pressure is decidedly higher over the west and northwest states and lowest to the northward of the St. Lawrence Valley.

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WORK OF Change In Greece Sends Mark Tumbling

SMUTS FOR THE WAR CABINET

General Smuts has been acting as an official adviser of the state and was of faces since his arrival in England and the papers express the hope that he will accept office. It is understood that he is quite willing to do so provided the South African government consents.

HEARTY RECEPTION IN QUEBEC CITY FOR DUKE AND DUCHESS

Welcoming Addresses From Premier and Mayor For Prince and City

Quebec, Que., June 14.—Their Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire were tendered a reception appropriate to their high rank here, both by the provincial and municipal officials.

Hundreds of citizens of every rank and post greeted the vice regal guests of the ancient capital and all were deeply pleased when His Excellency, answering addresses presented to him, spoke both in English and in French.

CANADIAN LOSSES 63,549 IN LITTLE LESS THAN A YEAR

17,545 on Casualty List of February, March and April—The Enlistments

Ottawa, June 14.—Canadian casualties at the French front between June 30, 1914, and June 8, 1915, totaled 63,549. The number of recruits secured during that period totaled 74,810.

SEVENTEEN DAYS PASS WITHOUT ARREST IN THE CITY FOR DRUNKENNESS

"Still as the grave" said a police official this morning in answer to an enquiry if there was anything new in police circles.

ALLIES LAND TROOPS NEAR CAPITAL OF GREECE

Athens, June 14 via London.—Entente forces are now landing at the Piræus and Castelle. Some of the troops are occupying the heights near Phaleron Bay while others are marching to Athens.

German Money Drops Greatly In Value

DISCUSSION IN COMMONS

Bonar Law Replies to Queries by Members—Alexander Now King of The Hellenes—Pro-Germans and Former Ministers to Be Kept Where They Can Do No Harm

Berne, via Paris, June 14.—The abdication of King Constantine at Athens has resulted in a further fall of the German mark to 67.5 francs for 100 marks.

The Chancellor replied that it would not be in the public interest to give any more information at present, but that Mr. MacNeill was "wrong in saying that his successor had been nominated by Constantine."

THE TROUBLE MAKERS

London, June 14.—A despatch to the Mail from Thessalonica says that the pro-German leaders and former ministers will probably be sent to some place where they will be under allied supervision.

The Hague, Netherlands, June 14.—A Cologne despatch says that the news of King Constantine's abdication created a painful impression at German headquarters.

Athens, June 12.—Former King Constantine left Athens late today to embark on a British warship.

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