

UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT MADE TO ASSASSINATE ADMIRAL KOLCHAK

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BRITISH AIRMEN BOMBARD HINDOO TRIBE

PRINCE SPENDING TODAY SIGHT-SEEING IN NEW YORK

REBELLIOUS MAHSD TRIBESMEN
OF INDIA ARE BOMBARDED FROM
AIR BY ORDER OF THE WAR OFFICE

Natives On Northwestern Frontier Refused To Comply With Ultimatum Issued by British Government—Declined To Discontinue Attacks On British Posts and Convoys — British Fliers Given Orders To Attack Three Villages.

London, Nov. 19.—Opening of aerial warfare against the Mahsud tribesmen on the northwestern frontier of India has been ordered. It is stated in advices from India today. The order was given on November 12, after the Mahsuds had refused to comply with the terms laid down in the British ultimatum late in October, in which the tribesmen were informed that unless they discontinued their continued attacks on British posts and convoys and their raids into British territory, they would be subjected to an intense aerial bombardment. The British airmen now have been instructed to bombard the villages of Kanipur, Makin and Marol.

The Waziri tribesmen in the same district who were similarly notified in the ultimatum had been given until today to reply, and this morning the notification was still unanswered. The effects of their air bombardment have not yet been reported.

Jellicoe Declares He Did Not Come to Advocate Militarism

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 19.—In addressing the Canadian Club here yesterday Admiral Viscount Jellicoe, referring to his present mission, said it was to advise the people of Canada only on subjects on which his advice is asked. It was probably feared, he said, that he was going to suggest too much militarism and the spending of too much money. Such was not the case. He was only here, he said, in an advisory capacity. Admiral Jellicoe emphasized the necessity of British sea-power if the empire is to live, and the necessity of being prepared for any emergency. It was not necessary, he declared, to build up a spirit of militarism.

CITIZENS WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE
ON MONEY BYLAWS TALLING
OVER \$1,000,000 ON JANUARY 1

Plebiscites May Be Taken On Questions Involving Even More Than This—Opinion Divided On How Vote Will Be Affected.

FORECAST OF MUNICIPAL VOTING.

Are you in favor of issuing \$300,000 debentures for extension of Fair Grounds?
\$250,000 debentures for extension of storm sewer system.
\$125,000 debentures for improvement to the L. and P. S. R.
\$100,000 debentures for additional reservoir at Springfield.
\$100,000 debentures to commence soldiers' memorial hall.
Plebiscites.

Are you in favor of: Allowing the street railway to increase its fares. Disposing of the federal square property. Expanding one-half mill (\$20,000) on playgrounds. Increasing the parks' appropriation to one mill.

Grants.

Are you in favor of \$500 grant to the Victorian Order of Nurses? More Than Million.

Present indications are that money bylaws for more than a million dollars will be submitted to the citizens in the January election.

Options differ as to just what will be the result. Such an enormous amount will be turned down completely, say some aldermen, while others say that the city, in general with the re-

BITUMINOUS COAL
SEIZED ON BORDER

Local Fuel Controllers Take Supply in Storage.

Windsor, Nov. 19.—All bituminous coal in storage at Windsor and the adjoining border municipalities was seized Monday afternoon by local fuel controllers, acting under orders from H. A. Harrington, fuel controller for Ontario. Reports received from officials of municipalities, where surveys of the local fuel needs were made, shows an alarming shortage of soft coal. Fuel Controller Harrington said Monday. Because of this condition, exportation of soft coal from the dominion has been ordered stopped.

What's Doing Tonight?

THEATRES.

Majestic — Dorothy Gish in "Hearts of the World."
Grand — Mabel Normand in "Mickey," and vaudeville.
Patricia — Alice Joyce in "The Venetian of Durand," and vaudeville.

OTHER EVENTS.

London Advertising Club—Frank L. Dykema, speaker, Tecumseh House, 6:15 p.m.
Herman J. Brouwer—London Conservatory of Music, 8:15 o'clock.
Order of Eastern Star—Ruth Chapter, No. 26, meets in K. of P. Hall, 8 o'clock.
Royal Black Knights—King Solomon Preceptory meets at 7:45 o'clock.

Latest Photograph of Drury and His Cabinet Taken Before Parliament Buildings Last Monday Afternoon



From left to right, the men are: Hon. B. Bowman, minister of lands and forests; Hon. W. E. Roney, attorney general; Hon. Walter Rolfe, minister of health and labor; Hon. Lieut.-Col. D. Carmichael, minister without portfolio; Hon. Manring W. Doherty, minister of agriculture; Hon. H. C. Nixon, provincial secretary; Hon. E. C. Drury, prime minister; Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education; Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of public works; Hon. Peter Smith, provincial treasurer; Hon. H. Mills, minister of mines.

ATTEMPT MADE
TO KILL HEAD
OF OMSK GOVT.

Hand Grenades Thrown At Admiral Kolchak Miss Mark.

KILL SIX SOLDIERS

Bolsheviks Claim Capture of 27,000 Prisoners in the Recent Operations.

London, Nov. 19.—An attempt to assassinate Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian Government, which up until recently maintained its capital at Omsk, is reported in a wireless dispatch received here from Moscow.

Hand grenades were thrown at Kolchak, six soldiers being killed and twelve wounded.

The capture of Kursk, south of Orel, is reported in the dispatch, the Bolshevik troops entering the city on Tuesday.

In the course of operations resulting in the capture of Tolbolsk, Ishim, Zukiinsk, Petrovsk, Koktshetof and Omsk, the dispatch asserts the Bolsheviks took 1,000 officers and 27,000 men as prisoners.

20,000 OF YUDENITCH'S
TROOPS REPORTED TO
HAVE JOINED REDS

Helsingfors, Finland, Monday, Nov. 17.—Via London, Nov. 19.—It is reported here tonight that 20,000 troops of General Yudenitch's Northwestern Russian army have come over to the Bolsheviks.

TEACHERS ORGANIZE
UNION; COMMITTEES
WORK OUT DETAILS

Nearly All in City Have Become Members.

Organization of the School Teachers' Union of this city was completed at a meeting of the committee, appointed for that purpose at the general meeting of the teachers some time ago, held in the Collegiate Institute last evening. Plans were drawn for the federation of the local union with the teachers' unions of other cities, and sub-committees were appointed to work out the details of the organization.

The committee that is to draft the constitution of the union is composed of J. W. McWilliams, J. A. Dickenson, J. Kirkwood, W. J. Snelgrove, Miss E. Johnston and Miss H. Tolhurst.

The rules and regulations will be drawn up by J. Calvert, W. J. Judd, and Misses S. Brenton, J. Weir and M. Upshall.

REPORTS OF GIPSY
SMITH'S MEETINGS
ON PAGE TWO

Full reports of Gipsy Smith's meetings yesterday afternoon and last night appear on page two of this edition.

GIPSY SMITH'S VISIT TO VICTORIA
COUNTED HEAVILY

Rev. R. G. Peever has received the following night lettergram from Victoria, B. C.: Victoria ministers and Christian workers greet London. Great meetings here, crowding Drill Hall nightly. Afternoon meetings inspiring. Multitudes quickened; hundreds of decisions for Christ. The whole city stirred greatly. Gipsy Smith worthy of all confidence and love. May his coming to London mean as much as it has meant to Victoria.

R. M. THOMPSON, Secretary of Mission.

WESTERN "U" STUDENT WINNER
OF FIRST PRIZE IN CONTEST;
OUTSIDERS GET A GOOD SHARE

Toronto, Brantford and London Subscribers Figure in List of Awards—Competition Was Extremely Close.

With a difference of only two points between the first and second winners, The Advertiser announces today the result of the closest puzzle contest which the residents of Ontario have ever participated in. By not following the conditions of the contest, a number of solutions were disqualified. The best answer received (sent in by a Toronto lady) was unfortunately invalidated on account of an error in addition. Many others were disqualified by crossing the chart several times instead of once across and back. Others were thrown out on account of backing up when crossing from one side to the other.

Several requests were received by telegraph, telephone and letter asking that the original answer sent in be changed. These requests were in direct violation of the conditions of the contest, and were invariably refused.

The winners are led by a young Clinton man attending Western University, followed closely by a London man.

An examination of the figures presented today will show that as difficult as many thought the second puzzle to be it was not so intricate but that those who submitted the best solutions were within a hair's-breadth of each other. However, the ties on the first puzzle have been disposed of, and within the next few days those who have won will reap the reward of their efforts.

The chart submitted by Mr. L. Churchill is reproduced for the benefit of those who might wish to check up his work in order to see not only wherein he achieved the best result, but also to enable them to ascertain where they themselves fell down. The chart will be found on another page of this issue. The prize-winners are as follows:

CAPITAL PRIZES.	
L. CHURCHILL, Clinton, Ont.	23,341
W. G. WEBSTER, 201 Prince street, London	23,239
S. ORTH, 1 Gerrard street, London	23,217
J. MILNE, London	23,209
MRS. W. R. ELLIOTT, R. R. 2, Gorrle	23,289
OTHER PRIZES.	
John Shoa, 257 Green street, Brantford	23,281
M. McQuire, 13 Maple street, Toronto	23,277
Mrs. S. Towell, C. P. R. Hotel, London	23,182
D. Fuller, 421 Manning avenue, Toronto	23,125
A. Hayes, 129 Cobden street, Sarnia	23,110
S. G. Elliott, 750 Richmond street, London	23,115
FIFTEEN-DOLLAR PRIZES.	
John A. Marchant, Chelsea Green, London	23,129
Irene M. England, 1193 York street, London	23,083
N. H. Cronyn, 580 Dundas street, London	23,068
Mrs. S. Towell, C. P. R. Hotel, London	23,019
Fred Reigan, 45 North Water street, Galt	22,982
R. G. Vogan, 563 Dufferin avenue, London	23,014
R. C. Pawcett, Burke Falls, Ont.	23,009
R. P. Bray, 14 Woodlawn avenue, Ottawa	22,963
John A. Marchant, Chelsea Green, London	22,950
J. A. Clarke, 154 John street, London	22,934
TEN-DOLLAR PRIZES.	
Mrs. W. R. Davis, 375 King street, London	22,926
George Parr, 132 Westlawn street, London	22,924
R. R. Farr, 223 Cathcart street, London	22,924
Sidney J. Chadwick, 645 King street, London	22,923
Wm. B. Smith, Camlachie, R. R. 1	22,901
Miss M. Harding, 115 Carling street, London	22,891
P. Elliott, 548 Ontario street, London	22,887
Miss E. Hettich, 126 Maple street, London	22,882
Rev. F. A. Puerth, Box 119, West Lorne	22,877
John Anderson, 791 Hellmuth avenue, London	22,872
Isabel Whitehead, 2 Parkway Apartments, London	22,859
Teene Hunter, 15 Mary street, Hamilton	22,856
L. J. Hadigan, 10 Brook street, Galt	22,851
W. Geiger, Box 505, Waterloo	22,849
A. H. Robins, Thamesford, Ont.	22,839
FIVE-DOLLAR PRIZES.	
H. Williams, R. R. 5, London	22,836
J. P. MacMillan, 101 First street, Ottawa	22,828
A. B. Burke, R. R. No. 5, Dunnville, Ont.	22,826
Harry Wright, Blackheath, Ont.	22,821
Edward A. Kains, Dutton, R. R. 3	22,815
Mrs. P. J. Kearney, 30 Beverly street, Galt	22,808
L. R. Smith, 723 1/2 Richmond street, London	22,799
Edward Schafer, 591 King street, London	22,792
Miss Alberta L. Torg, 517 Princess avenue, London	22,779
Margaret A. Bell, 19 Victor street, London	22,777
W. Saunders, 570 Waterloo street, London	22,770
Andrew Clark, 82 Stanley street, London	22,747
Ella Selton, Leamington, Ont.	22,735
M. McMillan, R. R. 2, Tecumseh	22,735
Mrs. Charles Davis, Box 93, Strathroy	22,727

PRINCE OF WALES IS
MAKING SIGHT-SEEING
TOUR OF NEW YORK

People of Great Metropolis Extend Hearty Welcome to Royal Visitor.

PRINCE WELL GUARDED

Every Measure Is Taken To See That Utmost Safety Is Provided.

New York, Nov. 19.—The Prince of Wales was up bright and early today "to see the sights." Pleased by the warmth of his welcome here yesterday when he was made a free man by Mayor Hylan, the prince displayed a boyish eagerness to become acquainted with the city, his morning program included a trip to the top of the fifty-four story Woodworth Building, an automobile ride through thoroughfares. Visits to the stock exchange, the United States sub-treasury building, historic Trinity Church and the Chamber of Commerce. The afternoon will be taken up with visits to the academy of music and the annual horse show at Madison Square Garden. Tonight he will attend a dinner of New York societies, and later will be the guest of honor at a ball in the home of Mrs. Whitehead. By his democratic bearing, the prince has captured the heart of New York. He was greeted with unusual warmth everywhere he went. The crowds, showing a democratic disregard for royal dignity, saluted him with such remarks as: "Hello, Prince," and "He's a regular guy."

EGYPTIAN MINISTRY
RESIGNS, DISPLEASED
WITH INVESTIGATION

Rioting Again Occurs in City of Alexandria.

London, Nov. 19.—The Egyptian ministry has resigned because of dissatisfaction with the mission appointed by Lord Milner, secretary of state, for the investigation of the rioting in Egypt, according to official dispatches from Cairo today.

FIRST PRIZE WINNER



LAVERN CHURCHILL, Clinton, The Advertiser puzzle contest winner, is a student at Western University, studying law, and only last year won "Political Science" honors, donated by the board of governors. Mr. Churchill received congratulations from his many friends when it was known that he was the lucky contestant.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE MAY NOT
WAIT FOR U. S. RATIFICATION
OF VERSAILLES PEACE TREATY

Pact May Be Put Into Operation—Questions Arising Under Treaty Require Immediate Attention—American Senate's Reservations Will Not Be Acceptable to the Other Powers.

London, Nov. 19.—Great Britain and France are considering whether they are not compelled to proceed with the carrying out of the German peace treaty and the operation of the league of nations independently of the United States, pending the decision of the American Government on its course. It is pointed out that matters are continually arising under the treaty which need immediate attention, such as the operation of the various plebiscite commissions, and it is considered that, because of this fact, it is no longer possible to delay making the pact operative.

Germany Adopted Unrestricted
Submarine Warfare Knowing It
Would Bring U. S. Into Conflict

Field Marshal von Hindenburg and General Ludendorff Give Evidence Before Special Investigating Committee of the National Assembly—Both Launch a Bitter Attack On Bernstorff.

Berlin, Nov. 19.—Germany decided upon unrestricted submarine warfare in spite of warnings that such a step would bring the United States into the war as a decisive factor. This was proved today by reports read at the inquiry into war responsibility, being conducted by a sub-committee of the national assembly.

Australia Is Now
Suffering Worst
Drought in Years

Stock and Crops Are Being Destroyed On Account of No Rain.

London, Nov. 19.—Australia, especially New South Wales, is suffering the most devastating drought since white men have resided in that country, even the drought of 1902 being surpassed, according to a Sydney dispatch to the Daily Mail. Stock and crops have been destroyed, and it is doubtful whether there will be enough seed wheat for next season's sowing. Hundreds, perhaps thousands, of settlers have been ruined. Northwestern New South Wales is described as a desert, being parched from the recent drought. Paddocks are littered with the skeletons of cattle, and even rabbits are dying in vast numbers.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 50; lowest 28.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND MILD.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—8 a.m. Forecasts.

Today—Fresh, to strong northwest wind, fair and cold, with a few snow flurries.

Thursday—Fair and a little milder again.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	50	32	Clear
Winnipeg	26	12	Cloudy
Port Arthur	28	14	Clear
Parry Sound	43	18	Fair
Port Stanley	44	24	Fair
Shaw	46	26	Snow
Kingston	48	24	Fair
Ottawa	42	24	Snow
Montreal	45	30	Snow
Quebec	46	32	Rain
Father Point	41	32	Cloudy

Weather Notes.

The Atlantic Coast disturbance has moved very rapidly to the Maritime Provinces, but has proved very important.

The weather has become somewhat colder in Ontario and Quebec, and light snow has fallen in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys.

CONSTITUTIONALISTS
WIN 300 SEATS IN
ITALIAN ELECTIONS

Socialists Elect But Twelve of Their Candidates.

Rome, Nov. 19.—Latest election reports indicate that the constitutionalists secured 300 seats in the chamber of deputies in the recent election. The Socialists elected 12 and the Catholics 90. Official reports from the districts in this city show the election of four Catholics, four Ministerialists, four Socialists and one each by the Nationalist, Republican and Independent Liberal parties.

Among those who were successful at the polls were: Prof. Luigi Lombardi, former minister of agriculture; Ferdinando Martini, former governor of Brindisi; Leonida Bisolatti-Bernasconi, former minister of military aid and war pensions; Carlo Ferraris, minister of industry, commerce, labor and food; Signor Dumes, former minister of finance; Signor Parla, former minister of justice and Signor De Nava, minister for liberated provinces. Those who were not elected include: Signor Buscetta, former minister of military assistance and pensions; Pietro Bertolini, former minister of public works; Ettore Sacchi, former minister of public works; Luigi Rana, former minister of finance; Giuseppe Viviani, editor of the Turin Stampa, and Signor Fossati, former under-secretary of colonies.

Daughter of General
Yudenitch in Hiding
From Russian Reds

London, Nov. 19.—Somewhere in Russia territory, held by the Bolsheviks, the daughter of General Yudenitch, who led his army in an attempt to capture Petrograd, is or was, hiding, for fear of being shot by the men whom her father is fighting. This fact has been made known here by General Dobjanski, representative of General Yudenitch in London.

General Yudenitch does not know what fate has befallen his daughter. Her husband was killed in battle with the Germans shortly after her marriage.

"FLU COSTS \$1,000,000.

Melbourne, Australia, Nov. 18.—After spending \$1,000,000 on special foodstuffs and emergency hospitals, the influenza epidemic has been conquered.