

VICTORIOUS ALLIED ARMIES PRESSING ON TOWARD GERMANY

Americans Are Making About Twelve Miles a Day—French Have Already Occupied Many Important Fortified Positions—Antwerp Now Filled With Belgian Soldiers, While the People Rejoice in Their Deliverance—Von Mackensen Still Finds Excuses for Delay.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The official statement of the advance of the Allies on the front says: "The French army, quitting the conquered positions on the day of the armistice resumed this morning its forward march to occupy the regions evacuated by the enemy. Crossing the frontier on the whole of the front, our troops penetrated Belgium and the annexed provinces (Alsace and Lorraine).

At the present time there is not a single centimetre of enemy territory in the hands of the Allies. The liberated population everywhere greeted the liberators enthusiastically.

"On our left we have gone beyond Marburg, Convin and Punay, crossed the Semoy and reached Carignan, after having occupied the towns of Bouillon and Sedan.

"In Lorraine our advance guards are in Graylote and efforts to south of Metz and at Marbache and Dieuse. "In Alsace we have reached Donon and Schirmeck. We are progressing between Sainte-Marie-aux-Mines and Schlestadt. Further south we have pushed forward to Colmar and Eszringen. Beyond these points we have Richcourt and Cirey, Chateau Salins, Munster, Cernay and Altkirch, which have become French again.

"At noon General Hirschauer, commanding the Second Army, made at the head of his troops solemn entrance into Mulhausen. Our troops have received the warmest welcome into the town, which is magnificently betrayed. The welcoming forces, by unanimous acclamation, expressed their unshakable loyalty to France."

With the Allied armies in France and Belgium, Nov. 17.—The Allied armies have begun their march towards Germany. The Belgian forces have already occupied Antwerp, which was evacuated by the enemy on Friday and immediately taken over by the German soldiers today.

The withdrawal from Antwerp was accompanied without untoward incident by the corresponding forces of the city today the people were in the midst of a celebration for their deliverance.

Burgomaster Max has left Brussels for Ghent to visit the king. The official announcement of the advance of the Allied armies says: General Plumer's second army and General Rawlinson's fourth army today commenced their advance, in accordance with the terms of the armistice, in conjunction with the Allied armies.

"At the end of the day's march our advance troops had reached the approximate line of Certoutens, Puy, Pleton, La Louere, Soignies, Engelen and south of Fimex.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The American Third Army has been designated as "the army of occupation." It will be under the immediate direction of General Pershing, the commander-in-chief, who will be in command of the American position in organized territories.

With the American Army in France, Nov. 17.—General Pershing's forces moved forward early today in territory just abandoned by the German troops. On the old line between Metz and Thionville, lying from the region of Sedan to the south of Metz, the troops had been stationed to await orders for the advance, and at 5.30 o'clock this morning the patrols marched out, not in line of battle, but in columns along the high roads.

With the American Forces Advancing on Germany, Nov. 16.—(By The Associated Press)—The American forces following on the heels of the homebound German forces are travelling about twelve miles each day.

Paris, Nov. 16.—French and American troops continued to progress in their occupation of Alsace-Lorraine. Both forces continued their movements in the direction of Metz today, according to the Temps.

Paris, Nov. 17.—French troops and the fourth south of Metz, Munster and Altkirch, according to the French official communication issued this evening.

London, Nov. 17.—General von Finckh, the German commander in Finland, has informed the Finnish government, says a Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., that German troops are being withdrawn from Finland in order to avoid conflict with British forces which are expected there soon.

The despatch adds that General Mannerheim, commander of the Finnish government forces, will be going to the front.

NUXATED IRON advertisement with image of a bottle and descriptive text.

ALLIES ARRANGE TO FEED HOLLAND

Are Diverting to That Country Seven Thousand Tons of Wheat as a Start.

London, Saturday, Nov. 16.—In view of the measure of an agreement reached between Dutch delegates and representatives of the Allied governments and of the United States, and the serious distress in Holland, arising from insufficient food supplies, the Allied food council in London has arranged to divert to Rotterdam the steamer Odra with wheat on board. The vessel carries 7,100 tons of wheat.

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JOS. A. McQUEEN IS DEAD AT DORCHESTER

Was at One Time a Member of the Legislature — For Some Years Was Sheriff of Westmorland County.

Dorchester, Nov. 16.—Ex-Sheriff Joseph A. McQueen died at his residence in Dorchester this (Saturday) morning, at the age of forty-five, after a long illness extending over a period of ten years.

The sufferer had been in a comatose condition for the past four or five days.

In the person of Joseph A. McQueen, Dorchester has lost a citizen both in public and private life. The subject of this sketch was born in Point de Bute, Westmorland county, N. B., on November 10th, 1852.

He received his education in the public schools of his province and at Mount Allison University. While at the latter institution he took over the control and management of his father's mercantile business at Point de Bute, at the time of the appointment of his father, the Hon. Angus McQueen to the Shrievalty of Westmorland.

Joseph McQueen's public career may be said to have commenced when he was elected councillor for Westmorland Parish in this municipality, and it will be recalled that in 1881 he was elected to the provincial legislature, with Mr. Amasa E. Killam, of Moncton, as a running mate, to the Provincial Legislature at this session by being chosen as the mover of the address at that session.

It will also be remembered that he was appointed to the post of High Sheriff in 1899 in succession to his father. This position he held and administered successfully until 1905, when he was elected to the provincial legislature. He held the position of Grand Recruit of the Royal Arcanum in New Brunswick for the years 1905 to 1907. He was also the Maritime representative to the Supreme Council meetings of the Order, held in Boston, St. Louis and Chicago, in 1910, 1911 and 1912.

He also had membership in the Independent Order of Foresters and in the Canadian Order of Foresters. He was for many years connected with the organization of the whole of Russia and the establishment of a Government which will succeed the Bolsheviks.

The presence of these men, however, does not indicate that the Allies are ready to recognize officially this Government as Russia's real power, but that the Allies see possibilities in this Cabinet for Russia's reorganization.

M. Regnault, who met with a correspondent from the Russians and Czechs en route, came here impressed by the public attitude toward the Omak Government. When I saw France's former ambassador at Peking, he questioned him about the attitude of the Allies toward the Government, M. Regnault said:

"I am glad to know that the people at the head of this Government are of good faith, honest, serious and able. The Allies have not yet recognized them, but I think they are favorably disposed. From all I have seen, the population is quite in accord with the Government, because it purposes to establish order, while the Bolsheviks only want disaster.

To Extend Recognition. "I am here representing France for the purpose of intervening in the present situation. While I cannot say now what attitude France will take, I believe the Allies and the French plan will be first to see what the Government means, second, to encourage it if necessary, and third, if the Allies see this Government is giving good administration, then to extend recognition to it as the Government of all Russia.

"Since the formation of the Russian Government the Siberian Government has ceased to exist, but now that the Government officials personally always find them ready and willing to work with the Allies." The High Commissioner about Prince Lvoff's mission he answered:

"Lvoff is the unofficial representative of the new Government, all of his remarks the prince has always spoken highly of this Government, saying the directors and ministers were honest, patriotic and energetic men.

When I asked how long the Bolsheviks were expected to hold out, M. Regnault smiled, saying: "We hope that with the Allied help from the Black Sea, Archangel and the Czechs here, that the Bolshevik strength will break England, France and Italy are all sending troops to aid the Czechs. When the Czechs know they are coming to their assistance, that help is coming to all sides, and that the Germans are withdrawing from Russia, it will encourage them—this is the whole situation here. The only question is the morale of the Allies against the morale of the Bolsheviks."

Captain Gaston Bourgeois and Captain Poshkoff accompany Regnault.

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS advertisement with image of a bottle.

HUNS EVERYWHERE VIOLATING TERMS OF THE ARMISTICE BY DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

Many Allied Vessels Interned in Germany Which Should Have Been Surrendered Are Sunk, and Revolutionists Are Blamed.

Private Property is Being Destroyed or Carried Away by the Retreating Armies—Allies Must Send Troops to Enforce Armistice.

London, Saturday, Nov. 17.—Confirmation had been received here that Germans are pillaging or destroying property in the suburbs of Brussels. Although the movement is in no sense revolutionary, it is regarded as necessary to enforce the armistice.

Advised received in London today that the entry of the Belgian King and Queen into Brussels has been postponed to Brookfield, N.S., and was enroute home when taken ill.

An alleged "Jack the Hugger," who has been causing much annoyance between the city and suburbs some time past has been taken into custody by the police and is being held for identification and trial.

SOMEBODY SET FIRE TO A HAYSTACK And Chatham Department Had a Run—No New Influenza Cases Reported.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, Nov. 17.—There were no new cases of influenza reported today or yesterday. Four houses were released from quarantine Saturday. Hotel Dieu Hospital is now prepared to receive patients suffering with the disease.

The fire department was called out about ten o'clock last night to extinguish a stack of hay that had been set apparently by boys. An empty bottle smelling of kerosene was found near the stack. The fire department was entirely consumed. Chatham has some beautiful specimens of criminal in embryo.

Dr. J. J. Macdonald of the region of Vancouver tonight on account of the serious illness of his father.

LANSING'S REPLY TO GERMAN REQUESTS Tells the Enemy to Send Its Notes Hereafter Through the Proper Channels to the Allied Governments.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Secretary Lansing made public today the text of his reply to radio communications from the German government seeking modifications in the terms of the armistice with Germany and Turkey. It announced that the requests would be referred to the Allied governments and the supreme war council, and pointed out that such communications should be sent to all the associated governments instead of only to the President and the British government.

Interprovincial and Federal Conference This Week Highly Significant.

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Every provincial Premier is expected to be in Ottawa for the conference called by the federal government for Tuesday. The conference is one of the most important inter-provincial and federal gatherings which have been held since the war.

Provincial financing generally will be considered in conjunction with the reconstruction of the Dominion. It is the desire of the provinces that the Dominion should co-operate to the best of their ability in the work of once more restoring the Dominion to its former state.

Fredericton is IS OPENING UP

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Nov. 18.—The different city churches reopened today after being closed for the past five weeks by order of the provincial board of health.

In nearly all the churches special mention was made of the close of the European war, and prayers of thanksgiving for the victory of the Allied nations.

City schools reopen tomorrow. Normal school and the university will reopen on Wednesday next. Students from outside points are already arriving in the city to resume their studies.

Amsterdam, Nov. 16.—The new German government, according to a despatch from Berlin, has telegraphed to the secretary of the navy to see that complete discipline is observed in the German fleet. The telegram concluded: "We will only get peace if we really fulfill the conditions of the armistice."

Basel, Nov. 16.—The Galician Socialist leader Pastuszek has been appointed premier of Poland and charged with the formation of a cabinet by General Pilsudski, according to a despatch from Warsaw.

As a matter of fact the question may open up the whole matter of better financial terms with the provinces. In early days the theory was that the Federal Government would have the hardest bidding, hence the Federal authorities were given powers of both direct and indirect taxation. As it turned out the Federal Treasury was always full, while the provincial frequently have been in financial difficulties. As the Federal Government has sought new sources of taxation to extend its revenue-raising powers, the situation has become more acute still. It is considered probable that at the coming conference the provinces will get together on a demand for Federal subsidies on a more generous scale be granted and the relations between the Federal and Provincial authorities generally be re-visited.

The opinions of the provinces will be requested regarding the demobilization of the soldiers and their settlement on the land. Should the resources of the West be transferred it is of course likely that the actual work

FELL FROM STAGING AND WAS KILLED

Patrick J. McCullough Dropped Twenty-Seven Feet from Wall of New St. David's Church Saturday.

As the result of falling about twenty-seven feet from a staging on the rear wall of the new St. David's church on Sydney street, on Saturday morning, Patrick J. McCullough, a mason in the employ of B. Mooney & Sons, was almost instantly killed.

Mr. McCullough had been ill for some time last summer, and on recovering went to work for Messrs. Mooney, and had been employed on the new church about three weeks. A short time before the accident on Saturday Mr. McCullough complained to fellow workmen about a pain in his side, and it is thought that as the result of a weak spell fell from the staging to his death.

Coroner Kenney was notified and after viewing the remains gave permission for the removal of the same to Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms on Waterloo street, and afterwards the body was removed to the deceased's home, 9 Edmund street.

The late gentleman was about 65 years of age, a highly respected test and extremely popular with a wide circle of friends. He was a member of the Holy Name Society and the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Besides his wife, he leaves three sons and two daughters: John of Chicago, Frederick of this city; Rev. William McCullough, C. S. S. B. Braden, Manitoba; Catherine, of M.R.A., I.L.A.; and Gertrude, registered nurse. There are three sisters and four brothers living: Mrs. Michael McGrath, Johnville, Carleton Co.; Mrs. Charles Doucette, Lynn, Mass.; Miss Mary and James McCullough, Arling, Mass.; John McCullough, Revere, Mass.; Michael of Old Town, Maine; and Peter of Mineral, Carleton Co.

GOING SOME

Shirts at \$1.75 on the top wave of fashion. A new lot of the latest has just called into our store. Real business shirts in real live interesting patterns. Hand-tailored neck bands. Several different lengths of sleeves, full body, no skimping in material or slighting in work.

Gilmour's, 68 King St. Christmas Neckwear now ready.

NOVEMBER—PHASES OF THE MOON. New moon, 3rd 5.2m. p.m. First quarter, 11th 11.43m. p.m. Full moon, 18th 11.58m. p.m. Last quarter, 25th 6.25m. a.m.

HOOPER PLANS TO FEED ALLIES

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NEW PROGRAM AT BAND FAIR TONIGHT

Tonight at the City Cornet Band Fair at St. Andrew's rink, all the attractions will be in full swing. The three days of last week on which the fair was open were really preliminary and now everything will go on with accelerated speed.

VITAL STATISTICS.

The deaths and causes reported at the Board of Health during the past week follow: Pneumonia 22, Influenza 11, Pulmonary tuberculosis 2, Cerebral hemorrhage 2, Intestinal obstruction 2, Senility 1, Convulsions 1, Meningitis 1, Endocarditis 1, Peritonitis 1, Diabetes 1, Premature birth 1, Acute enteritis 1, Chronic bronchitis 1, Gunshot wound 1, Malnutrition of the gall bladder 1, Broncho pneumonia 1.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Peter McCart was held yesterday afternoon from his residence, Queen Street, to St. John the Baptist church, where service was conducted by Rev. F. J. McCurdy. Service was held at 2.30. The funeral was largely attended. The pallbearers were J. S. McLaren, H. P. Allingham, S. Wilkins, Edward Mooney, P. Lennihan, W. Dobbin, Interment in New Catholic Cemetery.

The funeral of John E. Hurley was held at two o'clock yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Brittain Street, to St. John the Baptist church. Service was conducted by Rev. F. J. McCurdy. Interment in New Catholic Cemetery.

Robert B. Smith, M. L. A. for St. John and Queen Counties, is a guest at the Victoria Hotel.

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German Poland, of Germans old, is part of the old King, has an area of 100,000 sq. miles. Posen, the province, is on the River strongly fortified.

It was reported earlier that in Copenhagen, troops have entered which borders Posen on the west. Posen, Brandenburg, on the Polish side, is a German Junker.

Three-fifths of the Posen is Polish. The Prussian who were settled in German government partition of the old kingdom or more Berlin, Nov. 16.—(London, 1.05 p.m. Press)—Foreign Secretary Lansing is expected to send a message to Secretary Wilson to give permission to a German commission to the personally lay before government the conditions to purchase foodstuffs.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Wilson himself matter brought to the western portions of the continent that a commission be permitted to come States at this time.

The late night after a stormy Tuesday; rain has fallen from Eastern Manitoba to the province of Quebec. Otherwise the weather in Canada has been fair.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—A disturbance covers the Great Lakes, while pressure is high over the northwest and western portions of the continent. Rain has fallen from Eastern Manitoba to the province of Quebec. Otherwise the weather in Canada has been fair.

Prince Rupert 34 26  
Vancouver 40 50  
Victoria 44 52  
Winnipeg 36 40  
Port Arthur 49 56  
Toronto 46 54  
Kingston 34 44  
Montreal 34 44  
Quebec 34 44  
Forecast: Maritime—Strong winds to moderate gales, easterly with rain.

Northern New England—Rain on Monday and probably Tuesday; colder Tuesday. Strong south to southwest winds.

BORN.  
STOCKS—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. McCarty on Wednesday, November 13, 1918, a daughter.

DIED.  
McCARTY—On November 14th, 1918, Frank McCarty, 76 years, leaving one daughter to mourn. (Boston papers please copy.)  
Funeral Sunday at 2.30 from his late residence, 98 Queen Street. Friends are invited.

BETTINSON—On the 14th inst. at his residence, 93 Pleasant street, West Side, C. Emley Bettinson, leaving besides his wife, seven children, two sisters and two brothers.  
Funeral will be held at 2.30 Sunday afternoon from his late residence.  
McKELVIE—In this city on the 15th inst., John McKelvie, aged 87 years, leaving his wife and one son to mourn.  
Funeral from his late residence, 33 Elliott Row, Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend. No flowers by request.

BELL—On the 16th inst., Mildred Viola, aged 18 years, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell, 60 Wentworth Street, leaving her parents and two sisters to mourn.  
Funeral service will be held at the house on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Fern Hill.

VON TIRPITZ HAS SKEDADDLED  
Copenhagen, Nov. 17.—Admiral Von Tirpitz, former minister of the German navy, and the man who was chiefly responsible for Germany's intensive submarine campaign, fled to Switzerland immediately the revolution in Germany broke out, says the Frankfort Gazette.

Whoooping cough is or dangerous disease of children. It starts with a fever, sneezing, watering of the eyes, irritation of the throat, coughing increases, the child in the face, the eyes if they would burst from the relief is brought by Nuxated Iron. On the first sign of whooping cough and in short disappear entirely. Mrs. Walter McGowan, Battleford, Sask., writes: "The baby two years old, the whooping cough at it. I tried two or three other remedies but none gave the same relief. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cured the baby. I am sure you get the genuine that the package is put in a wrapper; three pine tree marks; price 25c and 50c. Sold by The T. M. Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont."

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LEMN JUICE WHITENS SKIN  
Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for few cents

Squeeze the juice of two lemons in to a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quart of the best beauty lotion. Add a few drops of perfume and a little glycerine, and you have a quart of the best beauty lotion. Add a few drops of perfume and a little glycerine, and you have a quart of the best beauty lotion.

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