

Russians Are Making A Desperate Stand

Grand Duke Nicholas Reports Fighting in Southern
Poland of Most Desperate Character

London, July 5.—Much activity was apparent today in all the three elements where the warring powers come into actual contact, but reports as to results generally were contradictory.

Berlin uses a "reliable source" for the denial that a German battleship of the pre-dreadnought type was sunk by a Russian submarine at the mouth of Danzig Bay, but the official report from Petrograd on the occurrence is accepted as correct by London where resumption of the naval operations in the Baltic has been watched with intense interest.

Reading between the lines of the various official reports it is not difficult to deduce that the Russians are making a desperate stand between the Rivers Pruthi and Dniester. Grand Duke Nicholas' Commander-in-Chief of the Russian forces, reports that the fighting in Southern Poland is of the most desperate character, while Vienna admits that the Russians are attacking in strong force. Austro-German sources, however, declare that this effort is a forlorn hope.

General Von Linshagen's Teutonic army after a fortnight of terrible struggle, is reported by both Vienna and Berlin to have reached the whole front of the Zlota Lipa River in Eastern Galicia. Berlin also claims important successes on the western front where, in the forest of Le Pretre, the German forces are reported to have compelled the obstinately resisting French to evacuate trench after trench over a fifteen hundred yard front, until a thousand prisoners, including a battalion staff, and a number of gas, fell into the hands of the attacking troops.

The Paris version of this claim is that after an extremely heavy bombardment, the Germans succeeded along a front of one kilometre, in regaining a foothold in the old lines which had been taken by the French.

Both sides report sanguinary but fruitless attacks at other points along the western line.

Rumors are again rife concerning the operations at the Dardanelles, but the public curiosity will be sated to some extent when the morning papers publish the vivid report from General Hamilton, commander of the allied land forces at the Dardanelles, covering recent operations on the Gallipoli Peninsula, where fierce fighting from June 28 to July 3rd resulted in the check, with appalling slaughter, of a Turkish offensive, attempted under the eye of Enver Pasha, Turkish Minister of War.

Citizens of Switzerland who have been trying to return home across the Swiss-German frontier, report that the frontier has been closed. They assert that this is the result of the massing of German troops, preparatory to an effort to drive the French from Alsace, and is part of a plan to clear German and Austrian territory of the invaders.

The expected opposition to the British national register bill has elicited the statement from Premier Asquith that the Government does not contemplate the introduction of forced labor or conscription.

Not in years has the American Independence Day been less observed here. The time-honored dinner of American Society was not given and there was only an informal reception held by Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador and his family. The shops and hotels, usually gay with American flags, flew the Allied flags or none.

London is keenly interested in one feature of American affairs, however, for the papers have devoted as much space to the shooting and wounding of J. P. Morgan, head of the firm of J. P. Morgan and Company, commercial agents of the British Government, as they did to the resignation of William Jennings Bryan as Secretary of State.

Story On The Cause of The War

Written by Master Jack McKay,
Grade V For Which He
Won a Gold Prize

The following story on the "Causes of the Great War" was written by Master Jack McKay, who was the winner of the \$250 gold piece given by Alice Ingram, through his mother the late Mrs. Henry Ingram, to the Grade V pupil writing the best story on the above subject. Jack is a son of Mr. A. H. McKay, and is only 11 years old. He is naturally very proud of his prize, and his parents have every reason to be proud of him. Jack's story follows:

On June 28th, 1914, Francis Ferdinand, the heir apparent to the throne of Austria-Hungary, and his wife, in their tour round Austria-Hungary, stopped at Sarajevo, the Capital of Bosnia, once part of the Serbian kingdom, but seized by Austria in 1908.

As they were riding through the streets of the city, to the city hall, bombs were fired at them; some of their retainers were injured but the royal couple were not hurt.

When they came to the city hall, where the Mayor had prepared an address of welcome for them, they got out of their motor.

As the Mayor read out the address, Ferdinand exclaimed angrily: "Is this the way you welcome me, when I come to your city—bombs are fired at me? Now you may go on with your address."

As they rode back to the train, bombs were again fired at them but no one hurt. But as the Serbian student (as supposed), was armed with a pistol, with three shots he killed the royal couple.

As the people of the city were attending the funeral they passed the Serbian ambassador's house where the Serbian flag was flying with a piece of crape attached to it, the people cried "Hurrah! for Austria and down with Serbia."

After all the funeral ceremonies were over, the Austro-Hungarian government sent demands to Serbia. Had she submitted to these, she would be no longer a kingdom, but under the Austrian rule and regarded as an Austrian Province.

As Serbia would not submit to these demands, Austria-Hungary declared war on Serbia, July 28th, 1914, a month from the day of the assassination of the royal couple.

Russia immediately began to mobilize her troops at the Austrian frontier.

As Germany had been dreaming for a great number of years, that she would rule the world, she now took advantage and declared war on Belgium August 4th, and on France three days later.

All the great powers of Europe, including Germany, had promised that no army should set foot on the territory of the little nation of Belgium without her leave, but Germany breaking her word, marched her armies into Belgium to try and conquer France.

Britain did everything in her power, and when she saw nothing could be done, on August 4th she declared war on Germany and on Austria eight days later as did France and Russia. Japan later joined the Allies. Germany persuaded Turkey to join her during the winter. So did the great war of many nations begin.

JACK MCKAY,
Aged 11 years.

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MARRIED

At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B. D., St. John, N. B., June 30, 1915, Dominick Gaudin of Fredericton, N. B., to Jessie Blanche Vye, Nelson, N. B.

THE STANDING OF

HALCOMB SCHOOL
Grade V—Maude Chambers 1, Leona Somers 2.
Grade IV—Norman Chambers 1, Agnes Chambers 2.
Grade III—(a)—Lulu Chambers 1, Noma Chambers 2, (b)—Lottie Johnston 1, Bernice Taylor 2.
Grade II—(a)—William Chambers 1, Jane Holmes 2, (b)—Abigail Chambers, Hilda Somers 2.
Grade I—Joseph Taylor 1, Arnum Sutherland 2.

Canada has passed another milestone, and is still growing in strength.

PERSONAL

Miss Clara Ryan, Chatham, spent the holiday in town.

Mr. James Hynes, of Moncton, was in town on Monday.

Miss Burnetta Keating is visiting friends in Redbank.

Miss Miller, of New York, is visiting Mrs. T. W. Crocker.

Miss Belle Robinson has returned from Brockton, Mass.

Miss Clara Ryan of Chatham spent the holiday in town.

Mrs. L. R. Hetherington left for Washademoak on Monday.

Miss Annie Condon returned on Saturday from Bangor, Maine.

Miss May Sullivan of Chelsea, Mass., is visiting her home here.

Mr. George Fleiger, of Chatham, spent Dominion Day in town.

Patrick Keating, sr., is spending a vacation in New Haven, Conn.

Miss Sarah Murray, of Bridgetown, N. S., is visiting Mrs. Geo. Lake.

Miss Marion Buimer of Moncton, is the guest of the Misses Williamson.

Miss Emily Nixon, St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Eldon Delano, Douglastown.

Rev. S. J. MacArthur is attending a Presbytery meeting in Rexton this week.

Miss Marjorie Davidson left yesterday to spend July and August in Ontario.

Mr. Parker Cool of Moncton, is spending a few days with Wilbur MacArthur.

Miss Clara Adams, of Campbellton, is visiting Rev. and Mrs. A. Firth, Douglastown.

Miss Kathro, of Newcastle, spent the week-end with Miss Staples.—Commercial.

Mrs. B. F. Maltby and Mrs. Chas. Jardine spent the week end with friends in St. John.

Miss Mary McCarthy and Miss Pearl Wright were visitors to Chatham on Thursday.

Miss Clara McGrath, Chatham, was the guest of relatives here on Thursday last.

Miss May Ryan left on Wednesday for Portland, Maine, where she will in future reside.

Miss Grace Palmer of Fredericton, is the guest of Miss Laura Williston.

Robt. Forsythe, of the N. B. Telephone Co., has removed his family from Fredericton to Newcastle.

Miss Gertrude Black of Halifax, is spending her vacation with her grandfather Mr. Thos. Jeffrey, sr.

Mrs. H. W. Robertson of St. John, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Leighton.

Miss Annie McPherson, of Chatham, passed through on Thursday, en route to Summerside, P. E. I.

Mrs. Walter J. Jardine and family are visiting former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, of Port Daniel, P. Q.

Mr. Blair Hutchinson, Teller in the Royal Bank here, has been transferred to the Campbellton branch.

Miss Addie Harriman, graduate nurse of New York City is spending a vacation with her mother Mrs. John Harriman.

Miss Kathleen Simpson of Oak Bay, Charlotte Co., is spending a couple of weeks with her aunt, Mrs. John Williamson.

Miss Gladys Parker of Millerton, is visiting Mrs. J. Robertson Allison. The two ladies visited Chatham friends yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Crocker of Fredericton, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy at their home Sunday.

Hon. John E. Wilson, of St. John, was in town on Thursday attending the laying of the corner stone of the new Miramichi Hospital.

Mrs. Bronlow Maltby is visiting in Montreal, where she was accompanied by her uncle, James Jones, to the hospital for an operation for cataract.

Mrs. Alex. Firth of Douglastown, is attending the Presbytery meeting in Campbellton. Her sister, Miss Adams, of Campbellton, returned north with her.

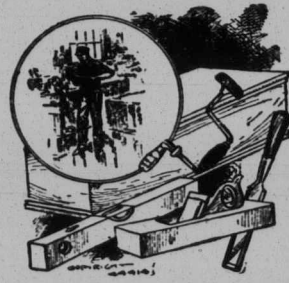
Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Miss Russell and Miss Helen Mallor Armstrong, are in Bathurst where they will spend the summer at the Armstrong homestead, Youghal.

Mrs. May E. Cooper, of 172 Wentworth street, St. John, wife of Sergeant Wm. H. Cooper of the 26th N. B. Batt., is removing to Newcastle to take up her residence here.

Mrs. Cameron Smallwood and Mrs. William Russell went to Harcourt last week to visit the latter's brother Silas Smallwood, who is ill. Mrs. Smallwood will later visit her son, Laurence, in Moncton.

Mr. L. R. Hetherington went to Washademoak Friday, to attend the funeral of his aged father. Only that morning he had received a letter saying his father was better. This was followed by a telegram announcing his death.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Willard Smith, of St. John, and the latter's aunt, Mrs. Hanson, of Nashua, spent last week at Stonehaven, Gloucester Co., where Mr. Smith went on a successful fishing expedition with his son-in-law, Mr. Read. The party spent Monday in Chatham with J. L. and Miss Stewart, and left for home yesterday.



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Take notice that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the store of George Stables in the Town of Newcastle in the said County of Northumberland on **THURSDAY** the twenty second day of July next at twelve o'clock noon.

All that piece or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in Newcastle aforesaid and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a stake fifty feet from intersection of road running in front of the said lot and Creek running towards the river thence along the said road fifty feet in an easterly direction to a stake thence on a line at right angles to the said road one hundred feet to a stake on the rear line of front lots thence westerly along the rear line of front lots fifty feet to a stake, thence at right angles to the said rear line one hundred feet to the said road being the place of beginning and being the same lands conveyed to the said Florence Edmunds by James Donohoe by Indenture bearing date the 22nd January A. D. 1910, as by reference to the said deed will more fully appear.

The above sale will be made under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the 22nd day of January A. D. 1910 and made between the said Charles Edmunds and Florence Edmunds of the first part and the said George Stables of the second part.

Default having been made in the payment of the monies secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage.

Terms cash.

Dated this fifteenth day of April A. D. 1915.

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Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

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DOUGLASTOWN

SUPERIOR SCHOOL

Standing of Pupils For Term
Ending June 30th

The standing of leading pupils of Douglastown Superior School for term ended June 30th is as follows:

Grade X—Ruth Henderson 73, Kathleen Benn 72.

Grade IX—Mildred Wood 60, James Henderson 59, Ernest Cameron 54.

Grade VIII—(High School Entrance: highest possible 998)—First Division—Marguerite Craig 708, Wm. Jessamin 686, Kathleen Cameron 675, Florence Breen 667, Second Division—Burton Anderson 656, Stella Bransfield 634, Andrew Cowie 540, Annie DeWolfe 534, Third Division—Hazel Wood 526, Perfect attendance—W. Jessamin, B. Anderson.

Promoted from Grade VII to Grade VIII—Clarissa Firth 84, Annie Benn 80, Clyde Gulliver 68, Bertha Atkinson 64, Noman Dickens 63, Albert Dinan 65, Arthur Roy 53, Stewart Gekkie 51, Arthur Wood and Edward DeWolfe 50.

Grade VI to Grade VII—Jas Russell 72, Jane Vautour 71, Mary Hutchison 64, Geo. Young 60, Jack Cowie and Johnston Gekkie 59, Margaret Kirkpatrick 58, Clara Brown 56, Barbara Craig 53, Amos Vye and Robt. McKenzie 50. Perfect attendance during term—A. Vye.

Grade V to Grade VI—Rudyard Henderson 78, Eloise Anderson 75, Marion Grey 74, Lisa Lofgren 71, Jessie Breen 70, Gladys Sleeth 69, Weldon Jardine 67, David Hutchison 65, Yvorston Benn 62, Geo. Jessamin 60, Geo. Driscoll 59, Margaret Simpson 59, Maggie Wood 58, Jean Gulliver 57, Jas. Taylor 54, Dora Holmes 53, Annie Nowlan 53, Harold Mullins 52, Annie Ryan 51, Ernest Lee, May Kirkpatrick, Yvorston Votour, Leonard Malley 50. Perfect attendance during term—M. Grey, J. Gulliver, E. Anderson.

Grade IV to Grade V—Max Russell 89, Marion Cameron 82, Isabel Wood 80, Willie Firth 77, Jessie Cameron 74, Jack McCosh 69, Andrew Lee 67, John Dinan 66, Arthur Young 64, Florence DeWolfe 62, Dorothy Atkinson 61, Gordon Dickens 60, Marion Sleeth 59, Annie Lloyd 58, Everett Spurr 56, Margaret Williston 55, Linda Wood and Lennea Hedman 54. Never absent during term—Marion Cameron.

Grade III to Grade IV—May Sickle 96, Muriel Russell 92, Emmet

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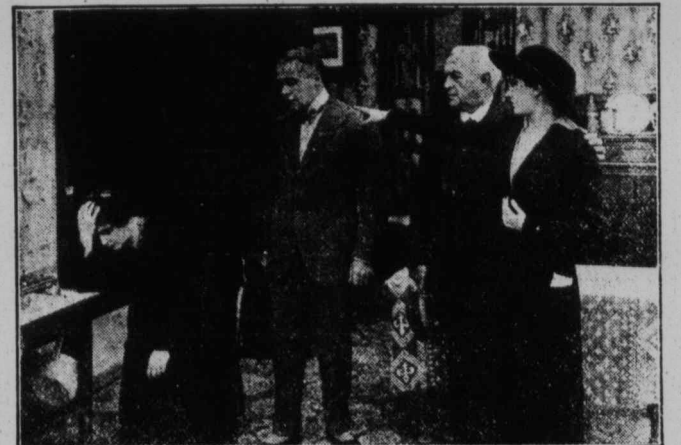
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Hagarty 93, Audrey Buie 92, Bert Wood 85, Jack Craig 84, Helen Dickens 84, Lethia Spurr 79, Florence Mullin 77, Emily Dagie 74, Harry Simpson 73, Patrick Lloyd 61, Raymond Roy 58, Stella Edmonds 54, May Dinan 52, Agnes Wood 48, Never absent during term—Florence Mullin
Grade II to Grade III—Eloise Anderson 100, Mary Sullivan 99, Kathleen Young 97, Helen Kirkpatrick 95, Martha Hedman 94, Frank Russell and Mona Wood 90, Alexis Taylor 84, Genevieve Gekkie 81, Fred Vye 79, Bessie Edmonds, Cecilia Lee and Mary Boudreau 75, Anna Cowie and Burton Howe 71, Elliott Cowie 70, Henry Malley 66, Vincent DeWolfe and Wm. Howe 64, Sylvie Gaudin 61, Harvey Boudreau 56. Perfect attendance for term—E. Anderson.
Grade I to II—Ray Simpson 100, Edyth Gulliver, Fred Simpson, Pearl Sleeth, Richard Anderson 99, Marjory Henderson, Osborne Sickle 98, Gordon Sullivan 97, Harvey Gray 96, Harvey Jessamin, Roy Grey, 95, Bertha Russell, Arthur Spurr 93, Sam Howe 92, Sigrid Johnston 89, Rudolph Craig 85, Hazel Mullin 84, Frank Wood 81, Burnetta Dinan 80, James Williston 72, Burton Taylor 70, Ernest Nolan 51. Perfect attendance—R. Simpson, E. Gulliver, R. Anderson, R. Gray.



A scene from the Fadous Players Special "False Colours" a powerful drama in which right triumphs to be shown at the Happy Hour Thursday night.

Corner Stone Of New Hospital

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great advantage for many of the workmen, too far away from Chatham. He trusted Newcastle success and prosperity would continue to the end.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie next called upon was not present.

Hon. Donald Morrison added his congratulations to the donor, the hospital executive, the town and county. The Secretary of the Board of Trade had been unwearied in his efforts to have a hospital, and now success attended his work. He was glad the generous donor belonged to the county. The hospital would be a Godsend to workmen, many of whom could not afford to pay if sent to a hospital. It was the intention of the donor that those should receive exactly the same care as anyone else—they should pay what they could, and if not able to pay, be tended with the best of care. He thanked all present. He hoped the Hospital would be kept up second to none in the province.

W. B. Snowball of Chatham congratulated the unknown donor and the people he was benefiting. Chatham hospital was second to none, and it was good for Newcastle to have another. He hoped Newcastle people would contribute liberally to the endowment. He was glad the province guaranteed assistance, and that the poor would be treated without money and without price. The Hospital was an expression of true Christianity. It represented working Christianity—the kind that gets down among the masses when needed.

Ex-Mayor Morrissey spoke in similar strain. He rejoiced at Newcastle's good fortune in securing a hospital, and heartily thanked the donor and Mr. McCurdy for their successful endeavors to give Newcastle a permanent blessing. He hoped and trusted that Northumberland people would contribute liberally to its support. He felt that patients would be well looked after here and cured, if at all possible. Each should offer up a prayer each night for the donor.

E. A. McCurdy closed with a few remarks, and invited everybody to view the blue prints of the building.

God Save the King.
The box placed under the stone contained, beside other documents, a copy of the latest issues of the Newcastle and Chatham papers. The next issue of the Advocate will give full particulars of the hospital, as it will be when completed.

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