BEAR NOW RENDING GERMAN HORDES IN GALICIA

ARRANGE GERMANY; WOULD

AUSTRIAN "SURPRISE" ATTACK REPULSED BY ITALIANS' FINE WORK FROM GERMAN

Enemy Led Into Trap. Then Swept by Rain of Bullets and Scattered by Infantry—Numbers Fall Over the Precipice With Their Guns.

forward.

just reached Udine of the driving back Berzaglieri opened fire simultaneously.

by Italian troops of an Austrian expe- The rain of bullets was kept up until dition which attempted to surprise an the orders came for a charge. Shouting Italian position near Montenero on the "Long live Savoy," the Italians dashed Isonzo River line. Th Austrian force was composed of

7,000 men, divided into three columns. They were supported by twelve moun- they were thrown into great disorder They were supported by twelve moun-tain guns on mule back, which had and compelled to withdraw. Some of ficial statement issued tonight at the been taken from the fortifications at the mules with mountain guns on their war office. Probably the most import-Tarvis. The endeavor was to surprise backs, as well as a number of men, the Italians in the rear. The Austrians fell over a precipice. The losses of the advanced through narrow passes. They Austrians are said to have been great. were, however, quickly seen by the Italian sentinels, and the alarm was ing from Monfalcone in the direction of to have suffered severely. The report passed along the Italian lines.

The Came Change.

One is to gain possession of the seacoast on the Gulf of Anzano and the other to command the good road which quietly and were careful to keep out of sight, thus deceiving the Austrians into believing that their advance was FRENCH-CANADIANS ANOTHER LONDON GIRL WITH CHICAGO COR

LOVE THE EMPIRE

Sir Percy Girouard Tells Brit-

ish Audience Freedom Is

Cause.

TRIBUTE TO SIR WILFRID

Lloyd George's Chief Lieuten-

ant Addresses Welsh

Masters and Men.

[Special Cable to The Advertiser.]

Lloyd George's chief lieutenant in his

new office as minister of munitions, ac-

companied his chief to Cardiff last

night and followed him in addressing

the mighty gathering of masters and

men, when they were urged to "Plant

Sir Percy said: "I stand as a British

subject. As French-Canadians my for-

bears resided in Canada 250 years. I am

lish as well as French. We have en-

joyed under the British flag our Roman

without hindrance, and with great toler-

ance. Is it any wonder that French-

Canadians, and among them I must put

since booyhood, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, all

feel what it would mean to them, to the

Empire as a whole, and to the whole

world, if anything occurred to upset the

quilibrium of the Empire." (Cheers.)

the flag in your workshops."

London, June 12 .- Sir Percy Girouard,

Important Victories on Banks of the Dniester River.

MANY PRISONERS TAKEN

Udine, Italy, June 12 .- Details have moment the Alpine troops and the Complete Defeat of Enemy Inflicted on River's Left

[Canadian Press.]

Petrograd, June 11-Via London, June The Austrians fought desperately, but sian arms with the capture of many prisant of these victories was on the villages also have been captured by the Russians on the left bank of the Dniester in the same region. In this fighting The Italian forces which are advancsection of the Prussian Guard is said Trieste have two immediate objectives; states that Stanislau was evacuated voluntarily.

> "On the night of the 10th, and the following day the Germans, after a furious bombardment renewed determined attacks from the west of Shavli on the front of Koujilice, Rakievo and Einoraitzy. Several times during the night they reached our barbed-wire entangle-ments, but each time were thrown back, eaving piles of killed and wounded. "In the region north of Shavli an ene-my detachment, composed principally of cavalry, advanced slightly in the direc-

> tion of Szakinow, coming from the west.
> Important Success. "On the left bank of the Dubysa from Shavliany to Beligola we assumed the offensive, and on the morning of the 10th gained an important success, taking by a vigorous night attack 500 prisrs with guns, mitrailleuses and other

> attacks in the region of Mosciska.
> "On the right bank of the Dniester we led on the 9th and 10th to pres enemy on the front between the many prisoners, quick-firers and other booty. In this region the enemy, to cover his retreat, dispatched a train of five armored automobiles supported by infantry toward Stry and Mikotaiow, but the accurate fire of our guns compelled the train to beat a rapid retreat. "In this action the head of our infanfensive and made prisoners the entire fifth company of the 79th Austrian regi-

Enemy Completely Defeated.
"On the left bank of the Dniester or the front of Olchowice and Bukaszowice the fighting has been obstinate since the 0th, for the villages of Olchowice, No vochine, Wyschneuve and Kozara, ter-minating in the complete defeat of the who was thrown across the onlester. The enemy here suffered especially severe losses among a section of the Prussian Guards in the village of Wyschnuve, where we captured ten guns, eighteen mitrailleuses and many

Evacuated Stanislau. "Attacks by the enemy on the 9th on the bridgehead, near Halicz, were re-pulsed. The deployment of our troops on the line of the Dniester above Halicz ndered necessary a corresponding odification of the front of troops occupying the Pruth line. In executing this manoeuvre our troops evacuated Stanislau without fighting. Near Podlougie we repelled a German attack. Further

on June 16. [Canadian Press.]

aprisonment. Scott was to have anged June 16.

LATEST VICTIMS OF SUBMARINE WARFARE

er and Trawlers Sunk and Crews Landed In Britain.

London, June 12.—The trawler Waago has been sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea. The members of the crew of the fishing boat have been landed at Hartlepool. STEAMER TORPEDOED.

The Leuctria was engaged in the transatlantic trade. She was last reported at Buenos Ayres on May 21. She was 324 feet long, of 3,027 tons gross, and was built in 1899. She was owned in Port Glasgow, Scotland.

ery and becoming warmer.

Temperatures.

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

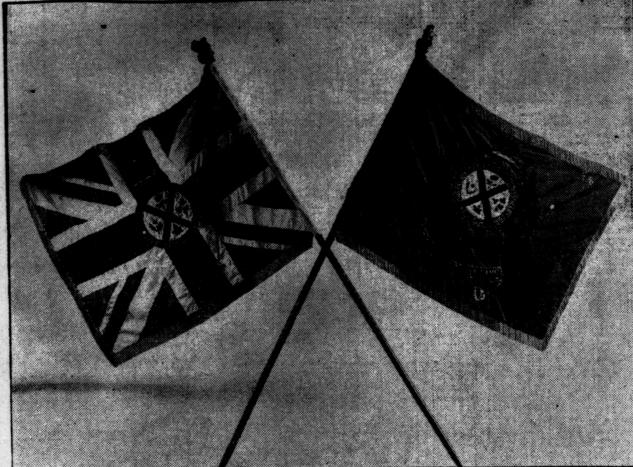
Stations. High. Low. Weather. Victoria 60 52 Cloudy TRAWLER A VICTIM. [Canadian Press.] London, June 12.—The British trawler London, June 12.—The British trawler James Leyman was sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea. The crew was landed at Hull today.

The submarine took the crew on board and then shelled the fishing boat. Later the crew was put adrift in the small boats of the James Leyman, and ten hours elapsed before they were nicked up The shallow low area which was centred in Michigan yesterday has passed to New England, and another of rather

GIVEN FIVE DAYS.—Peter Kramerson, found asleep last night in a Canadian Pacific box car in the East Side yards, was sentenced to a five-day term in the county jail today by Police Magistrate J. C. Judd.

CHILDREN'S FLOWER DAY.—Tomorrow will be Children's Flower Day at St. George's Church, West London, Rev. Canon Sage, the rector, will address the children at the morning service.

BATTALION COLORS FOR 34TH



These are the colors that C. E. Freer of Guelph has presented to the officers and men of the 34th Battalion. The official presentation is to be made by Major-General Sam Hughes, minister of militia and defence, and there is a possibility that this may be made on Wednesday next. Lieut.-Col. A. J. Oliver has invited the general to come here, but so far has received no reply. If Wednesday is not convenient for General Hughes, he will be asked to name a date that will be convenient.

HORWOOD BELIEVES DR. MONTAGUE KNEW OF KELLY CONTRACT

Does Not Accept Minister's Word and Gives Reasons for His Doubts-Never Heard of Kelly Giving Money

[Canadian Press.] the Manitoba royal commission met again today, Mr. Coyne, Liberal counsel, indicate a disposition on the part of asked Horwood more questions.

the witness could not say.

of the case in which Hon. Dr. Montague tague knew of the verbal arrangements had awarded a contract to Thomas under which Kelly was to be paid on Kelly & Co. for some work on the of Horwood's estimate. were entered against pursuing this 1914.

Their lordships said that the carried the commission outside proper sphere.

Horwood thought this could not be the applications for payment, and was alof its proper sphere.

Plymouth, England, June 12 .- Capt.

has arrived here and reports that his vessel was sunk by the German sub-

their orders they would be shot. The officer added, according to Capt. Smith,

Germans were engaged in, was useless

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

TOMORROW—WARMER.
Toronto, June 12—8 a.m.
Forecasts.
Today—Moderate winds; fair an

Sunday-Southeasterly winds;

this kind ought to be admitted on the the guilty person to commit a simi offence again. This Line Droppe

favor of having Salt come back. He time at least. Horwood was again asked would not be sure Kelly knew all the if he ever told Elliott that Kelly had ted money to the Liberals. testified that not only had he never said was to give Elliott \$500. Whether or anything of the kind to Elliott, but i not Kelly knew \$300 of it was for Salt had never heard anything from Kelly nything of the kind to Elliott, but he that effect.

yardage basis. In his evidence at Wincultural college at a price in excess nipeg, Dr. Montague said he did not know the caissons were special work Objections until the short session of September

C. P. Wilson argued that evidence of ways strict about matters of this kind.

Batteries Shell Town, Enemy Replying From Fortified [Canadian Press.]

Position. STUBBORN DEFENCE MADE

Bombarding of Tolmino Continues, Several Outer Works

Being Damaged. [Special Cable to The Advertiser.]

"Why," Capt. Smith says the Ger-man officer asked him, "do not the big ships come out and fight?" of the city upon a ten-mile front, The city is being shelled by Italian batteries stationed north of Mossa. The Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 71; lowest, 60.

The official temperatures for the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 61; lowest, 44.

enemy has mounted small pieces on flat cars and is rushing them up and down the railway on the east

Bombarding Tolmino.

The bombardment of Tolmino continues without interruption. Several of the outer works have been badly damaged by Italian shells, but the dom-

ing in the Trentino has con-

Lieut.-Col. A. M. Smith Believes That All Should Learn to Shoot—and Shoot Straight—No Expeditionary Force Possible Had It Not Been for Militia. Lieut.-Col. A. M. Smith, formerly commanding officer of the 7th Fusiliers, is a firm believer in the advisability of training every man in the country to shoot, and to be able, in case of necessity, to defend himself, his home and his country from attack.

"I agree with Capt. Murphy," he said, "that every young man in the country should learn to shoot and shoot straight. In these days when the men of every country except the English-speaking people are trained soldiers it is distinctly dangerous to bring up a race of men unacquainted with arms."

Lieut.-Col. Smith believes with ex- FIGURED IN THRILLING President Roosevelt that the ability of a nation to defend itself in case of attack not only does not constitute a provocation to other nations, but is most likely to preserve it from aggression, since the knowledge that an efficient defence can be made is likely to make an enemy chary of attacking. The possible argument that universal military training is likely to result in militaristic spirit is met by Lieut .-Col. Smith with the reply that it is a well-known fact that the man who has the self-reliance which comes from a knowledge that he is capable of de-

Not a Provocation.

fending himself in case of necessity is less inclined to provoke a quarrel than No Autocracy in Britain. There is no danger, either, he contends, of an autocratic militarism in the British Empire such as obtains in Germany, because the British law is very jealous of the rights of civilians when soldiers are called out to quell a riot or insurrection they are regarded as civilians and subject to

civil law as regards their actions against their fellow subjects. They are not exempt even, he points out, on the ground that they obeyed orders of their superior officers. soldiers were called out in case of a riot and fired on the rioters, the fact that they did so under orders would not protect them from punishment if the Realizes Hopelessness of Her law held that they had maimed or killed wrongfully. In fact, their status would be exactly that of any civilian who might be called upon by the police for assistance. The only reason for calling on the military in case of such an emergency would be that they would be prepared with arms, whereas IS TIRED OF GERMANY it would be impossible to call together and arm a body of ordinary civilians.

Praises Militia Units. Her Ambassador Still in Rome Lieut.-Col. Smith also believes that more attention should be paid the ordinary militia corps. He points out that but for the existence of such corps as the 7th and similar militia bodies, the organization of the Canadian overseas forces would have been an impossibility, since, for only one reason, there would have been no experienced clared war against Austria, and, in a men in the country to train them even if they could have been got together. sense, war also against her ally, Germany, Turkey, the ill-starred partner He holds that a man who joins one "kill or conquer" policy of Pots- other of the regular militia corps for

QUARTERMASTER-SERGT. E. D. LATHAM, with London Battery at front, had two horses killed by shells while delivering a message. He was the purpose of home defence is deservher position. Dismay has seized the ing of some credit as well as the man enlisting, and his last postcard to Mr.



RIDE ON BATTLEFIELD

WOULD SELL PROPERTY TO THE CITY AT LESS THAN IT HAS BEEN ASSESSED FOR alliance. It is tired of the war, and

WON'T BE MANAGER IF

Churches Threaten to Cancel Busine If Glaubitz Gets Job.

Mayor Stevenson stated to The Ad vertiser this afternoon that in the past day or so he has had telephone messages from several members of not declared war on Italy. Further, it conveyed to Italy her intention not to declare war against our new ally. to declare war against our new ally. church committees, stating that if Mr. This is not so much an ardent sign of H. J. Glaubitz is to be appointed genmittees, stating that if Mr. friendship for Italy as it is of her early intention of divorcing herself from the cel excursions they have arranged for intention of divorcing herself from the unhappy alliance which has brought

over the new road. "The public can rest assured," said which menaces her integrity, even as the mayor, "that if I can do it, Mr. Glaubitz will not become manager of titude of the Islamic partner of the the line to Port Stanley Kaiser, it is significant that Naby Bey, city department. I have absolutely re-Turkish ambassador in Rome, and his whole staff, are still in the Italian capital. According to information furnished, Naby and the members of

LAD STRICKEN WITH INFANTILE PARALYSIS AS HE DRIVES CAR

Charlie Houghtby Loses Control of Machine and is in Serious Condition, Stricken last night while he was driv-

ing an automobile with his father Charlie Houghtby, aged 14 years, son of George T. and Mrs. Houghtby, 36 Marley land which helped put an end to the Place, is in a serious condition today, property assessed at \$2,100, and which he rents for \$10 a month, he is taxed war between Turkey and Italy. It was suffering from infantile paralysis. said yesterday by one well qualified to

Young Houghtby, a Collegiate Instiexpress an opinion that Turkey is now casting about for a suitable modus operandi for treating with the quadhis father took the automobile to see if Six miles northwest of Goritz, another Italian force is attempting to cross the river and descend upon the city from the north. Enemy guns on Monte Santo are shrappelling the Italian forces and shelling their pontoons. The battle around Plava has continued for several days, with the Austrians stubbornly resisting.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, June 12.—Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, left Washington today for a short vacation. Its destination was withheld by the mbassy,

alysis.
Houghtby has rapidly grown worse, and today Dr. Ferguson stated that he thought the boy's recovery was doubtful. Charlie Houghtby is one of the cleveration best and best-known boys attending the Callegiate Institute. In recent examinations he passed with honors in the subjects he tried.

Charlie Houghtby is one of the cleveration of twelve Anglican ministers will take place tomorrow morning at St. Paul's Cathedral, Rev. Canon Tucker will preach the ordination sermon.

MAYOR CAN HELP IT Real Estate Owners Wrathy After Receipt of Tax Bills.

Rents Property Valued at \$2,-100 for \$10. Pays Taxes of \$89.

Various members of the Real Estate Owners' Association who have received fused to sanction his employment by their tax notices were so perturbed the city and will not sign any pay checks for him now or at any time." that they forgot to pass any resolutions at the meeting held last evening. To the present assessments and rates is putting it mildly. Some of them at last night's meeting intimated that they will go and offer to sell various roperties to the city at less than the

mounts for which they are assessed.

Predicts 35-Mill Rate. One particularly cheerful member meeting last night by predicting a 25-

mill tax rate for next year. One real estate owner wildly waved a tax bill, showing that on a piece of \$89. With interest charges he is much out of pocket. He thinks this an outrage, especially as the property isn't rented all the time. One man who has property on Dundas street has had his assessment jumped up \$10,000 for no Instances like these were cited galore and the Real Estate Owners

ation intends taking some action Just what will be done has not yet been decided, but the situation will be discussed at next meeting. By that time some other members may have he felt severe pains about his body, and that he seemed to be losing the use of his arms and legs. Dr. Robert Ferguson was summoned, and notified the parents that their son had infantile parabels. By that there is some other members may have got their tax notices and it is expected they will come down armed with machine guns ready to slaughter the council, school board and everybody council, school board and everybody else who has had anything to do with

METHODISTS REJOICE THAT BRITAIN CHOSE

Convinced of Righteousness of Her Cause and Glad of Intervention.

Toronto, June 12.-The Toronto District Methodist Conference today passed the following resolution: "We are heartily thankful that the

British Empire is in no degree responsible for this awful strife and carnage. Our diplomats did their very best to the last to avert so terrible a disaster. We are thoroughly convinced of the righteousness of our cause, and glad that our Empire chose war rather than tame and selfish acquiescence in ruthless aggression and shameless violation of the

rights of weaker nations."

Tribute was paid to the heroism of the Canadian soldiers.

The motion was by Rev. Dean Wallace, seconded by Dr. German.

The parents and grandparents of soldier boys were called to the front and the conference sang "God Save the King"

DESTROYER SUNK?

[Canadian Press.]
Constantinople, June 12—Via London,
p.m.—Official announcement was made
today that a Russian torpedoboat destroyer was sunk in the Black Sea Friday night by the Turkish cruiser Midreliu, formerly the German cruiser Bres-

WITH CHICAGO CORPS

being made successfully. At a given

Fell Over Precipice.



MISS ETHEL DAVIES, daughter Mr. W. R. Davies, 280 Egerton street, will sail for England on the steamship New Amsterdam on June 15. Miss Davies is a graduate of the Lake Shore Hospital, Chicago, and was successful in obtaining permission to go with Dr. Murphy's unit, organized at the expense of the Chicago physician for service in

the British Red Cross work. Miss Elizabeth Thom, whose parents reside on the Wellington road, is also a memthe first of my race who can speak Engber of the party. Catholic religion, French language and old Napoleonic and pre-Napoleonic law, in the highest place my great friend

> Report Reaches London That Famous Jailbreaker Volunteered.

THE NOBLER CAUSE IS SON OF AN OFFICER

Left City Suddenly and Smiled When Asked If He Would Enlist.

It was stated this morning that Harry ("Texas") Burdell, who be-came famous for his jailbreaking exploits in this city, and who is on parole, is now fighting with the Can-

parole, is now fighting with the Canadians in France.

Burdell was employed at a local
garage for some time after his release. He conducted himself in such
a manner as to win the friendship and
confidence of those with whom he
was associated. Didn't Reveal Intention.

After working without a break he gave up his position and left the city about two months ago, without revealing his destination. He paid a visit to The Advertiser to say goodbye, and was asked if he intended to enlist. He refused to make a definite answer, but only smiled.

One of the members of the police force stated this morning that he understood Burdell had enlisted with the permission of the authorities, and had been sent to France.

the permission of the authorities, and had been sent to France.

Son of an Officer.

Burdell was the son of a British officer, and he is known to have been strongly of the opinion that every able-bodied man should be fighting against Germany. His only hope was that prison life had not rendered him unfit for service.

10 Linerais Minneapolis, Minn., June 12.—When ground that the wrong shown to have he Manitoba royal commission met been committed in one instance would

Horwood had several conversations with Contractor Kelly, and they talked about Elliott's projected trip after Salt.

Horwood said Kelly was strongly in the matter should be dropped for the details of the proposed arrangement, but the contractor knew that Horwood

Mr. Coyne asked witness if he knew said that he had no doubt that Dr. Mon-

Commanders of

Submarines Must Carry Out Orders south in the direction of Otynia we captured eleven hundred prisoners during a counter-attack on the 9th."

Officer Tells British Captain

SENTENCE COMMUTED

Percy Scott, of Kenora, Not to Hang

Kenora, Ont., June 12.—The sentence of death passed on Percy Scott for the murder of Fred Lewis, a homesteader, ner Dryden, has been commuted to life

[Canadian Press.]

[Canadian Press.]
Liverpool, June 12—3:28 p.m.—The
British steamer Leuctria was torpedoed
and sunk off Yarmouth today. The er Leuctria was torpedoed

Sinking Merchantmen is Wrong and Useless

smith, of the British schooner Express, marine U25. Capt. Smith says one of the officers of the submarine told him that he disapproved of submarine at-tacks on merchantmen, but that unless the submarine commanders carried out

> Rome, June 12.-Three Italian armies are closing in upon Goritz, capital of the Austrian province of that 'name, and a flerce battle is now raging wes

Austrians are replying from a hill directly north of the town and from strongly-fortified positions at a bridgehead of the Isonco.

Trying Flank Attack.

Bersaglieri forces, which occupied Gradisca, are pressing north and are attempting to cross the river near Rubbia and attack Goritz on the flank. The

Position Since Italy

Joined Allies.

and No War

Declared.

[Canadian Press.]

Rome. June 12.-Ever since Italy de

dam, has realized the hopelessness of

onstantinople. They feel that the hour

of retribution is at hand, and that they

will be asked to pay to the utmos

farthing the price of their ill-timed in

tervention on the side of Germany.

From authentic information it can be

stated that the present Government of

Turkey has had enough of the German

ardently desires peace. It has been

driven to entertain the possibility of

separate peace, because it can see no

other feasible method of procuring the

cessation of hostilities, so far as Tur-

No War On Italy.

It is worthy of note that Turkey has

er to the verge of destruction

the cabinet will remain as heretofore.

Looking For Way Out.

In view of the instructions received

from Constantinople, and which Naby

orities, the latter, while seeking cog-

nizance, have tacitly approved these

instructions. Naby, it may be remem-

bered, has already acquired some fame

as a peace emissary, for he was a

member of the conference in Switzer-

has communicated to the Italian auth

governing party of Young Turks in who joins an overseas regiment.

Bernstorff Goes on Short Holiday