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SMUTS TAKES MRUGORU.

South African General in Possession of German East African Capital.

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LONDON, Sept. 4.—Gen. Smuts, commander-in-chief o? the British forces in German East Africa, reports under date of August 30 that the German forces in that colony are in full retreat. He announced the occupation of Mrogoro, the seat of the German Provisional Government, and said he believed the German military headquarters and provisional government had retired into the al government had retired into the mountains.

The text of the statement regarding operations in German East Africa as given out by the British Official Press Bureau says:

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August 30 the enemy forces were in
full retreat east and west of the
Uluguru mountains and south of
Mrogoro. He believed the German
military headquarters and provisional government had retired into the
mountains

We occupied Mrogoro on the 26th. This is a most important town, and was formerly the seat of the provisional government."

NEW CAMPAIGN BEGINS.

Italian Forces Have Captured Tepelini in Albania.

ROME, Sept. 4.—Italian troops have begun an offensive in Southern Albania and have occupied Tepeleni, 31 miles south-east of Avlona, on the Vojussa River, says the official statement issued by the War Office. The Greek garrison withdrew from

The official report says:
"Wednesday morning our composite column occupied Tepeleni, on

posite column occupied Tepeleni, on the Vojussa, after a rapid march over very difficult ground. The Greek garrison withdrew.

"At the same time Bersaglieri made an attempt against the enemy's position on Mount Gradista and Mount Trubes, on the right bank of the Vojussa. We forced the river near Carbonara and stormed the vil-lages of Klog and Hekal under heavy lages of Klog and Hekal under heavy

artillery fire.
"We took 72 prisoners, including "We took 72 prisoners, including 40 Austrians and much ammunition. During the night the news of the oc-cupation of Tepeleni was received, and the Bersaglieri withdrew from Mount Gradist. Enemy aircraft bom-barded Proveni and La Pai, doing no damage, however."

AEROPLANE BATTLES.

French and British Aviators Win Several Victories.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—In spite of the fog British and French aviators are particularly active on this front. On the Somme front during the fore-noon four German machines were brought down by the French, and brought down by the French, and three others south of Peronne, while two others were seen to fall badly damaged. Anti - aircraft guns brought down two others, and the occupants were taken prisoner. In the afternoon anti-aircraft guns felled three additional heattle aeroplanes.

afternoon anti-aircraft guns felled three additional hostile aeroplanes. The French lost one machine only. General Haig reports that during aerial combats with the enemy five German machines were destroyed and at least seven others driven down damaged. Five British aero-planes were lost.

Five Battalions Reach England.

OTTAWA, Sept. 4.—It is officially announced through the Chief Censor's office that the following troops have arrived safely in England: Battalion, Battalion, Battalion, Camp Borden Camp Borden Camp Borden 127th 137th Bättalion, Calgary; 138th Barrion, Edmonton; No. 10 Sta-tionary Hospital, London; drafts and details.

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The 127th Battalion, "York Rangers," is in command of Lieut.-Col. F.
F. Clarke; the 129th from Wentworth county, of Lieut.-Col. W. E.
S. Knowles; the 135th, "Pride of Middlesex," of Lieut.-Col. Burt Rob-

New Pension Board

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OTTAWA, Sept. 4.—The new Pension Board, which will have permanent supervision of the whole war pension system of the Dominion, has been named. This Board will take over from the Militia Department the administration of the Act.

The Chairman of the Board is J. K. L. Ross, a Montreal multi-millionaire, whose generosity towards war association funds has been very marked, and who possesses considerable business ability.

The other members are Major

The other members are Major John L. Todd, M.D., of Montreal, and Colonel Labatt of Hamilton.

Names of Huns Ren

ROME, Sept. 4.—Last Tuesday workmen chopped off the marble memorial names of Emperor William and the German Crown Prince, Frederick William, which had been placed in the Senatorial Palace on the ancient Capitol hill during a visit of the German Emperor to Rome twenty years ago. The names were ordered personned by the city government. years ago. The names were order removed by the city government.

He Wants His Luggage. KINGSTON, Sept. 4.—The threat is made by Willy Brubacher, the St. Johns, Que., German, who escaped from Fort Henry internment camp, and who is now in Watertown, N.Y., that he will sue the Canadian Gov that he will sue the Canadian Gov-ernment for his luggage, which is still here at the Fort. He says he cannot see how the holding of his personal belongings can contribute to the safety of the Dominion.

Rouble's Value Rising.
LONDON, Sept. 4.—The value of
the rouble has greatly advanced in
London, where Petrograd exchange
had fallen from 1.55 to 1.35 in the
course of a week. The rise of the
rouble is attributed to Roumania's entrance into the war, American buy-ing, and the pending internal flotation of a Russian railway loan of 350,000,000 roubles. Simultaneous-ly French exchange has also im-

ANIMALS ON THE BATTLEFIELD

Regimental Mascots Which Have Distinguished Themselves.

Regimental pets on many occasions have distinguished themselves on the battlefield. In one instance a regimental dog proved to be one of the few survivors of a terrible British the few survivors of a terrible British disaster when the famous 66th were cut up in the battle of Matwand. Valiant Bob, the pet of the regiment, sat and howled dismally in the centre of the rapidly-dwindling square, where the Britishers stood back to back, fighting against hordes of Afghans. When every man had fallen, Bob crawled over the bodies of the dead, and, although wounded in the leg. traveled over ninety miles the leg, traveled over ninety miles of country by himself.

In the battle of Inkermann, Sandy,

In the battle of Inkermann, Sandy, the terrier mascot of the Royal Engineers, thoroughly enjoyed himself by running after the Russians and snapping at their legs. He was eventually run through by the bayonet of an exasperated Russian, but Sandy recovered, and had a special Sandy recovered, and had a special medal struck for him by the colonel of the regiment at the conclusion of

of the regiment at the conclusion of the campaign.

Bruce, the enormous mastiff who displayed similar fighting tactics in the battle of Kandahar, met with a less fortunate fate, and was killed and buried on the historic battlefield.

A poodle who hobbled about on three legs was for some years a familiar spectacle at Chelsea Barracks. The spectacle at Chelsea Barracks. The Guards captured the animal in the battle of Vittoria, and adopted him as their regimental pet. He went through the campaign with the regiment, but had two legs broken by a shot through refusing on one occa sion to remain in the rear when the charge was sounded, but dashed to the front of the galloping horses.

At the battle of Tel-el-Kebir a pri-

vate of an Irish regiment went into the fight with a little black kitten concealed in his tunic as a mascot. He came through the battle unscathed, and so did his furry, four-footed friend.

Embargo on Glycerine.

Severe restrictions have been imposed on the sale of glycerine. Chemists cannot obtain fresh supplies unless they give a written guarantee to dealers that it will only be used for preparing medicines and that they will not sell it over the counter unless it is ordered by a doctor's pre-scription. It is not to be used as an ingredient of any toilet prescrip-Manufacturers of glycerine are debarred from supplying it to whole sale dealers unless the dealers give a written undertaking to supply it only to chemists who sign an agreement to the above effect. The reason for this embargo is that the supplies of glycerine are required for the production of explosives.

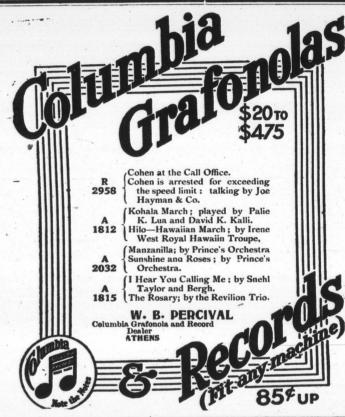
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