URKUB REPORTED CAPTURED: BRITISH INVADE BULGARIA

Veles and Ishtib Also Reported to be in the Hands of the Allies—Large Numbers of Bulgarians are Cut Off And Must Surrender—Anxiety in Sofia

have taken Veles as well as Ishtib for ten days. This seems to be the Uskub, fifteen miles farther on, if, until they are actually achieved. indeed, they are not already there. Uskub is the main centre of the epemy's communication. Its loss would be almost a knock-out blow to them. Already they are in an exceedingly serious position.

Bulgarian armies are retreating in probably many thousands of prisondisorder, cut off entirely from their ers, as the allied troops strain every comrades in the west, known as the energy to get to Uskub and thereby Eleventh Germany Army, which is make the victory complete. German staffed, but otherwise main- It is pointed out that the Bulgarly Bulgarian. This latter army itself ian army, estimated to aggregate is split in two, the Serbians having 300,000 men, is in a very dangerous seized Babuna Pass. The Eleventh Army is therefore now retreating to decisive, in the opinion of the mili prisoners and 200 guns are now re-

A Popular Invasion.

Crowds around the newspaper of fices greeted the bulletin, on the ones of the war. official announcement that British troops had crossed the Bulgarian frontier, with great enthusiasm Kosturino which the cavalry is re ported to have occupied, is ten miles orthwest of Lake Doiran, thus showing the progress of the Anglo-Greek advance. Allied infantry is reported advancing on the slopes of line. Kosturino is only five or six miles south of Strumitsa, another important Bulgarian supply centre. It needs little further progress to make the Bulgarian defeat decisive. Despatches recording the consternation at Sofia, 100 miles away, are not

Italians Doing Well. A message from Italian headquarters says that Italian troops are Prilep to Veles, and along which advancing with fine speed on the large body of Bulgarians is reporte left of the allied line in Macedonia. The Bulgarians are retreating from the Lake Presba and Lake Ochrida ment by the enemy of the Babuna districts, west of Monastir. Resna. six miles north of Lake Presba, is burning. The Bulgarians in this sector are afraid of being cut off. to reach Uskub unaware that the Serbians are now almost there, if not there. The Austrian left wing in Albania is likely to be in a most dangerous position

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Enormous Booty Taken. London, Sept. 26 - (Can Pres Despatches) .- The reports received to-day emphasized the demoralization of the Bulgarians, who are re treating in confusion, leaving behind On their left the first and second an enormous amount of material, and

position, but the victory will not be Twenty thousand tary experts, until Uskub, the centre of all the enemy's communication lines, is captured. If this is accomplished it is believed the victory will be numbered among the few decisive

The renewed resistance of the Bulgarian rearguards and the arrival of German reinforcements in Macedonia have not succeeded in stemming the great allied advance British cavalry to-day entered Bulgaria opposite Kosturino, thus avoiding the Belachista Mountains, which it was feared might bar its progress. the mountains bordering the frontier while the Serbians, French, Greek and British troops routed the Bulgarians from either side of the great salient, which now stretches far into

The Serbians, who are taking the leading part in the liberation of their country, are at the gates of Ishtib and their cavalry, entering the town of Izvor, has cut the only remaining road northward—that running from to be attempting to escape. probably will lead to an abandon-Mountains, which are considered virtually impregnable.

It was reported this afternoon that Italian cavalry had reached the road and are hurrying by a roundabout running from Prilep westward, which affords the only avenue through the Bulgarian army, which is considered British and Greeks Together.

Greek troops are aiding in the allied advance in Macedonia It is well bowever, to note that three sectors of the front, according a word of caution is expressed to to an official statement from the night that the allies had no great Greek War Office to-day. East of superiority of numbers at the begin- the Vardar the Bulgarians are in ning of this battle, and have been flight toward Valandova, with the

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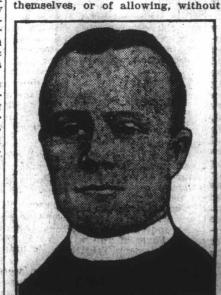
THEY CAUSE BAD FEELING This Wise Action of Leading Men In

the United States Should Interest Thoughtful Persons In Canada Who Do Not Want to Create Jealousy Between Armies. HE habit of comparing the fighting ability of the dif-

ferent nationalities among bad one, and many persons recognise that it may lead to jealousy and bad feeling. In the United States, a campaign has been started against that sort of thing, and thoughtful men here in Canada see the wisdom of frowning on odious comparisons. Rev. Dr. Manning, the rector of Trinity Church, New York, the wealthiest and most influential church in the United States, recently made the matter the text of a sermon that has been quoted far and wide. Dr. Manning gave a most time-

ly warning when he told his congre-

gation to beware either of making



verse comparisons between the cour-age and the fighting efficiency of the several national armies that are al-

lied in the conflict with Germany and her vassals. He was quite right in saying that to do either of these things—and one of them deserves reprehension as much as the other—is to assist in a most insidious and vicious form of German propaganda, The purpose of those who start this sort of talk, and its effect, for it is not ineffectual, is to substitute istrust for confidence among the forces that have combined to save the world from the horrors of Teucient animosities and jealousies, and it is only a new variant of a plan hat for a while worked only too well in Germany's interest—that of whisering in credulous ears the charge troops of one or another racial strain were systematically put in the most dangerous places and sacrificed to save the lives of favored

companions in arms. That particular accusation has been rarely heard of late, and nobody took it seriously when what probably was the last at-tempt to excite dissatisfaction in this

when what probably was the last attempt to excite dissatisfaction in this way among our negroes promptly ended in a declaration by the colored soldiers themselves that they were honored, not wronged, when they were trusted to hold important sectors at the front.

That, of course, is the fc g of every real man who goes to war, and appreciation of the fact is now so nearly general that it has been necessary for the secret propagandists to devise a new method of creating discord among the Allies. They try to do it by praising this or that army at the expense of another. The answer to it is obvious—it is written on every battlefield and in all the casualty lists. No men can do more than fight till they die, and there is not one race engaged in the war that has not done that again and again. Of noble rivalry there is much among Of noble rivalry there is much among the allied forces; of ignoble jealousy and base recrimination at home or in the field there comes none except from enquies and their dupes.

COMB OUT FOE POSTS.

By Courier Leased Wire British Headquarters in France, Sept. 26.—(Reuter's).—On the long stretch of front upon which the British forces have approached within eye range of the Hindenburg line, the combing out of enemy posts is continuing. In addition a little fresh ground in this region has been gained in the past twenty-four hours, improving the tenure of the British.

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