

THE HERALD

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24TH, 1916.

The Red Cross Society has so far spent in the war \$15,000,000, and \$20,000,000 more is wanted for the next year's operations. Since the war began the Canadian branches have contributed \$2,500,000.

The London Chronicle pronounces the daylight saving scheme, as tried out in England, "a complete triumph." The war suggested it. Its success, however, has been assured, and it will now be continued from summer to summer without question.

There is a note of optimism in every letter which the Canadians send home from the front. "We see with our own eyes," writes a Kingstonian; "we know that we are winning, and we are cheered and satisfied." That is the thought of man after man who writes to his friends.

PROVINCIAL POLITICS.

Toronto, October 21.—Candidates for the Provincial House have been nominated in two ridings this week—Welland and South Grey. In the former Robert Cooper, Manager of the Maple Leaf Milling Co. of Welland, was nominated at an enthusiastic convention. Mr. Cooper is one of the leading citizens of Welland, both in business and in public service. Thos. Marshall, M.P.P. for Lincoln, dealt with provincial issues.

In South Grey, Dr. Mearns of Hanover, is the candidate, and Mr. G. A. Gillespie, M.P.P., Peterboro, discussed matters of importance in the provincial field. At the same time W. H. Wright, of Owen Sound, was chosen as Federal candidate for South East Grey and Mr. F. F. Pardee, M.P., spoke on federal issues.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

Forty new dentists are ready for active service.

Russian troops won further success in the Persian region.

General von Falkenhayn was reported to have been seriously wounded.

C. H. Lovell, M.P., for Stanstead died at Cotuit, in his 63rd year.

British Red Cross canvases in various places in Ontario resulted in generous givings.

Canadian missionaries in German East Africa have been released by the Belgians.

The Turks were driven from strong positions east of the Suez Canal by British troops.

The names of the five counties selected for Ontario's sheep-raising scheme are announced.

Wm. Burt of Brampton, a veteran of the Crimean War, celebrated his hundredth birthday.

Col. Hugh Clark, M.P., has been appointed Parliamentary Secretary for External Affairs.

Sir Thomas Tait has resigned the post of Director General of National Service. He is succeeded by R. B. Bennett.

Opponents of Church union formed the "Presbyterian Church Association," and resolved to maintain the Presbyterian Church.

John H. Scott recently walked from San Francisco to Philadelphia in 70 days 5 hours and 30 minutes, thereby setting a new record.

W. B. Clarke, customs officer and collector of canal tolls at Port Dalhousie took ill on a trolley car returning home from St. Catharines and died shortly after.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association is preparing a protest to the Dominion Government against the awarding of so many large contracts to United States firms.

Three hundred workmen in a Ghent factory who refused to work in German munition factories in Belgium have been arrested and sent to Germany. Twelve who resisted were shot.

Representatives of Canadian municipalities urged upon members of the Federal Government, in a conference at Ottawa, the necessity of action to deal with the high cost of living.

Hon. J. A. Sheppard, Speaker of Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly, has resigned his seat for Moose Jaw, in consequence of recent findings by the Commission investigating charges of accepting political contributions from liquor men.

The lecture on tuberculosis advertised last week was not delivered, although Mr. Rice arrived on time to keep the appointment. There was some misunderstanding about the place of meeting and the town hall was not engaged.

The first British tank that appeared on the Somme front got out of the control of its driver and was destroyed with its crew by the British artillery, according to Lieut. Stephane Lausanne, former editor of the Paris "Matin." The tank was destroyed to prevent it from falling into the hands of the Germans.

Arrangements are being made by Sir Sam Hughes whereby a number of the higher officers on service in Canada in connection with the administrative work at headquarters and also in the various military divisions, will be permitted to visit England and the front. The proposed visit will give these officers an insight into conditions in England and on the firing line which will be of great use to them in connection with the organization work in Canada.

TEUTONS ARE HALTED

Roumanians Are Holding Their Own in Mountain Passes.

Mackensen Has Broken Left Wing of Russo-Roumanian Line and Has Reached the Coast—Bucharest and Petrograd Admit a Slight Withdrawal, but Deny Teutonic Claims of a Great Victory.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Sunday's news from Transylvania continues to be generally good from the Entente allies' standpoint, though in the Buzen Valley they admit a retirement, and there has been fighting only five miles from Tergu Ocna, the important Roumanian railroad junction in the Trotus Valley in Moldavia. The Austrians who had reached that far were thrown back to the frontier, however. Elsewhere the successful defence of the mountain passes continues.

All told, 600 prisoners, two guns, and ten machine guns have been captured from von Falkenhayn's armies in engagements scattered over the whole mountainous front of 400 miles. Most of these were taken when Austrians occupying Mount Simleux were surrounded and "put to the sword" in the Roumanian phrase.

The new offensive of Field Marshal von Mackensen in Dobrudja has, however, caused the Russian and Roumanian troops to retire slightly, the Petrograd War Office announced Sunday.

The Berlin War Office claims, however, that von Mackensen has smashed the Russo-Roumanian left wing in the Dobrudja and is advancing on the important Black Sea port of Constantza. He has captured Fuzla, on the coast ten miles south of Constantza, and cut into the main positions elsewhere on the 45-mile battle front.

The German, Turkish, and Bulgarian troops under the German field marshal have stormed the heights north-west of Topral Sari, ten miles west of Fuzla. They have also captured Russo-Roumanian positions north of Cocargea and north-west of Mulcova. The Roumanian statement admits a withdrawal on the centre and left wing.

The towns of Topral Sari, 14 miles south-west of Constantza, and Cobadin, 17 miles south-east of the Danube town of Rachova, have been taken.

Thus far the Teutonic troops have taken 3,000 Russian prisoners, including a regimental commander, and some hundreds of Roumanians, says the German statement. Twenty-two machine guns and one mine-thrower also were captured.

SERBS MOVE ON MONISTIR.

They Have Captured Mountain Positions and Are Traversing Plain.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Serbian forces which, having captured by long, hard fighting the flanking mountain positions to the east, pushed down to the plains and across the Cerna River, are now advancing rapidly on Monastir. In the river bend they have reached the suburbs of the town of Baldentsi, four miles north of Brod, and but 10 miles from Monastir.

German troops are now assisting the Bulgarians in an attempt to check the advance of the Serbians who forced a passage of the Cerna River on the Macedonian front south-east of Monastir and captured several towns. The Berlin official account of Sunday in regard to the Macedonian campaign follows:

"The struggle in the bend of the Cerna has not been terminated, German troops are engaged there."

The Serbian official report reads: "On the evening of Oct. 19 in the Cerna River sector General Mischich's army advanced successfully in the direction of Baldentesi village, north-west of Brod. We took four field guns, one trench mortar, seven machine guns, and a large quantity of other war material. We also captured two Bulgarian officers and one German officer, and 114 Bulgarian and 24 German men."

"In this sector we identified among the enemy forces two German regiments that had freshly arrived, one from the Russian front and the other from Gievelli, in the Vardar region. "On the rest of the front nothing important occurred."

Storm on Lake Erie.

BUFFALO, Oct. 23.—At 1 o'clock this morning the overdue steamer Merida of Midland, Ont., had not been reported.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 23.—Storm-swept Lake Erie Sunday gave another fragment of its "Black Friday"—another vessel pounded to pieces in the stinging gale and grinding waves, carrying 21 men to their deaths. The latest victim of the fierce storm is the Cleveland whale-back, James B. Colgate, bound from Buffalo to Fort William, Ont., with a cargo of coal, and the only survivor, her commander of two weeks, Captain Walter Grasshaw, of this city.

Captain Grasshaw, buffeted about on a frail raft since 10 o'clock Friday night, was picked up by a rescue steamer at 10 o'clock Sunday morning in a pitiable condition, and was unable at first to tell a coherent story of the catastrophe that befell his ship and crew. When first sighted by the rescue ship which brought him to Conneaut, Ohio, the captain, half unconscious, was prostrate on the raft, numbed hands wrapped around the ropes twined across it, his body lashing in the waves. His fight at that moment to hold on until help arrived was nothing compared to his struggles during the previous 24 hours, when two companions, Second Engineer Ossman of Cleveland, and a coal passer, name unknown, who shipped at Buffalo just prior to the ship's departure from that port, were washed from the raft by the giant waves that buffeted it like a cork on the surface of the lake.

NEW BRITISH ADVANCE

Haig Pushes Lines Forward 500 Yards on Three Mile Front.

Stiff and Regina Trenches Are Captured and Over One Thousand Prisoners Taken—Big Bite Was Rendered Necessary—French Repulse Counter Attacks—Fine Weather for Artillerymen.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—General Haig's troops delivered a heavy stroke on the German lines in the direction of Le Sars in Picardy Saturday, advancing on a three-mile front to a depth of from 300 to 500 yards, and capturing the Regina and Stuff trenches. The whole of the objective was gained, Sir Douglas Haig reports, and 1,018 prisoners were taken. The British casualties were slight.

Twice during Sunday—in the morning and in the afternoon—the Germans launched violent attacks against the newly-won French positions in the Chaulnes woods, south of the Somme River, in France. Both attacks were repulsed, the Germans suffering heavy casualties, says Paris. Some of the attackers in the morning offensive gained a foothold in the French first line, but were surrounded and the 150 survivors made prisoner.

The following joint despatch dated Saturday evening has been received from the British war correspondents' headquarters in France:

"The past two days of blue skies and hard cold winds has resulted in a general drying of the ground in the battle area, again permitting activity. The British troops have already taken advantage of the improvement. "Shortly after noon Sunday, following a hurried bombardment an attack was delivered along a front of about 5,000 yards, extending from north of Mouquet Farm in the direction of Le Sars. Our infantry advanced in fine style and the enemy, apparently surprised, put up a comparatively small show of resistance. A trench, which the Germans had seemingly already found untenable, was occupied and various useful positions were secured. Our casualties are said to have been very light."

Schaven redoubt has been the scene of something pretty expensive to the enemy. Saturday morning the Germans delivered a counter-attack against this work, to which they appear to attach much importance. Our men employed bombs and rifle grenades so vigorously that the foe never reached the parapet, but was beaten back, leaving a great number of dead and wounded in the open.

"In the small hours of Sunday morning a stronger and more determined assault was launched against the same spot. On this occasion the enemy gained a footing in the redoubt, but our men fought so fiercely that the enemy was soon routed, leaving one officer and 78 men in our hands."

"A feature of the past few days has been the highly successful counter battery work of our artillery, direct hits having been made upon a large number of the enemy guns and emplacements. In view of the fact that the Germans admit they are wearing out their guns on the Somme front more rapidly than they can be replaced, this is eminently satisfactory."

"In the course of violent fighting on the Somme front Saturday, in which the Entente allies sustained heavy losses, the British gained ground in the northern sector, near the Ancre River, in the direction of Grandcourt at Pys," the Berlin War Office announced Sunday.

Further Demands on Greece.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The presentation by the Entente allies of further demands to King Constantine by the removal of Greek troops to the southern part of the country and the handing over of Greek war supplies, is reported by Reuter's Athens correspondent.

The Athens despatch, which is dated Friday, says the demands were presented to King Constantine by the French military attaché. Greece is required to transfer the entire military force in Thessaly (in the rear of the allied forces in Macedonia) to Morea (the peninsula forming the southern extremity of Greece). Delivery to the allies of war materials destined for the Thessalian forces is also required. Other demands were made, the nature of which is unknown.

Sixteen Cents Not Enough.

ST. CATHARINES, Oct. 23.—St. Catharines bakers, when called before a special committee of the City Council appointed to investigate the recent increase in the price of bread to sixteen cents a large loaf, presented a statement to show that at this rate and the present price of flour bakers cannot produce bread without a loss of twenty-four cents on every bag of flour turned into bread. They informed the committee that another increase must follow at once or they must quit business.

Two French Generals Wounded. PARIS, Oct. 23.—Two of the best known French generals, Brigadier-General Marchand, of Fashoda fame, and General Sainte-Claire Deville, have been wounded in battle. Gen. Marchand's injuries are not regarded as serious, in fact, it is announced that he will be able to continue in command of his brigade on the western front. Gen. Sainte-Claire Deville, however, is seriously wounded.

German Cruiser Torpedoed. LONDON, Oct. 23.—A German light cruiser has been torpedoed by a British submarine. The announcement by the Admiralty reads:

"A British submarine just returned from the North Sea reports that she torpedoed a German light cruiser of the Kolberg class early Thursday morning. When last seen the cruiser was steaming slowly in evident difficulties towards German waters."

His Majesty the King, cabling to Ottawa, expressed appreciation of the Red Cross Society, gave a donation \$5,000.

DEATHS.

THACKERAY—In Ramsay, October 19th, Mr. George Thackeray aged 64 years and 1 month.

ELLIOTT—At St. James Rectory, Carleton Place, Oct. 22nd, Sophia S. E. Burke, beloved wife of Mr. Cannon Elliott, aged 58 years.

KNOX—At Smiths Falls, on Oct. 19th, James Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Knox, aged 6 months.

BERRYMAN—In Carleton Place, Oct. 22nd, Janet McDonald, beloved wife of Mr. R. J. Berryman, aged 70 years and 8 months.

HUNTER—At his late residence, 105 Nelson St., Ottawa, on Oct. 22nd, Alexander Hunter, eldest son of the late Alexander Hunter, of Carleton Place, aged 56 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

HAVING disposed of my Harness business to Messrs. Ferguson & Smythe, notice is hereby given that all outstanding accounts must be settled on or before December 1st, 1916. After that date all unsettled accounts will be given to my solicitor for collection.

W. T. MAGUIRE.

Carleton Place, Oct. 23, 1916.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of The Carleton Place Horticultural Society will be held in the Council Chamber on Thursday, 2nd November, at 8 o'clock p.m.

A full attendance is requested as the officers for the ensuing year are to be elected, and the financial report for the year will be presented.

WM. FINDLAY, President.

J. R. MCARDARMID, Sec. Treas.

BECKWITH COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Township of Beckwith will meet at the Township Hall on Saturday, October 28th, 1916, at 10 o'clock, a.m. for General Business.

J. W. ROBERTSON, T. Clerk.

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W. J. MCNEILLY, 8th Con., or address R.M.D. No. 3, Carleton Place.

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Call and see our Flowers at Dr McIntosh's Drug Store, or at Greenhouse, High Street.

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Have your stove-pipe and furnace work looked after before the rush.

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