Weather Forecast:

Fair and Warm

lhe Yondon Advertiser

Turkey Denies Responsibility For Hostilities

Coal Causes Capture of the German Cruisers

Estimates of Local Battalion Indicate War's Enormous Expense.

THE DAILY COST IS \$1,466

Pay Sheets Will Total \$1,100 For Each of 60 Days of Camp.

AVERAGE EQUIPMENT \$100

Rifles, Uniforms and Outfit of Each Man Represent That Amount.

make up the Eighteenth Battalion the second Canadian overseas conti will be in the neighborhood of was the estimate volunteered in militia circles today. This estimate on the supposition that th Eighteenth Battalion will be in camp in Lendon for the next 60 days. On this basis, therefore, the cost per ration per day per man is 26 cents and for 1,000 men \$260 per day. Add the camp, such as coal and light, and ual cost of living expenses will 60 days then this item will

\$66,000 in Pay Alone. Not including the separation allow-ance the tiovernment pays each man is \$1.100 per day, and for 60 days it is

Expensive Equipment.

the cost of living at the camp, brings of the cost of placing 1,000 men obstruction been discovered. under arms and equipped to fight.

MINE EXPLOSION IS FATAL TO TWO MEN

[Canadian Press.]

TURKISH WARSHIPS' RAID

ambassador at Constantinople yester- did not receive him.

WITHOUT OFFICIAL CONSENT

Minister of Finance Tells French Ambassador It Was Prob-

ably Made Under Influence of German Officers

and Crew of Ships.

Washington, Oct. 31.—The Turkish at 8 a.m. yesterday to demand his pass-

KING'S COUSIN IS KILLED IN ACTION



NATIONALITY PUTS



PRINCE LOUIS OF BATTENBURG, PRINCE MAURICE OF BATTEN. Sea Lord because of newspaper crit-BURG, brother of the Queen of Spain icism of a man of German birth hold

# TRAIN WRECKING AS BRITISH OFFICIALS HALLUWE'EN PRANK

Boys Rip Up Crossing Planks Lloyd George, Lord Haldane the frontier on Silesia and remain the and Lord Reading Off to and Throw Them Over Rails. Continent.

DISCOVERED IN TIME PROBABLY TO HOLLAND

Obstruction Removed by Citizen Who Discovered At-

A citizen and his daughter fortunately These figures, of course, do not me discovered the planks and removed in kept a profound secret, as well as clude the cost of outfitting the men discovered the planks and removed in kept a profound secret, as well as sich of Germany, as it is known that sickness.

This latter fact was brought home in Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and the contributing to their children's front, and that his position should be kept open against his return.

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This latter fact was brought home in the contributing to their children's sickness. shoes, clothing, etc. A soldier's outfit, press from the east came through, and the business to be transacted concerns sible retirement, have established heavsuch as is given each one of the men while it did not run on the tracks upon both financial and legal matters. Lord liy-entrenched positions along the River in the Eighteenth Battalion, is at the it did not run on the tracks upon both financial and legal matters. Lord ity-entre which the planks had been placed, it Haldane and the chief justice, who as Warthe. it mized cost, over \$100 each. Figuritemized cost, over \$100 each. Figuring it at the round number of \$100

served to impress the danger of the to the bench, was the keenest legal.

Speculating on Turkey.

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Speculation as to the effects of the to. this would bring the men's equipment foolish prank. The boys were evidently light at the English bar, rank as about position taken by Turkey varies widely. intent upon sending a train off the the foremost authorities upon the law In some quarters it is even argued that mother. "There are six fillings, and This sum, added to their pay and tracks, if possible, and quite probably in the United Kingdom. the cost of living at the camp, brings would have accomplished it had not the us a figure which is a reasonable esti-The camp of 1,000 men outfitted and on this night of nights for youth, it Scandinavian countries to deal with the from Constantinople seems to commit

would be well for the toys to confine matter of the shipment of goods from Turkey beyond recall. Delayed telefed for 60 days costs in the neighborhood of \$189,000.

would be well for the boys to comine
themselves to fun which is not destructhemselves to fun which is not destructive. As a result of the incident at the C. P. R. crossing the police have been I notified and will be on the alert to ap- three Scandinavian nations are conduct- that Turkey was determined to preserve prehend any whose conduct goes beyond the bounds of safety.

[Canadian Press.] London, Oct. 31.-5:55 a.m.-The are known to have been killed and sev- Athens correspondent of the Dally Teleeral injured as a result of an explosion graph confirms the report that the Rustoday in the Coleanor coal mines near slan ambassador to Turkey has left

, sian ambassador received instructions

## HIM OUT OF NAVY LILLE DECLARED FREE OF GERMANS

Citizens Confident That Enemy Will Never Return to the Town.

RUSSIA IS SUCCESSFUL

But Cannot Assume Full Offensive Until Austrians Are Driven From San.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Oct. 31 .- 10:15 a.m. - Although the official communications do 1.0 West Flanders, other reports emanating retirement from the coast south of Ost nd is imminent, and Ostend is are not confirmed from Berlin

cial dispatches again to be free of Ger man troops, and its hopeful citizens so confident that they never will return

determination to take Calais is indi-cated by the significant report from Berlin, by way of Copenhagen, that the German general staff has decided that the army in Poland shall fail back to on the defensive until the battle Flanders ends with the capture Calais. Such a movement would lease three or four army corps to

transferred from Silesia to Belgium Russian Tactics Succeed. the line of invaders in Russian Poland

ch section endangering the position May Inquire Into Shipping of of the section next to it on the south Goods Into Germany From been successful everywhere

camp which is \$18,000, brings the Colborne street and placed the planks George and Lord Reading, the chief jus-

The most plausible report has it that Goeben and Breslau will be disavowed it is impossible for me to find the day: While a certain latitude is allowed possibly will extend their journey to the parture of the Russian ambassador papers are correct, Holland and the ambassador had received assurances ing a flourishing trade with Germany her Leutrality.

through the transhipment of supplies from the United States and even from England. The newspapers of all those countries assert that their importations are for their own needs alone, while are for their own needs alone, while English papers insist that they are re-English papers insist that they are retain. Russia and France, and it is felt consignments of petroleum, here that Roumania probably will rollow grain and foodstuffs generally, which the same course. Bulgaria Quiet,

Bulgaria, who recently regained much of the prestige lost in the second silence. Revenge would impel her to an alliance with the Turks, but Sofia seems determined to maintain neutrality un-JOIN IN THE FRAY less the borders of Bulgaria are

Roman newspapers aver that with Turkey in the area the conflict is no longer European but Mediterranean in scope. It, therefore, threatens Italy's interests in North Africa and raises the century-old question of the control of the Mediterranean, which must compel the Italian Government to intervene on the side of the entente powers. Italy, as a first step in her evident determination to be a factor in the control of the Adriatic, has landed an expedition on the Island of Sasene, which com mands the entrance to the harbor of

[Canadian Press.]

Whitby, Eng., Oct. 31 .- Via London,

this morning from the wreck of the

Bearing physicians, nurses and hos-

driven ashore. It is understood that

all the women or board were saved. It

is not known definitely the total num

ber of persons on board the ill-fated

200. There are said to be still about

#### Nationalist Organ Says Turkey's Act Makes Inaction Now Simply Absurd Blindness. [Canadian Press.] minister of finance informed the French ports, and made an effort to see the Rome, Oct. 31.—The idea Nazionale, ambassador at Constantinople vector draw Vizier, who pleaded illness and the new organ of the Nationalist party.

which has always urged the participaday that the raid of Turkish warships The Russian, French and British amon Russian seaports took place without bassadors, according to the same dis- says that Italian inaction, after the the knowledge of the Ottoman Government, and presumably under the influ-tinople together.

Says that taken would be simply about the influ-tinople together.

Says that taken would be simply about the influence of German officers and crew. This Ambassador Morganthau's dispatch tion, it declares, brings forward the information was conveyed in a dis- made no mention of any declaration of question of the partition of Asiapatch today from Ambassador Morgan- war, or of internal conditions in Tur-Minor or a definite solution of the Ori key. He probably will take over the ental question which has influraced Mediterranean policy for over a cen-

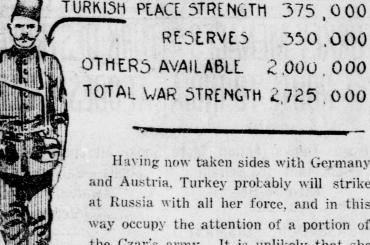
exceed their normal requirements.

URGING ITALY TO

Furthermore, Turkish action against Egypt will threaten also Libya, Italian Somaliland and Erythraea, and therefore it is necessary to act. "For Italy." the paper continues "it now no more a question of the Euroean conflict, but a conflict eminently Mediterranean. It is no more a quesnear here, early yesterday morning. tion of solving the Adriatic problem, but the Mediterranean problem. pital supplies, the Rohilla was on her comprises the whole national existway to a Beigian or a French port to succor the wounded, when she was

America Lodges Another Protest ship, but some estimates place it at

### Turkey as a Military Power



Having now taken sides with Germany and Austria, Turkey probably will strike at Russia with all her force, and in this way occupy the attention of a portion of the Czar's army. It is unlikely that she will have any fighting to do outside her own territory.

Free Care of Teeth May Be Probable Action in the Case of Instituted by the Board Soldier-Official Worries of Education. Aidermen.

CAUSE OF POOR HEALTH WANT THE POSITION HELD

Patriotism Say His Salary

Should Be Paid.

volunteered to fight for the Empire, it

ought to be as loval and as big as these

Up To Do Something.

himself a man and a patriot, and it is

up to us to do the very best we can

Should Be Encouraged.

"Our city engineer has proven

Nurses Find That Bad Teeth Advocates of W. N. Ashplant's Are Responsible For Children's Many Ills.

ity fathers show the same loyalty and generosity in dealing with this matter Austrians still maintain the positions in the employ of the board of educathey succeeded in retaking from the tion. These nurses, from their daily The pay of officers is estimated in the neighborhood of \$5.000 for the duration of the camp, and this item added to the pay of the men which is placed at the \$66,000, and the cost of living at the camp which is \$18,000, brings the camp which is other municipalities under similar cir is exercising the minds of several o the aldermen and controllers just now. The general feeling is that Mr. Ashplant's patriotism should not be allowed to result in preventable materia disadvantage to him, and that the city ment until the Austrians are driven financially unable to undertake the should make arrangements for his ful The destination of this mission is be- back from the River San. But ever burden of remedying the defects that salary to run on while he is at the In Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and

striking fashion when one of the nurses, other cities where civic employees hav on her visit to the parents of a boy who had six defective teeth, explained is pointed out, this has been done, and the necessity of having them attended the argument is used that London

"I can't possibly do it," said the other places acts of the former German cruisers they will cost at least 75 cents each. One member of the council said

Unable to Pay. This is but one instance, but it serves for him. We are proud that at least to point out to the nurses and to the one of the city's employees has reparents in properly attending to their does not suffer in any material way that children's teeth. Free dental clinics, we can prevent by his action where the children will have their It was pointed out, also, that Mr. The action of the Balkan States in teeth attended to by competent den- Ashplant has never had a vacation since "It is a shame the condition that he is not neglecting the city's interests

some of the children's teeth are in," but is writing every night in his office said Inspector of Schools C. B. Ed- and taking pains that the work of the wards today. "L especially refer to department shall be kept right up to their permanent teeth. When these are not attended to, the teeth are lost,

eyes of the pupils. In this they have inguess to look after the interests of over the affairs of at least one of the samed a little later and laste been assisted by Drs. George L. Clarke those who do volunteer. and Septimus Thompson, the eye specialists. In hundreds of cases where parents have not been in a financial position to pay for the testing of their hildren's eyes, Drs. Clarke and Thompson have done the work free of charge, saving the parents not only the specialists' charges, but in many cases the eyesight of the children.

#### THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and low-st temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous o'clock last night: Highest, 50; lowofficial temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 37; lowest, 26.

TOMORROW-FAIR AND WARM. Today—Moderate southwest winds fine and warm.
Sunday—Southwest winds; fair and

12:50 p.m.-Fifty more men were saved warm. The following were the British hospital ship Rohilla, which ran lowest temperatures during the 24 hours on the rocks off the Yorkshire coast, previous to 8 a.r Stations. Quebec Weather Notes,

The disturbance which was over New England vesterday has developed into quite an important sterm, now centred England yesterday has developed into quite an important storm, now centred in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Gales with showery weather are prevolent in the Maritime Provinces, while from the Ottawa Valley westward to the Rocky Mountains the weather is fine and mild.

Storm signals are displayed at Atlah-Storm signals are displayed at Atlah-and Gulf ports.

# PLACES, LOSING IN

French Official Statement Says Germans Initiated General Offensive Along Whole Line-Attacks Met With Counter Moves.

[Canadian Press.

Paris. Oct. 31,-2:02 p.m.-The Freich war office this afternoon gave out an official announcement as follows: "The day of yesterday was marked an attempt at a general offensive movement on the part of the Germans along the entire front from Nieuport to Arras, and by violent attacks delivered at other points of the line of battle. From Nicuport to the Canal of La Bassee there were alternative movements of advance and retirement. "To the south of Nieuport, the Germans, who had taken possession of Rampikapelle, were driven out of this town by a counter-attack "To the south of Ypres we lost some points of support, Hollebecke Zandworde, but we progressed to the east of Ypres in the direction of Pascher-

"Between La Bassee and Arras all the attacks made by the Germans were repulsed with heavy losses for them.

"In the region of Chaulnes we advanced beyond Lihons, and we took possession of Lequesnoy, in the Santerre district. "In the region of the Aisne also we have made progress on the heights of the right bank, down stream from Soissons, but we were compelled to wi

engagement in the Argonne.

# YOUNG CANADIAN



Scots Fusiliers, who ha

graduate of the Royal Military College.

Washington Hears the Allies' Representatives Are Making Preparations To Quit Constantinople.

the state department today that the We could only stand and watch

# "We have advanced in the region of Souain, and there has been a violen

IN GERMAN IRENCH

Diary Found On Dead Soldier

Tells of Marne and

Aisne.

SUFFERING WAS TERRIBLE

When Orders Came To Retreat, Men Were Surprised at Them.

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, Oct. 16.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Here is the story of a German private who wa found dead in a trench-not dead fro wounds, but from starvation-and thi story, in the form of a daily journa kept apparently up to the last day, was found on him. It begins with the advance of the crown prince's arm Charleroi, and the fall of Longwy. covers the battle of the Marn greater part of the campaign of the Our first army has pushed back tue Paris. In Russia our troops have

to eat. Our division leaves for Marson to bivouack before crossing the Marne lomorrow. We hope to get rations Just a Bitr. "We finally stopped long enough to take a bite. It didn't take long, be-

cause what they gave us was just enough to put a sharper edge on ou appetites. Then we went toward the Marne, pushing back detachmen even partly across the bridge whe their artillery opened fire; it seemed to us that it opened the gates of hel at the same time. We could not Washington. Oct. 31 .- Word reached vance and we had no orders to reti and it means that the child will have and it means that the child will have council member that other city emand it means that the child will be an interest of the child will be a council member that other city employees should be encouraged to follow the constantinople. Officials declined to saving the flag and our comman comman comman and the council member that other city employees should be encouraged to follow the constantinople. Officials declined to saving the flag and our comman and then were ordered to retire.

The tiew was expressed by another diplomatic representatives of the language preparations to leave were making preparations to leave saving the flag and our comman and then were ordered to retire. Great work has been accomplished best way to bring about that result but it was understood that already the was not exactly a defeat, the officers by the school nurses in caring for the would be by demonstrating their will- United States has been asked to take say-only a retirement. The battle re (Continued on Page Three.)

#### CANADA IMPREGNABLE TO GERMAN FORCE SAYS THE ST. LOUIS GLOBE-DEMOCRAT

legations at the Turkish capital.

#### "The Crime of the Ages"

[Canadian Press.] New York, Oct. 31 .- In an

nouncement of the annexation of Belgium, the Herald says: "To Americans, the Kaiser's ruthless onslaught upon the little nation whose respect is the crime of the ages. If anything were needed to emphasize the enormity of this crime, it is furnished by the threat of absorption based on con-quest. If American sentiment could determine the result, there would be peace until the Belgians are once more in possession of their own country, with safeguard around it to insure to them the full enjoyment of the liberty for which they have so gallantly fought.

Americans have contributed, are contributing, and vill continue to contribute liberally for the relief of suffering Belgians. They are giving to the people of King Albert, not to the subjects of any 'Wilhelm von BelAmerican Newspaper Says Force of 200,000 Might Get Into Canada, But Would Never Get Out-Calls Canadians "Peculiarly Strong, Virile, Warlike Type.'

Harry Symonds, formerly of The sends the following clipping from the St. Louis Globe-Democrat of that

Germany and Canada. There is so much of futile disactualities or possibilities, that the flutter of talk anent the German ambassador's saying that Germany now holds itself free to make ; conquest of Canada need not, perhaps, be too severely criticized We are reminded by it, however, of boy with the apple saying: "Dere conquest of Canada by Germany is neither going to be made nor attempted, now or at any time. The German militarists have demonstrated that their system is one of highest intelligence. We need nothing more to assure us tha they would not, even were there an open ocean track, and their navy in position to convoy a fieet of transport ships, with Canada an independent nationality, without

any claim to British naval protec-

tion, undertake such a hopeless task. The silly question, "Is the Kaiser mad?" which is not worth discussing now, would then have to

At the utmost, no transpor fleet carrying men and supplies could land more than, 200,000 men on Canadian shores. Once landed there, they would be 3,000 miles from their base. Canada has now a population of at least 8,000,000 A large majority of these are males and the males of military age are of a peculiarly strong, virile, warlike type. Canada could put 2.-000,000 fighting men against the 200,000, every one of whom, it trained to the use of firearms from early youth. There would be such deadly "sniping" from 10,000 points that the "sniping" in Belgium men and women hardly knowing how to pull a trigger would be for gotten. It would be such deadl sniping as was once done between Boston and Lexington, Mass., on two sides of an old bridge "where

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### REPORTED AS CAPTURED Australian Dispatch Says Scharnhorst and Gneisenau Taken

Mr. Morganthau added that the Rus- French and British embassies.

TWO GERMAN CRUISERS

as Result of Failure of Coal Supply - No Official Confirmation.

(Canadian Press.)

London, Oct. 31.—2:59 a.m.—A dispatch to the Post from Sydney. N. S. W., says it is reported that the German cruisers Scharnhorst and the Gneisenau, have been captured as a result of the failure of their coal supply. There is no official confirmation of the report to be had here.

| Canadian Press.|
| Washington, Oct. 31.—Formal protest to the British Government against the detention of the American copper-laden steamer Kroenland at Gibraltar was made today by the state department through Ambassador Page at London.