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BRITISH AUXILIARY WAS SUNK RUSS DESTROYER ALSO VICTIM

Fauvette Struck Mine Off East Coast of England and Fourteen of Crew Perished—Destroyer Was Torpedoed Near Varna, Petrograd Reports.

LONDON, March 12, 5 p.m.—It was officially announced at the British admiralty today that the mercantile fleet auxiliary Fauvette of 2644 tons gross had been sunk as the result of striking a mine off the east coast of England. Fourteen members of the crew were lost.

GERMAN SEAPLANE WAS DRIVEN OFF

LONDON, March 11.—A German seaplane was sighted approaching North Foreland about noon today. It was pursued by British aeroplanes from Dover and flew seaward.

ROUMANIANS FOUGHT BULGARS ON THE DANUBE NEAR RAHOVO

Austrian Gunboat is Reported to Have Fired on Roumanian Ship, Whereupon Roumanian Troops Opened Fire—Casualties Were Heavy.

LONDON, March 13, 3 a.m.—An engagement is reported to have taken place on the Danube between Roumanians and Bulgarians near the town of Rahovo, says the Daily Mail's Odessa correspondent. A Bulgarian frontier guard is said to have fired upon a Roumanian ship which was loading another vessel in

CARRANZA DEFIANT IN STAND U.S. INVADING FORCE WARNED

MEXICO CITY, March 12.—Gen. Carranza tonight issued a manifesto to the nation declaring that under no circumstances would the Mexican Government grant the right to the United States to violate Mexican territory by sending in an armed force in pursuit of Villa without consent and the reciprocal privileges being first obtained and admitted.

WAR SUMMARY THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

which occurred after each plan of the enemy broke down were owing to the necessity of gaining time for the dragging forward of the big guns is disproved by the statement of German officers taken prisoner, that their higher command had taken measures beforehand to provide that all their artillery, comprising hundreds of heavy guns, should advance in a compact mass, as tho it were a single battery.

The British exploded three mines at points east of Vermelles Saturday and the Germans exploded four mines near the Hohenzollern road yesterday. The British gained satisfactory results from their action while the Germans got into a hand grenade fight from theirs. They caused few casualties to the British and did little damage to the British trenches.

The Russians lost a torpedo boat destroyer in a brush with hostile submarines off Varna, the Bulgarian port, and German seaplanes have been attempting to drop bombs on Russian ships off the Crimea. The seaplane has been more spectacular than effective against shipping in this war.

The Russians in Persia have occupied the town of Kirind, "in the direction of Bagdad," says the official report. This city will be the next important centre for the allies to approach and the Russian threat from the east will, perhaps, tend to relieve the pressure on the British at Kut-el-Amarah and Basra. But the Germans and Turks are aiming at holding up the British in order to allow the Russians to enter Bagdad first in the hope of creating a dispute between the Russians and British as to its ultimate ownership.

No official word about Trebizond has come thru from Petrograd altho the Russians must be close to that city by this time. As it is intended to land an army from Odessa near this port before proceeding to the storming of it, the attack may be postponed for several days. At any rate the Germans and Turks are beginning to get alarmed about the Russian success on the Black Sea and it would not be surprising if they attempted to lay a great many mines in these waters to catch Russian warships and transports.

The Italians have again started to bombard Gorizia, according to the Austrians. Despite the rainy weather which has succeeded the snowstorms, the Italian troops are very active and as soon as spring fully arrives, they will probably resume their offensive against the Austrians. The Italians are rendering signal service to the allies by holding at least 400,000 Austrians from being used in other theatres of the war.

A definite report has come thru from Bucharest that Roumania has concluded an agreement with Russia for the purchase and transit of munitions and that Russia has agreed to give her part of Bessarabia after the war. Roumania's entry into the conflict on the side of the allies, it is repeated, is assured in the near future. If she does join the ranks of the allies, it will probably be at the time the Saloniki expedition begins to move against Bulgaria. She can give the allies valuable aid by permitting a Russian expedition to invade Bulgaria and strike at Constantinople by way of the valley of the Danube. The mere threat of such a thing is sufficient to compel the Turks to keep a big army at Constantinople and to deter them from sending any sort of efficacious help to the Turks in Armenia and Asia Minor. The Turkish reverses there have dealt a particularly heavy blow to the prestige of Enver Pasha, the Turkish war minister.

STIRRING SCENE AT BIG RECRUITING MEETING

Hundred and Twenty-Five Men Respond to Appeal at La Plaza Theatre.

LIKE METHODIST REVIVAL

Speeches Interrupted by Great Rush of Young Toronto to Join Colors.

Had it not been for the military men on the stage at the La Plaza Theatre on Saturday night, the men that if they were called last night would have been mis-

led as to the character of the meeting which was being held. Some people thought it resembled an auction sale, as the officers on the stage continually shouted, "Any more before we finish—only five more to make the hundred!" Others thought they were at a revival meeting or account of the cries, "Come on up!" In fact, Major Wright of the 81st Battalion exclaimed: "It seems as tho I am at a Methodist revival meeting out in the country."

They could join his battalion, and if they returned wounded soldiers on Sunday morning. There were 32 in all, 20 Toronto men and 12 whose homes are in Hamilton and other places in No. 2 division.

TORONTO WELCOMED RETURNED SOLDIERS

Thirty-Two Battle-Scarred Heroes Arrived in City Yesterday Morning.

CITIZENS WERE PROUD

Conveyed in Motor Cars to Central Military Convalescent Home.

Toronto welcomed another contingent of returned wounded soldiers on Sunday morning. There were 32 in all, 20 Toronto men and 12 whose homes are in Hamilton and other places in No. 2 division.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Sunday Afternoon List

- First Battalion. Wounded: Sergt. James A. Black, London, Ont.; Pte. Albert Stanley Boyle, Carleton Place, Ont.; Pte. Thomas Bendall, London, Eng. Third Battalion. Shell shock: Lance-Corp. Ernest Smith, Winnipeg. Severely wounded: Pte. Samuel George James, Buffalo, N.Y. Wounded: Pte. Hector Roy Robinson, 141 Harrison street, Toronto. Seventh Battalion. Wounded: Pte. George Merry Box, London, Eng. Died of wounds March 3: Pte. Cecil Harold Honey, Winnipeg, Man. Wounded: Arthur Stirling Woods, Norwich, Eng. Thirtieth Battalion. Died of wounds March 3: Pte. Murray C. Buchanan, Lancaster, Pte. Charles Dunbar, Stellarton, N.S. Wounded: Pte. Henry Brogan, Sydney Mines, N.S.; Pte. Alex. Birnie, Montreal. Sixteenth Battalion. Died of wounds March 2: Pte. Leslie Alexander McKay, Vancouver, B.C. Severely wounded: Pte. John McConnell, Antigonish, N.S. Eighteenth Battalion. Killed in action Feb. 28: Pte. John Hadley, 480 Carlaw avenue, Toronto. Wounded: Pte. William Asher, Lincoln, Eng. Nineteenth Battalion. Died of wounds March 7: Lieut. Laurence Percival Kennedy, Gibson, 598 Huron street, Toronto. Twentieth Battalion. Died of wounds March 3: Pte. Frederick Charles Swait, 715 Carlaw avenue, Toronto. Accidentally wounded: Lance-Corp. Frederick Ernest Burchell, Oshesee, Ont. Accidentally wounded: Pte. Lewis Strong, Notre Dame Bay, Nfld. Wounded: Pte. Maurice Buffon, Sussex, Eng.; Lance-Corp. Charles Dagnall, Liverpool, Eng. Twenty-Second Battalion. Died of wounds—Pte. Omer Poirier, 41 Seigneurs avenue, Montreal. Que. Wounded—Pte. Omer Cote, Woodton, Que. Twenty-Fifth Battalion. Accidentally wounded, returned to duty Pte. Andrew J. Lynch, Trinity Bay, Nfld. Wounded—Pte. Allan McCowan, Moore's Mills, N.E. Pte. William Gray, Dundee, Scotland. Twenty-Eighth Battalion. Wounded—Pte. William Turner, Winnipeg, Man. Thirty-First Battalion. Slightly wounded—Sergt. John Newton, Lancs, Eng. Forty-Second Battalion. Wounded, but back at duty—Pte. Edmond Beauchamp, St. John's, Que. Forty-Seventh Battalion. Died March 10—Pte. Lindon Parkyn, Gloucestershire, Eng. Forty-Ninth Battalion. Wounded: Pte. John N. MacDonald, Edmonton, Alta. Fifty-Fourth Battalion. Seriously ill—Pte. Emilie F. Beghin, Fernie, B.C. Severely wounded—Lieut. Frederick George Bond, Guelph, Ont. Seriously ill—Gunner Frederick S. Bally, Orillia, Ont. First Canadian Machine Gun Company. Accidentally killed March 2—Pte. Alex. Craigie, Edinburgh, Scotland. No. 2 Co. Division. C. P. Train. Died March 10—Color-Sergt. Major Henry St. John Sainy, Aldershot, Eng. No. 1 Canadian Field Ambulance. Seriously ill—Pte. Stephen P. McAllister, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Eng.

Midnight List

- First Battalion. Dangerously ill: Albert Spice, England. Second Battalion. Seriously wounded: Wm. R. Parker, Paris, Ont. Tenth Battalion. Died of wounds: James L. Porter, Baltimore, Man. Eighteenth Battalion. Wounded: Wm. T. Rowland, Minneapolis, Minn. Twenty-Ninth Battalion. Died of wounds: Ernest A. Kelly, England. Slightly wounded: Alfred E. Jackson, Montreal. Fifth Field Co., and Canadian Divisional Engineers. Shell shock: Sapper Henri Marceau, Montreal. Third Pioneer Battalion. Seriously ill: Thomas Wilkinson, Sherbrooke, Que. Fourth Artillery Brigade. Slightly wounded: Corp. Elgin R. Luker, 190 Rose avenue, Toronto. Headquarters Co., Third Divisional Train. Washed overboard from Scandinavian, March 4: drowned: Bernard H. Lacey, Edgerton, Alb. GOOD NEWS FOR THE HOUSE-HOLDER. Through the efforts and good will of the Electric Wiring and Fixture Company, it is now possible to have residences wired for electric light, cooking the wiring, without breaking the plaster or marbling the decorations, and that it may be within the reach of everyone they have adopted a credit system, a payment down and the balance in weekly payments. An electric light is now two-thirds cheaper than gas, this offer by the above old established company will be appreciated. The office and fixture showrooms are located at 261 College street, corner Spadina avenue, phone College 1875.

CANADIANS HONORED

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heavy enemy attack a mistaken order was passed ordering retirement. Robinson got his men back. He has nobly exhibited great bravery and devotion. Despite his age (58) he has always exhibited the greatest cheerfulness under trying conditions.

DROPS DEAD IN GRAVE

STRATHROY, Ont., March 12.—Charles Davis, caretaker of the Strathroy cemetery, dropped dead of heart failure today in a grave he was digging.

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