

PHOTOGRAPHS of the First Company of Reserves for the First Newfoundland Regiment--Those that have just left here!

We have individual Photographs of each man, Groups of each Section, and the Non-Commissioned Officers, men being inspected at Government House, Going aboard the Steamer etc., etc.

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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9, AM.

FRENCH WAR OFFICE REPORT.

PARIS, May 29. The French War Office gave out a report on the progress of hostilities as follows: In the region to the north of Arras there occurred last night a very violent artillery engagement. The enemy bombarded particularly our positions on the heights of Lorette. The night attack made it possible for us to make further progress to the east of the roadway between Aix Noullette and Stouchez. At midnight the German counter-attack on our trenches at Ablain St. Tricq was easily repulsed. In the morning, in the vicinity of Fontaine Blanche, we yesterday took possession of a section of the enemy's trenches.

FRENCH'S HOPEFUL WORDS.

LONDON, May 30. Field Marshal French, in an address to the troops which fought in the second battle of Ypres, which he described as one of the most desperate fighting of the war, declared that they had done much to shorten the war.

SIR JOHN FRENCH'S REPORT.

LONDON, May 30. A communication from Sir John French says: Since my last communication on May 26th we have made a further small gain east of Festubert. Otherwise all has been quiet on our front. Yesterday one of our aeroplanes brought down a German aeroplane in the neighborhood of Moorsle, six miles northwest of Ypres.

KING VICTOR AND KING GEORGE EXCHANGE TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, May 30. King Victor Emmanuel and King George have exchanged telegrams congratulating each other on the progress of the war. The king of Italy says: "Ancient traditional friendship between the Italian and English people has now been strengthened by the bonds of blood. We war against a common enemy with ardent hope for victory. I send Your Majesty my warm and friendly salutation." King George replied: "I have received much pleasure by Your Majesty's telegram, and hasten to reciprocate most cordially and sincerely the sentiments which you so kindly expressed. It is a source of deep gratification to me that our two countries are so closely allied in a great and noble cause against the common enemy. I feel complete confidence in the success of our united efforts. In conjunction with those of our Allies, I beg Your Majesty to accept my best wishes for your welfare, and for that of Italy, the old and valued friend of my country."

TOWN OF STORO CAPTURED.

GENEVA, May 30. The Italians, after a severe fight

along the frontier north of Lake Idro, have captured the town of Storo and are now bombarding Piva.

ITALIAN NAVAL VICTORY.

ROME, May 29. In a naval fight which took place on the 24th, the Austrians were defeated; torpedo boat S-70 and the destroyers Scharfinkel, Vancora and Ozepe, were seriously damaged. The Italian torpedo boat Turbine, put out of action, was sunk by the captain.

BOMBS DROPPED ON VENICE.

VIENNA, May 30. In an air raid on Venice on Friday night, a large number of bombs were dropped, causing several extensive fires in and near an arsenal. Another bomb caused an explosion in Fort Nicola.

ITALIAN OFFICIAL.

ROME, May 30.—(Official.) On the frontier in Tyrol and Trentino, the combat continues between our artillery placed on our works at Tonal, and the plateau of Asiago and Laverne, and that of the enemy, who still responds vigorously. However, the Austrian forts of Luserna, Busa, and Spitzverle, are seriously damaged. On May 27th our infantry troops were reinforced by the customs force and artillery, and advanced on both banks of the Adige in the direction of Ala. After capturing the village of Pilaunt we succeeded in taking Ala, and consolidated there.

PORTUGAL'S NEW PRESIDENT.

LISBON, May 30. Theophilus Braga, who was Provisional President of Portugal, following the revolution which resulted in the abdication of King Manuel, was yesterday elected President of the Republic.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

BARY, MALES, May 30. The British steamer Tullochmoor was shelled and sunk by a German submarine to-day. The crew escaped, and landed here. She was in ballast from Genoa for South Shields.

CHASED BUT ESCAPED.

QUEENSTOWN, May 30. The White Star Liner Megantic, with a large number of passengers from Liverpool to Montreal, was chased by a submarine off the South Coast of Ireland this morning, but escaped. Considerable alarm was caused here this morning when the S.O.S. call was received from the liner, reporting that a submarine had been sighted. The first message was soon followed by another, stating that the Megantic had outdistanced the submarine, and that she was proceeding on her voyage, with all on board well.

TURKISH OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 30. The following official statement was issued to-day: We took the centre of the enemy's fortified trenches at Avl Burnu this morning. After a bayonet attack at Sedul Bri, our right

wing penetrated into sections previously occupied by the enemy, while 400 metres beyond, one of our aviators dropped bombs successfully on the enemy's trenches.

ARRIVE SAFELY AT PLYMOUTH.

LONDON, May 30. The Saxonia, with the 25th Battalion from Halifax, arrived at Plymouth to-day.

NAVAL CASUALTIES.

LONDON, May 30. Forty-nine men of the crew of the battleship Majestic were lost when that vessel was torpedoed off the Gallipoli Peninsula on May 27th. According to a casualty list issued to-day, the number of men lost on the steamer Princess Irene, which was blown up in Sheerness Harbor, exclusive of 75 dockyard workmen, is given as 243. The casualty list of the battleship Triumph, torpedoed off Gallipoli Peninsula, which was issued last night, shows three officers and 11 men killed, with forty-two men missing.

RUSSIAN OFFICIAL.

PETROGRAD, May 30.—(Official.) The great battle between Sienawa and Przemysl is still undecided. On May 28th strong enemy attacks between Przemysl and the great marshes of the Dniester and beyond the Dniester to Dwina were repulsed. On May 27th and 28th the Russian troops assumed vigorous offensive on the left bank of the Avitza and on the whole front as far as the river Lonitz, and captured on the night of May 28th 25th Polishky 32,000 prisoners, including 72 officers and several machine guns.

GERMANY'S REPLY.

BERLIN, May 30. Germany withholds its final decision on the demands advanced by the United States Government in connection with the sinking of the Lusitania, until receipt of an answer from the United States to the note which Herr Von Jagow, Foreign Minister, has delivered to Ambassador Gerard in reply to the American note received by the German Government on May 15th. In its reply, the German Government declares that it is no intention to submit neutral ships in the war zone, which are not guilty of hostile acts, to attacks by submarine or aeroplane; that they are investigating the circumstances in connection with the attacks on the American steamers Cushing and Guilford; that in all cases where neutral vessels through no fault of their own, have been damaged, Germany will pay indemnification. The reply urges that in the case of the Lusitania, which ship Germany alleges was armed and carried large stores of war munitions, it was acting in self-defence in seeking with all the means of warfare at its disposition, to protect the lives of its soldiers by destroying ammunition intended for the enemy. The German Government recalls the proposals submitted by the United States Government to Berlin and London designed to end the submarine warfare and shutting out of food supplies from Germany, which it declares failed in their purpose because of the refusal of the British Government to agree to them.

REPLY NOT SATISFACTORY.

WASHINGTON, May 31. Germany's reply to the United States note has produced a feeling of profound disappointment and dissatisfaction. The situation between both countries is considered grave and the result is anxiously awaited. There will be a Cabinet meeting to-morrow, and the reply to Germany is expected within 48 hours.

Mackenzie King on Stand.

Former Canadian Minister Now Employee of Rockefeller.

Washington, May 25.—W. L. Mackenzie King, director of the industrial railroads department of the Rockefeller foundation and former Canadian Minister of Labor, resumed his testimony to-day before the federal industrial relations commission which is inquiring into conditions in the Colorado coal fields. The witness took the stand last yesterday and was questioned at length as to his services to John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and to the foundation. He interrupted his testimony to protest against the methods of Chairman Welch in conducting the commission inquiry into the Colorado strike.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARTER IN COWS.

At The Nickel To-Day. "OUR MUTUAL GIRL."

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WEDNESDAY—The second episode of THE MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY—Read the story in Tuesday's Daily Star.

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S.S. Beothic in Trouble Wounded Soldier Writes Cherry Letter.

STRUCK A 'GROWLER' AND IS LEAKING.

The s.s. Beothic, Capt. Faulke, steamed into port yesterday afternoon. She had a heavy starboard list and it was at once observed that she had been in trouble. An hour later and she was at the dry dock pier where it was learned that the ship had a hole punched in her bottom amidships, as the result of striking a large block of submerged ice or growler. The Beothic left here on Friday last with fishing supplies for Blanc Sablon and other places in the Straits. The following day Trinity was reached and Grant's fishing crew taken on board. She left there again the same night (Saturday) and was crossing Trinity Bay when she met with mishap. Water began to make quickly and the pumps had more than they could do to keep the ship free, though working at full pressure. A survey of the ship's injuries is being made to-day and repairs will be effected as quickly as possible to get her away again.

Church Parade. Statement Taken From Victim.

The volunteers of the Reserve Force under Capt. Montgomery held their usual church parade yesterday, those of the Roman Catholic denomination attending Last Mass at the Cathedral, the Church of England members attending Divine Service at St. Thomas's and the Methodists at Gower Street Church. After service the different squads assembled at St. Thomas's Church and were crossing the Armory was made by way of Military and Queen's Roads and Long's Hill. Over two hundred took part in the turnout and the men presented a fine appearance.

FIVE HUNDRED QTL'S TAKEN.

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Supreme Court.

Court met at 10 a.m. to-day pursuant to adjournment. Present the Chief Justice.

The King vs. Volley Snowden.

Morine, K.C., counsel for the prisoner, asks leave to withdraw the plea of "not guilty" and enter the plea of "guilty" to the indictment for arson. The special jury are thereupon dismissed. Forlong, K.C., for the Crown, moves that the charge of larceny be withdrawn. It is ordered accordingly.

Morine, K.C., is heard for a mitigation of sentence.

It is ordered that the prisoner be confined for two and a half years in the Penitentiary (the term of sentence date of prisoner's arrest) with hard labor.

The Court adjourns until 11 a.m. to-morrow.

The British Theatre.

The performances of last week attracted large audiences at this theatre which is increasing in popularity every day, and the performance for Monday and Tuesday of this week promises to be no less attractive. "The Candidate for Mayor" is a two part drama by the Lubin players. The story is an absorbing one and deals with the abduction of a candidate for the mayoralty because of his aversion for gambling dens. The plot is a strong one and has a very interesting ending. "The Chieftains Sons" is an Indian drama by the Biograph players; the "Making Him Over for Minnie" and "The Maid From Sweden" are two screening comedies by the Essanay and Vitagraph players, respectively. "The Little Madonna" is a beautiful story of the abiding faith of a little child, told by the Vitagraph players. Mr. Arthur Priestman Cameron will be heard in new comedy.

No Compromise.

It is well to remember that we are at the beginning, not at the end, of a difficult and dangerous international episode. It is necessary to avoid at all costs deceiving the German Government as to our real temper and our firm determination to see the present affair through, whatever the cost—even to that war which no American desires. We shall not bargain, haggle, trade; we shall not accept our inalienable rights subject to conditions imposed by another nation. We shall not permit Germany to influence our relations with France or Great Britain in return for a solemn agreement to cease from further assassinations. The sooner Berlin grasps this fact the more promptly we shall be able to close the present acute international crisis. A week ago the President of the United States said of his country that it might be "too proud to fight." He meant for selfish interest or national aggrandizement. He made his whole mind clear in his solemn declaration that the force of moral principle was the one thing his country loved, the only thing for which she would contend. A moral principle is at issue between the United States and Germany. We shall do well to remember this always. German statesmen and rulers will serve their nation best by taking full measure of the meaning of the words of the President as they express and embody the spirit of his fellow citizens.—(From the New York Tribune.)

CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind W. N. W., strong, weather fine. The S. S. Carthagenian and an unknown steamer passed west; S. S. Bruce in yesterday; the schooner Tamahome and several others passed in this a.m.; eight icebergs in sight, no field ice. Bar. 29.10; ther. 42.

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