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Turkey Again Talks Of Separate Peace

Incensed Because Germany Does Not Make War on Italy—Mobilization of Greek Forces Believed Imminent

Paris, Aug. 26.—A rumor is current in Athens that Turkey has threatened to sign a separate peace with the allies...

TURKISH REPORT SEVERAL DAYS OLD

Turkish Headquarters on the Gallipoli Peninsula, Aug. 25.—(Via London Aug. 25)—Fresh British troops were landed here on August 6 and 7. The new allied forces have penetrated a few hundred yards beyond the shores of the Salt Lake...

Survivors Landed

Lisbon, Aug. 25.—The Norwegian steamer Hektor, here from Barry, reports picking up, on August 21, forty survivors of the British steamer Windsor, which was sunk by a submarine...

SERBIANS AGAIN ARE FIGHTING

Nish, Serbia, Aug. 25.—Further skirmishes between the Austrians and Serbians have marked the resumption of hostilities on this front. The following official statement was issued here today: "On August 22 by infantry fire, we prevented the enemy from fortifying himself on the left bank of the Save in the neighborhood of Oraschats and Dreneta..."

EVENTS IN THE WAR JUST ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

The onward march of the Russians into Galicia and eastern Prussia was stirring the Allies into renewed strengthened confidence a year ago, and the Times-Star of August 26, 1914, told of the winning of quite a victory by the Russians at Gumbinnen, against a large German force...

WITH GLORIOUS WEATHER PATRIOTIC FAIR TODAY IS IN FULL SWING

The interest of all patriotic citizens centres today in Seaside Park, where the big fair in full swing with its numerous attractions for young and old. Soon after the noon hour the fun commenced with supper served on the grounds it is expected the large crowd will remain until the big show of the 26th is nothing but a pleasant memory. Tomorrow and Saturday the pile will also be open, but today is the biggest feature, with Fairville and West End stores closing at 1 p. m.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—Pressure is lower in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and higher over Manitoba and Lake Superior. Showers have been general in Quebec and the maritime provinces. In the west the weather has been fair and cool. Frosts occurred in Manitoba last night, Minnesota recording six degrees.

WILL FIGHT TILL "EUROPE FREE"

Czar's Inspiring Words to Former French Minister FOR COMPLETE VICTORY

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Progress of the German Movements in Effort to Envelop the Russian Army—Some Wounded From Riga Battle

Paris, Aug. 25.—An account of an audience granted him by Emperor Nicholas, is telegraphed to the Matin by Jean Coppel, former French minister of foreign affairs. The emperor is quoted as saying: "Peasants speak to me in affectionate terms, and every day I receive from them several addresses saying: 'Hold firm for we are all behind you.'"

ALLIES' AVIATORS, 62 IN NUMBER BOMBARD A GERMAN MUNITIONS PLANT

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World Will Admire When Tale of British Accomplishment is Told

Paris, Aug. 25.—The government now has under control all factories able to produce cannon, rifles, projectiles and explosives," said David Lloyd George, British minister of munitions, in an interview with Charles Humbert, new editor of the Journal. "It also controls all foundries and machine-shops and other enterprises in which metal or one detached piece is turned out by this vast industrial machine which is not destined for the use of our armies. This war must not be fought with brawny chests, but with machinery."

German Cruiser Sunk By Russian Submarine

London, Aug. 26.—A Paris despatch to the London Star says confirmation of the report that a Russian submarine Monday sank the German cruiser Augsburg in the Baltic, north of Danzig, has been received.

GRAND JURORS IN CONGRATULATIONS TO JUDGE ARMSTRONG

A pleasing tribute to His Honor Judge Armstrong was paid him by the grand jury during the hearing in the case of Mrs. Nellie Haley vs. Robert J. Cochrane this morning when they presented to him an address of a highly complimentary nature, congratulating him upon his appointment and wishing him success in the office. The address, which was presented by R. W. Frink, in behalf of the grand jury, was as follows: "To John Russell Armstrong, Esq., K.C., Judge of the St. John County Court. We, the grand jury of the county court for the city and county of St. John, now in session, take this opportunity to extend our hearty congratulations to Your Honor on your elevation to the bench. We feel that your appointment, which has met with such approval from the legal fraternity, the press and the general public, is but the deserved recognition of your legal ability, and we are assured that you will conduct the affairs of this honorable court along the lines which have made British courts of justice the standard of the world. We trust that you will be long spared to fill this position or a higher one, and also to continue your activities in the many public matters in which you have taken an interest. On behalf of the Grand Jury, (Sgd.) R. W. W. FRINK. St. John, Aug. 26, 1915."

KAISER CONFERS ORDERS ON LEADER

London, Aug. 25.—In commemoration of the victories in the west and the firm maintenance of the western front, which has enabled the Austro-German armies in the eastern theatre to penetrate Russia, Emperor Wilhelm has conferred the order "Pour Le Merite" upon the following army leaders: General Von Strassburg, commanding the troops between the Meuse and the Moselle; Colonel General Von Falkenhayn, commander of the army on the frontier of Germany and Lorraine and Lower Alsace; General Von Heeringen, commander of the seventh army, on the heights of Givonne; General Gaele, commander in Alsace, and General Von Febeck, commander of the first army, which fought the battles at Mons a year ago. According to Reuters' correspondent at Berlin, a telegram from Berlin states that on the occasion of the anniversary of the battles of Longwy in Lorraine, and of the Samois, in the Meuse, the Kaiser sent telegrams to the German Crown-Prince, Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria and Duke Albrecht of Wurttemberg, conferring upon them the order "Pour Le Merite."

FREDERICTON NEWS

Fredricton, N. B., Aug. 25.—Delegates to the Union of Municipalities drove to the Experimental Farm this morning in automobiles and were shown over the premises by Superintendent Hubbard. They also visited the saw mill of Fraser, Ltd., recently pronounced by Senator Edwards to be the finest in Canada. This evening the delegates will be entertained to a sail on the steamer Victoria. Major E. P. Day, new recruiting officer for this district, arrived last evening. He proposes to inaugurate an active recruiting campaign in Fredericton and outlying districts and plans to hold series of open air meetings. He will be assisted by Sergeant-Major Brewer, who has four sons in service. Major Day, who is a Mount Allison Rhodes Scholar, resigned a professorship in Carnegie College. Policeman Duncan and Constable Barker visited Canterbury yesterday and arrested two brothers named Culligan and a youth named Gordon on charge of breaking into John Murphy's store and stealing liquor. They will be arraigned before Magistrate Limerick this afternoon.

SATURDAY'S RACE

Interest is being manifested in a speed motor boat race, which is to be held on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the St. John Ewer Boat Club, for the Bullock cup. The race will be four times around the Indianton harbor course. Several boats have entered and racing is anticipated.

ARABIC INCIDENT WILL NOT BRING THE UNITED STATES INTO THE WAR

Germany Said to Have Adopted Policy Designed to Settle Submarine Problem as Affecting American Interests

Berlin, Aug. 26.—The Associated Press is in position to state on the basis of authority that the Arabic incident may be considered as eliminated as a source of discord between Germany and the United States or, at least, is regarded by the German government in that light. Moreover, Germany, in its desire to continue its friendly relations with the United States, had adopted before the sinking of the Arabic a policy designed to settle completely the whole submarine problem as affecting the United States, on the basis of good will and mutual understanding.

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This is shown clearly by the statement of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg last night to the Associated Press, particularly by his concluding remarks to the effect that not until all the circumstances in connection with the sinking of the Arabic had been cleared up would it be possible to say "whether the commander of one of our submarines went beyond his instructions," in which case Germany would give complete satisfaction to the United States.

ALL NORTH END WIPED OUT BY FIRE, REPORT HEARD BY THE 6TH C.M.R.

Interesting Letter From Signaller Belding—Tells of Meeting Other St. John Soldiers

THE 64TH FROM NOVA SCOTIA ONLY?

A rumor which should make New Brunswick blush is reported in the Halifax Recorder as follows: "There is a possibility that the 64th Battalion, instead of being recruited from the three provinces, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and P. E. Island, may be composed entirely of men enlisted in Nova Scotia, and there are at present about 800 men enlisted in the battalion from this province. The 6th New Brunswick Battalion has not yet been recruited up to full strength, and it is said that the 64th is going on more rapidly than for the 65th."

GOVERNOR HAD TO GIVE UP MONCTON TRIP TO LAY CORNER STONE

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 26.—The laying of the corner stone of the Central Methodist Church took place this afternoon. Lieut. Governor Wood, who was expected to officiate, sent word that he would be unable to be present, owing to illness. Rev. Richard Ople of Alberta, president of the New Brunswick and P. E. Island Methodist conference, took his place. Michael Hunderwette, an Austrian prisoner who has been in the hands of the Allies since the outbreak of the war, has applied for the opportunity to enlist to fight for the allies.

INDIA ASKS CANADA TO TENDER FOR SUPPLIES OF RAILWAY MATERIAL

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The growing importance of Canada is indicated in the fact that Canadian manufacturers are being invited to tender for large supplies of materials required for the equipment of the Northwestern Railway of India. Copies of the forms of tender, etc., have been received by the government. Thousands of brass and steel boiler tubes are food for.

FOOD PROBLEM IN GERMANY NOW IS REQUIRING ATTENTION

Berlin, Aug. 25.—The Reichstag has adopted a resolution asking the government to organize a bureau under the auspices of the federal council with some of its members elected by the Reichstag, to take charge of the food problem. The bureau will have the right to confiscate food products in the hands of the people.

HAD PHOTOS AND MAPS OF AMERICAN FORTS

German Reservist Arrested by Washington Secret Service Men

New York, Aug. 26.—A Washington despatch says: "With photos and topographical maps of Fort Monroe and the new fortifications under construction at Cape Henry in his possession, Gustav Kopsch, a German reservist, was arrested by the department of justice secret service last night. Kopsch has been living at a boarding house here, and had acquired a reputation among his fellow boarders as being mysterious. Several had been so worried by their suspicions that they reported to government officials."

WAS NOT MURDERED BECAUSE PRO-GERMAN

Gary, Ind., Aug. 26.—With the arrest of George Schneider, a member of the Holy Saxon Legion, in connection with the murder of the Rev. Edmund Kayser whose body was found near his parsonage in Tipton on Tuesday night, the police announce they virtually had abandoned the theory that the German agent had been slain on account of his pro-German utterances. Schneider has been a member of the Holy Saxon Legion, and is declared to have been his enemy.

NEW BRUNSWICK MAN'S SPREE COST HIM \$370

Eastport, Me., Aug. 26.—A native of Lepprecht, N. B., came to town the other day and after attending to his business affairs, proceeded to look upon the wine while it was red. Later in the day in company with his wife and two children, he paid a visit across the harbor to his own native dominion where some time ago he had consumed, with the result that when he awoke in the early dawn of Monday he found that a roll of bills amounting to \$870 which he had pocketed at his visit to Eastport, they were later arrested and searched, but no money was found upon them. At the hearing before Judge E. W. Pike the evidence disclosed the fact that the money was lost while in Canadian territory. There being no money found in the possession of the respondents they were discharged and the complainant returned to his home across the border sadder but a wiser man.

CAPT. TRAVERS HEARD FROM

Miss Travers on Monday received a letter from London from her brother, Capt. H. P. Travers, who went to England in the Dental Division of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Owing to some delay in the mails no letter had been received from Captain Travers for a long time. Writing from the Hotel Cecil he explained that he was in London in connection with the purchase of dental equipment for a division which was just leaving for the Dardanelles. Having finished that he was to do similar work for another division going to France. Captain Travers evidently has been making good progress.

TO LOCATE HERE

Another party of agricultural settlers for New Brunswick is to leave Scotland on September 5 in charge of Mrs. Andrew Bowden, widow of the former representative of this province in Great Britain. The local office has not been advised yet as to the number of persons, but it is known that they are farmers and farm workers of a most desirable class.

MOPOR TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross, accompanied by their two daughters, Misses Lois and Audrey, and Miss Evelyn Newell left today on an automobile trip through Westmorland county. They will return via the Miramichi district and Fredericton.

HORSE ASSTRAY

Policeman Gill found a horse wandering around City road last night and kept it in a livery stable for safe keeping.

SIR WILFRID UNABLE TO GO TO MONTREAL

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is suffering from neuritis and did not leave for Montreal this morning to attend the Liberal gathering there.