

GERMANS ARE MOVING FLEET IN THE BALTIC

Arc Sailing Eastward Having Probably Gone Thro' Kiel Canal.

[By Special Wire to the Courier] LONDON, Sept. 11.—“The German Baltic fleet is beginning to move,” says the Stockholm correspondent of the Daily Telegraph. “Last Monday a German squadron of 29 vessels was seen between Gotska Sandön and Kopparnare, the former a small island north of Gothland and the latter a port on the northeastern coast of the island of Gothland.”

“Tuesday a squadron of 31 large German warships was seen from Hufvudskaer, steaming eastward, and Monday a squadron consisting of four battleships and three cruisers was sighted southeast of Stockholm steaming northeast.”

“Small flotillas, as have been seen from Kevänkin, and nine big battleships were sighted Monday from Ströva-Bjoern, steaming towards Finland.”

“Consequent on the movement of the German Baltic fleet, traffic between Stockholm and Raumo, Finland, with Finnish steamers will cease. This, however will cause little decrease in traffic as Swedish boats will be substituted.”

“An old Finnish passenger steamer, the Uleaborg, which has usually been employed between Stockholm, Helsinki and Petrograd, has been captured by the Germans and taken to Danzig.”

CARDINAL APPOINTED SECRETARY OF STATE



CARDINAL DOMENICO FERRATA

Cardinal Domenico Ferrata has been appointed as Papal Secretary of State, according to official announcement from Rome.

Cardinal Domenico Ferrata is regarded as the member of the Sacred College best fitted to occupy this office, second only in importance and influence to that of the Papacy itself just at this time, because of the heavy burdens resting upon the Vatican due to the war.

He succeeds Cardinal Merry Del Val, Secretary under Pope Pius X.

Cardinal Ferrata has had a diplomatic influence such as comes to few of the College of Cardinals. He has had exceptional experience in ecclesiastical matters, and he has always manifested a friendly disposition toward the leading statesmen of Italy and the reigning House of Savoy. His choice as Secretary is most pleasing to the Italian government, and it is prophesied he may do much to heal the breach between it and the Vatican.

W. F. COCKSHUTT BACK FROM TENTED CITY

Brantford Member Slept in Camp With Soldiers—Remarkable Place is Valcartier Just Now.

Imagine a vast city of tents, situated in a picturesque valley, surrounded on all sides by finely wooded and rugged hills stretching away far into the distance, and you have some little idea of the sight which greeted Mr. W. F. Cockshutt when he looked down upon the great military camp of volunteers at Valcartier on Monday last. Row after row of tents, lined up for miles in the valley, subdivided into divisions, and each division housing hundreds of Canada's best, was the first impression of the largest gathering under canvas which has taken place in this Dominion in modern times.

Mr. Cockshutt did not see things from an outer standpoint all the time. He got in among the soldiers, he dined with them and slept upon their camp beds—he was for the time one of them—and to-day he is back and reports that the men are feeling fit, happy and well satisfied, but anxious, and having, apart from their drills, a good time.

There are 33,000 men at Valcartier, and Mr. Cockshutt was lucky to find his son, Lieut. Ashton Cockshutt, of the 10th Battalion, among the many of the Hon. W. S. Fielding was 36 hours in camp and could not find his son. Lieut. Cockshutt was in the best of condition and ready for any work. Together father and son slept upon the little camp beds in use, and Mr. Cockshutt had some experience of camp life as it is to the volunteer.

Among the Brantford contingent Mr. Cockshutt met Colonel Howard, who is second in command of the 6th Battalion, and he was, as expected, a little out-of-the-way station, the place has become the centre of a great city, and it can be seen that the little station is at a great disadvantage. Nevertheless, the congestion is as bad as might have been the case, and a large staff of assistants help to expedite matters.

The reveille of the morning and the various duties of the day strike a stranger in a peculiar manner, and form quite a novelty, which is distinctly quaint.

The meals of the officers and men are but little different, the service being the only distinction. The visitor found all well satisfied with the food, and he heard no complaint on that score. There were complaints, however, the 25th Dragoons complained bitterly that they had not been allowed to bring their whole equipment and were without water bottles.

Nevertheless, the congestion is Health in the camp is excellent, but two men have died since its formation, and one of these was a suicide and the other a case of heart failure.

Valcartier as a camp, concludes Mr. Cockshutt, is a magnificent success.

On the return journey Mr. Cockshutt came via Ottawa, where he transferred some of his business in connection with his visit.

Mr. Cockshutt was impressed with the admirable advantages of Valcartier as a camping ground, and he keenly appreciated the work of selection. There are about 60,000 to 100,000 acres under government control, and it is now almost like a well-established town. Modern roadways have been cut, electric lamps strung up, and everything done for the benefit and convenience of the soldiers. The population is greater than that of Brantford. The food supply is enormous, and the traffic is somewhat congested.

Mr. Cockshutt was not a stranger in the place, as he had been there on a previous occasion, and he had a great deal of experience in connection with the camp. He had seen the place as a soldier, and he had seen it as a volunteer. He had seen it as a man, and he had seen it as a father. He had seen it as a citizen, and he had seen it as a Canadian.

Mr. Cockshutt was most pleased to find that the men were in such good health, and that they were enjoying their stay in camp. He was most impressed with the discipline and order of the camp, and he was most pleased to see that the men were so well satisfied with their surroundings.

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Arbitration Case Settled

It is understood that as the result of the recent arbitration in connection with the case of Judge Hardy against the Lake Erie and Northern Railway his honor is to receive the sum of \$4,800 and all costs.

The line runs through a corner of the Judge's farm, formerly known as the "Hart Farm," and he declined an offer made by the company, hence the proceedings.

The court consisted of Judge Snider of Hamilton, chairman, Mr. A. E. Watts, Brantford, representing the company, and Mr. N. G. Howland, Toronto, representing the Judge.

Rev. Father Rohde, pastor of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Toronto, died at the age of 67.

General Leman Writes Letter to His King

[By Special Wire to the Courier] LONDON, Sept. 11, 9.30 a.m.—General Leman, the Belgian commander, who gained fame for himself by his defence of the Liege forts when he was made a prisoner, sent the following letter to King Albert of Belgium, according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Central News:

"After the honorable engagement of the 15 and 16, I considered that the Liege forts could only play the role of forts of arrete (probably arrest or stoppage). I nevertheless maintained the military government in order to co-ordinate the defence as much as possible and exercise a moral influence on the garrison.

"Your Majesty is not ignorant that I was at Fort Loncin on August 6 at noon. You will learn with grief that the fort was blown up yesterday at 5.30 in the afternoon, the greater part of the garrison being buried under the ruins. That I did not lose my life in that catastrophe is due to my escort who drew me from the stronghold whilst I was being suffocated by gas from explosive powder.

"I was conveyed to a trench, where I felt a German gave me a drink and was made a prisoner and taken to Liege.

"I am certain that I have shown carelessness in this letter, but I am physically shattered by the explosion of Fort Loncin.

"In honor of our arms I did not surrender the fortress. I desire to ask your pardon, sire, in Germany where I am proceeding my thoughts will be, as they have always been, for Belgium and the King. I would willingly have given my life the better to serve them, but death was not granted to me."

(Signed) Lieut.-General Leman.

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The date of Thanksgiving Day has been changed to Monday, October 12.

General Leman Writes Letter to His King

Among the officers whom the visitor met were Hilton Wilkes, Harry Watson, Dick Thompson and Captain Colquhoun. Fred Miller and Percy Jones with an engraved signet ring a little tribute from the officials and members of the Brantford Golf Club.

The pleased recipient made a happy and brief reply, expressing his debt and sincere gratitude. Colonel Howard spoke of his high appreciation of Mr. Jones' ability and of his showing at the camp. He was a credit to the city of Brantford.

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Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 1781.

W. Reid of Montith, Michigan, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. S. Pritchard of Winnipeg, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Dr. D. Stevens, Washington, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

J. M. McIntyre of London, paid a parental visit here yesterday.

R. W. Reifow of Galt, was visiting upon Chatham street yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns of Edmonton, paid a visit here to friends yesterday.

L. E. Menck of Guelph, was in the city yesterday on a brief visit.

Alex. Wootton of London, was in the city yesterday and left for Toronto, this morning.

J. P. Nefferson of Guelph, was visiting old Brantford friends in the city yesterday.

Messrs. Col. Smith and J. E. Mott of London were visiting friends in the city yesterday.

D. C. Moore of Owen Sound left this morning for his home after a visit to friends.

N. W. Hoyle of Montreal, was here yesterday and left this morning for St. Catharines.

Bertram Smith of Philadelphia, was in the city yesterday the guest of friends on George street.

Mr. John Charlton of the C. P. R. staff has returned to the city after a very enjoyable vacation.

Mrs. J. Southwood of Florida, and Miss Maud Hartzell of Norwich, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sutch, Nelson street.

Julius Shack, well-known American of New York, paid a visit to the city yesterday and left this morning for Toronto.

Sutenant Ashton Cockshutt, writing from the camp at Valcartier, states that he and his Calgary colleagues are getting into fine trim and are eagerly looking forward to being sent to the front. Notwithstanding heavy rains and other discomforts, there is very little sickness among the troops.

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3 pieces Tweed Suitings, Blues, Greys and Browns, 48 inches wide, extra quality. Special at 65c.
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Local Women's Patriotic League

At a meeting of the Women's Patriotic League on Tuesday the following finance committee was adopted, Mrs. J. H. Spence, Mrs. Phil Buck, Mrs. Harry Cockshutt, Mrs. Digby, Mrs. P. Leeming, Mrs. Lloyd Harris, Mrs. Geo. Watt, Miss G. Bunell, Miss A. Hollinrake. This committee met last night and were very much encouraged by several generous offers and donations which will give them a good cash fund to carry on the work.

It is hoped that the Women's Patriotic League headquarters in the Temple Building will be opened early next week. The room has been generously offered to them, and they hope all the ladies who have shown their willingness to assist, will find their way there and work will be ready for them on a date decided by the executive at to-morrow's meeting.

Nuptial Notes

FRANCIS—ATWOOD
The Rev. R. D. Hamilton on Wednesday united in the holy bonds of matrimony Perry Ernest Frances and Ruby Pearl Atwood, both of this city.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any other person, who has acquired by law, or otherwise, a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, is entitled to apply for a grant of the same under the provisions of the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency of the Department of the Interior.

THE applicant must appear in person at the Sub-Agency in the District. Entry by proxy may be made in certain cases. The applicant must be a Canadian citizen, or a person who has been admitted to naturalization.

THE applicant must be at least 21 years of age at the date of application, and must be a bona fide settler on the land. The residence of the applicant must be on the land, or on a farm, ranch or other holding in the same or in the vicinity of the land. The residence must be on the land, or on a farm, ranch or other holding in the same or in the vicinity of the land.

THE applicant must be able to support himself and his family on the land, and must have a sufficient amount of money to clear up the land, and to establish a home on it.

THE applicant must have been a bona fide settler on the land for a period of not less than six months immediately preceding the date of application. The residence must be on the land, or on a farm, ranch or other holding in the same or in the vicinity of the land.

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