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CONSTANTINE BEATS BEFORE ANGERED ALLIES

Greek King Agrees to Give up Artillery Demanded—Stirring Times in Athens as Fighting Goes on

Petrograd, Dec. 2.—Via London.—The Russians have gained possession of the western part of Tchernavoda bridge across the Danube, it was announced officially today.

Athens, Dec. 2.—The King of Greece has agreed to give up the artillery demanded by Admiral Du Fournet. The allied troops are withdrawing from Piraeus.

An Entente diplomat informed the Associated Press correspondent that Admiral Du Fournet ordered the withdrawal of his troops after King Constantine agreed to surrender six batteries of mounted artillery.

The French legation, which was guarded by French marines, was fired upon during the crisis. The Greek military authorities insist that the firing was done by rowdies.

Many Civilians Killed. On the intervention of the Spanish and Dutch ministers, the entire cabinet and the Entente diplomats met at the Legation at eight o'clock last evening to discuss the possibility of an agreement.

In Athens there was intense excitement. Women, carrying loads of provisions hastily bought in anticipation of a siege, thronged the streets above which bullets were flying.

Admiral Du Fournet landed some 400 marines at an early hour and marched toward Athens, seizing the Philopappes Hill, overlooking the city.

The Greek guards on all roads leading to the capital refused to permit a second marine detachment to be acting under arms between Athens and Piraeus.

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ST. JOHN SOLDIER WRITES OF YPRES

Moving Scenes in a Place Forever Sacred to Canadians

GRAVES OF OUR HEROES

The Ruined Churches and Cloth Hall—The Figure of the Christ Remained Unscarred—The Swans of the Lille Gate—Points of Interest Described

(By L. Corp. E. A. Beiding.)

To fully appreciate Ypres the civilian should start his trip from Poperinghe. Then he is able to see the road through which the Belgian population poured when the bombardment of Ypres commenced.

The first stop should be in the small village of Vlamertinghe. Here and there a family still remains. The Germans stand about the new remains on the shutters and retreat to the deep and well made cellars, to return and open shop when the guns have ceased.

It Was Registered—Found on Dump and Contents Gone

The meanest kind of a thief is one that would steal a box of dainties that was being sent to a soldier at the front, who is offering everything for his country, even life itself.

THIS 95TH BIRTHDAY

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 2.—John Anderson, ex-M. P. of the Barony, quietly observed his ninety-fifth birthday at his home today and received congratulations from friends far and near.

LABOR MEN ASK WILSON TO TRY FOR ARMISTICE

New York, Dec. 2.—Resolutions urging President Wilson to do all in his power to arrange an armistice between the warring powers of Europe before Christmas, were passed last night by the Central Federated Labor Union, with 600,000 members in the metropolitan district.

FOOTBALL CAUSED THE DEATH OF FIFTEEN

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Football claimed fifteen lives during the 1916 season. Last year the total was sixteen and in 1914 fifteen.

FIRST AID

A class composed of thirty young ladies under direction of Miss Hazen, who have been attending a series of lectures given by Major Corbet, was examined in first aid last evening by Captain R. Burns and Captain V. D. Davidson. It is understood they all did well.

RETURNING HOME WITH BABE

The young woman arrested in Moncton this week for deserting her young babe in her Nova Scotia last evening, has been ordered by the hospital,

Canadians Sentenced to 2 Years in Prison

Ottawa Gets No Names And Does Not Know What Offence Prisoners of War Committed

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—Some Canadians are included among British prisoners of war in Germany who have been sentenced by the Huns to twelve years imprisonment. The offence is not stated.

Paris, Dec. 2.—There were no important developments on the front in France last night, the war office announced this afternoon.

On Italian Front. Vienna, Dec. 1, via London, Dec. 2.—Violent artillery fighting on the Austro-Italian front is reported by the war office.

IS 85 BU DAILY IN HER PLACE IN MARKET

Mrs. C. Steiper, who is known to every frequenter of the city market, today celebrates her 85th birthday, and she is receiving hearty congratulations on all sides, as her long identification with the life of the market has made her popular with all.

RESIGNATION OF ASQUITH IS PREDICTED

London, Dec. 2.—Cabinet changes involving the resignation of Premier Asquith are predicted by the Manchester Guardian. The paper says: "It is not more than probable that Asquith will resign."

TRIBUTE PAID WILLIE HENDERSON BY SOLDIER

In a letter to his mother, Mrs. A. M. Johnston, 234 City Road, Sgt. Arnold Johnson of the 104th battalion, writing from Whitley Camp, England, says: "I was very sorry to hear about Willie Seymour and Willie Henderson being killed."

HEAVY TOLL TAKEN OF NEWFOUNDLANDERS IN THE BRITISH DRIVE

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 2.—The extent to which the Newfoundland regiment suffered on the opening day of the British drive in July became known today in the fighting near Beaumont-Hamel about 100 members of the regiment were killed or died soon after ward from wounds and the regiment lost 150 officers and men.

WEATHER REPORT

Synopsis.—The disturbance which was near Sable Island yesterday morning has moved northward to the Straits of Belle Isle, with increased intensity, causing rain in the Maritime provinces and parts of the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

LOCAL SHIPPING

The schooner Alvano Theriault, Captain Bonenfant, arrived this morning with a cargo of Molasses from Antigua. She had put into Beaver harbor and remained there until weather conditions were favorable for her to continue to this port.

ST. JAMES STREET HOSPITAL

The members of the Field Ambulance Depot have now under their care the St. James street hospital and for the last two or three days have been very busy with the scrubbing brush and soap, getting ready their apartments.

Italian Frontier Closed.

Briga, Switzerland, Dec. 2.—The Italian frontier has been closed since Wednesday.

Brusiloff's Attacks Telling; an Enemy Call For Reinforcements

Concern in Berlin—London, However, Sees Hope of Saving Bucharest Dwindling

London, Dec. 2.—(New York Times' cable)—A despatch to the Daily Telegraph from Rome, Nov. 30, says: News from German sources states that there is great concern in Berlin at the incredible violence of the Russian attacks in Eastern Transylvania and on the northwest frontier of Hungary.

Archie Joseph is demanding large reinforcements, as he fears he can no longer resist the Russian pressure. London, Dec. 2.—Hopes of the Roumanians' ability to save their capital by making a stand on the line of the Arcege are now dwindling rapidly.

ST. JOHN SOLDIER IN LIST OF WOUNDED

Pte. R. E. Bradshaw Has Gun-shot Wound in Right Leg

Mrs. Bradshaw of 81 St. Patrick street, this morning received an official despatch from Ottawa informing her that her husband, Pte. Robert Edward Bradshaw, had been admitted to No. 1 Canadian Field Ambulance, Oct. 10, gunshot wound, right leg. This is the first word that Mrs. Bradshaw has received about her husband for nearly two months, and she has naturally been worried.

SON A TRUANT; FATHER IS FINED

In the juvenile court this morning the father of a boy was fined \$22 in view of the fact that it was shown that his boy had been absent from school for seven days.

ENGINEERS

Corporal W. V. Kennedy, Minio, N. B.; J. M. Dixon, Fortune Bridge, P. R. I.

POLICE COURT

Evidence was taken before Magistrate Ritchie this morning in the police court in a case against William Harriety, charged with having liquor in his possession for sale without a license.

RUSSIAN HITTING HARD

Vienna, Dec. 1.—(Via London, Dec. 2.)—The great battle in the wooded Carpathians, where the Russians are endeavoring to break through into Transylvania and Hungary, is raging without cessation, according to an official statement by the war office tonight.

COLONEL GUTHRIE IN CALGARY

Calgary, Dec. 2.—Lieut.-Col. F. A. Guthrie, accompanied by Major Guthrie and Captain Sturdee, arrived here this morning. Colonel Guthrie will be a guest of honor at a dinner to be given by the Returned Veterans' Association tomorrow.

GETTING BETTER.

Friends of Police Inspector Caples will be glad to hear that he is getting better and was able to be out today, although not yet on duty.

GLOUCESTER FISHERMAN WRECKED MAKING HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 2.—The Gloucester fishing schooner Premier, Captain Conrad, while making this harbor from the fishing grounds, struck Cape Rock and is full of water.

DUTCH PROTESTING THE BELGIAN DEPORTATIONS

The Hague, Dec. 2.—The Dutch government, the Associated Press learns, has prepared a note to Germany regarding the Belgian deportations, which are virtually in the same tone as protests made by Switzerland.

STREET PAVING.

Commissioner Fisher has notified the other city commissioners that he will recommend for adoption only five of the thirteen items outlined in the road engineer's recommendations for a permanent paving programme for 1917.

THE MARKET

The price of fowl has dropped from 25 cents to 20 cents, according to dealers in the local market. Good chickens are reported very scarce and are selling for 30 cents a pound, while turkey is 35 cents.

A LARGE GAIN

The Inland Revenue receipts here for November were:

Table with columns for revenue types (Spirits, Raw Leaf, Cigars, Battered Mfrs, Other Receipts) and values for 1916 and 1915.

Duke Sees Hockey Match.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 2.—The Duke of Devonshire last evening attended the "Carnival of the Allies," held in the Arena in aid of the 204th Battalion.