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# SOUTH AFRICAN REBELS ARE FLEEING BEFORE LOYALIST FORCES

General Beyers and His Army of One Thousand in Full Flight-French Government Returning to Paris-Advantage With the Allies in France-British Naval Guns Bombarded Belgian Coast-Plan for Joint Defense of the Pacific-Austrians Retreat Before the Russian Forces in the South-Forty Thousand Austrians in One Grave.

# Enemy Driven

Germans Forced to Yield Strong Po- to each other in three layers. These men were sitions Along River Front

held by them along the River Meuse. ter the war on their dash to Paris. The French troops near St. Mihiel, skirts of the Village Chauvancour, the hands on the left bank of the Meuse. The successes of the French forces. as given in the bulletin, indicate re newed activity by this section of the

have completely evacuated the bank of the Yser Canal and that

that the retreat of the enemy is sim- wires ply a question of time. Between our forces and the enemy, the whole way from Nieuport to Dixmude, there is protective sheet of water and all route to East Prussia. Eight

activity, but elsewhere the combat is pelle on their way to Dixmude. est district in France. Along the 000.

Funeral of Lord Roberts Will Take

Place In London To-morrow.

LONDON, Nov. 18 .- The funeral

of Lord Roberts will be public and

will be held at St. Paul's Thursday,

It has also been decided that inter-

ment will also be at St. Paul's. Lady

Robert declined the offer to have the remains interred in Westminster

Lord Kitchener, Secretary for War;

Winston Churchill, First Lord of the

Admiralty, and other Cabinet Minis-

ters, as well as members of both

louses of Parliament, will attend the

Lord Roberts will be given a public

Premier Asquith formally moved

funeral of an elaborate military char-

before the House of Commons yes-

terday the adoption of the resolution

for the erection of a national monu-

ment to Lord Roberts. His tribute was offered to the late field marshal

as the most illustrious British sol-

The body of Lord Roberts arriv-

ed at Folkestone last night from Bou-

logne and was received by a large contingent of officers from the Shorn-

cliffe camp, the Mayor of Folkestone

it was announced yesterday.

funeral services.

and other officials.

issued yesterday after-ed when French mines blew up their trenches. Entire detachments, which noon by the French War Office, is tried to capture French fortifications the report that the Germans have near Vailly, were destroyed by artil-been driven from strongholds long lery 1re. The Germans have been points in the flooded section about Dixmude. Many have been drowned. commands, separated by the waters have been wiped out by the allied artillery fire. The Kaiser's soldiers made desperate efforts to gain control of the canal dykes, but each assault

was repulsed. An extended movement of troops or landed at Hull. Eastern Belgium. The trenches oc-cupied by the Germans are half filled with water and in many places the Franco-British are in water up to their knees, but bravely hold their positions in the face of heavy Ger-"Recent days have been entirely resulted from the water rising above favorable," the allies' correspondent the entanglements, greatly increasing says, "and it may be taken as certain the deadly power in the charged

It is reported that many thousands of soldiers from the western battle field are passing through Cologne en in the ranks at the front. hopes of a German advance have been sand infantry have arrived at Aix-la-Chapelle and are proceeding in the The country between Bixschoote direction of Brussels. From Thielt, and Armentieres and the heights of two of the big German 40 centimeter the Meuse appear to be the centres of | guns have passed through Aix-la-Cha-

in western Belgium and north of the the last four days of fighting in west-River Aisne and in the Argonne for- ern Belgium are estimated at 100, The casualties in the allied centre of the battle line on the Aisne, ranks were heavy, but favorable pronear Soissons, there have been some gress was made. There is no ques sharp infantry engagements resulting tion that the German forces who in mining and blowing up some of hausted. Beyond doubt their losses have been stag ering.

Roberts and of King Albert and President Poincare, the Prince of Wales, Prince Arthur of Connaught and Gen.

conducted by Chaplain Anderson of the British forces."

BRYAN-DALTON

Mary Elmira Daltor, youngest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry daughter Dalton, of Evans street, this united in matrimony to Harry Bryan of Toronto by the Rev. Father Scully of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, Toronto. They have for a happy wedded life. They will make their home in Toronto

DIED. MILNE-Died at Belleville, Nov. 16. 1914, Mary Rutherford, beloved wife of Robt. Milne, aged 54 years.

Selecting Jurors

City and county authorities are this for next year's courts.

PICTON'S PATRIOTISM.

Picton, Nov. 18.—Patriotic League collections to date are \$5,500, with the canvass still in progress. expected thetotal amount will reach

touching account of the funeral ser- ted, with a muster roll of 150, mostvice for Field Marshal Lord Roberts ly young men, under Drill Instructor at the headquarters of the British Sergt-Major Robt. Noble. With recruiting from neighboring townships army in France.
"To the wail of 'Flowers o' the Forest,' from the pipers, the cortege fore the first of the year.

40,000 AUSTRIANS IN ONE GRAVE.

terdamschi Courant quotes a letter from a Ga. of a Pacific fleet of the three dominions. lician priest, stating that 40,000 Austrians have Over Meuse been buried, in one day, in a grave six and a half feet wide and a little more than four miles long. The bodies, the letter says, were laid next killed, it is stated, during a battle lasting only a

LONDON, Nov. 18 .- The Swedish steamer Andrew struck a mine in the North Sea yesterday and sank. Eighteen survivors including for twelve hours, were rescued by a liner and owed anything the reports from the front con-

FRIENDLY SPIRIT SHOWN BY LEADING EGYPTIANS.

LONDON, Nov 18 .- Lord Kitchener to-day received a message from General Maxwell arending the forces in Egypt, that fifty thou rigarettes had been shipped to the British army in France as a present from leading Egyptian manufacturers. Cigarettes are at a premium

GENERAL BEYERS IN FLIGHT.

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 18 .- Gen. Beyers and 1,000 rebels are fleeing before loyalist forces THRILLING AIRSHIP RAID BY FRENCH. losses were inflicted on the invaders graphs that the German losses during Reports received here to-day tell of a running fight west of Beltfontein in which some rebels were killed and one hundred captured.

PARIS, Nov. 18.—The whole legislature and administration staffs of the French chamber of Deputies return here to-morrow as a pre-

BRITISH NAVAL GUNS AT WORK.

nation received the British fleet yesterday carried out a vigorous bombardment at Knocke and considerable damage to the tracks. Zeebrugge on the Belgian coast, the salvage company's works on the Bruges ship canal ed by the enemy's searchlights, and all the field which are a base for German military trains guns and mortars in the neighborhood were was wrecked. A train of cars with soldiers the best wishes of their many friends was struck by a shell and destroyed; much damage was done to the German store and supplies department.

> PRZEMYSL REPORTED WELL PRO-VISIONED.

BERLIN, Nov. 18 .- According to an anweek engaged in selecting jury lists nouncement made in Vienna the fortress of Przemysl now besieged by the Russians is provisioned for twelve months.

> PACIFIC DEFENCE, JOINT ACTION BY COLONIES.

of a joint scheme of travel defence in the Pacific thought the airship itself had been been desbetween Australia and New Zealand is being troyed, for the firing ceased, and the French flags are flying at half mast on all Forest,' from the pipers, the cortege moved slowly through double ranks of soldiers with arms reversed. General officers acted as pall-bearers. This makes a total of six that flags must not be lowered on military buildings during the war?"

The first of the year.

A squad of twenty-one left here discussed. Reports of proposed action on the late Earl Roberts and not on the late Earl Roberts and

caused the liveliest satisfaction and revived in-AMSTERDAM, Nov. 18.—The Nieuwe Rot- terest in the possibility of an early realization

U.S. CRUISER: STRANGE RUMORS.

CHIOS, Ægean Sea, Nov. 18 .- The American armored cruiser Tennessee said to have been fired on by the Turkish forts at Smyrna, arrived in this port to-day; the American ambassador Henry Morgenthau without investigating the incident it is said immediately ordered the Ten-SWEDISH STEAMER SUNK BY A GERMAN nessee from Turkish waters at the request of the Turkish officers.

ALLIES MORE THAN HOLDING THEIR OWN

LONDON, Nov. 18.—Public mourning for two women, after having drifted about in boats the late Field Marshall Lord Roberts overshadtained to-day. The Allies were rather more than holding their own and there was quiet satisfaction in all quarters. Reports from outlying districts were not alarming so far as the fighting in France and Belgium was concerned.

AUSTRIANS FLEE IN GREAT DISORDER.

LONDON, Nov. 18 .-- A despatch from Perograd states that furious fighting is going in the northern part of the crown land of Bukowina, near the Roumanian frontier the Russian troops are said to be victorious. As they advance the Austrians are fleeing in great dis-

NORTHERN FRANCE, Nov. 18 .- The story of a thrilling airship raid by French officers comes from Arras.

The captain in command of the airship Argonne the French have succeeded the Dixmude-Ypres are utterly exthe enemy's country and try to destroy a railway junction where the Germans were conveying troops. The line was well guarded, and it was necessary to cross the enemy's position for a considerable distance.

The airship started at dusk, with all lights out, and succeeded in crossing the enemy's lines without being perceived. It soon located the ROTTERDAM, Nov. 18 .- Owing to infor- junction, and dropped in rapid succession three dynamite charges upon the doomed station, with from the War Office to a friend here

> The airship by that time has been discover- question of sending the Canadian aimed at it. The sky was ablaze with bursting they acquitted themselves most creshells, some coming dangerously near.

> By throwing over all the available ballast the airship's crew was enabled to rise rapidly. Col. Victor Williams and Col. Harry McLeod, M.P., of New Brunswick, are also being asked for their views and fourth charge of dynamite.

Just then something went wrong which threatened the airship with instant destruction. The dynamite charge got stuck in the tube.

The automatic detonator already had been set in motion. Rapidly the captain seized a hat- returned them. He says he left the chet and climbed over the rigging. He struck razor, he took at Colborne. He dea few desperate blows at the tube, at the risk of his life, and released the charge, saving the airship. The dynamite exploded with a terrific detonation long before it reached the ground, SYDNEY, N.S.W., Nov. 18 .- The question and burst into flames. The Germans evidently

# Getting Ready For Big Battle

Prepare For Desperate Germans Struggle in the East

LONDON, Nov. 18. - An official communication issued by the Russian Ger cal Headquarters at Petrograd vesterday says:

enemy is falling back along the whole front between Gumbinnen and Angerpassages in the Mazurian Lakes. "On the front between the Vistula

and Warthe rivers (in Russian Poland) the fighting continues, it taking the character of a great battle. There are important German forces in Galicia. We have reached the Austrian rearguards in the region of Dukla and the passage of

Another despatch from Petrograd "The German front along the Vistula extends for 70 miles to the southwest of Plock. The advance along the right bank of the Vistula has progressed less than 20 miles from the frontier.

Petrograd says:
"Emperor William commands to his generals and also addressed a personal appeal to his soldiers not to let Prussia be again invaded. He knows the effect which tember, and is afraid that might have serious consequences. "The only way of carrying out the ranks.

Imperial order was to shift troops from Lyck, where the nature of the country, all lakes and marshes, makes Russian progress very slow. This manoeuvre has certainly caused the Russians to give way on the Vistula valley; but the effect in East Prussia has been the opposite of that desired. The Russians there are pushing forward at every point, and the inhabitants are fleeing before them. "The Germans apparently have not

yet realized the inexhaustible military resources of the Czar's immens The German troops now ing along the left bank of the Visof regular forces, which previously

had been engaged in the advance or Warsaw; of troops from the East Prussian frontier, of men previously engaged in Belgium, and finally of The actual situation in Cracow becoming one of the many enigmas of the war. One report has the Rus-

that the German forces have rejoined the Austrian garrison in the defence of the Cracow fortress, which some experts pronounce to be the easiest road into the Province of

The fighting in the Caucasus bethe flight of fugitives from this re- tween the Russians and the Turks is gion as far as Berlin made in Sep- virtually a duplication of the battle on the coast of Belgium, as the Ru panic coming on top of the Russian sian warships in the Black Sea are victory at the battle of Warsaw aiding the land forces and have inaiding the land forces and have inflicted heavy losses in the Turkish

Canadians May Be Used to Fight Turkey Says Col Shillington. OTTAWA. Nov. 18. - Col. A. T. illington, Ottawa, who recently left Salisbury Plain to take charge of a field hospital in France, has written

"The War Office is considering the contingent to Egypt since the Turks have thrown in their lot with the Germans. A Canadian contingent went with the Nile expedition in 1885 and ditably. The climate also agreed well with them. Col. John Currie, M.P., of Toronto, has been called to the War Office for consultation and

Young Italian in Trouble

Fred. Foster, an Italian, aged years, pleaded guilty this morning to taking a pair of trowsers and shoes. the property of a compatriot. He has nied stealing a shirt.

Magistrate Masson enlarged the case until three o'clock this afternoon in order to allow the crown attorney, Mr. Anderson, time to be present:

Flags at Half Mast.

A reader would like to know why

## 200 BELGIAN ORPHANS FOR ONTARIO HOMES

The Ontario Government has received a proposal to receive two hundred Belgian children who have become orphans sincet he beginning of the war. The children will be eight years old or younger. It is probable government will accede to the request In order to make provision for their accommodation the Association of Children's Aid Societies for Ontario has taken the matter up. Rev. W. H. M. Quartermaine, the secretary-treaas to the possibilities for caring them at the various shelters. inquired if eight of the children could be cared for at Belleville, but Mr. Wrightmeyer, the local superintendent, was compelled to refuset he appeal, as the present shelter is taxed to its fullest capacity in order now gathered house the children there from the local field.

Court of Appeal At Osgoode Hail before Mulock C.J.,

Clute. J., Riddell, J. and Lennox J .. an appeal in the case of Smith v. the G) .T. R. on behalf of the defendants from the judgment of Chief Justice Falconbridge, of July 10th. 1914. Argument of appeal was on Monday resumed and concluded. Judgment was reserved. W. N. Tilley for defendants. E. G. Porter for plaintiff.

Soldiers' Pay Checks Arrive

Checks for assigned pay of volun-teers of the First Canadian Contingent on active service are being received by relatives in town today.

Sliding on Walks

Boys on Catherine street hill have a dangerous practice of sliding down