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BRITAIN'S NEW ARMY WILL ENSURE TRIUMPH OF ALLIES

Italians Bring Up Troops to Renew Fight for Gorizia

---KITCHENER AND DERBY

PUGSLEY URGES DEEPEST PROBE INTO CONTRACTS

Former Shell Committee Accused of Loose Methods in Giving Orders.

CONSCRIPTION COMING?

Cockshutt of Brantford Says Canada Should Not Shrink From Prospect.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 18.—In the debate upon the address tonight Hon. Wm. Pugsley disturbed the harmony which has heretofore prevailed by a sensational attack upon the imperial shell committee of which General Sir Alexander Bertram was chairman. He demanded that a commission be appointed to investigate certain serious charges and alleged that the shell committee had let contracts for large amounts to firms in which General Bertram and Mr. Carnegie, another member of the committee, were respectively interested. He also claimed that contracts had been let to middlemen who had no factories of their own and that legitimate manufacturers had been asked to pay commissions when seeking orders. Mr. Pugsley was careful to accentuate members of the committee and members of the government of any charges of a personal wrong doing but he contended that a situation was presented which required a searching investigation. He will continue to develop this line of argument when he resumes the debate tomorrow.

CONSCRIPTION OF INCOMES URGED

Bitter Foe of Asquith Bill is Bent on Counter Attack.

SEQUESTRATION PLAN

Laborite Proposes to Set Aside Unearned Private Revenue During War.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Wm. Crawford Anderson, labor member of parliament for Sheffield, has made public the text of a bill which he proposes to introduce in the house of commons at the earliest possible moment for the conscription of wealth. The bill is in the nature of a reply to Premier Asquith's military compulsion bill, of which Mr. Anderson is a bitter opponent. The Anderson bill provides for the sequestration of all unearned income for the period of the war, including rents, interest, dividends, royalties and annuities. All such payments under the bill would be taken over by a government trustee who would make moderate allowances for the maintenance of the persons from whom the funds were taken.

WEST IS NOT GETTING SHARE OF WAR ORDERS

Secretary of Western Branch of C.M.A. Talks of Secession.

TORONTO AIRMAN DEAD?

CONFORMATION LACKING

Whether Flight Lieutenant Ross, who met death in England on Monday is or is not Gordon Ross, son of J. L. Ross, 38 Dunvegan road, Toronto, has not yet been established. Mr. Ross stated last night that he had requested Admiral Kingman to cable for further information. A cable yesterday stated that Flight Lieutenant Ross, a Canadian, had been burned to death as the result of an explosion which set his aeroplane on fire.

GERMANS SHUN INQUIRY THRU FEAR OF ISSUE

Britain Officially Gives View of Baralong Case and Hun Atrocities.

HUMANE LAWS BROKEN

British Sailors Fired on While Swimming Ashore to Safety.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The British official view on the German note regarding the Baralong case was given out tonight as follows: "The Germans claim that their army and navy have observed, during the present war, the principles of international law and humanity, and that the German authorities have taken care that all violations will be carefully investigated and punished. "Some surprise is expressed that the nation whose armed forces have been responsible for the sack of Louvain, the murder of hundreds of unoffending men, women and children on the Lusitania and other ships, the execution of Edith Cavell, the introduction of poisonous gases, the poisoning of wells, attempted torpedoing of hospital ships and countless other atrocities, should describe their methods of warfare as humane. "How Many Punished? "It is further pointed out that it would be interesting to know how many German subjects any have been punished for these atrocities. The Germans claim that the Arauc was torpedoed because the commander of the submarine had refused to attack the submarine, nor escape from it. "With regard to the destruction of the British submarine E-15 in British waters by a German torpedo boat destroyer, it is claimed that it came to a fight between the war vessels and that the submarine was fired with machine guns. The true facts are as follows: The Germans found the submarine stranded in neutral waters and incapable of either offense or defense. The German destroyer fired a torpedo at the E-15. The torpedo exploded close to her. At the same time the German destroyer fired with all her guns and the crew was abandoned her. While the men were in the water they were fired on by machine guns and with shrapnel. "The Germans defend their action in the case of the Ruel on the ground that it was a measure of reprisal in accordance with measures announced by the German Government in February, 1915. It is claimed that these reprisals are legitimate owing to the action of Great Britain in attempting to cut off from Germany all imports and starve the German people. The Germans thus maintain their submarine policy in consequence of the British measures against German trade. "This is, of course, quite untrue, the (Continued on Page 3 Column 4).

ANGLO-FRENCH TROOPS LANDING AT CORINTH?

Air Full of Rumors of Coming Developments in Greece.

ULTIMATUM FRAMED

Berlin Says Entente Allies Have Made Demands on Government.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—A despatch from Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph Co. says that French and British troops have been landed at Corinth, Greece, 45 miles west of Athens. The message says that, according to information received at Amsterdam from Sofia, the allied troops which landed at Phaleron re-embarked after a short inspection of the city. "Among the wild rumors as to the intentions of the allies," the message continues, "is the statement that they intend to advance to Athens, when King Constantine, his court, and the government will retire in conformity with the king's desire to maintain armed neutrality. "In Sofia despatches the question is asked 'what former Premier Venizelos will do in that event; whether he will proclaim a republic, and whether the army will side with him. These reports are said to have occasioned undisguised alarm at the Bulgarian capital. "A despatch from Amsterdam says: The Cologne Gazette is informed by its Sofia correspondent that the ministers of the central powers at Athens have been ordered to burn all the archives at their legations to prevent them from falling into the hands of the entente powers."

RUSSIANS BRING UP MEN TO RENEW BIG COMBAT

Austrians Claim Victory in New Year's Battle, After Waiting Two Weeks.

GERMANS EVACUATING BIG LUTSK FORTRESS

Russians Draw Near to Important Stronghold in Volhynia.

KIEV, Russia, Jan. 18, via Petrograd.—London, 9:30 p.m.—Lutsk, one of the important fortresses in Volhynia, is being evacuated by the Germans, according to information obtained from prisoners arriving here. Four thousand prisoners have recently arrived here from the southwestern front.

FRESH ITALIAN TROOPS TO RENEW OFFENSIVE

Lines on Isonzo Strongly Reinforced for Drive on Gorizia.

FIRE ON BY AUSTRIANS

Attempt Made to Hinder Arrival of New Forces on Wide Front.

Special Cable to The Toronto World. ROME, Jan. 18.—Italian reinforcements are arriving at the front in great numbers and Italy is expected to increase her striking force of three-quarters of a million men by considerable additions. The regular first and second-line forces of Italian defense number a million and a quarter men and it would not be surprising if its whole strength were thrown into this theatre to renew the attacks on the Isonzo. The first and second lines having previously been captured. The Italian war office reports tonight that the Austrians tried to hinder the bringing up of reinforcements from Steyrio to the sea by active artillery fire to which the Italian artillery replied with success. "The rest of the Italian statement says: "On the heights northwest of Gorizia a counter offensive was tried last night and terminated with full success. Despite the enemy's resistance, supported by violent artillery fire, our troops captured all the trenches they had previously abandoned and our original line is completely re-established. "Enemy aviators flying yesterday over the Isonzo were everywhere put to flight by our anti-air craft guns. One of our aviators bombarded Volano, in the Valley of Lagarina, where Austrians were observed."

CONSCRIPTION WILL ENSURE FULL VICTORY

Earl Kitchener and Earl Derby Say Asquith Bill Will Meet Needs.

MORE MEN FOR FLEET

Fifty Thousand Will Be Added—Derby's Confidence is Boldly Expressed.

LONDON, Jan. 18, 11:30 p.m.—The second day of the committee stage of the military service bill in the house of commons was chiefly interesting from the fact that it elicited the opinion of Earl Kitchener, secretary of war, that the bill would provide all the men he required to enable him to do all necessary to be done in order to secure victory. This was announced by Walter Hume Long, president of the local government board, who in behalf of the government resisted an amendment seeking to bring under the scope of the bill all youths attaining the age of 18 years. This amendment was lost. The greatest discussion centred around Sir John Simon's amendment, which, if adopted, would virtually prevent any enlistment until investigation by a military tribunal proved the existence of a substantial number of single men not already attested or actually engaged in war services. From the Asquith speech it is clear that the amendment struck at the basic principle of the bill, and the amendment was rejected by an overwhelming majority. 50,000 Men for Navy. An amendment was accepted giving the admiralty direct call on enlisted men desiring to enter the navy. T. J. Macnamara, secretary to the admiralty, in this connection announced (Continued on Page 3, Column 3).

FLEET TIGHTENS GRIP ON NECK OF GERMANY

Only Slight Leakage of Foodstuffs and Contraband Now Perceptible.

LONDON, Jan. 18, 8:30 p.m.—In connection with foodstuffs reaching the central powers thru neutral states, the British Government recently sent a specially qualified business man on a mission to Holland and Scandinavia to investigate whether the legations at the various capitals were doing their work efficiently and to prevent any leakage to Germany. On his return he reported to the government that everything possible was being done to prevent such leakage. In behalf of the government it is argued that, since in the early months of the war the blockade had succeeded in reaching Germany, the blockade since June has been very strict and is ever growing more efficient. Moreover, if it is added, the Danish agreement only became operative in November, and the statistics of trade since November were published, they would show how the blockade is continually tightening.

BRAND IN LONDON FOR WAR COUNCIL

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Aristide Briand, the French premier, arrived in London early this morning to be present at the entente war council, which will be held today.

BRITISH OFFICIAL HELD CHARGE NOT DISCLOSED

LONDON, Jan. 19, 3:20 a.m.—The Daily Express says that James Dallas, chief clerk of the department of the home office dealing with aliens, and a Russian named Altschuler have been arrested by Scotland Yard detectives. The newspaper says the nature of the charge against the men has not been disclosed.

WAR SUMMARY: Today's Events Reviewed

WITH the introduction of compulsory service to bring out a few hundred thousand bachelors, Great Britain will put into the field enough men required for victory. Assurances of this coming conscription were given by Lord Derby in an interview, and by Earl Kitchener in parliament yesterday. Successful conclusion of the war, Lord Derby says, its prosecution "until we have such a peace as will make it perfectly sure that there will be no further war of this kind in our time, or in our children's children's time. It will be absolutely conclusive; nothing short of that."

The military measures taken by Britain have been a complete surprise to Germany, asserts Lord Derby. He withholds detailed statistics on the ground that even if they were compiled by the Angel Gabriel, some member of the house of commons would dispute them. The whole world will receive an object lesson on the perils of attacking a country which is not prepared for war.

An absolutely conclusive result, as promised by Earl Derby, is the complete prostration of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey, to the will of the allies, the infliction of just punishment for Teutonic frightfulness, and the occupation of their territory until full indemnity to Belgium and Serbia has been paid.

While the Germans believe that Montenegro has capitulated, the surrender has not yet been made and only an armistice has been declared to consider what the Austrians will offer in the way of terms. This little country has only a population of 210,000 and it is doubtful whether it could put more than 20,000 effectives in the field at any time. It was unable to provide any assistance to the allies in the decisive theatres of war and it only entered the conflict in fulfillment of its obligation to stand by Serbia. Being next the Austrian frontier and having an indefensible frontier of its own, Montenegro risked a great deal more than Greece would have risked by supporting Serbia when Bulgaria attacked her. Montenegro has bravely fought her fight and if she surrenders, it involves no disgrace.

Saloniki, which is likely to receive vigorous attention from the Austrians, Germans, Turks and Bulgarians, is being constantly strengthened as a fortified gate of entry into the Balkans and Austria-Hungary, on the most vulnerable side of the central powers. The allies will see that the Germans made good and sorry that they ever attacked Serbia. It looks as if Constantine of Greece will also have the bitter cup of sorrow to drink for his cowardice and treachery to his friends, the allies, in deserting Serbia in the hour of need. The allies have it in their power to tear the crown from his head, and it is their fault if they do not exact retribution.

MONTENEGRO HAS NOT FINALLY SURRENDERED

Negotiations Are Still in Progress, According to Austro-Hungarian Report.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Negotiations between the Austro-Hungarians and Montenegro concerning the capitulation of the latter are not completed, according to Berlin official advices tonight. It is stated that considerable terms of peace have been agreed, and that invading forces which meantime had occupied Virbazar and Rieka have ceased hostilities. It is apparent that reports of the unconditional surrender of Montenegro are premature. King Nicholas of Montenegro, says a Rome report, has issued a proclamation urging his soldiers to lay down their arms. ULTIMATUM, SAYS BERLIN. BERLIN, Jan. 18.—A note to the Greek Government amounting to an ultimatum, is said by the Overseas News Agency to have been presented by France and Great Britain. According to a Sofia despatch to the News Agency, Greece is required to deliver their passports to the ministers of the central powers within forty-eight hours, failing which the entente will take "necessary measures."

BRITISH MINE DESTROYS PARAPETS OF GERMANS

Considerable Loss Inflicted on Enemy at Fircourt—French Guns Also Active.

GERMANS HOLD HOPES OF INVADING CANADA

Senator Lougheed Gives Warning of Result of Enemy's Victory in Europe.

OTTAWA, Jan. 18.—Declaring that in the United States there were from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 Germans, many of them military reservists, who had long dreamed of seeing German authority established in North America, Hon. Senator Lougheed, minister without portfolio and government leader in the Canadian Senate, today urged the people to greater effort in aid of the allies, in a speech during the debate on the reply to the speech from the throne. "Canada's security can only be established by a victory over Germany," declared Senator Lougheed, who said these German-Americans had vision of the fatherland one day dominating North America. "Let the allied lines be broken thru by Germany and an army from Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam. A quotation from The Gazette says: "Do not prematurely consider the collapse of the smallest as the end of the whole. One enemy lies prostrate, having lost the desire to battle. So it shall continue until none of them can any longer fight and all will beg for peace."

GERMANS CAPTURE SHIP BOUND FROM DENMARK

Swedish Steamer Mimer Failing to Arrive, Also Believed to Be Prize.

LONDON, Jan. 18, 1:56 p.m.—A Copenhagen despatch to Reuter's says that the steamer Klev, bound from Copenhagen for Liverpool, has been captured by a German destroyer. The same despatch says it is feared that the Swedish steamer Mimer, which left Copenhagen Sunday for Ystad, and which did not arrive, has also been captured.

TAKE MANY PRISONERS

Four Thousand Captive Teutons Arrive at Kiev and Break News.

LAWYER CHARGED WITH COMPOUNDING A FELONY

Came From St. Louis to Wind Up Affairs of Man Wanted For Fraud.

GERMANS REJOICE OVER MONTENEGRO'S YIELDING

First Victory for Teutons in Eighteen Months of War.

LONDON, Jan. 18, 3:23 p.m.—"Do not exit prematurely" is the substance of an article in The Cologne Gazette concerning the capitulation of Montenegro, according to a synopsis from Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam. A quotation from The Gazette says: "Do not prematurely consider the collapse of the smallest as the end of the whole. One enemy lies prostrate, having lost the desire to battle. So it shall continue until none of them can any longer fight and all will beg for peace."

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THE DUCHESS WILL KNIT SOX LADY HENDRIE AND MISS END

Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Connaught will knit a pair of sox and send them to The World office as her contribution to The World "Sox Day" campaign. The Duke of Connaught made the statement in Toronto yesterday that he always wore sox that were knitted by the hands of the duchess, and would not wear any others. Lady Hendrie and Miss End Hendrie have both intimated that they will also knit a pair of sox and send them in to The World.



Band of the 134th (48th Highlanders) Overseas Battalion, which is giving great assistance in enlisting recruits for new battalion.