

TEUTONIC FORCES COUNTER-ATTACK RUSSIANS

MAGNIFICENT CIVIC AND POPULAR RECEPTION GIVEN LAST NIGHT TO LT.-COL. COLQUHOUN

Greece Demobilizes its Troops; Allied Fleets Bombarding Bulgarian Coast

VIENNA CLAIMS AUSTRIA AND ITS ALLY IS BEGINNING TO STRIKE BACK

Reports Say That the Artillery Action of the Russian Troops is Splendid -- Austrians Underrated Their Enemy -- Panic Among the Austrian Troops at Amazingly Quick Advance.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Berlin, June 13 via Saville wireless -- German and Austro-Hungarian troops delivered a heavy counter-attack on Russian forces advancing in northeastern Bukovina, and drove them back, the official Austrian statement of June 12 says. The Austrians captured 1,000 Russians.

speed and development of the original success is largely due to the marvellous work of the Russian engineers. "There is further evidence of the Austrians' miscalculation of the Russian strength. "The Lutsk environs were heavily fortified and only fell after a twenty hour battle, but the Austrians did not expect the fall of the town.

ATTACKING BULGAR COAST.

By Special Wire to the Courier. PARIS, June 13.—(12.30 p.m.)—A Saloniki despatch to the Radio Agency says that allied fleets are bombarding the southern Bulgarian coast from Porto Lagos to Dedeaghat. The population is fleeing inland, the despatch says.

VAST CROWDS OF PEOPLE HEARD MEMORIAL SERVICE TO-DAY TO EARL KITCHENER

Doors of St. Paul's Cathedral Opened Shortly Before 10 o'clock and Building was Quickly Filled -- King, Queen and Dowager Attended.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, June 13.—Great crowds lined the streets to-day in the vicinity of St. Paul's Cathedral, and stood for hours in the rain awaiting the arrival of King George, Queen Mary, and Dowager Queen Alexandra for the memorial services for Field Marshal Earl Kitchener.

SURPRISED THE AUSTRIANS

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, June 13 (New York World cable).—The military correspondent of the Morning Post discussing the present war situation says: "The Russians have shown their usual perspicacity in choosing the time and scene for their new offensive, and their customary adroitness in concealing their plans from the Germans and Austrians, who appear to have been taken completely by surprise.

'COURIER'S DAILY CARTOON



'WHO FEARS TO SPEAK OF EASTER WEEK?'

By Special Wire to the Courier. New York, June 13.—A cable to the Sun from Dublin, via London, under yesterday's date: A demonstration was held outside Pro-Cathedral after requiem mass. McDermott, one of the Sinn Fein rebels, waved the flag of the "Irish republic" on the church steps, while a crowd of demonstrators sang, "Who fears to speak of Easter Week?" to the tune of the song "Who fears to speak of '98?" The demonstrators were not interfered with.

SGT. VANDERLIP IS WOUNDED

A Nephew of Rev. John E. Peters Killed in Action. Sergeant Reginald Vanderlip, son of Peter F. Vanderlip of Cleveland, formerly of Brantford, reported as wounded, enlisted at Kingston. He was born in Brantford, but went and served for three years in the Northwest Mounted Police. He is unmarried. He is a cousin of Mr. H. M. Vanderlip of Langford.

WELCOMED HOME



LT. COL. M. A. COLQUHOUN Who returned home last night from the trenches on a six weeks' furlough. Lt. Col. Colquhoun left Brantford as a Captain in charge of the first quota of men from here, and earned his promotion on the field of battle.

BRITISH ARE ADVANCING IN YPRES REGION

Local Attacks Against Recently Lost Ground on Since Morning.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Berlin, June 13.—(via London)—A further advance on the Verdun front near Fort Douaumont was announced to-day by the war office. British troops have begun a movement against German positions southeast of Ypres.

Tirpitz Out for Good.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Amsterdam, via London, June 13.—(New York Sun cable)—Berlin despatches say it is announced that the Grand Admiral Von Tirpitz, former minister of marines has given up his official residence in the imperial navy department, indicating that his retirement which hitherto had been only nominal and temporary, is to be permanent. He will go to his country estate at St. Blasien, in the Black Forest.

Villa Finished.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Field Headquarters, General Pershing, June 12, via radio to Columbus, N.M., June 12.—The finishing blow was given the largest surviving band of Villa followers in Chihuahua at daylight, June 9, by twenty of the Thirtieth Cavalry, under Captain Rehorse, in a canyon eight twenty miles north of Santa Clara, near here.

Father and Son.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Nelson, B.C., June 13.—Rev. C. R. Corrie, pastor of the Nelson Baptist church, and his eighteen year old son, have enlisted as privates in the Vancouver University Battalion.

Decline in Wheat Acreage.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Winnipeg, Man., June 13.—F. O. Fowler, secretary of the Northwest Grain Dealers Association, issues a report showing a decline of 15.5 per cent, in the wheat acreage from last year.

A Narrow Escape.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Cleveland, O., June 13.—Fire which broke out in the Rainbow Cottage settlement for crippled children early to-day was extinguished after 200 children had been carried to safety by nurses. None was injured.

LT.-COL. M. A. COLQUHOUN RECEIVED MAGNIFICENT HOME-COMING FROM BRANTFORD

The Man Who Left Brantford as a Captain and Returned as a Battalion Commander Was Greeted by Thousands Upon Thousands of Citizens Proud to Honor One Who Had Served the Empire So Well.

Thousands of people were at the station, lined the route of march and surged upon the Market Square to see "Mac" come home. About 30 or 40 motor cars, gaily decorated, were on hand, carrying the aldermen, returned soldiers, the local members of parliament and friends of Col. Colquhoun.

The 125th and 215th turned out in full force, making a "lane of honor" down Market street, through which "Mac" was motored. In the car with Col. Colquhoun were his wife, his mother, his two sons, Col. Labatt and Lt. Col. Harry Cockshutt.

After a parade, speeches of welcome were delivered by Ald. Dowling, the mayor, Lt. Col. Cutcliffe, Lt. Col. H. Cockshutt, Lt. Col. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., J. H. Ham, M.P.P., Col. Labatt and Col. Colquhoun in reply. The whole affair was over by 9.30.

WELCOMING SPEECHES ON MARKET SQUARE

After calling upon the gathering for three hearty cheers and the customary Tiger, Ald. Dowling, on behalf of the citizens of Brantford and of the quibon had any doubt about his being in Canada, he had it dispelled last night. There was little cheering. Only a Canadian crowd can give a man:

Demobilization of the Greek Army Ordered To-day By Its King

King Constantine Issues the Command Following the Blockade by the Allies and the Placing of an Embargo on Greek Ships.

By Special Wire to the Courier. ATHENS, June 12.—(via London, June 13).—King Constantine decided to-day to order the complete demobilization of the Greek army. The offices of the newspapers which have supported former Premier Venizelos were made the objects of a hostile demonstration to-day. The demonstrators were composed mainly of those who had been spectators earlier at a horse show in the Stadium which was attended by King Constantine and the royal family.

The demobilization of the Greek army follows the blockade of the ports of Greece by the Allies and placing of an embargo on Greek ships in British and French ports. These steps were taken as a result of the occupation of Greek fortresses in Macedonia by Bulgaria at the end of May. The Allies were aroused by negotiations which were opened with Bulgaria and Germany by Premier Skouloudis, and on June 9 the British Government announced that steps would be taken to prevent Greece from providing the central powers with supplies. The blockade was the result, and on June 10 King Constantine ordered the twelve senior classes of the army to be demobilized.

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Former Proprietor of "Tea Pot Inn" Has Signed Up. Mr. Sheldon Crumback, former proprietor of the "Tea-Pot Inn" and the greatest baseball fan in America, this morning signed up for service with the 125th battalion and is out for Berlin. Two men from Paris also joined. The records. SHELDON CRUMBACK—American, confectioner, married, 4 years 34th D.R.C., 41 Commercial Chambers, city.

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