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ROUMANIANS SEE MISTAKE

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London, May 11—It has been learned from well informed Roumanian circles that the first result of the peace treaty between this country and the Central Powers is that there is not a single pro-German left in Roumania.

London, May 11—The signing of the treaty of peace between Germany and Roumania will by no means be the last action in the Roumanian tragedy, according to the country newspapers.

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Made Under Hot Fire From German Guns

VINDICTIVE WELL PLACED

Had to Manoeuvre Under Heavy Fire to Find Spot Where She Would Block Channel—German Operations Greatly Restricted Even if U-Boat Passage Not Barred

London, May 11—The old cruiser Vindictive went to her last berth 150 to 200 yards within the piers forming the entrance to the harbor of Zebrugge, the most important German submarine base on the shore, according to the Central News.

The entire operation was carried out on lines similar to the raid of April 28, when concrete laden cruisers were sunk in the harbor of Zebrugge, the most important German submarine base.

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THURSDAY SAW 43 ENEMY AIR MACHINES PUT OUT OF FIGHTING

Only Six of British Airplanes Missing After Great Day

TWO FIGHT 20 TO STANDSTILL

Railway Stations, Billets, Zebrugge Docks and Ostend Canal Bombed—Brother of Famous German Aviator Falls and Fractures Skull

London, May 11—Cloudless weather on Thursday favored the British aviators, according to an official statement today dealing with air activity, and twenty-seven German machines were downed and twelve driven down out of control.

The cloudless weather on Thursday enabled our aviators to carry out a full day's work. More than twenty-four tons of bombs were dropped on enemy targets, including important railway stations at Tournai, Maroing, Chaulnes and Cambrai, and billets at Carvin, Peronne, and Chipilly and the docks of Zebrugge.

PROMOTIONS IN WESTERN UNION

Herbert Flaherty and William J. O'Rourke Take Step Upward

Several changes are being made in the staff of the Western Union Telegraph Company as the result of the loss of two officials.

GERMAN-AMERICAN WAS CAUGHT SPYING

American Army in France, May 11—(By Associated Press)—The first German-American to be caught spying on the Americans is safely in custody.

NICARAGUA, AT WAR WITH HUN, WILL SUPPLY CEREALS TO ALLIES

San Salvador, May 11—Nicaragua having entered the war against the Central Powers, the national congress has declared the country in a state of siege.

SERIOUS QUEBEC FIRES

Quebec, May 11—The main plant of the Victoriaville foundry was razed to the ground by fire early this morning.



RUSSIA RECEIVES ANOTHER JOLT

RENNENKAMPF IS MURDERED BY THE BOLSHEVIKI

Was One of Russian Commanders in the Japanese War

Copenhagen, May 11—General Rennenkampf, a Russian commander in the Japanese and present wars, has been murdered by the Bolsheviki at Ekaterinburg, according to the London correspondent of the Lokai Anzeiger of Berlin.

In the Japanese war General Rennenkampf commanded a Cossack cavalry division. Later he made an enviable record as governor-general of Transbaikalia.

HONORS WON BY MONCTON OFFICER

Moncton, May 11—Mrs. J. Stevenson, who has been in Moncton hospital for some weeks critically ill, has just received a letter from her son, Lieut.-Col. Irving Stevenson, who is in France.

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, May 11—War shares, shipbuilding and specialties were higher in large fractions to one and a half points at the opening of today's stock market.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by the Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

PROPERTIES WITHDRAWN.

The T. M. Richards property, consisting of three acres of land with house and outbuildings, situated at the corner of Duke and Lancaster streets, West St. John, was offered for sale at Chubb's Corner by F. L. Potts at noon today.

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Seven marriages and eleven births—one girl and ten boys—were reported to the registrar during the week.

FRENCH MAKE GAIN

Advance Scored on Southern Side of Picardy Battle Front; Heavy Gun Work Below Amiens

London, May 11—French troops advanced their line slightly last evening east of Loere, on the Flanders front. The war office statement follows:

French troops advanced their line slightly last evening east of Loere and captured several prisoners. We carried out successful raids during the night west of Merville and brought back a few prisoners and machine guns.

AGAINST HOME RULE

Declaration by Committee of Presbyterian Church in Ireland

Belfast, May 11—The committee on the state of the country, representing the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, has issued a manifesto, declaring its strong conviction that conscription should not be made in any way dependent on home rule, toward which the Presbyterian Church in Ireland has always been earnestly opposed.

AS TO EXPENSES OF SOLDIERS' FUNERALS

A circular letter has been sent out from military headquarters to all societies which in any way look after the welfare of returned soldiers, to the effect that it has been decided that the cost of funeral expenses of a discharged soldier who dies during the period in which he is in receipt of post discharge pay, or within one month after the expiration of such a period, should be paid from public funds in the same way and subject to the same limitations as if his death had occurred before his discharge.

NEW SHIPPING PROJECT

Quebec, May 11—At a meeting of the Quebec Board of Trade yesterday the idea of forming a shipping company that would have vessels plying between the Gulf ports and Montreal was launched.

RUSSIANS TAKE ROSTOV.

London, May 10—The Russians have recaptured Rostov from the Germans and Ukrainians, according to information received in Moscow, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

LEO HAYES GETS IT.

Fredericton, May 11—Leo Hayes last night was appointed town marshal of Devon. He will go on duty on May 15.

QUEBEC LAUNCHING.

Quebec, May 11—Thousands of cheering enthusiasts to see her leave the ways, the first vessel built in close to half a century on the banks of the St. Charles River took to the water this morning at the shipyard of the Quinlan and Robertson Company.

AUTO LICENSE INSPECTION.

W. H. McQuinn, automobile license inspector, returned last evening after a tour of Charlotte county and will leave on Monday for the north shore.

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