

Sea Fight On Saturday In The Baltic Reported, Violent Cannonading Kept Up For Six Hours

A NAVAL BATTLE NEAR GOTLAND SATURDAY?

Sound of Firing Heard at
Stockholm, Despatch from
Copenhagen Says.

BRITISH OPERATIONS IN ASIATIC TURKEY.

Governor of Amara Surrenders
and Town Now in Possession
of British Troops.

London, June 7.—In a despatch
from Copenhagen the Daily Tele-
graph correspondent says:

"It is reported from Stockholm
that a naval battle occurred Sat-
urday near Gotland. For six
hours a violent cannonade was
heard from a southeasterly direc-
tion, and for a long time from
twenty to twenty-five shots were
fired every minute."

British Take Amara in Asiatic
Turkey

London, June 6.—The following of-
ficial communication was issued this
evening:

"The following further information
has been received from General Sir
John E. Nixon regarding the opera-
tions on the Tigris (Asiatic Turkey):
"General Townsend, accompanied
by Captain Nunn and Sir Percy Cox
and a small gunboat flotilla, received
the surrender of the Governor of
Amara, together with some thirty offi-
cers and about 700 soldiers on the 3rd
of June."

"Amara is now occupied by us in
force. The troops captured comprised
advance guard Turkish forces retir-
ing before General Geo. F. Gorringe's
column, which is pursuing the Tur-
kish forces in their retreat from Per-
sian territory. The main body fol-
lowing was seen to disperse into the
marshes."

"Our total capture up to date, in-
cluding the above, amount to eighty
officers and two thousand men and
seven field guns, six naval guns from
the gunboat Marmaris, twelve large
steel barges, one large river steamer,
three small steamers and a consider-
able number of rifles and ammunition
of all kinds. Further surrenders are
expected."

"Of six Germans with the Turks
were taken prisoners, two were killed
by Arabs and the fate of the sixth
is doubtful."

MORE NEW BRUNSWICK MEN IN THE LATEST LIST OF CASUALTIES

List Issued Yesterday Contains
Names of Four Missing, Two
Suffering from Shock, One
Wounded and One Returned
to Duty.

Ottawa, June 6.—In the casualty list
issued by the Department of Militia
today are the names of the following
from the Maritime Provinces:

Suffering from Shock.

Pte. George A. Rolston, Woodstock,
N. B.

Fifteenth Battalion.

Missing—Pte. C. Sawyer, Moncton,
N. B.; Pte. E. Leman, Moncton, N. B.;

Pte. P. Young, Campbellton, N. B.

Sixteenth Battalion.

Wounded—Pte. W. Allan Buchanan,
(formerly 17th Battalion), Milton, N. B.;

Sr. Corporal Ernest Milner, (formerly
17th Battalion), Annapolis Royal, N. S.

Tenth Battalion.

Suffering from shock—Pte. Edward
Walsh, St. John, N. B.

Wounded—Pte. G. Stanley Lowther,
Amherst, N. S.; Pte. Samuel Everett
Mills, St. Stephen, N. B.

Second Field Artillery Brigade.

Wounded—Corporal Albert W. Star-
ratt, No. 10 Maple Ave., Dorchester,
N. B.

Dangerously ill—Gunner Neil Mo-
lson, Souris, P. E. I.

FOURTH BATTALION

Missing

Sergeant John Caldwell, (formerly 12th
Battalion), Apohaqui, N. B.

Returned to Duty

Pte. William McInerney, (formerly
12th Battalion), Mill street, St. John,
N. B. (previously reported wounded).

THE AUSTRIAN FLEET KEEPS OUT OF SIGHT

Italian Naval Detachments Cut
Cable Joining Dalmatian
Archipelago With the Con-
tinent.

Rome, via London, June 6.—The fol-
lowing official statement was issued
by the War Office tonight:

"Naval detachments yesterday cut
the cables uniting the continent to
the islands of the Dalmatian archipe-
lago. All the lighthouses and lookout
stations of these islands were de-
stroyed. The railway between Cat-
taro and Ragusa, was bombarded and
seriously damaged."

"The same day a group of our de-
stroyers, which were unsuccessfully
attacked by Austrian aeroplanes, again
bombarded Monfalcone and sank several
sailing craft laden with merchan-
dise. Large vessels supporting the
destroyers cruised in the same waters
without seeing the enemy."

AIRSHIP DROPS BOMBS ON CALAIS

One Person Killed but the Dam-
age to Property was Not
Great.

Paris, June 6.—A despatch to the
Havas Agency from Calais states that
yesterday about noon a Taube aero-
plane flew over the city and dropped
several bombs. One person was killed.
The property damage was small.

BRITISH GOV'T SCHEME FOR CONTROL OF INDIA'S WHEAT CROP SUCCEEDING

Final Forecast Shows Total
Yield Will be Nearly 382
Millions of Bushels.

London, June 5.—(Through Reuters
Ottawa Agency)—A special despatch
from Simla, India, says that the gov-
ernment's scheme for the control of
the export of wheat is working smooth-
ly and, for the most part, successful-
ly. The despatch adds:

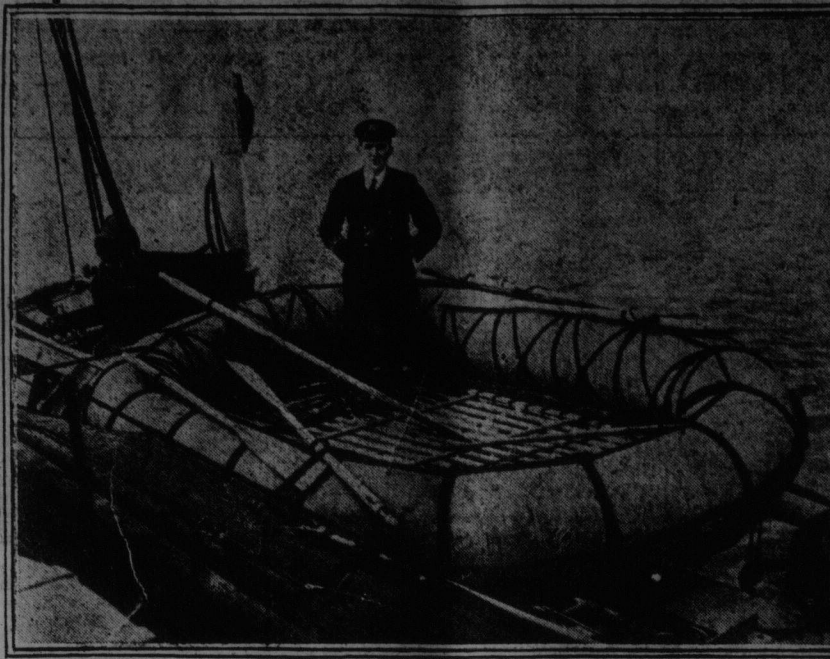
"The new crop is now coming into
the market. The total exports on gov-
ernment account to the 29th of May
amounted to over 115,000 tons (4,180,
000 bushels.) Favorable weather con-
ditions have materially contributed to
the success of the scheme."

"The final wheat forecast indicates
that the total wheat area of nearly
32,000,000 acres will give an aggre-
gate yield approximately of over 10,
250,000 tons (382,667,000 bushels.)
Purchases are proceeding steadily,
and prices are reduced to a level
which gives the cultivators a reason-
able profit, without pressing too heav-
ily on the consumer. Freight have
been engaged by the Indian Wheat
Committee in London at a rate ap-
proachably below those paid by Indian ship-
pers."

SHOT IN ATTEMPT TO MAKE ESCAPE FROM PRISON CAMP

Brandon, Man., June 6.—One alien
was shot dead, one is dying and one is
wounded, as the result of a break for
liberty at the Winter Fair internment
camp last night.

MONSTER LIFEBOUY NOW IN USE IN BRITISH NAVY



The ships of the British navy are being supplied with Carley lifebuoys. This picture, taken on a light cruiser, shows a large sized Carley lifebuoy, which will sustain forty-five men in the water. The space within the buoy is filled with wood grating, and the buoy is supplied with paddles.

OFFICIAL REPORTS

ITALY

Rome, June 5.—An official state-
ment, issued tonight at the head-
quarters of the Italian general
staff, was as follows:

"Minor operations of our troops
continue all along the entire fron-
tier, from St. Elvio to the sea."

"On the plateau Lavarone and
Folgarida the superiority of our ar-
tillery in the bombardments of
Austrian forts is becoming more
and more manifest. Our infantry,
thus effectively supported, is es-
tablishing itself more firmly on
the conquered ground."

"Movements of masses of troops
for concentration purposes con-
tinue everywhere in the most or-
derly manner."

BELGIUM

Havre, June 5.—The following
official statement has been issued
by the Belgian war office:

"On June 4th the enemy's artil-
lery showed slight activity and
bombarded the outskirts of Rom-
sacelle, and the territory south
of Dixmude, stretching to the west
as far as the ferryman's house."

FRANCE

Paris, June 6.—The following
official communication was issued
by the War Office last night:

"In the sector to the north of
Arras we have realized important
progress. Within Neuville we are
holding at present more than half
the northern section and all the
eastern part; that is to say, more
than two-thirds of the village."

"We have likewise gained 450
metres in the northern part of the
Labyrinth, and made slight pro-
gress in the centre of that work,
where the struggle continues."

"On the whole of the front of
that sector the artillery engage-
ments, notably at Loreto, at Neu-
ville and at Labyrinth has been
one of extreme violence."

Paris, June 6.—The following of-
ficial communication was issued

by the war office tonight:

"In the sector to the north of
Arras the struggle continues with
extreme activity, and to our ad-
vantage. We have delivered sev-
eral favorable attacks on the two
sides of the road from Aix-Nou-
lette to Souchez, and gained some
ground in the wood to the east of
that road, and to the south, in the
region of the Fond De Busil."

"At Neuville-St. Vaast our pro-
gress continues. In the northern
part of the village we have car-
ried several houses, and at the
same time tightened our invest-
ment of an enemy shelter in a
group of houses to the northwest
of that locality, and have occupied
the passageway leading to it."

"We have captured new
trenches in the centre and to the
south of Labyrinth and have ad-
vanced about a hundred metres.
The struggle has continued with-
out interruption for eight days in
that great work, two-thirds of
which we now hold."

"To the east of the Aisne, to
the east of Tracy-Le-Mont, on the
neighboring heights of Moulin-
Sous-Touvent, we delivered an at-
tack, which realized important
gains."

"After a very effective bombard-
ment on a front of one kilometre,
(about two-thirds of a mile), we
captured, with a single effort, two
successive lines of trenches and
several enemy works. Three vio-
lent counter-attacks were repul-
sed by our troops, who took more
than 200 prisoners and three '77'
guns."

"In Champagne, near Beause-
jour, we have progressed to the
mine on the heights of the Meuse.
In the Vosges there have been ar-
tillery engagements."

RUSSIA

Petrograd, June 6.—An official
statement, issued by the war
office, says:

"A strong German fleet has ap-
peared in the Middle Baltic, and
exchanged shots with the Russian
fleet near the Gulf of Riga."

"No important change has oc-
curred on both banks of the Ni-
men river, or on the front along
the Naraw river and the left bank
of the Vistula."

"Our offensive on the Lower San
has developed successfully. On
June 3rd and 4th, the Fourteenth
Austrian Army Corps, which suf-
fered defeat on preceding days on
the front of Podvolina, Warhol
and Stritza, fell back on fortified
positions between the River Lech
on the front of the villages Stany,
Jata and the stations of Lantow-
nia and Zarsina. Fighting for the
possession of this position contin-
ues. We took over 1,000 prison-
ers in this region on June 4th."

Petrograd, June 6, via London,
June 7, 2:37 a. m.—The official
communication issued by the War
Office tonight says:

"In the region of Riga and Shav-
li there has been no important
change. On the front of Naraw
the morning of the 5th, the enemy
opened a violent artillery fire on
that region on the left bank of the
Plessa river."

"On the Vistula one of our avi-
ators successfully bombarded a
train of enemy boats and sank one
of them."

"On the Rawa the enemy, pro-
fiting by the wind being in our
direction, attempted, on Saturday,
to employ asphyxiating gas and
set fire to a chemical composition
producing poisonous smoke."

"In Galicia, on the left bank of
the Lower San, our troops cap-
tured, on the fourth, after a fight,
the village of Grobles. To the
north of Lajalak our troops who
crossed the San are consolidat-
ing their positions, notwithstanding
enemy attacks and a violent fire."

"From Przemyel the enemy con-
tinues the offensive in the direc-
tion of Mosciska."

"On the Dniester, between Tys-
menica and Sviki, on the evening
of June 4th and the following day,
there was no important engage-
ments."

"On the Pruth, between Delatyn
and Kolomea, our troops crossed
to the right bank and with great
success repulsed, on the fourth
and the following night, a series
of counter-attacks by strong Aus-
trian reserves."

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GERMANY

Berlin, June 5, via London
(3:25 p. m.)—The War Office issued
today the following statement:

"Western theatre of war:
"Attacks on the eastern slopes
of Loreto heights were repulsed
with heavy loss to the enemy. The
remainder of the sugar refinery at
Souchez is in possession of the
French."

"In Neuville we lost two groups
of houses."

"We dropped bombs yesterday
on Calais and the aviation grounds
at St. Clement, near Luneville."

"Eastern theatre of war:
"Our offensive in the region of
Rawdniki, where the southern and
northern forces have joined, gained
us ground towards the east. The
number of prisoners was in-
creased to 3,630. Further south,
near Ugiany, an attack made by a
Russian division was repulsed."

"Southeastern theatre of war:
"East of Przemyel German and
Austrian troops have driven back
the enemy as far as the district
northeast and southeast of Przemysl.
The army of General Von Linseign
stormed the bridge-head near
Zurawna, (3 miles east of Stry).
Further south the pursuit con-
tinues. So far we have taken 10,
900 prisoners, six cannon and four-
teen machine guns."

AUSTRIA

Vienna, June 6, via London,
June 7, (12:20 a. m.)—The Aus-
trian war office tonight issued the
following communication:

"On the Tyrolean and Carin-
thian frontier the enemy confines
himself to a fruitless artillery fire
avoiding a closer range on our po-
sitions. In the region of Lavaron-

ne and Folgarida we have opened
fire with our heavy artillery on
the hostile frontier fortress."

"On the front in the coastal dis-
trict the artillery duel is becoming
more violent. In the fighting at
Monte Nero the Italians have sus-
tained considerable losses, on the
southern slope 300 Italian dead
being found."

"The enemy's attempt to cross
the Isoszo river, near 'Sagrado',
has been repulsed."

CONDITION OF KING OF GREECE IS CRITICAL

Temperature 104 Following
Operation—Anxious Crowds
Surround the Royal Palace.

London, June 6.—The condition of
King Constantine of Greece is ex-
tremely critical, according to a Reuter
despatch from Athens, filed at 11 o'clock
last night. Anxious crowds are sur-
rounding the Royal Palace.

Temperature 104.

Paris, June 6.—The bulletin issued
at Athens last night regarding the con-
dition of King Constantine stated that
his temperature was 104 and his pulse
from 120 to 130, says a despatch to
the Havas Agency. His Majesty's high
temperature was attributed to the re-
action following the operation for the
removal of part of his tenth rib. The
king slept fitfully.

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WED. "THE LOST PARADISE" LABOR PLAY

A PATHETIC SCENE AMONG RUINS OF BELGIUM



Here is one of the many pathetic incidents from war torn Belgium. The picture, which was obtained by an American correspondent, shows a woman who had been struck by one of the shells of war lying dead among the ruins of a battered building. A young boy is seen looking upon the victim, who may be a relative or some dear friend.