

DESOLATE WASTE MADE BY GUNS OF HAIG'S DRIVE

Entire Village Swept Away by
Storm of Shells.

GERMAN DEAD IN PILES

Town of Zonnebeke Is Now
But a Memory—Craters
Choked With Dead.

British Front in France and Belgium. Oct. 8.—By the Associated Press.—A prosperous farming country before the war, the region east of Ypres is now a desolate waste of large and deep shell craters. It has been the scene of much bitter and sanguinary fighting, and the artillery fire has done its work.

Villages Swept Away. Few sectors of the western front have been laid waste as has this one. Farm buildings and villages have been swept away by the shells. But a few pieces of wall mark where buildings once stood. Grass and other green things have disappeared in the turning up of the earth by the numerous exploding shells.

From Ypres west over the Westhoek bridge and over the site of what once was Zonnebeke, from which the Germans were pushed last Thursday, the scenes of demolition recall the days of the Battle of the Somme. The unprecedented havoc wrought on the Somme front hardly surpassed that which exists along the Ypres front.

Scenes of Death. More striking than all the rest were the scenes of death on every hand. German dead lay in great numbers over this ground, which had not yet been cleared. At many places groups of Germans had been killed as they fought together, and they rested as they fell. Shell holes at some places were choked with bodies.

The village of Zonnebeke is but a memory. Some shattered walls remain of the big church, and in very few places there are marks of other buildings, but the village as a whole has disappeared. The railway station on the Ypres-Roulers line, where for days the Germans and British battled fiercely at close quarters, is gone, and there remains only a small concrete remnant about which the Germans made their last stand.

Hammering Railway. The Ypres-Roulers railway, which for so long was under British gunfire, and is now being hammered by the Germans, is nothing but a broken mound of earth. The rails have been twisted into knots and hurled here and there. All the highways here and on other parts of the battlefield have been damaged severely. They are pitted here and there with shell holes. A thousand yards in front of Zonnebeke was Broodseinde ridge and village with its famous crossroads, where many a British soldier was killed recently by the British artillery fire. The British line is over the crest of this ridge on the eastern side. Broodseinde has gone the same way as Zonnebeke, Reutel, Gravenstafel, Passchendaele, and many other hamlets.

German Redoubts Smashed. The German redoubts and pill boxes in the Zonnebeke region mostly had been smashed by shelling, although many of them put up a stout resistance. There was one great concrete and steel redoubt which had withstood the terrific fire to which it had been subjected. Its defenders had been driven out by the infantry in a pitched battle. The redoubt was 30 yards long and about 40 yards wide. The walls, which were of concrete, reinforced with steel rails.

PROFIT AND LOSS



[By R. E. Johnston in Saturday Night.]

were about five feet thick. The roof was made of sheet steel. The building contained six large rooms which would hold several hundred men. The whole country hereabouts was covered with similarly-built defences of varying sizes.

SCHOOL REPORTS

S. S. NO. 20, PLYMPTON. Thanksgiving examinations, S. S. No. 20, Plympton: Class IV., pass 516—Cecil Hales 733, Marion Symington 475, Pearl Nickels 694, Lena Hales 533. Class III., pass 450—Anna Somerville 595, Dorothy Delmage 592, Mark Wellington 583, Calvin Moore 578, Bella Le King 575, Vera Maloney 475, Charles Wellington 415, Charles Hopkins 304. Class II., pass 330, senior. Daisy Fleming 412, Kenneth Symington 336, Junior—Ruby Fleming 519. Class I., pass 216—Neilson Moore 285, Janet Scott 267, Willie Hales 224, Primer—Florence McCordie, Beatrice Robinson, Roy Wright, Elmer Symington, Alf Symington. Pupils whose names are marked (*) were absent during part of the examination. Class V (total marks 350)—Willie Elliott, 241; Nelson Powell, 223; Harold Moorhouse, 217; Bartlett Johnston, 178; Catherine Fleming, 85. Class Senior IV. (350)—Emerson Moorhouse 260; Grace Bolton, 247; Russell Gray, 183; Willie Bolton, 20. Junior IV (350)—Mary Powell, 186; Ado Stevens, 130; Orlando Johnston, 173; Rita Badley, 170; Lizzie Fleming, 126. Class III (350)—Milton Powell, 309; Roland Dobbin, 281; Aubrey Dobbin, 280; Fieda Brownlie, 163; Ella Bolton 134; Duncan Gray, 100; Oswald Moorhouse, 45. Part II (255)—Edward Dobbin, 126; Charles Wilson, 124; William Dobbin, 81; Robbie Fleming, 28. Primer, Senior—Doreen Moorhouse. Primer, Junior—Charlie Bolton. Teacher—E. Long.

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BRILLIANT FUNCTION WHEN BOY MONARCH TOOK TINO'S THRONE

Greek King Made Fine Appearance at the Ceremony

CONSTITUTIONAL RULER
Gathering of Democracy Was
Notable Incident of the
Convention.

ATHENS, Aug. 5.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—King Alexander was the centre of a brilliant scene as he made his first appearance before Parliament today, took the oath to rule as a constitutional monarch, and delivered his first speech from the throne. He looked a boyish king, for he is just 24, and the youngest king in Europe. But he is tall, stalwart and vigorous. He is a member of the order of the guards, with the medals and ribbons of royalty, he had all the bearing and dignity of a monarch.

A Notable Event. The event was of many more aspects. Neither this young man nor anyone else ever supposed he would ever be king, until a few weeks ago. He is a sort of war hero; a product of the great European war. His brother has been trained to be a king, and had received a course in high politics. But when the Entente Allies gave King Constantine an ultimatum to abdicate, they required also that the crown prince, who had been trained for kingship, should also leave. And so this younger son, untrained in statecraft, was suddenly compelled to take up a crown and become a monarch. He had expected to follow the career of a soldier, and had been to the Royal Military School, Potsdam.

The event was chiefly notable, however, in being a sort of transition from royalty to democracy—another result of the European war. While this young man was king, yet the oath he was just taking was to rule as a constitutional monarch, and his appearance in Parliament here today, with the prime minister and ministers about him, was a formal recognition of the principle for which this ministry and the Entente Allies had contended, that a responsible ministry directs the affairs of the country and not the king.

Gathering of Democracy. The recognition of this principle was very prominent in the ceremony of today. It was less a royal function and more a gathering of democracy. Before the king were the elected representatives of the people, all about him were the ministers, and there were comparatively few court attendants. The speech from the throne had been prepared by the ministers, and when the monarch arrived for its delivery, the prime minister, Venizelos, took it from his pocket and passed it to the king for delivery. The pronouncement of the king, thus framed by the ministry, carefully avoided any offensive reference to the dethronement of King Constantine, for this was a delicate family matter which would involve criticism by a son of the acts of his father. But it openly reversed the policy of the former king, in strongly approving the course of the Entente, whom the king now referred to as friends and allies battling for the defence of humanity, as against the

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its interest. The ministry had sought to give full scope to every royal prerogative, for they wish the new king to be a real representative before the people of a constitutional monarchy. The splendid coaches of the royal establishment, with powdered grooms and footmen, and heralds and outriders in brilliant uniforms, made an old world picture of royal pageantry as the king moved between dense cheering masses, with solid lines of soldiers stretching from the palace to the parliamentary chamber. The marble colonnade of the chamber was garlanded with wreaths and flowers, and a great floral crown above the doorway indicated that even in this abode of democracy there was still a welcome for what remained of royalty.

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