

BIG BATTLE TAKES PLACE ON THE GALLIOLI PENINSULA

TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER AT THE DARDANELLES

Bodies Lying Four and Five Deep on the Ground--Many of Them Standing Erect.

London, July 13.—The Chronicle publishes the following from George Renwick, its correspondent at the Dardanelles, who gives his account of the recent heavy fighting on the Gallipoli Peninsula already officially reported.

The heaviest fighting which has taken place in the Gallipoli Peninsula since the allied forces landed there was that which began there Tuesday last and lasted well into Wednesday.

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FACTORY HEAT FOR GROWING MANY THINGS

By Special Wire to the Courier. Dresden, via London, July 13.—Successful results of experiments in increasing yields of gardens by heating the earth with the waste heat from factories, industrial establishments are announced by Professor Kuebler of the technical high school.

The originator of the scheme is a local engineer, who advocated experimenting with water heated by the waste heat from electric stations and factories and piped even miles distant to gardens and small farms.

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ALLIES GAIN TWO HUNDRED YARDS AND BOMBARD INTERIOR FORTS AT THE DARDANELLES.

DISSENSIONS IN TURK ARMY

Russians are Fortifying the Roumanian Frontier--Germany Has Given Her One Month to Reply.

By Special Wire to the Courier. PARIS, JULY 13.—THE ATHENS' CORRESPONDENT OF L'INFORMATION INFORMS HIS PAPER HE HAS RECEIVED FROM MYTILENE, NEWS TO THE EFFECT THAT AFTER ANOTHER SERIOUS BATTLE ON THE GALLIOLI PENINSULA, THE ALLIES' RIGHT WING HAS ADVANCED 200 YARDS AND THAT THE BOMBARDMENT OF THE INTERIOR DARDANELLES' FORTS CONTINUES.

London, July 13.—Despatches from Asia Minor received by the Exchange Telegraph Company's Athens' Correspondent state that all German officers with the Turkish army in Syria, have returned to Constantinople because of dissensions among the Turkish officers.

Berlin, via London, July 13.—A despatch to the Tageblatt from its correspondent at Cernowitz, Bukovina, says: "The Russians are fortifying their Roumanian border. Many thousands of men are at work digging trenches parallel with this border and building barbed wire entanglements.

The Russian Government of Bessaraba borders Roumania on the east. Austria-Hungary is reported to have pledged Roumania to undertake the conquest of Bessaraba and transfer it to the Balkan state in exchange for Roumania's active support in the war.

London, July 13.—The Post's Bucharest correspondent explains that Roumania has been given one month to reply to the Austrian offers, because for that time Germany believes that Turkey will be able to hold out in the Dardanelles, and, he adds, Austria and Germany will insist upon this time limit owing to the anxiety caused by the imperative necessity of securing free transport of munitions for Turkey through Roumania.

London, July 13.—A Petrograd despatch to The Times says: "All rumors that General Von Boehm-Ermolli's army has relieved General Von Mackensen and that the latter is now transferring his forces to the Warsaw or the western front, are totally discredited. On the contrary it is credibly reported that General Von Mackensen is being strongly reinforced and will soon resume operations."

"It is explained with reference to the sortie from Ossewitz that the fortress was not invested, that the enemy's activity was confined to its northern front. The fortress since November has maintained unbroken communications with its rear, successfully barring access to Bialystok and Brest Litovsk."

London, July 13.—According to a Rotterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, the German Colonial Office, in a statement relative to the surrender of the German forces in Southwest Africa, says: "If this surrender actually has taken place it was due to the overwhelming superiority of the British forces and occurred under the most honorable circumstances. It is the first British victory of the war and was won by a Boer general, and it will not affect the ultimate result of the war"

GERMANS RETREATED BEFORE THE CANADIAN INFANTRY WHO WENT GAMELY THROUGH EVERY OBSTACLE

Sir Max Aitken's Story of the Dominion Troops--A Record of Men That Were Dauntless in Attack and Stood Fast Under Awful Fire--A Narrative That Will Thrill Canada.

London, July 13.—Contradictory reports regarding the extent of the Austro-Hungarian reverse at Krasnik, in southern Russian Poland, continue, some even claiming that the Austro-Hungarians are contemplating a general retreat, but the mystery of the situation is the persistent silence maintained by Field Marshal Von Mackensen, who apparently is making no effort to resume the German advance on Warsaw.

Petrograd reasons this inaction of the Germans as being due to the fear of Field Marshal Von Mackensen that his left flank would be exposed, while the Austrians were on the defensive, but some fear is expressed in London by observers that the German military commander is planning an unexpected coup.

The German attack on Stouchev, where the French advances had threatened the town of Lille may indicate the arrival on the western front of the long-expected Teutonic reinforcements, but evidence still is lacking of any strong offensive on either side along the battle front in France and Belgium.

Germany and Austria-Hungary, according to despatches from the Balkan states, are using every diplomatic resource to induce Roumania to join military forces with the central powers or at least to preserve an attitude of permanent friendly neutrality. It is reported that the Austro-Hungarian minister at Bucharest has offered the Roumanian Government liberal territorial compensation for armed assistance, countering Russia's offer of Transylvania with that of Bessaraba.

Her reward for friendly neutrality is said to be Bukovina as far as the River Pruth.

From Austrian sources comes a report that Russia is giving substantial proof of the possibility of Roumania's accepting one of these Teutonic offers by building trenches and entanglements along her Roumanian frontier.

Bulgaria and Turkey are said to have reached a deadlock in their negotiations on account of the refusal of Sofia to do more than preserve a friendly neutrality in return for territorial compensations from Constantinople.

London, July 13.—The intelligence branch at general headquarters of the British army in the field authorizes the publication of the following narrative by Sir Max Aitken, the Canadian record officer, serving with the army in France:

"At Canadian battle front—Things have transpired which made me learn the size and meaning of the game. I did not more than others did, I don't know where the change began. I started as an average kid, I finished a thinking man—Kipling.

"I send you here a bald record of work in the trenches by our own people. It is couched almost in official phrases, but, now and then, I have interpolated some personal anecdote, which may help to show you what triumph and terror and tragedy of permanent friendly neutrality. It is reported that the Austro-Hungarian minister at Bucharest has offered the Roumanian Government liberal territorial compensation for armed assistance, countering Russia's offer of Transylvania with that of Bessaraba.

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GERMAN RAIDER SHIP KONIGSBERG DESTROYED

Taking Refuge in German East Africa, Was Sought Out and Bombarded.

London, July 13.—The Admiralty announces that the German cruiser Konigsberg, which in the fall of last year took refuge from the British fleet in the Rufiji River in German East Africa, has been totally wrecked by British river monitors. The Konigsberg was a vessel of 3,348 tons, and had a speed of about 23 knots. She was a protected cruiser. The announcement of the Admiralty follows: "Since the end of last October the Konigsberg had been sheltering some distance up the Rufiji River in a position which rendered attack against her most difficult, only shallow draught ships being able to get sufficiently close to engage the cruiser effectively."

"Two months ago the Admiralty decided to send two river monitors, namely, the Severn, Captain Eric Fulleton, and the Mersey, Commander Robert A. Wilson, to assist the Commander-in-chief of the Cape station, Vice-Admiral H. King-Hall, in these operations."

AIRCRAFT LOCATE CRUISER. "The position of the Konigsberg was accurately located by aircraft, and as soon as the monitors were ready the operations were begun. On the morning of July 4 the monitors entered the river and opened fire, to which the Konigsberg replied immediately, firing salvos with five guns with accuracy and rapidity. The Mersey was hit twice and four men were killed and four wounded by one shell."

"As the Konigsberg was surrounded by a jungle, the aeroplanes experienced great difficulty in locating the fall of our shot. She was hit five times early in action, but after the

Edison has accepted the chairmanship.

Washington, July 13.—Announcement by Thomas A. Edison of his acceptance of Secretary of the Navy Daniels' offer to head an advisory board of civilian inventors for the proposed bureau of invention and development in the navy department, was received with gratification to-day by naval officers. Secretary Daniels was especially pleased because upon Mr. Edison's acceptance depended almost entirely the development of the secretary's plan of utilizing the inventive genius of the country to aid in perfecting the navy as a fighting machine. Mr. Daniels, who appealed to Mr. Edison to undertake the task on patriotic grounds, went ahead to-day with the perfection of his new plans. Details of the proposed organization, however, will not be completed until the secretary has had an opportunity to confer with Mr. Edison, which he proposes to do very soon. It is planned to have men prominent in special lines of inventive and research work associated with the bureau, several names already being under consideration.

One of the big problems to be laid before the new bureau will be that of improving the navy's submarines and aeroplanes, the imperative need of which is recognized.

Referring in his letter to Mr. Edison re submarine warfare, Secretary Daniels said that he felt sure that with Mr. Edison's wonderful brain to help them, the officers of the navy would be able to meet this new danger with new devices that will secure peace to this country.

Rev. Dr. G. J. Bond has left Halifax to take charge in Sackville.

MOHAWK PARK INSPECTED! IMPROVEMENTS TO BE MADE

Party Composed of Parks Board and Chairman of Building and Grounds Committee Decide on the Alterations and Improvements.

The board of parks management, with the chairman of the building and grounds committee and several of the officials visited Mohawk Park yesterday afternoon and inspected the work and improvements which are being pushed there. The party, which consisted of Mayor Spence, Ald. Ryerson, Pitcher and Messrs F. Cockshutt, A. K. Bunnell, Hawkins, City Engineer Jones, Parks Supt. Waller and Relief Officer Glover, boarded the special car on the corner of Colborne and Market streets, and were soon at the park. Several places in the grounds, men were busily engaged in clearing out the underbrush. Much progress has been made along this line, but it will be some time before the premises have been thoroughly cleaned out. Several members of the party thought that the trees were too thick, and should be thinned to allow a certain amount of sunlight to reach the ground. This would prevent the ground from being so damp in the lowest places.

OTHER IMPROVEMENTS The pagoda which overlooks the water, will be straightened, painted green and white like the other buildings and lighted up at night by electricity. This will make it very attractive and noticeable to passengers entering the city on the T. H. & B. railway, which runs along the opposite bank of the lake.

Mr. Waller proposed that sand be deposited on certain parts of the bank where the slope is gradual and a good bathing beach could be made in this way.

Considerable discussion was held in regards to the entrance into the park from Mohawk avenue. There is a deep ravine right on the boundary line, and it would take some trouble to build the road. It was commonly agreed that the services of an engineer were needed. He could examine the ground and report to the board. That would be time enough for the matter to be considered, as the road was not immediately needed.

The athletic grounds were next examined. It would take time and money to turn the grounds into a diamond

With each bag of peanuts, a carnation free, Saturday, July 17th. Peanucki's, Market Square, and 270 Colborne Street.

RECRUITING PROGRAM

The Rural Deaneary of Brant met and decided that on Sunday the 18th, the following plan of campaign in aid of the recruiting should take place as follows: Grace Church; 11 a.m., Rev. Paterson-Smythe; 7 p.m., Rev. Adamson.

St. Jude's parade: Rev. H. F. D. Woodcock; 7 p.m., Rev. C. W. Saunders.

St. James': 11 a.m., Rev. Mr. Softley; 7 p.m., Rev. McKegney.

St. Paul's: 11 a.m., Mr. A. S. Mitchell; 7 p.m., Rev. Turnell.

St. Luke's: 11 a.m., Rev. Lester; 7 p.m., Rev. Lester.

Trinity: 11 a.m., Rev. McKegney; 7 p.m., Rev. Softley.

St. John's: 11 a.m., Rev. C. W. Saunders; 7 p.m., Rev. Mr. Stout.

Mohawk: 11 a.m., Rev. Turnell; 7 p.m., Mr. A. S. Mitchell.

Paris: 11 a.m., Rev. Adamson; 7 p.m., Rev. Paterson-Smythe.

Burford: 11 a.m., Rev. Cameron; 7 p.m., Rev. Woodcock.

There will also be mass meetings as follows: Paris at 3; Burford at 7, and Brantford at 8.30. The chief speakers will be Capt. Rev. H. F. D. Woodcock, M.A., and Capt. Rev. J. L. Gilmour, M.A., D.D.

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CITY COUNCIL HELD QUIET BUSINESS SESSION LAST NIGHT

Little of Importance Transpired: Special Meeting Next Monday, Then They Will Adjourn For the Month.

With all members present, the City Council met last evening in the council chambers. A special business meeting will be held on Monday next then, on account of the warm weather, and unimportant nature of the business, the council will adjourn for a month.

Last evening's meeting was a short and decidedly business meeting. Several communications, reports and accounts were read and briefly dealt with. There were no By-laws or petitions brought up at all.

COMMUNICATIONS The time lists of T. H. Jones of June 28th amounting to Streets 1033-11 Sewers 702.53, Street Watering 879.68, were confirmed and also those of July 3rd, amounting to Streets 884.81, Sewers 670.76 and Street Watering 863.00.

The communications of the Hydro Electric Power Commission, regarding the poles on Colborne street and L. S. Ireland re poles on Eagle Ave, were referred to the Board of Works. The report of the Medical Health Officer was also referred to the Board of Works.

Ald. Ryerson asked why the services of an outside engineer had been secured in connection with the poles on Eagle avenue. Both the mayor and Ald. Calbeck explained that Mr. Ireland had power to act as he chose in this connection.

The time lists of John Thresher of June 28th, amounting to: Cemeteries \$106.60 were confirmed.

The communications of R. G. Scott, Sec. I. O. O. F., to enter the cemeteries for decoration purposes on August, that of W. H. Mowat concerning a poorly wired store house and stable in West Brantford and that of W. M. Charlton, who requested on behalf of Taylor and Bodley that the plans for the new city hall be paid for, were referred to the Building and Grounds Committee.

Alderman Ryerson stated that the Council should not pay the \$200 as requested by W. Charlton for the plans drawn up by Taylor and Bodley. During ex-Mayor Hartman's first term of office, a committee had

been given control of the matter, but had not given the architects instructions to draw up the plans. However drawn up they were and efforts made to force them upon the council. That was about four years ago, and the account has just been sent in now. The architects received \$850 from the Board of Education for school plans and immediately after request \$2000 from the council for plans that were never ordered or received. Ald. Ryerson stated these facts merely to give the councillors an idea of the matter.

The monthly statements of the Brantford General Hospital, containing the accounts of indigent patients whose accounts amounted to \$536.90, and the coal inspection and market reports from A. McAuley, with the relief and bread inspection reports from Wm. Glover were filed together with the quarterly report of R. W. Devereaux, V.S. The communications from A. K. Bunnell, secretary of the Board of Education; W. A. Littlejohn city clerk of Toronto and S. H. Kent, city clerk of Hamilton regarding the jitney By-laws in those cities; and that of the Ontario Municipal Association about the annual convention to be held on September 1st and 2nd, were referred to the Finance Committee.

Bunnell endorsing a letter from the Brantford Patriotic and War Relief Association was also filed and an order of \$25,000 in favor of the association was ordered to be issued.

The mayor explained that the Hospital account simply stated the number of days chargeable to the city, provided that the Hospital be run separately from the corporation report sent in monthly, under ordinary circumstances it would be charged to the municipality.

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THEATRE Program RAINED... SHIP BALL... TON... LIVERY... NOT INN... Crown... CAFE... LIM YIP... Cafe... Cafe... Coal... ES:...