

FORTY-FIFTH YEAR

BRANTFORD, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1915

PROBS: Thursday—Fine and mild.

ONE CENT

VIVID TALE OF AN AIR ATTACK

French Aviator Tells How He Destroyed a Balloon and Aeroplane.

ADVANCED FROM CLOUD TO CLOUD

Afterwards Airman and Pilot Waltzed Home Photographing Each Other.

Paris, Oct. 27.—Sergeant Aviator "G. G." who recently destroyed a German captive balloon and an aeroplane on one trip, describes his double exploit in a letter received by friends at Fontenoy-le-Comte, where he was a high school teacher.

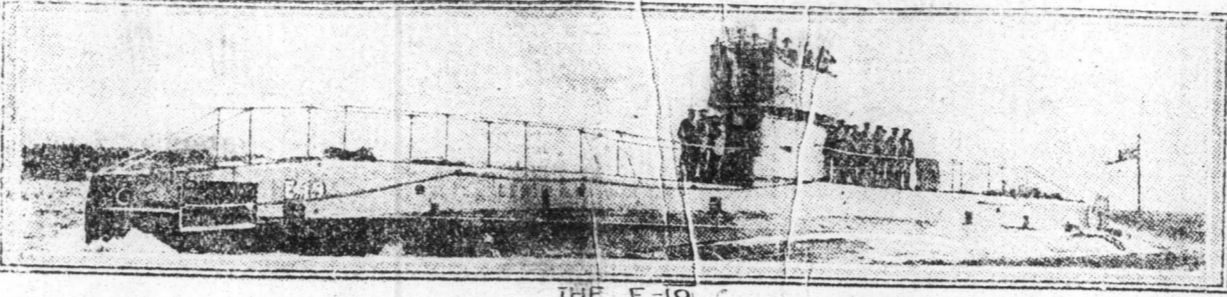
NEXT WINTER HARD FOR ENEMY

Hun Papers Describe Hungry Thousands Surrounding Foodshops.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, Oct. 27 (In Montreal Gazette)—The Daily Chronicle this morning says in an editorial article: "The prospect of war through another winter is a hard one for all the belligerents, but evidence is accumulating that it will be a much harder one for the enemy than for the Allies."

BRITISH SUBMARINE THAT SUNK GERMAN DESTROYER IN THE BALTIC



The E-19 is one of the British submarines that figured in the operations in the Baltic, in which two German destroyers were reported sunk. According to the despatch the E-19 torpedoed one of the destroyers at the southern entrance to the sound, a narrow strait between Denmark and Sweden.

IMPOSSIBLE FOR ALLIES TO HELP SERBIAN ARMY

Major Morahit, Military Critic of the Berliner Tagblatt, Says Bulgarian Capture of Kumanovo, Uskup and Velis Has Closed Off Aid for Serbia.

Italy needs all her reserves in the Alps, since she has lost hundreds of thousands of men by senseless attacks upon the bravely defended Austro-Hungarian positions. It cannot be doubted, he adds, that all her future sacrifices will be equally useless and that finally the day will come when the Austro-Hungarians themselves will take the offensive.

EXPLODED NEAR KING

By Special Wire to the Courier.

PARIS, Oct. 27, 5.40 p.m.—Four shells exploded only 200 yards from King George of England and President Poincare of France during their visit to the front yesterday, according to a Temps correspondent back of the firing line.

Bulgaria Claims Right to Follow Serbs Into Greece

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Saloniki, Oct. 27.—The Bulgarians have been completely driven out of Serbia on a line extending from the French sector of Kladovo to Lukovo. They have been pushed back also from Velis to the outskirts of Istin, probably rendering their Komanovo-Vranja line untenable owing to the menace of Serbian attack on both sides.

MR. W. F. COCKSHUTT BACK FROM C. N. TRIP THROUGH TO COAST

Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., returned last evening from a trip to Victoria as one of the guests of the Canada Northern Railway. The coast marked the first transcontinental train on this system.

JUNCTION EFFECTED

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Berlin, Oct. 27, via London.—Direct connection between the Austro-German forces in Serbia and the Bulgarian army of General Boyadjieff has been established on the Danube River to the east of Brza Palanka, according to the official announcement given out today by the German army headquarters staff.

KING GIVES MESSAGE TO FRENCH TROOPS

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Paris, France, Oct. 27.—The following order of the day was issued today by General Joffre, the French commander: "It gives me pleasure to transmit to the army an order of the day, which His Majesty the King of England, has graciously addressed to you on the occasion of his visit to the French front."

Asquith Will be Quizzed on Peace Talk

London, Oct. 27.—When Premier Asquith returns to the House of Commons tomorrow, he will be asked by Arthur Bryce whether official exchanges of views have been carried on between Berlin and London with the possible object of the conclusion of an early peace.

King George Visits Front

Paris, Oct. 27.—President Poincare and King George met yesterday on the western front and inspected the British troops. Today King George, accompanied by the Prince of Wales, returned the visit to the French headquarters and inspected the artillery observatories and the sites of the batteries.

BULGARS HAVE HARBORS

London, Oct. 27.—It is semi-officially announced in Berlin, says a despatch from Rotterdam to the Daily Telegraph, that all the important harbors of eastern Serbia on the Danube are being effected by the Bulgarians, and that further access for the Serbs by way of Roumania is therefore stopped.

German Success.

Berlin, Oct. 27, via London.—German troops under Field Marshal von Hindenburg have penetrated Russian positions over a front of more than a mile in the fighting in the Dvinsk region the War Office announced today.

MORE TURNS OF HUN PLOT

Secret Service Finds That Breitung Tried to Sell Explosives.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

New York, Oct. 27.—Federal secret service agents, under the direction of William J. Flynn, today continued their investigation of the stories told by Lieut. Robert Fay of the German army and others alleged to be concerned in the plot to blow up war munition vessels or supply plants in America.

HOLDING OFF ITALIAN DRIVE

Austrian Official States All Attacks in Italian Theatre Fail, With Heavy Loss.

MUCH PROGRESS IN SERBIA

Mountainous Country in Bend of Danube Cleared of All Hostile Forces.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Vienna, via London, Oct. 27.—The Austrian war office issues the following official statement: "Russian theatre: Southwest of Czartorysk, the Austro-Hungarian troops repelled several attacks by Russian sharpshooters and captured two officers, 500 men and two machine guns. On both sides of the road to Czartorysk, from the northwest German regiments repulsed the enemy. Total Russian losses in this district for the day reached four officers, 1,450 men and ten machine guns."

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Ship Will Sail to Denmark

American Owners Going to Test Admiralty Ruling Regarding Cargo to Neutrals.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

New York, Oct. 27.—The Steamship Winnebago, one of the forty-seven vessels chartered by the British admiralty, will leave New York for Copenhagen and Gothenberg despite the British warning, according to an announcement by her agents. The Winnebago is now loading a cargo of food and other non-contraband supplies for Danish and Swedish ports.

King Won't Go.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Paris, Oct. 27.—Information was received here today to the effect that King Constantine of Greece has given up his project of going from Athens to Saloniki. The king had made all preparations for the trip, but finally concluded it might lead to an embarrassing situation, owing to the presence at Saloniki of the allied commanders, an exchange of official calls with whom might be misconstrued.

Another Spy Executed.

London, Oct. 27.—Official announcement was made today that another spy had been sent to death. The spy was executed by a firing squad, charged with espionage, was tried recently by the general court martial, found guilty and sentenced to death. This sentence was confirmed and was carried out this morning.

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