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THE DEADLIEST WAR WEAPON

OF ALLIES' AIRMAN SAID AVIATOR SMASHES KRUPP WORKS

According to Dispatch Received in London From The Hague.

AIRMAN HITS TARGET

Explosives Land On Buildings Devoted to Cannon Manufacture.

FLYER MAKES ESCAPE

Great Plant Is Germany's Most Famous War Implement Factory.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Dec. 3.-2:35 p.m.-A foreign aeronaut yesterday dropped bombs on the Krupp factory at Essen, Germany, the great plant at which are manufactured the famous German siege guns, as well as smaller arms and ammunition, according to a dispatch received today by the Exchange Telegraph Company from The

This message quotes a dispatch from Berlin to the effect that the bombs were dropped on the buildings devoted to the manufacture

It is said that the airman escaped uninjured, and that the extent of the damage has been ascertained,

HALF OF BUILDINGS STRUCK BY EXPLOSIVES

London, Dec. 8 .- 2:35 p.m.-A

dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company quotes a message from Berlin to the effect that the Krupp factory at Essen, Germany, was bombarded yesterday by an aeronaut. It is said that bombs were dropped from the aeroplane on the guns on half of the buildings. The airman escaped uninjured a d the extent of the dani-

SAYS ARMIES OF **ENEMY HELPLESS**

ench Colonel Ridicules Idea of a Hundred German Army Corps.

E ALLOWS FIFTY-EIGHT

Must Now Realize They Have Not Enough To Crush Europe.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Dec. 3 .- A Paris cable to the Herald says: "Lieutenant-Colonel Rousset, in the Liberte this afternoon, idicules the German assertion that there are one hundred army corps in

"If it were true it would only make Germans' failure the more striking but the assertion is not true," says Lieut.-Col. Rousset. "The Germans ve fourteen and a half corps opposthe Russians and forty-three and half corps opposing the Franco-

Both in the east and the west the Germans are helpless. On their east-ern frontier they are fighting desperatelp to escape from the Russian grip, while in France and Belgium they are into the trenches, when every attempt at a sortie means heavy

Instances Thrashing.

'The latest instance is the thrashing they received yesterday south of Bixschote, while still further south the French drove them out of Vermelles.
"The Germans," concludes Lieut. they haven't sufficient forces to crush

Europe. The tendency of the press is to doubt much of the news emanating from German sources in Holland. Information. for example, cl- sees as dubious the Daily Mail's Lotterdam dispatch reporting that the German Crown Prince had issued orders for another great attack on the Yser line, and Lieut.-Col Rousset warns the public not to credit such rumors, "as the German general staff is not likely to announce openly

Rousset an Authority. Lieutenant-Colone: Leonce Rousset the famous French military critic and author, who has been contributing to the Paris newspapers analysis of the ement of troops on both sides since the war began, was formerly a mem-ber of the French Chamber of Depules. He is an officer of the Legion of Henor and an officer of the Academy years ago he married Mile. De Their receptions during the season in Paris are attended by llitary and literary celebrities of the French capital.

KING GEORGE REPORTED TO BE ON FIRING LINE

[Canadian Press.]

afternoon by the Evening News from

PASSED IN MANITOBA

Licensees and Clubs Asked To

Sell No Liquor After

[Canadian Press.]

on December 10 of the present year.

NO AGREEMMENT YET.

1 last adjourned at noon today, after

failing to reach an agreement, and will

INSPECTS NORWAY COAST!

the Daily Mail from Christiana.

Norway, says that King Haakon

goes to Trondhjem today, where he will embark on the battleship Har-

ald Haarfagre for a cruise along the

coast from Trondhjem to Bergen, ir

order to inspect the measures taken

for the defence of Norwegian neu-

TAKEN AS PRIZE

Lloyd's Agency declared today that

the Norwegian steamer Ran, which

day) from New York, has been taken into custody by ene British

authorities and is being held as

SCIENTIST IS PRISONER

Paris, Dec. 3.-Dr. Albert Cal-

director of the Pasteur Institute at

Lille, who has been acting as one

of the chiefs of the medical ser-

vice of the army, has been missing

for some time. It is now reported that he is a prisoner of war at

Dr. Calmette is a brother of the

late editor of the Figaro, Gaston

Calmette, who was shot and killed

by Mme. Caillaux, wife of the well

NEW METHOD HELPING

ne grafting discovered by

Paris, Dec. 3 .- The method of

Alexis Carrel, of New York, and Dr.

Voronoff, of Nice, at the Rocke-feller Institute for Medical Re-

search, New York, is being taught

to French army surgeons by Dr.

known French statesman.

Munster, Westphalia,

reached Liverpool yesterday (Sun-

London, Monday, Nov. 30-9:36

.- (Delayed in transmission.)-

London, Dec. 3.-A dispatch to

Winnipeg, Dec. 3.-An order-in-

EARLY-CLOSING ORDER

FLAYS KAISER U. S. Consul at Hamilton, Free To Speak After Retiring, Scores German Militarism.

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 3.—Colonel J. H. Shepard, United States consul at Hamilton, who has retired after 17 years' service, speaking at a farewell dinner at the Hamilton Club last night, expressed his strong sympathy with the Allies, and declared that German militarism must be crushed forever. Colonel Shepard explained that until he retired from American Government's service he was prevented from expressing any opinion on the war

GERMAN SUBMARINES ARE BOTTLED UP AT ZEEBRUGGE

Naval Bombardment Destroys Plant For Opening Locks, Imprisoning Craft.

which supplies power for the operation of the lock gates giving access to the maritime canal, with the result that they cannot be opened. The submarines waiting in the inner basin are bottled up.

The Germans are in a serious pre-[Canadlan Press.]

New York, Dec. 3.—A special cable to the Herald, dated on the Belgian frontier Wednesday, says: "The land and the submarines piecemeal overland the submarines piecemeal overland." naval bombardment of Zeebrugge to Antwerp, and the delay in this mat-caused destruction of the electric plant ter may be disastrous to them.

300 From Border City Here To Honor Eighteenth Battalion Commander.

REGIMENT IS PARADED

Corps Drawn Up For Inspection of Visiting Delegation.

To honor Lieut.-Col. E. S. Wigle, commander of the Eighteenth Battalion, about 300 Windsorites and the Twenty-first Essex Fusiliers' Band came to London today in a special train of seven coaches. They are here to say farewell and to pay a tribute to all London, Dec. 3—1:18 p.m.—King the boys who are going to the front George of England, who has been visuiting the British lines in Flanders, went out to the firing line today, according who enlisted at Windsor. About half the members of the party were women. including Mrs. Wigle and her daughters. The trip was arranged under the auspices of the Windsor Board of Trade, and every member of the party carried a pennant bearing the words "Made in Canada." Headed by the band, they gave a short parade on Trade, and every member of the party Richmond and Dundas streets, the

band playing "Tipperary" in a snappy

No special arrangements were made for dinner, as it was not known when the special train would get in, and as could get something to eat. Review of Troops.

Feeling obligated to the Windson people who journeyed so far to see his battalion, and who have so many repcouncil has been passed by the provin- resentatives enlisted in its ranks, Col. cial cabinet requesting licensed hotels Wigle drew up all his men for review and social clubs to discontinue the sale this afternoon before Col. W. E. Hodgins, Lieut.-Col. L. W. Shannon, Lieut.of intoxicating liquors on their prem- Col. Campbell, Lieut.-Col. Gartshore ises after the hour of 7 o'clock in the and Major Spittal.

evening throughout the Province of Manitoba. It is also requested that all wholesalers close at 6 o'clock in the wholesalers close at 6 o'clock in the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several.

A parade and the review started at the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several throughout the Province of the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several throughout the Province of the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several throughout the province of the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several throughout the province of the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several through the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets, wounding several through the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets. The soldiers were put through the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets. The soldiers were put through the barracks shortly after 2 o'clock, the battalion being in line with fixed bayonets. evening. This order is to go into effect several manoeuvres to show how excel- other captives that he was about to be lently they have been drilled in the past released. This angered his comrades, several weeks, after which the officers' who attacked him. The guards inter-

Detroit Newspapermen Here, [Continued On Page Three.]

Sidelights of the European War

Voronoff at the Russian Hospital in Bordeaux. Several wounded sol-diers who lost portions of bone from their limbs have already been

treated successfully by this method

and prevented from being crippled

CZAR AT THE FRONT

Petrograd, Dec. 3.-Emperor

Nicholas has arrived at the theatre

of war in Poland, according to an

TSING-TAU BOOTY

Tokio, Dec. 3 .- A list of the war

booty captured by Japan at Tsing

China, was made public by army headquarters today. It includes 2,500 rifles, and 100 machine guns,

30 field guns, all needing repair; a small amount of ammunition, \$6,000

in cash, 15,000 cons of coal, 40 auto-

mobiles and provisions sufficient to

feed 5,000 persons for three months.

485 AT FORT HENRY

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 3.—There are now confined in Fort Henry 485

prisoners of war. Some of the prisoners have been put to work building up the road way leading to

KINGSTON MAN WOUNDED

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 3.-Word

has been received there that Percy Wright, who went to the front on the outbreak of war, has been wounded, and is in a hospital at Edinburgh. He was a reservist of the Eleventh Hussars, but was transferred to the Royal Horse

Royal Horse

All ships in the harbor, it is an-

nounced, were destroyed.

Tau, the German stronghold in

official announcement.

Pathetic and Inspiring

[Canadian Press.] London, Dec. 3 .- The corre-

landed in France, the French and dered to her the fullest homage on the quay. She was received by French and Belgian officers, and automobiles were in readiness to convey the royal party to the Belgian headquarters. "Nothing I have seen in this awful struggle has made more of an impression than the womanly figure of the Queen, bravely fac

a consequence they dined wherever they Cold Steel Charge Quells Ardor

A parade and the review started at mess served tea to the visiting ladies.

To Entertain Visitors.

miners have been on strike since April Wigle's staff have been invited. An incident of more than passing

Homecoming of Queen

spondent of the Daily News tele-graphs from Western Flanders: "I have just witnessed one of the most pathetic, but at the same time inspiring homecomings of the war. It was the arrival on Belgian soil of the Queen of the Belgians, the beautiful consort of the noblest king the brave and indomitable people ever have had. The Queen, carrying in her beautiful features all the care which this devastating war has inflicted upon the Belgian people, came from England through France. "When, dressed in black velvet and wearing a set of sable, she

devastated Belgian home.'

manner. Soldiers Have To Be at Quarters by ARE SOON SUBDUED

of Germans At Lancaster,

[Canadian Press.]

Lancaster, via London, Dec. 3-8:11 a.m.—An attempt to escape, made last night by a thousand prisoners in the concentration camp here, was thwarted by the guards, who charged the mobs

vened, but were overpowered. The reserves were summoned, and

[Canadiar Fress.]

Cleveland, O., Dec. 3.—The sub-committee of the miners and operators of the Eastern Ohio coalfield, where 15,000 dian room, to which the officers of Col.

The London Board of Trade will enture they reached the scene they be submitted to the board of control to the board of control to the submitted to the submitted to the board of control to the submitted to the submitted to the board of control to the submitted to the submitted to the board of control to the submitted at the double quick and soon subdued solicitor this afternoon as to the form the mutineers. The ringleaders were his report should take. He hoped arrested and placed in solitary con- have a final declaration ready by the report this disagreement to the joint interest in connection with the visit of finement. Only one man was seriously injured in the melee.

Guards. Mr. Wright is a son of

G. W. Wright, who came here two

v rs ago. His wound is in the

foot and he expects to be back at

KAISER TAKES COUNSEL

p.m.-Emperor William yesterday

had a conference at Breslau, in

Silesia, with Archduke Frederick,

commander-in-chief of the Austro-

Hungarian army, according to a

telegram received here today at

general headquarters. Archduke

Charles Francis, heir to the throne

chief of the general staff, also were

BIG CONTRACTS LET

Chicago, Dec. 3. — Purchasing agents of Britain and Russia clos-

ed contracts here yesterday for automobile trucks and tools

amounting to \$2,500,000, it was

announced today. Three hundred

200 three-ton and 100 five-ton, were

ordered for each country. Buyers

representing the British Govern-

ment received a cablegram ordering

picks and other trench-digging

NO UNDUE DELAYS

Spring-Rice, the British ambassa-

ment a note giving assurances that

Great Britain does not intend to

delay American ships unduly in

searching them for contraband.

dor, delivered to the State Depart-

Washington, Dec. 3.—Sir Cecil

several thousand shovels, buckets

and tools

military hospital at Breslau.

Later Emperor William visited a

General Von Hoetzendorf,

Berlin, Dec. 3, Via London-2:55

the front in a short time.

Temperance Petition Seems Scheduled For the Law Courts.

THREATEN A MANDAMUS

'Drys" To Resort to Former. "Wets" to Latter Course of Action.

Assessment Commissioner Stephen Grant's report, as to the sufficiency otherwise of the signatures on the license reduction petition, probably will

Mr. Grant refused to commit himse'f

as to the result of his investigations of

morning.

the names on the petition, except to or above the number required will be very small. It is a very close thing." In the event of the petition being found to bear an insufficient number of names, the council will be asked to submit a bylaw nevertheless, and, i case of refusal, the temperance people intend to apply to the courts for a mandamus compelling this action. On the other hand, the liquor men declare that, if a bylaw is submitted they will ask for an injunction to re nto effect. They say their legal advlaw has the same status as a bylaw for local option, and that it cannot legal unless the petition asking for the vote to be taken was signed by ten per cent of those on the voters' list. In any case, therefore, a report from

NOTHING TO CAUSE CHANGE IN ITALY

Mr. Grant, that the petition is not suf-

itigation instituted by one party or

Premier Intimates That Neutrality Is Likely To Be Maintained.

[Canadian Press.] London, Dec. 3.-4:16 p.m.

Rome correspondent of the Exchange alter her policy of neutrality.

sponsible for the war, although Russia was directly responsible, the chancellor said, by driving through a general mobilization. Long continued applause followed the close of his speech. WHATKITCHENER SAID TO MR. COBB

From a remarkable interview published in the Saturday Evening Post today, which Irwin S. Cobb had with Lord Kitchener, the following significant ex-"Lord Kitchener," I said, "in your

A torpedo sliding into its place in a submarine, ready to dart at a warship's side and bring death, perhaps, to nine hundred men.

"FRANCE AND RUSSIA THEY MATTER NOT!"

German Legislators Applaud Hollweg's Expressions of Hatred to Belgium and Her

Defender-Says War Was "Forced Upon" Teuton Nation.

Berlin, Dec. 2, Via London, Dec. 3.—When Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial chancellor, appeared today in the Reichstaz, he spoke seriously and slowly, reading his prepared speech with careful emphasis. He culogized the

German military successes, said that much remained to be done, but that Germany would persist to her last breath

BITTER AGAINST BRITAIN. The final portion of the chancellor's speech was devoted to an indictment of British policy as being morally re-

> opinion, how long will this war last?" "Not less than three years," he id. "It will end only when Gersaid. many is thoroughly defeated, not before—defeated on land and on sea. That the Allies will win is certain. That for us to win will require a

minimum period of three years I think probable. It might last longer -this war might. It might end sooner. It can end in only one way "That it will end in a month from now, or six months or a year, I do not think likely; so, to be on the

safe side. I say three years-at least

"If Germany gives up sooner, so much the better for Germany and for us and for all the world. If three years are required for the undertaking, or more than three years, the world will find that we, for our part, are prepared to go on, and ready to go on, and determined to go on, and certain to go on. In any event this war can have but one outcome—one ultimate conclusion." His big jaw

iscles twitched. He said three years! And at the time of speaking the war was a few days less than three months old. Three months-the seas already empty of commerce and the heads of half the world shaking to the tread of marching millions who produce nothing and devour everything! months-Germany already bleeding to death internally from two great, constant hemorrhages in her sides, and all France in the field, and England raising another million of the primest manhood in the Empire to be provender for cannon! Three months now—a year means

half of Europe underground and the other half on crutches! Two years means a continent turned into a charnel house and a hemisphere ruined for a generation to come! Three months now-and the supreme head of the British forces had just said there would be three years of it, and perhaps more than three years of it!
I came away after that—my forty

minutes were up. As I came out I passed three elderly officers who entered together, as though for a con-ference with their chief. They were generals, I think-finely erect, earnest, competent British military types; but they were not Kitcheners. I suppose there is only one Kitchener. I trust I am no emotional hero no soldier and know nothing of soldiering; but if I were a soldier and Kitchener were my commander, I believe it would be easy for me, be

ing a soldier, to be a hero worship-He does not inspire confidence in

dent-Wires To Beirut

Reported Cut.

[Canadian Press.]

of the Daily News at Rome, telegraph-

with Beirut has been cut off, and navi-

gation has been suspended

London, Dec. 3.—The correspondent

GARRISON MUTINY AT NEW YORK EAST SIDE ADRIANOPLE CONFIRMED

Feeling of Uneasiness Only According to Rome Correspon-Cause Known For the Stampede.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Dec. 3 .- Wit .. drawals of ficiently signed, is likely to result in deposits from private and savings banks on the East Side, begun by foreigners yesterday, a day after the suspension of the three banks of Abraham Kass, continued without abatement to-

> fected by today's run. Each had taken steps over night to meet the situation. They announced that all depositors were free to check out accounts in full, without giving the 60 days' notice of withdrawal, a privilege the banks might have exercised. There seemed to be no explanation for the runs except a general feeling of uneasiness, which has been chiefly noticeable among the foreign-born depositors since the closing of the Kass banks.

EMINENT ARTIST DEAD.

[Canadian Press.] Dec. 3.-Henry William Telegraph Company reports that at Banks Davis, the painter, died last night. the opening of the Italian Parliament today Premier Salandra stated that there was no new factor in the situation in the course of development at 1889, and served as president of the inpresent, which would prompt Italy to alter her policy of neutrality.

Italy to ternational jury of fine arts at Chicago in 1893.

Official Statements Report Artillery Attacks, But Little Change in Situation.

London Thinks There Is More Activity Than Is Officially

Stated.

FRENCH MAKE ADVANCES

[Canadian Press.] London, Dec. 3.—12 noon.—The in-creasing thunder of guns in the vicinity of Ypres and the arrival at Bruges of transports bearing wounded men, lead to the conclusion in London that a greaer degree of activity has prevailed in West Flanders than has been reported in the official communications. All reports agree that in Northern flercely contested, with the Germans

making desperate efforts to resume their forward movement in the direc-From Petrograd comes the report that General Rennenkampf has been made the scapegoat on account of the coup which enabled the German forces to cut through the encircling Russian cordon. According to this report the dilatoriness of General Rennenkampf in bringing up reinforcements made the success of the German movement pos-

Contrary Views.
Discussing the campaign as a whole, a well-known Berlin military critic maintains that the long resistance and the unexpected recuperative powers of the Austrians, coupled with their losses in Poland, have deprived Russia of such a large portion of her first-line troop that her offensive power has been i retrievably impaired. On the oth and, observers in Petrograd expresse the opposite view, and they are condent that Grand Duke Nicholas Wi prove himself more than a match he admitted resourcefulness of Gen

eral von Hindenburg. Russian forces are now reported to be within eight miles of Cracow, while the situation of Przemysi, the only other Austrian stronghold left in Galicia, is

declared to be desperate.

The anxiety in England over condi-One of the root important parts of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg's address was his declaration of Belgium's guilt in surrendering her neutrality, of which written proof, he said, had since come to light. These were not at Germany's disposal on August 4, he declared, although well known to British statesmen. This declaration caused prolonged appropriate to the reported capture of the releved by the reported capture of the elusive De Wet, the most formidable rebellion.

> FRENCH STATEMENT. [Canadian Press.]

Paris, Dec. -2:50 p.m.-The French official report, given out in Paris this afternoon says: "In Belgium there was a r.ther lively artillery fire directed against Nieuport, and to the

outh of Ypres. "The inundations have extended to the south of Dixmude. "From the Lys to the Somme there has been a violent bombardment, par-

ticularly at Aix-Noulette, to the west of Lens. "There was quiet along the entire front from the Somme to the Aisne

and in Champagne "In the Argonne several attacks of the enemy were repulsed and we made slight progress.

"In the Woevre district the German artillery evidenced certain activity, but with insignificant results. "In Lorraine and in the Vosges there is nothing important to report.

AUSTRIAN STATEMENT. [Canadian Press.] Vienna, Dec. 2.—Via London, Dec. 3. -5:00 a.m.-An official communication issued here tonight says: "In West Galicia it was generally calm Tuesday Russian night attacks in Northwest

Wolbrom were repulsed. "The fighting west of Nowo Rodom sko (Poland), and near Lodz is developing favorably.

"Before Przemysl (Galicla), the Russia s under the influence of their last sorties, have remained passive. Several of the enemy's aviators have dropped bombs unsuccessfully.

"In the Carpathians there has been no decision reached in the fighting as "The news that the Austrians had

entered Belgrade was enthusiastically cheered by the troops in the northern

NOTHING IMPORTANT.

[Canadian Press.]
Berlin, via London, Dec. 3.—3:10 p.m. Today's official statement was limited to the following brief announcement: "In neither theatre of war has any-

MAIL FOR BRITAIN

The next British mail will close to-

thing of importance happened."

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock ing today, says: "The report of the last night: Highest, 53; lowest, 46.

The official temperatures for the 12 mutiny of the garrison at Adrianople is confirmed. Telegraphic communication Highest, 47; lowest, 34.

TOMORROW-COLDER. Forecasts.
Today—Northerly winds; fair and a

Friday-Increasing northeast and east

Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Victoria 46 40 Cloudy Calgary 28 6 Snow Winnipeg 16 12 Cloudy Port Arthur. 30 18 Cloudy Parry Sound. 50 32 Cloudy Toronto 54 36 Cloudy

Toronto 54 Ottawa 42 Montreal 46 Weather Notes.

Pressure is quite high this morning over the Great Lakes, and nowhere very

Showers have been general from Eastern Ontario to New Brunswick, while the weather continues moderately cold in the West,

ONLY 19 SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRIST MAS!