

### ALLIES FIGHTING TO DESTROY THE DOMINATION OF PRINCE OF DARKNESS

New York, March 8.—At a meeting held in honor of the Archbishop of York, at Carnegie Hall here last night, the Hon. Elihu Root assured the Primate of England that the United States was "heart and soul" with Great Britain in the fight against German oppression.

"We are with you in heart and soul," he continued, "in judgement and conviction, in purpose and determination, proud to be with the men who have shown the manhood, the heroism, the high courage, the self-devotion, the willingness, to die for liberty, that the men of Great Britain have shown in these times. We are proud that our laws, our system of justice, our conception of liberty, our customs, came from those fathers out of whose loins sprang the men in the trenches upon the British line."

### RUSSIANS ORGANIZE TO REDEEM SIBERIA

Peking, March 9.—Plans for the restoration of popular government in Siberia under Admiral Kolchak, former commander of the Russian Black Sea fleet through the organization of an army to cooperate with Gen. Semenov, the leader of the anti-Bolshevik movement in Siberia are now in preparation, it is learned here. Already a newly formed organization of Russians has begun enlisting men for the support of Gen. Semenov, and yesterday four field guns and fifteen machine guns were forwarded to him on the Manchurian railway.

The new organization is under the leadership of Prince Nicholas Kudacheff, Russian Minister to China; Lieut. Gen. Horvath, Russian military commander at Harbin and former chief of the Russian railway administration there; M. Russanoff, Provisional Commissioner for the Province of Amur, and M. LAVOROFF, Provisional Commissioner for the Province of Irkutsk. Admiral Kolchak, who is a veteran of the Russo-Japanese war and was the head of the Russian Naval Commission that visited the United States last year, is now at Shanghai.

It is proposed that Gen. Semenov, with the support of the forces to be organized to reinforce him, shall advance from the town of Manchuria, on the Manchurian-Trans-Baikal border, where he is now fighting, as far east as Irkutsk, some 800 miles distant on the Trans-Siberian Railroad. There he is to await Japanese support in money and men, which, it is declared, have already been promised him. (From Irkutsk to the Ural Mountains on the border of European Russia, is a distance of about 1,800 miles.)

The latest telegrams from General Semenov show that he is fighting along the railway west of the town of Manchuria. All westbound trains, he reports, are being held at that point.

### TROTZKY RESIGNS

Petrograd, Friday, March 8.—Leon Trotsky, in an address at a meeting of the Maximalist party to-day, announced that he had resigned as Commissary for Foreign Affairs. As the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, Leon Trotsky, whose real name is Leber Braunstein, was the most important member of the revolutionary Government formed after the overthrow of Kerensky last November. Although Nikolai Lenin, as Premier, was the nominal head of the Government, Trotsky virtually controlled Russia's destiny up to the second peace conference at Brest-Litovsk.

It was Trotsky who made public the text of secret documents exchanged between former Russian Governments and foreign Governments, and it was he who proposed the armistices to the Central Powers early in December, which eventually led to the abortive conference at Brest-Litovsk. The negotiations were broken off in mid-February and hostilities were renewed. The Germans then submitted partial peace terms, but Trotsky took no part in the conferences. Trotsky's resignation is the second among the Russian leaders forecast by Berlin. On February 25 Berlin reported that Ensign Krylenko, commander of the Russian armies, had been superseded. A dispatch received in London on Thursday said Krylenko had resigned owing to differences with the Council of People's Commissaries. Trotsky's resignation was forecast by Berlin last Tuesday. The withdrawals of Trotsky and Krylenko leave Lenin as the survivor of the Bolshevik ruling triumvirate.

Trotzky also is President of the Petrograd Council of Workmen and Soldiers' Delegates, and was appointed Food Dictator, with unlimited authority, on February 20. Having escaped from Siberia, where he was sent for political offences, Trotzky was an exile at the outbreak of the war. He was expelled from Europe for preaching peace, and arrived in New York on January 14, 1916, but returned to Russia last April, after the overthrow of the Imperial Government.

### Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, N. B., March 13. Dr. Frank I. Blair returned on Saturday from Boston. While in that city he had the pleasure of visiting the Automobile Show. Mrs. Maria Burton entertained very pleasantly at afternoon tea, on Friday afternoon of last week. A party of lady friends.

Mr. B. Y. Curran has gone to the Pacific coast for an extended visit. The annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club will be held on Thursday evening in the Town Council Chamber.

Miss Alice Short, of Calais, has been visiting Mrs. O. W. Hawthorne in St. Andrews.

Lieut. Howe Grant, who was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Grant, of St. Stephen, has returned to Toronto.

Mr. W. F. Higgins has been confined to his residence with illness for several days. A meeting of the Women's Patriotic Association was held on Tuesday evening. The President, Mrs. A. F. Vessey, was re-elected to office for this year. This society has done a fine work, and plans to continue it through this year.

There was no Western or other mail arrived at noon to-day. Only the Woodstock train succeeded in reaching St. Stephen.

The Parent-Teachers Association held a meeting in the Town Council Chambers on Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance of interested people in spite of the bad weather, and great attention was given to a lecture by Dr. Sexton, of Halifax, N. S., the subject, "Vitalizing of Education."

Mrs. Charles E. Adams has returned from a business trip to Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell C. Whitlock and daughters are still occupying apartments at the St. Croix Annex, and will remain until the cold weather is over.

Dr. Richard Kalish and Miss Anne Kalish, of New York City, are in Calais. They were recently bereft of their brother, Hon. Bruno Kalish, of Calais, who died while visiting them in New York City, and was interred there.

Mrs. Daniel Gillmor, Mr. and Mrs. Dawes Gillmor, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gillmor and Mr. Horace Gillmor, were in St. Stephen for a brief stay last week, when en route to Montreal.

Mrs. G. H. McWha and children have returned to their Winnipeg home, after a visit of three months in St. Stephen.

Miss Ada Taylor has accepted a government position in Washington, D. C., and left last week for that City. Miss Taylor is the daughter of Assistant postmaster Taylor in Calais.

A bronze tablet is soon to be placed in the Methodist Church to the memory of the late Hon. George J. Clarke, by his widow. Mrs. Franklin Eaton had the misfortune to lose her purse last Wednesday while walking from the Red Cross rooms in Calais to St. Stephen. The purse contained \$50.

Mrs. Willard McLean, of Lewiston, Me., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mungall, in Milltown.

Mrs. Granville, of St. John, has been spending a few days with her niece, Miss Branscombe. Rev. George M. Young, of Fredericton, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church, on Sunday, and Rev. H. S. B. Strothard went to Fredericton to preach to Mr. Young's congregation.

### LORD'S COVE, D. I.

March 5. A large number attended the C. E. social held in the Old Church building on Thursday evening. A programme of recitations, songs, and games was carried out, after which a treat was served of apples, chocolates, cake, and coffee.

The Orangemen marched to Church at this place in a body on Sunday evening, when Rev. H. R. Bell, delivered a fine sermon. A male quartette was arranged by Rev. Mr. Bell, Fred Lambert, Ross Lambert, and Bertie Morang.

Mrs. George B. Stuart, of Stuart Town, was an over-Sunday visitor with Mrs. C. A. Adams. Mrs. Harold Lord and children, and Miss Dora Lord, of Richardson, were visitors on Tuesday with Mrs. A. C. Lambert, of Lambertville.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Audley Richardson on the arrival of a baby boy on Monday, 11th. Mrs. Lizzie Smith, who has been staying with her brother, Mr. G. E. Richardson, for the winter, returned to her own home on Tuesday evening.

The Steamer Connors Bros. was a welcome visitor in this port on Monday, after an absence of four weeks. Mr. Benjamin Simpson was an over-Sunday visitor with friends in Chocolate Cove.

Miss Ada Cross, who has been visiting Mrs. G. A. Stuart, returned to her home in St. Andrews on the Steamer Connors Bros. on Monday. Much can be said concerning the inconvenience of our mails on the island. We have had during the winter as low as only two mails a week. Correspondence letters must be sent as early as Tuesday, to prevent the news from being drier than a last year's robin's nest, and not blame the local papers for it.

It is the general opinion on the Island that the mail service cannot be properly carried out without the aid of a steamboat. Capt. G. I. Stuart is adding a fresh coat of paint to his automobile. The work is being done by Capt. G. C. Lord.

People wanting to leave the Island on Wednesday and Saturday can find good accommodation with Capt. Harry Simpson in his boat Rambler.

### CUMMINGS' COVE, D. I.

March 11. Mrs. Edgar Cummings and her mother, Mrs. W. H. Fountain, were recent guests of Mrs. Jack Ingalls at Lubec, Me.

Mrs. Fremont McNeill and little daughter, Phyllis, who have spent the winter in Worcester, Mass., are at home again. Little Miss Dorothy Ingalls is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cummings, while her mother is enjoying a trip to Mexico.

Mrs. James H. Ward is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dixon. Willis Doughty, of Leonardville, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mosher.

Rev. Mr. Bell, pastor of the Christian Church at Lord's Cove, preached an able sermon to a large congregation in the U. B. Church at Chocolate Cove on Tuesday evening last. We hope it may be Mr. Bell's privilege to visit us again.

Charles Palmer, of Machias, Me., is a guest of his sister Mrs. Walter Beaney.

### LEONARDVILLE, D. I.

March 6. Miss Lettie Doughty spent Sunday last in Eastport as the guest of Mrs. F. S. Varney. Mr. Aubrey Haney, Calais, Me., is enjoying a visit with relatives here.

Miss Emma Arnesen, of Richardson, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Otto Arnesen. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Mae Tewksbury's on Tuesday evening, March 12, weather permitting.

Mrs. Claude Tabor, of Woodstock, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

### LAMBERTVILLE, D. I.

March 8. Miss Verma Baker, of Lord's Cove, spent Tuesday with Miss Berna Stuart. The Red Cross Society was very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Frank Lambert on Monday evening.

Miss Berna Stuart fell and hurt herself very badly on Sunday evening. Mrs. Thos. Baker of Lord's Cove, visited Mrs. Aaron Lord on Monday. Miss Leona Lake, of Lubec, is visiting Mrs. Wm. H. Lambert.

Mrs. Thos. W. Mitchell spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ashley Leeman of Richardson. Mrs. Harold Lord and children, of Richardson, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Lambert.

### GRAND HARBOR, G. M.

March 7. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Justson, of Black's Harbor, arrived by Stmr. Grand Manan on Friday, and are guests of Mrs. Justson's sister, Mrs. Earl Ingersoll.

Mrs. J. E. Goslino left on Monday for Sussex, where she was called by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Mace. Ralph Guptill had the misfortune, on Tuesday, of cutting his foot quite badly. Miss Opal Bagley, of White Head, visited friends here this week.

Miss Tillie Shepherd, of Seal Cove, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Frank Young. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ingersoll, of Seal Cove, spent a few days of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Newton.

Mrs. Hector Leary, who has been ill at the home of Mrs. Albert Wooster, was so far recovered as to be able to return to her home at White Head on Tuesday. Mrs. Duran Brown and Miss Lydia Brown both continue very ill.

The W. M. A. S. of the Baptist Church held their monthly meeting at the home of the President, Mrs. L. L. Newton, on Monday evening. They will hold a public meeting in the Church on Sunday evening, March 17. Mrs. Fulton Ingalls and her daughters spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Russell, at Woodward's Cove.

John Daggett, who has been visiting relatives and friends here for the last three months, left on Thursday morning to return to his ranch in Okotoks, Alberta.

### CAMPOBELLO

March 11. Sunday witnessed one of the coldest, severest snow-storms of the season, lasting more than twelve hours and blocking roads everywhere. The storm was accompanied by a heavy North-west wind.

The Misses Josephine Mitchell and Louise Calder are both recent inmates of the Chipman Hospital at St. Stephen, both having undergone an operation for appendicitis there last week, and are convalescing satisfactorily.

Died, at the Calais Hospital, Thursday March 7, Mrs. Edward Hanson, of Eastport, Me., aged 25 years. Deceased was in her younger days a resident of Campobello Island, having lived there with her grandfather, Mr. Wm. Lank, of the North Roads.

Mrs. Edward Calder, who has been ill, is much better. Miss Olive Mitchell visited friends at Lubec, Me., on Saturday.

### WILSON'S BEACH, C-BELLO.

March 12. Perhaps a few words in regard to the Red Cross Society here would be interesting to readers of the Beacon in other lands. We have had six new members in the last few weeks. Our president, Mrs. Mark Newman, sent away on Monday, a box containing the following articles: 7 hot-water bottle covers, 6 laparotomy stockings, 6 pneumonia jackets, 12 pyjama suits, 66 pairs of socks. A number of pairs of socks are on hand, as the box was not large enough to hold them all.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phinney went to Eastport on Saturday en route for Boston, where Mrs. Phinney will be treated for internal trouble. The remains of Mr. Gorham Babcock, who died in Boston, were brought home for burial last week. There are left to mourn his early departure, a wife, three small children, father and mother, six brothers, and six sisters. He was a kind husband and father, and will be much missed by the family.

Mrs. Horace Riley, of Eastport, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brown. Mr. Clarence Newman is on the sick-list.

Mr. William James is very seriously ill at his home, Mill Cove. Mr. James has the distinction of being the oldest man on the island, his age being 96. There are five generations of the family living: Mr. James; his daughter, Mrs. Thaddeus Mitchell; granddaughter, Mrs. Herb Mitchell; great-granddaughter, Mrs. Fulton Babcock; great-great-granddaughter, Helen.

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