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WORLD-WIDE REGRET EXPRESSED ON KITCHEN

NEW AND OLD WORLD SEND MESSAGES ON DEAD MARSHAL

Col. Roosevelt Calls Kitchener a Great Civilizer.

TRIBUTE BY MR. CHOATE

New York Press Speaks With Sorrow of Dead Hero.

MADRID GREATLY SHOCKED

Flood of Messages of Sympathy From Allied and Neutral Nations.

[Canadlan Press.]

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 7 .- Col. Theodore Roosevelt last night paid the following tribute to Lord Kitchener: "Six years ago I passed through the Soudan, and was more deeply impressed than I can well express by the extraor-dinary benefits secured to the natives of the country by Lord Kitchener's conquest and the administration of himself and of his lieutenant and successor, Gen. Wingate. He rescued it from a condition of chronic slaughter and diminished by considerably more than half and of the younger children over nine-tenths died of disease or starvation. The result of the conquest was to establish absolute peace and justice un-

der the orderly reign of law. Industry flourished amazingly, slavery and the oppression of weaker tribes were com pletely abolished; schools were established everywhere and the Soudan en tered upon a career of peace, prosperity and justice, which it had never before known in its history. Compared to Dewey.

'Kitchener and Wingate did in the Soudan exactly what Admiral Dewey, Governor-General Taft, Smith, Forbes and their associates and Gens. Leonard Wood, Bell, Funston, Barry and others like them did for the Philippines. In each case the gain was immeasurable for the natives themselves and was also large from the standpoint of humanity

"Taken as a whole," Col. Roosevelt sid, "nothing has meant more for humanity than this work of spreading civilization over the world's waste spaces, and as a whole it has reflected the highest credit on the various nations engaged in the task. The death of Kitchener, who has been so prominent in this work, illustrates in striking fashion what a lamentable and evil thing it is that these nations should be taking one another's lives.

PRESS OF NEW YORK EULOGIES KITCHENER.

[Canadian Press.] New York, June 7 .- The morning newspapers here publish columns about the tragic death of Earl Kitchener, including London dispatches, sketches of

THE OLD SHIP MAN THE OARS, CANADIANS, "HELP." SIGNALS



[Canadian Press.]

New York, June 7.—The Evening Sun publishes the following: A marked stimulus to recruiting today—the last day under the voluntary group system—and a general demand for the internment of all regardless of age, sex or naturali are the immediate resultants of the death of Lord Kitchener. WHO WILL SUCCEED?

[Canadian Press.] London, June 7.—The Daily News' lobby correspondent writes: "There was some controversy in political circles last night as to the selection of the new secretary of state for war. Lamentable as is the tragic loss of Lord Kitchener, the needs of the war brook no delay, and it is realized that the new appointment must be made speedily. Some time ago the claims of Sir William Robertson to this high office were canvassed, and one member of the House of Commons privately made known his readiness to vacate his seat in favor of Robertson if the latter, in the course of events, succeeded to Kitchener. IS HE BEST MAN?

"But great as are Robertson's services it is not by any means generally felt he would be the best man to handle the civil side of the duties

of the secretary of state for war. "The vacancy reopens the question on which there has long been a good deal of feeling, whether the secretary of state for war ought to be a civilian appointment, just as Mr. Balfour, a civilian, is first lord of the admiralty. If this view is taken by the cabinet, the claims of various ministers may be discussed, and some are already speaking Lloyd George in this connection, but the minister of munitions has his hands full with the Irish question just now."

Egypt, Col. Roosevelt says Lord Kitchener was one of the great figures in that work of spreading civilization, which has been the greatest achievement during recent times. BATTERED UNTIL THEY

London, June 7.-A member of the crew of the Malay, in an account of the North Sea battle, published in the Daily Express, says: "After darkness had fallen our destroyers made seven torpedo attacks, and I myself saw the Hindenburg and another large enemy warship heel over and sink. We concentrated our fire on the great flagship of the commander-in-chief, all the time that daylight lasted, and got salvo after salvo into her sides. She was much battered by nightfall, and then the

Hindenburg?" he was asked. I am absolutely certain," he replied, with emphasis, adding: "We had been firing at her for an hour and a half, and I knew every line of

When Admiral Jellicoe's dispatch is published that will confirm what I say, and you will find that there are a good many others, too."

SKEFFINGTON'S JUDGE MENTALLY UNSTABLE

[Canadian Press.]

Dublin, June 7—Via London, 1:20 p.m.

—At today's session of the court-martial of Capt. Bowen-Colthurst, who is acof Capt. Bowen-Colthurst, who is accused of manslaughter for having aused the execution during the recent rebellion of F. Sheehy Skeffington, litor of the Irish Citizen; Thomas Dickson and Fred McIntyre, physicians, who had examined the defendant, testided he was mentally unstable.

THREE MILES OF CURB AND GUTTERS NOW LAID

City Engineering Department Progres-

laid three miles of curb and gutter to

AIRMAN KILLED.

[Canadian Press.] Newport News, Va., June 7.—Steve all flags on militia buildings throughout Kitchener will be mourned by the army late last night from burns received mast for one week, June 7 to 14, in-

AUSTRIANS ARE ROBBING THEIR ITALIAN LINE TO MEET RUSSIAN MENACE

Czar Is Hurling a Million Men at the Austrians, and Teutons Rush Troops From Other Fronts to Bolsters Up Defence.

(Canadian Press.)

Petrograd, June 7 .- Via London, 6:35 p.m. In their new offensive movement the Russians have captured more than 40,000 men, it was announced officially today.

[Canadian Press.] New York, June 7.—A London dispatch to a news agency here

The interest of the military critics of Europe is now centred on the armies of the czar. The Russian offensive has now been in operation for a week, each day growing in length of line, attack and frequency of infantry rushes. A Million Russians. According to official announce-

ment from Petrograd the drive has

already resulted in the capture of

nearly 30,000 prisoners, together

with cannon and small arms. The czar has more than 1,000,000 men massed along the line from the Pripet marshes to Pruth in the Bessarabian region. Critics the Austrian defenders are but half that number. For several days prior to the Russian offensive the official Austrian reports bristled with announcements of successes against Italy. No reports of successes have been made in the past few days, indicating that the Austrians already may have withdrawn troops to bolster up the line against the czar.

FOE'S CASUALTIES IN NORTH SEA FIGHT, 6,800

(Canadian Press.)

London, June 7 .- The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail learns from Kiel that the first unofficial estimate of German losses in the North Sea gives the number of killed at 800, of wounded at 1,400 and of missing at 4,600.

Casualties List of Officers Grows; Now Numbers 240

Lieutenants Wanklyn, Haggar ty and DeBay Reported Killed in Battle of Sanctuary Wood.

Lieut. A. A. Wanklyn of the Princess
Pats is returned as killed. He was a son of F. L. Wanklyn of Montreal, wards, Victorai, B. C.; Lieut. D. J. H. a director of the Canadian Pacific Rail-way and formerly head of the Dominion W. Hay, Port Arthur, Ont.; Lieut. W.

officer in the Princess Pats. He was a Farlane, Montreal; Lieut. H. R. Hingson of the principal of Harbord Col- ston, Montreal. legiate Institute, Toronto, who is now at the head of a regiment recruiting in Kippen, Toronto. Coronto,
Lieut. M. S. DeBay, Princess Pats,
Capt. R. W. Frost, Montreal.

reported killed, was a son of the manager of the Canadian Pacific Hotel at Caledonia Springs. Killed and Wounded.

Died of Wounds-Lieut. M. S. DeBay, Princess Patricias, Caledonia Springs,

Wounded.—Capt. W. H. Hudson, Belleville; Lieut. M. S. Hunt, Sastatchewan; Capt. E. W. Waud, Montreal; Lieut. F. A. Raynor, Pioneers; Lieut. C. B. Hill, C. F. A.; Lieut. B. Butstead, reported missing.

Capt. G. Cornello, P. Dergers, Lieut. E. B. Butstead, reported missing.

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Capt. G. Cornello, P. Dergers, Lieut. G. Wounded. Ross, Canadian Engineers; Lieut. G. wounded. at duty; Lieut. W. H. B. Bevan, Can-adian Engineers, back at duty; Lieut.

Lieut. G. N. Rutter, in list of 4th, has T. F. Morrison, Royal Canadian Regi- died of wounds

[Special to The Advertiser.] ment; Capt. H. W. Niven, Princess Ottawa, June 7.—This morning's cable Martin, P.P.C.L.I.; Lieut. W. E. C. and was calling for Republican relief the to the minister of militia carried an- Irwin, P.P.C.L.I.; Lieut. A. G. Pear- speaker, before undertaking to discuss to the minister of caster of the minister of minister of minister of minister of caster of minister of

J. Heckey, Port Arthur; Lieut, W. R. Creighton, Montreal; Lieut, B. C. Mc-

Wounded and at duty.-Lieut, W. H.

The Missing.
Missing.—Lieut. H. W. MacDonnell, P.P.C.L.I.; Major F. Palmer, Brandon; Capt. H. R. Richardson, Brandon; Killed on June 5—Capt. L. R. Cutten, Capt. S. H. Lewis, Brandon; Capt. A. Hugwash, N. S.; Lieut. G. S. ife, F. Crossman, Brandon; Lieut. E. S.

Hugwash, N. S.; Lieut. G. S. ife, Princess Patricias; Lieut. D. G. Haggarty, P. P. C. L. I., Toronto; Lieut. A. Wanklyn, P. P. C. L. I., Montreal; Capt. P. MacNaughton, Edmonton; Lieut. E. B. Gadd, Brandon; Lieut. C. A. Wilson, Brandon; Lieut. D. S. Borthwick, Brandon; Capt. G. A. B. Euckaran, Brandon; Capt. G. A. B. Euckaran, Brandon; Lieut. T. W. Brandon; Capt. G. A. B. Euckaran, Brandon; Lieut. T. W. Brandon; Capt. G. A. B. Euckaran, Brandon; Lieut. E. S. Skead, Brandon; Lieut. E. Smith, Brandon; Lieut. C. Lambert, Brandon; Lieut. E. Smith, Brandon; Lieut. C. B. Gadd, A. Wilson, Edmonton; Lieut. W. M. Buchanan, Brandon; Lieut. H. W. mental principles, we did not disagree over them. Edmonton; Lieut. O. B. Caster, Cockshutt. Toronto; Lieut. F. W. over a national policy. We split over Wounded .- Lieut. R. Downie, Cal-

Major S. L. Jones, P. P. C. L. I., reported wounded in wire of 4th, is now

R. Turner, Canadian Engineers, back | Capt. W. E. L. Coleman in list of 4th,

CANADIAN FORCE OFFICERS

"HE DID HIS DUTY." the Dominion of Canada will be at half-The order to that effect was promul-gated to the troops from militia head-

London, June 7 .- Among the numer-

HARDING ASKS FOR PEACE IN G.O.P. PARTY

Republican Temporary Chairman Outlines the Platform.

WANTS POWERFUL NAVY

Arraigns Wilson for Foreign and Mexican Policies.

FOR PROTECTIVE TARIFF

Hopes United States Will Have Share in Bringing About Peace.

[Canadian Press.] Chicago, June 7.—As the Repub-lican and Progressive conventions assembled today, there was no outward evidence of any marked change in the situation. Overnight conferences among the leaders failed to develop any definite plan on which they could agree on a candi-

Some of the Republican leaders felt today that their convention might not proceed to nominations before Friday, and even later if prospects of harmony develop at the last moment. If there was any change at all in the lineup overnight it showed an increase in the strength of Hughes.

On this the convention day of two parties, there was not a sign of a demonstration or a band parading until an hour before the time of assembly. This was partially exonstration which has been one of the unique features of this convention period and partly by the fact that a cold rain continued to sweep the city. As the hour of assemiling approached the bands and the delegates started moving toward the convention halls. They were a sor-ry, soaked and bedraggled-looking lot as they marched in.

Chicago, June 7 .- With a plea for party reunion, for reconsecration rather than recrimination, United States Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio, in his address as temporary chairman, opened the Republican national convention here today. Asserting that the country was "wearied afresh by a disappointing and political issues, appealed to the dele-

June 1. This morning's list makes a total of 240 officers' casualties received so far.

Lieut. Wanklyn Killed.

monton; Capt. G. Z. Hinder, Edmonton; Capt. Referring to the Administration's foreign policy in the European war, Senator Harding declared that it had spoken with more rhetoric than resolution. ator Harding declared that it had spoken a committee of leaders today Mexican negotiations he described as will be made on preparedness the greatest flasco in American foreign relations. He paid tribute to Americanism of foreign birth with brief reference to the few zealots who would impugn the nation's neutrality and urged a fra-Monroe Doctrine. Advocating adequate and under "industrial" preparedness national defence, he charged the Democratic party with having interrupted Republican naval construction, and he criticised the army reorganization bill He also attacked the Administration shipping bill, the effort made to extend independence to the Philippines, and made a plea for a return to the protective tariff.

Wants Harmony. for harmony the last time we met," the chairman said in his appeal for harmony. "The country has regretted, S. | let us forget-and make amends to our country. We did not divide over funda-

FRENCH DESTROYER

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, June 7-2:55 p.m.-The French

destroyer Fantassin has been sunk in a

PASSED WRECKAGE OF

For Three Hours Ship Steamed Among the Dead Bodies.

[Canadian Press.] London, June 7-11:15 a.m.-A Central News dispatch from Copenhagen says that the Swedish steamer Vanda

was unable to ascertain. Hundreds of Father Point

Machine Guns of French Crumple and Turn Back Foe's Onslaught at Vaux

Violent Attack of Germans Last Night Ends in Disorderly Retreat—Heavy Bombardment of Fort Continues Without Ceasing—French Have Minor Successes.

(Canadian Press.)

Paris, June 7.—The repulse of a powerful German attack on Fort Vaux on the Verdun line, with heavy losses to the attackers, is announced in an official statement issued by the war office today. Violent bombardment of the fort is still being carried on

The attack on Fort Vaux started at 8 o'clock last night, and was promptly checked by the fire of the French machine guns. It is announced that the Germans retreated in disorder, abandoning many dead. At Hill 304 an artillery duel is in progress and also at the Caurettes wood. Two German patrols which tried to cross the River Aisne, west of Soissons, were dispersed.

Asquith In War Office for The Time Being

London, June 7-2:06 p.m .- Premler Asquith temporarily has taken personal charge of the war office. At the suggestion of the Jockey Club, the Windsor race meeting, which was to have been held this week, has been cancelled on account

PREPAREDNESS AND AMERICANISM ARE

[Canadian Press.] Auditorium Hall, Chicago, June 7 -The Progressive convention was called to order by Victor Murdock, chairman of the Progressive national committee, at 12:27. Raymond Robins of Chicago was selected as temporary chairman.

Chicago, June 7.—A tentative draft of the Progressive platform framed by Nothing Improved Alexanders of Joseph Committee of Jo that the principal appeal of the party Americanism as the foundation. The draft is short, not more than 1,500 words in length. It discusses preparedness under three heads. tary," "of the spirit" and "industrial." Under the "spirit" comes Americanism comes the tariff and questions of social and industrial reform. Much of the 1812 platform is omitted from the

tion of its principles. COUNTY MAY GIVE \$1,000 TO SOLDIER'S PARENTS

draft, but there is a general reitera-

lected to Insure His Life.

\$1,000 to Mr. and Mrs. Benware of Courtright for the death of their son, Neil Benware, killed a few days ago in France. He was a 1st Battalion man, Hughes had lied." but was not insured by the county when

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collision. Her crew was rescued.

The Fantassin was built in 1909. She was 213 feet long and 21 feet of beam, and displaced 446 tons. She was armed with six 9-pounders and three torpedo-

TOMORROW-CLEARING. Forecasts. and gales, east, contract. Today-Strong winds and gales, east, contract. In spite of its care slowly shifting to south and southwest, guarded language, the speech of

Victoria

Parry Sound

French Official Statement. The text of the statement follows: "To the west of Soissons two German patrols, which were endeavoring to cross the River Aisne, were dispersed at a point near Fontenoi. The fire of our artillery destroyed several observatories of the enemy east of

In the Argonne district, at La Fille Morte, we caused the explosion with success of three mines. "On the left bank of the River Meuse there has been artillery fighting in the sector of Hill 304 and in the sector of

"On the right bank of the river a strong German attack yesterday evening at about 8 o'clock upon Fort Vaux was broken by the fire of our machine guns. The enemy was driven back in disorder, leaving numerous dead on the field of battle. The German artiller responded with energy, and the bombardment of Fort Vaux and the region immediately surrounding it continues.
"In the Vosges there has been an in tense bombardment of our first-line positions at Hartman's Weilerkopf."

PROGRESSIVE PLANKS HELLMUTH SAYS NOTHING WRONG OVER CONTRACTS

JUSTICE DUFF AMAZED

Declares That Carnegie's Explanations Puzzled

Him.

CARVELL TO FIGHT ON

Says He Is Determined to Have Every Transaction Designated.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, June 7 .- At the opening of this morning's sitting of the Meredith-Moore and Sombra Townships today Duff commission, F. B. Carvell read a petitioned the county council to grant telegram from G. W. Kyte, M. P., de

After Sir Wilfrid Laurier had entered eaving. It is likely the request will be and seated himself beside Mr. Kyte's counsel, I. F. Hellmuth, commission counsel presented his final argument. Mr. Hellmuth said that the statements of Messrs. Kyte and Carvell in Parliament, if they did not charge, pointed

plain that the inquiry was not merely to determine whether Col. Allison had received a commission or someone got a In spite of its carefully-Thursday—Fresh to strong westerly Kyte meant that contracts had knowingly been let as a blind to mushroom winds; gradually clearing.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours

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GAULT NOT KILLED

his career, brimming eulogies of his (Continued on Page 3, Column 6.) BRITISH ARMIES TODAY WENT INTO MOURNING

Every Officer Wears Crepe on His Arms, and Flags Are Half-Masted Throughout Empire - Neutral and Allied Nations and Overseas Dominions Send Sy mpathy.

army went into mourning today for its late chief. Every officer wore a band of crepe on his left arm. Throughout the country flags were at half-mast. There was, of course, no suspension of activities having to do with the prosecution of the war, and at the war office and other governmental departments officials continued to work out details of the

[Canadian Press.]

London, June 7.—The British

scheme which Earl Kitchener for-Want Allens Interned. Newspapers and many commercial organizations have taken up the demand for immediate internment of aliens from enemy nations on the ground that the Germans may have been advised from England of Earl Kitchener's departure, and that such knowledge may have been responsible for the destruction of the Hampshire,

[Canadian Press Cable.] LONDON, June 7.—12:25 a.m.—By the King's command the following order

has been issued to the army: sion to the Emperor of Russia.

"The King has learned with profound egret of the disaster whereby the sec- | man Pat Mulhall, and rapid progress is retary of state for war has lost his being made. life while proceeding on a special mis-'Field Marshal Earl Kitchener gave | that the contracts for the year will be 48 years of distinguished service to the carried out. state, and it is largely due to his administrative genius and unwearying energy that the country has been able to create and place in the field the armies which today are upholding the MacGordon, aviator at the Atlantic as a great soldier, who, under conditions of unexampled difficulty, renstroyed by fire.

sing Rapidly With Work.

The city engineer's department has date. This work is in charge of Fore-The bad weather is holding up paving operations somewhat, but it is expected

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, June 7.-All officers of the Ottawa, June 7.—All officers of the centres and will take effect in all parts of the country before the day closes.

on both uniforms and greatcoats. The order was wired to the various

dered supreme and devoted service both to the army and the state.

"His Majesty the King commands that the officers of the army shall wear period of one week. Officers are to wear crepe on the left arm of uniform and of greatcoats."

In e order to that the dided in the troops from militia head-during the state.

Weather Notes.

The disturbance which was in Mispodies were floating around the wreek, and for three hours the variety similar order issued yesterday by the similar order issued yest

[Canadlan Press.] the Caurettes wood.