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LONDON'S WELCOME TO HAIG.

LONDON, Dec. 19.

Field Marshal Haig, Commander-in-Chief of the British Armies in France and Belgium, attended by Generals Plumer, Rawlinson, Birdwood, Byng and Horne, who were his mainstays in aiding to defeat the Germans, reached London to-day, and was accorded a notable welcome. The train bringing the Field Marshal to London was accompanied from Dover by about twenty airplanes, which also hovered over the procession which passed through the densely crowded thoroughfares from the station to Buckingham Palace, where King George welcomed the returning warriors. At the station the Generals were met by the Duke of Connaught, representing the King, the Prime Minister, the Secretary of War, members of the Army and Air Councils, representatives of the Admiralty, and many other distinguished persons. The Grenadier Guard with the regimental colors and band were drawn up at the station to act as an escort to the Field Marshal, and amid loud cheers as the band played "See the Conquering Hero Come," the Crown Equerries, escorted Sir Douglas to a Royal carriage in waiting to take him to the palace. The carriage emerged from the station yard, the bells of St. Martin's rang out and the crowd again broke into tumultuous cheering. Throngs had taken possession of Trafalgar Square long before the Royal carriages containing the Field Marshal and his Generals came into view. When they came abreast the historic square a mighty cheer such as had rarely if ever been heard there, broke out. All the Generals clearly evidenced delight at the cordiality of the reception. As the carriages passed along Cockspur Street, Pall Mall and St. James' Street the enthusiasm was unbounded.

UNNECESSARILY DELAYED.

LONDON, Dec. 19.

Commenting upon the reported feeling in Paris, that the preliminaries to the Peace Conference are unnecessarily delayed and that there is a disposition to blame the British authorities for this, the Times to-day says there is real need that the inter-Ally discussion begin without a day's needless delay. This is especially true, the newspaper thinks, as regards the preliminary conversations among the respective leaders. It mentions in particular, President Wilson, who comes fresh to the discussion. Now that the British election is over, the Times adds, there can be no excuse for postponing the meetings. It assumes that the time for consultations is contingent on the President's plans and in this connection it welcomes the prospect of an early visit by him to London.

POWERS OF GOVERNMENT.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 19.

The Congress of German Soldiers' and Workmen's Council, on Wednesday passed a resolution, according to a Berlin telegram, transferring legislative and Executive power to the People's Commissioners (the Ebert Government), until some other arrangement is made by the German National Assembly. The Congress further appointed a Central Council of Soldiers and Workmen to exercise parliamentary supervision over the German and Prussian cabinets and with the right to appoint and depose the people's commissioners of the Empire.

POLES LAND AT DANTZIG.

PARIS, Dec. 19.

A Warsaw despatch says that the landing of Polish troops at Dantzig began yesterday. The Polish army is reported to number 50,000 men. The representative of Poland at Berlin has left Germany.

FIGHTING AT DANTZIG.

ZURICH, Dec. 18.

(Havas.)—Serious disorders have broken out at Dantzig, East Prussia, according to despatches received here. Civil and military prisons have been opened and the inmates set at liberty, it is said, and street fighting is reported.

KRUPP DIRECTORS ARRESTED.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 19.

Three of the principal directors of the Krupp's munition works at Essen, including Dr. Branson Berger, inventor of the big Bertha, have been arrested by the revolutionary committee in that city, according to despatches received here.

HUN MINE CAUSES DAMAGE.

PARIS, Dec. 19.

(Havas.)—A German mine which had been planted in a bridge at Guise has exploded, killing fifteen persons and injuring twenty-five, according to a Guise despatch to the Matin. The date of the explosion is not given but the despatch says that it occurred more than a month after the armistice went into effect.

CHARLES HAS THE "FLU."

COPEHAGEN, Dec. 18.

Former Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary, and four of his children are suffering from influenza. According to a telegram from Vienna, the former Emperor has a very high fever.

GRAIN FOR BALKAN PEOPLES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.

A large store of grain has been made available for the relief of the people of Rumania, Bulgaria, Serbia and Turkey through the presence of the Allied fleet at Odessa, according to information reaching the State Department. This grain is almost wholly in the Ukraine and the Germans were unable to remove it because of the hostility of the population.

GERMANS COLDLY POLITE.

LONDON, Dec. 18.

(A.P.)—The farther we get into Germany the more coldly polite is our reception, writes the correspondent with the Canadian corps. Sullen looks are generously given and the men in some cases raise their hats to our officers and flags; but the people on the whole are behaving tolerably well, some adopting an ingratiating attitude. The mails are arriving daily bringing hundreds of Christmas gifts. They are securing supplies of skates and hockey sticks, so that the Canadians may play hockey on the Rhine during the holidays.

THOUGHT SHE WAS CELEBRATING.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.

When the United States transport Ophir was destroyed by fire in the Harbor at Gibraltar on Nov. 11, British craft riding at anchor ignored the rockets which she sent up as signals of distress thinking she was celebrating the signing of the armistice, according to the stories of American seamen arriving here to-day from abroad. The Ophir which was named the Hodoo ship because on her last four voyages she was attacked by submarines, left this port on Oct. 21 with troops T.N.T. and gasoline. After landing the troops at Gibraltar the vessel set out for Marseilles, but fire soon started in her forward hold and she put back. She made Gibraltar again, on the night when town and harbor were celebrating the end of the war, and the more she sent up rockets, the more heartily the other

vessels replied by lighting Roman candles. Just as her captain ran her aground, the flames rushed from her hold then the gasoline and T.N.T. on board exploded killing two of her crew.

ANTI-GERMAN TROOPS IN ODESSA.

ODESSA, Dec. 15.

(A.P.)—Troops under command of the anti-German Ukrainian leader Fetura to-day are occupying Odessa.

WILL WELCOME PRESIDENT.

LONDON, Dec. 19.

King George, it was announced to-day, has cancelled the arrangement which provided that he should go to Sandringham Palace for Christmas and he will remain in London instead to welcome President Wilson, who will most probably be his guest at Buckingham Palace.

TO ELECT PRESIDENT.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 19.

The German Government has decided to convoke a conference of representatives of all the states of the former empire on Dec. 29 to elect a President of the German republic, according to a Berlin report. This step is said to have been taken in order to avoid fresh outbreaks.

EX-KAISER ILL.

AMERONGEN, Dec. 19.

(By the A.P.)—Former Emperor William has been confined to his bed since Sunday with a severe chill. His indisposition has brought about a renewal of his old ear trouble necessitating the calling in of a specialist to assist the local doctor.

AMONG THE IMMORTALS.

PARIS, Dec. 19.

Marshal Joffre is now formally numbered among France's forty immortals. The victor of the Marne was made a member of the French Academy this afternoon.

VICTOR EMMANUEL IN PARIS.

PARIS, Dec. 19.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, arrived here to-day and was welcomed by President Wilson, Premier Clemenceau and other ministers. The King was accompanied by his son, the Prince of Piedmont.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS WALK OUT.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Dec. 19.

An orderly walk-out of 3,500 of the thousand employees of the local plant of the General Electric Company occurred to-day. The strikers paraded to the City Common where a mass meeting was held.

SYMPATHY STRIKE.

SCHENECTADY, N.Y., Dec. 19.

Virtually all of the 22,000 employees of the General Electric Company's big manufacturing plant here walked out to-day in sympathy with striking co-workers in the Company's plant at Erie, Penna.

THE GREATEST CALAMITY.

LONDON, Dec. 19.

Germany is ruined for generations, politically, industrially and economically, Dr. Walter Rathenau, President of the German General Electric Co. is quoted as declaring to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Express. "It is the greatest calamity that has happened to any country in twenty-five years," added Dr. Rathenau, who is one of the largest employers of labor in Germany. "If the indemnities are high we shall have nothing with which to expand our industries and there will be a great tide of emigration, probably to South America, the Far East, and certainly to Russia. The result will be the Balkanization of Europe."

Herring Fishery.

BAY OF ISLANDS.

The herring fishery at Bay of Islands continues good. All the past week there was fair fishing in Middle Arm, boats getting from 10 to 25 tubs per haul, while in some cases big catches were made. In North Arm, however, there has been little or no fishing this season so far. Nets set along the eastern passage from McIvers to Meadows have been giving good returns all the week. On Friday the fish moved up Humber Arm in a big body and all Saturday and Sunday there was good fishing. The fishermen continued at it both day and night. On Monday there was a slackening off in Humber Arm, the best fishing averaging ten tubs per feet, appeared to be off Davis Cove, and McCarty's. Two of Harris's vessels came up the Humber on Saturday. One of them anchored at Curling and the other proceeded to Irishtown. They took several hundred barrels of herring, and thereby relieved the situation for the fishermen, as the packers were unable to handle all the fish going.

BONNE BAY.

Latest reports from Bonne Bay state there is little or no improvement in the herring fishery at that place since our last report.

The schr. Muriel B. Walters, Capt. Sam Shaw, got away from Bonne Bay last Thursday, with a cargo of 2,432 bris. pickled herring to Parguhar and Co., of Halifax. Western Star.

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Sunbeam Succotash, Plum Pudding,
Fig Pudding, Mincemeat.
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"A Merry Christmas" to All.

Forty Years in the public service
The -- Evening Telegram

A Figure of Fiction.

Paul Bolo started in life as a dentist, and became successively a Colonial grocer, a lobster merchant, and a restaurant keeper. His physical advantages were great. An official description of him at 15 narrates that he was blond, tall, slim, elegant in figure, had a styken moustache, a fondling eye, an inexhaustible source of fun, and was a master of cajolery with all the ways of a conqueror, a flirt, and a feline philanthropist. Morally, he was sadly lacking. He ruined his partner in the restaurant business and ran off with his partner's wife to Spain. Five years afterwards he was back in Paris, running a vague business which eventually ended in his getting a sentence of a month's imprisonment. The next trace of him is at Hendaye, on the Spanish frontier, where, according to the indictment, he robbed the niece of his hotel keeper of her dowry. In 1893 he is found at Bordeaux. There he made the acquaintance of his first wife (who was called at the trial) and vanished with her to Buenos Ayres, where she played at a music-hall. It was at that time that Bolo called himself by, in fact signed his wife's contract with, the names of Bolo de Grange-Neuve. Shortly afterwards he was arrested at Valparaiso, and his wife gave up all she possessed to go bail for him. He displayed his gratitude by abandoning her immediately he regained his freedom. There is no further mention of him until 1902, when he was found again at Lyons as representative of a well-known brand of champagne and liqueur. He played a peculiar part in the Champagne riots, and in 1903 he went to Paris and there made the acquaintance of the rich widow of a Bordeaux wine merchant, whom he married bigamously in 1905. With his wife's fortune Bolo at once launched himself into very big business, and distributed his wife's money in every corner of the world—in Venezuela, Colombia, Cuba, in Champagne, in Switzerland and Spain. Not one of these enterprises was successful. To fill his empty coffers, Bolo, who had been made a pasha by the ex-Khedive of Egypt, lent himself willingly to the agents of Germany. His role was to prepare France for a separate peace at the expense of England, and the means to be employed was the Press.—Ex.

The Red Terror.

Indescribable anarchy and misery reigns in Russia with Petrograd as the red capital given over to a reign of terror. Chiplera is raging in the city, where every suffering that disease, lawlessness, and poverty can generate is exacting its toll from the hapless population. Wholesale imprisonment and execution is the order of the day, the Bolshevik regime resorting to naked terrorism to bolster up its power. According to the "New York World's" representative at Petrograd, quoted by the "Daily Express," the most awful figure of the Terror, the man with the most murder on his soul, is the present Extraordinary Commissioner against Counter-Revolution and Sabotage, a dapper little blond Lett named Peters, who lived in England so long that he speaks Russian with an English accent. He was known and liked best by the American correspondents in Russia because he seemed more cultivated than the rest. Few of them had occasion to rouse in him the fierce class hatred. They did not know the mean, crouched little man, with his pale eyes filled with venom, who now sits in the Kremlin signing away daily the lives of scores of men he never saw. Let anyone be declared a counter-revolutionary by a member of the Soviet, and Peters orders him to be shot, often without sending him before the other fanatic, Krylenko, the president of the mon soviet. "The Russian Revolution has absolute power of life and death over anybody in Russia. A neutral who visited him lately on a number of occasions to plead for the lives of innocent people told me that Peters has become a more furious little animal, signing death warrants all day, often not looking to see what he is signing. During one visit the neutral noticed he signed an order to shoot 72 officers without even glancing down at the paper.—London Times.

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The Montreal Star, in giving the names of prominent Protestant Home Rulers in Ireland, says: "Theobald Wolfe Tone, Lord Edward Fitzgerald, Thomas Addie Emmett, Robert Emmet, William Smith O'Brien and Thomas Davis were all Episcopallians. John Mitchell and John Martin were Presbyterians, of County Down. The modern Home Rule movement proper was inaugurated by Isaac Butt, a Protestant barrister. Shaw, one of the ablest of his lieutenants, was also a Protestant. Charles Stewart Parnell was an Episcopallian, and Joseph Biggar, one of the best known of his followers, was a wealthy Presbyterian merchant.

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