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ITALY TO ANNEX CERTAIN LANDS
Bolshevik Publish Text of Agreement Among Entente Allies.
TO DEBAR VATICAN
Treaty Binds Western Powers to Reject Papal Intervention.

Petrograd, Wednesday, Nov. 28. — The text of a secret agreement among France, Great Britain, Russia and Italy has been published here by the Bolshevik government.

The agreement gives Italy sanction to annex certain territory in return for entering the entente alliance, and embraces the non-admissibility of the intervention of Pope Benedict with a view to stopping the war.

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Italy was to have the assistance of French and British naval forces until their own naval force was destroyed. After peace, Italy was to receive the Trentino, the southern Tyrol to the Brenner Pass, Trieste and Istria and Dalmatia, with additional geographical boundaries outlined in great detail.

Albanian Status.
Italy was to govern the foreign relations of Albania in the event that that country became an autonomous government, but Italy was not to oppose objections if it were decided to apportion parts of Albania to Montenegro, Serbia and Greece.

The agreement supported Italy's contention in the Adriatic, and gave Italy the right to have rights in Libya, enjoyed by the sultan on the basis of the Lausanne treaty. Italy agreed to the proposed independent Musselman sacred places in Arabia.

In the event of France and Great Britain increasing their holdings in Africa at the expense of Germany, Italy was to have the right to increase her holdings. Great Britain was to facilitate the cause of Italy in borrowing money from the British market.

France, Great Britain and Russia were to support Italy in preventing the papal influence from interfering in the war and in regulating questions concerning the war. Italy's co-operation was to begin one month after the ratification of the agreement.

A despatch from London, Nov. 30, quoting a belated Petrograd advice, said that Italy also was to have certain islands in the Grecian Archipelago and territory in Asia Minor, as conditions to her entrance into the war.

THE WEATHER

Observatory, Toronto, Dec. 2. — The district which was developing off the Connecticut coast on Saturday morning is now situated over the Nova Scotia coast as a severe storm, causing heavy rain and very strong winds over the entire district, accompanied by rain and snow.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Prince Rupert, 28-32; Victoria, 34-40; Vancouver, 34-40; Edmonton, 10 below; Calgary, 4 below; Saskatoon, 3-5; Moose Jaw, 5-22; Regina, 4-10; Medicine Hat, 1-10; Port Arthur, 10-22; Parry Sound, 10-20; London, 3-24; Toronto, 16-30; Ottawa, 16-22; Montreal, 20-26; Quebec, 26-30.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh to strong winds, mostly east and north-east; some light falls of snow or sleet. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair and cold.

Lower St. Lawrence—Strong northwest to northerly winds; fair and colder. Gulf and North Shore—Strong winds and gales, northeast to northerly; colder. Local snowfalls or furies.

Maritime—Northerly to northwesterly winds, decreasing at night; light local snowfalls or furies, but partly fair and colder.

Superior—Fresh winds, shifting to west and northwest; a few light snowfalls or furies and moderately cold.

Northwest—A few local snowfalls, but generally fair and much colder. Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair and decidedly cold.

THE BAROMETER.
Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.
8 a.m. 27. 29.80 12 N. W.
Noon 27. 29.78 17 N. W.
2 p.m. 27. 29.78 17 N. W.
4 p.m. 27. 29.76 6 N. W.
8 p.m. 27. 29.76 6 N. W.

Barometer, 28; difference from average, 6 below; highest, 30; lowest, 17; snow, a trace.
Saturday temperature: Maximum, 40; minimum, 32.

STREET CAR DELAYS

Saturday, Dec. 1, 1917.
King cars delayed 7 minutes at 11:24 a.m., at G. T. R. crossing, by train.

King cars delayed 5 minutes at 8:23 a.m., at G. T. R. crossing, by train.

Bathurst cars delayed 7 minutes at 7:35 p.m., at Front and John, by train.

Bathurst cars delayed 10 minutes at 8:30 p.m., at Front and John, by train.

Bathurst cars delayed 7 minutes at 9:10 p.m., at Front and John, by train.

Bathurst cars delayed 5 minutes at 9:26 p.m., at Front and John, by train.

Sunday.
King cars delayed 6 minutes at 12:02 p.m., at G.T.R. crossing, by train.

King cars delayed 6 minutes at 5:43 p.m., at G.T.R. crossing, by train.

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Bourlon Wood and thence down to the region of Cantal.

The main effort of the enemy was centred between Moeuvres and Bourlon Wood. The assault began at about twenty minutes of 9 o'clock, approximately two hours later than the opening of the southern offensive.

The enemy infantry went over the bridge between Moeuvres and Bourlon Wood in dense masses, and as they swept down the slope toward the Espérance-Cambrai road they came under the fire of the British artillery.

The British gunners had so many targets that they hardly knew where to begin shooting, but immediately poured a veritable deluge of shells among the advancing German ranks and the British machine guns and rifles also took part in the sanguinary business.

The Germans fell by scores as they advanced over the ridge in close formation, but they kept coming on British infantry fired a volley and the battle line for a counter-attack and hot fighting ensued.

The Germans succeeded in penetrating to the vicinity of the Espérance-Cambrai highway, northwest of Graincourt, but this was far as they were able to get.

Notwithstanding their terrible losses, the Germans continued to push over the ridge in waves all day and always with the same result—they were repulsed and driven back.

The British counter-attacks succeeded in pushing the enemy back to the battle line, but they did not leave the same line that they had left.

The Germans today could claim that they have captured a very small amount of territory, little in advance of their old lines.

British Lines Firm.
Meanwhile, the British lines around Bourlon Wood were not disturbed and the Germans had been forced to abandon the attack for the day after sustaining heavy punishment. Several hundred Germans were captured in this northern offensive, and one column of 200 men came marching back to the British cages today carrying their full equipment.

In the northern attack the Germans had a great force of ten divisions, six of whom were in the front lines. The drive began here at 7:30 a.m., and the territory involved in the operation extended from Crevecoeur to Vendhuile.

The Germans did not make a frontal attack all along this line, but started two turning movements, one on either side, which were intended to converge toward a common point.

The enemy's attack on the northern end of the line did not meet with anything like the success they achieved at the south. The German infantry, supported by cavalry, captured here the canal from Crevecoeur toward Masnières and actually succeeded in penetrating into the suburbs of the latter place, but they were quickly driven back.

In the south the Germans broke thru the British line below Villers-Caulain and toward the north, and they had enveloped Gouzeaucourt. From there the British line was bent back to La Vaqueuque.

The majority of the British troops who might have been caught in this turning movement were withdrawn in time, but a number of field dressing stations temporarily fell into the German hands. The enemy, however, did not molest the surgeons and orderlies, and they continued their work of dressing the wounds of British and German alike.

During the time that the Germans were in Gouzeaucourt they succeeded in removing very little material because the British counter-attacks already had been started to retake the place.

BRANT COUNTY DID WELL

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Brantford, Dec. 2.—Brantford and Brant County will be at the head of the procession when the final results of the Victory Loan campaign are compared. Last night, at midnight, it was stated that \$35,450 had been reached. The subscriptions, almost double the objective set for this county, even excluding the subscription of \$600,000 from the Canadian Foresters, with their head office here. The subscriptions totaled \$60 for every man, woman and child in Brantford and county, counting on the men who have gone overseas and taking the population by the maximum figures. Chairman A. K. Bunnell and his colleagues and assistants were highly elated over the success of the campaign.

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"Fair and Warmer."
Selwyn & Company's presentation of "Fair and Warmer" is to come to the new Princess this week. "Fair and Warmer" has been one of the standard successes of the past two years, and has aroused as much praise as any of the farces produced in years.

Avery Hopwood, the author, gained his first success in "Seven Days." In the cast will be John Arthur, Edna Hubbard, Maud Andrew, Florence Ryerson, William H. Sullivan, Chester Ross, John Morris and Ralph Simons.

"Very Good Eddie."
The thousands of people who were delighted last spring when "Very Good Eddie" was presented at the Royal Alexandra are starting to whine for the merry jingly tunes with which this comedy is filled, in anticipation of the treat that is in store for them this week, starting tonight, when the return engagement of this popular play opens at the same theatre. George Mack, the dramatic comedian, will be seen in his original role.

"Common Clay."
Thomas E. Shea, one of the most popular actors to visit Toronto, and whose productions, "The Bells" and "Rocky and Hyvel" made him famous, comes to the Grand this week as Judge Wilson in Clevins Kinkadee's Harvard play, "Common Clay." The audience has woven a story of unusual power and realism in the four acts of this play. Ellen Neal, his central figure, whose circumstances treat so strangely, is one of the most sympathetic figures of the stage. There is no parallel in the theatre to the astounding court room scene where Ellen learns her true identity and her place in society. A moving, eloquent plea for the innate equality of human beings, "Common Clay" cannot fail to leave a lasting impression.

"This Week at Shea's."
Commencing with a matinee this afternoon the management of Shea's Theatre presents Lucille Cavanaugh, assisted by Frank Hurst and Red Doner in what has been described as slightly in the neighborhood of Masnières and establish their line on the southeastern outskirts of the place, their front would be much improved, as the British line was entirely dominated by the high ground in the possession of the Germans.

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"Fighting occurred in and around Gommelle village. Hostile attacks delivered during the afternoon and evening, in the neighborhood of LaVaqueuque, were broken by our rifle and machine gun fire, or crushed by our artillery. Concentrations of hostile infantry in the vicinity of Moeuvres were successfully engaged by our artillery."

LAST WINTER OF WAR
LORD DERBY BELIEVES
London, Dec. 2.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—The Christmas number of the organ of the Overseas Club contains New Year messages from prominent soldiers and statesmen.

Gen. Lord says good wishes on behalf of the army in France.

Lord Derby says the fourth winter of the war finds the army unimpaired in strength and of the highest morale, while signs are evident that the reverse is the case with our enemies. He is confident that this is the last winter before peace.

Sir William Robertson writes: "I am convinced that the issue depends upon staying power and therefore I remain confident that victory will be ours."

Lord Milner: "The mother country and her children are one today in the common hour of danger. A new bond is being forged in the fire of peril and sacrifice. Who will venture to affirm that such a bond will ever be broken?"

Birdwood, commanding the Australians: "The end is not yet. We are at the point when the greatest demand is made upon our fortitude and resources. It is natural that after three years of devastating war some should cry 'let us call a draw,' but there cannot be a draw with a nation that has banished chivalry from its creed."

COBALT ORE STATEMENT.
Cobalt ore statement for week ending Nov. 30:
Mining Corp. of Canada, 54,227
Dominion Reduction Co., 57,000
Hudson Bay, 65,830
Klein's, 66,311
La Rose M. Co., 62,221
Buffalo Mines, 305,520
661,759

Amusements.
Rea Beach's greatest story of all, The Auction Block, is presented for the week at the Regent Theatre, commencing today. Of the novels from the pen of this popular author none perhaps have so gripped the public as this one. A Victor Moore comedy and the exclusive showing of the Victory Loan parade last Wednesday complete one of the best programs of the season.

Petrova at Strand.
"Her Silence" is the great Metro photodrama, which, with Mme. Petrova in the leading role, is to form the feature at the Strand Theatre today.

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