

## ENEMY ANNOUNCES ANOTHER SURPRISE ATTACK

### Murder of Nicholas Confirmed by German Embassy

RED GUARDS KILLED HIM IN  
TRAIN

STOCKHOLM June 29 (By Jos Shaplen)—The German embassy at Moscow confirms the murder of Nicholas Romanoff, former Czar, according to a dispatch received here today.

The Nasse-Slovo declares that persons arriving in Moscow from Ekaterinburg state that when the Czech-Slovaks advanced on latter city, the Red Guards went to former Emperor's mansion and ordered the whole family to prepare to leave on a special train. While en route to the station, Nicholas bravely protested against his transfer to an unknown place, whereupon the Red Guards escort bayoneted him. The former Emperor and her daughter were not molested.

The former Czar was evidently taken to a separate, unknown place. Countess Brassov, wife of Grand Duke Michael, was imprisoned in Butyr penitentiary in Moscow. "The peril of a Bolshevik alliance with Germany will be greater than ever if the Allies invade Siberia. If forced to choose between the evils of German and Japanese orientation, we prefer the former, because there is a chance of a revolution in Germany," Minister Trotsky declared in a speech at Moscow this week.

### Carry Your Own Baggage

RULE TO-DAY AT TORONTO

TORONTO June 29—"Take your baggage on the train with you. The baggage men are on strike," is the greeting that meets passengers at the Union Station this morning, as they go down stairs to check baggage. Passengers with straw hats and summer suits are handling their own baggage and others are anxiously searching for baggage which they desire to go with them to various places in Canada and the U.S. There are over 50 baggage men and other employees of the department out on strike. "It is corroborated by both sides in dispute."

### French Hold Ground Taken Thursday Night

PARIS BROUGHT DOWN ONE  
ENEMY PLANE

PARIS June 29 (Havas agency)—One of the German airplanes that took part in Thursday night's air raid on Paris was compelled to land in the wooded area between Paris and the German lines. One of the aviators was killed. His two companions were taken prisoners.

PARIS June 29 (Official)—German attacks on the front southwest of Soissons, for purpose of capturing French positions taken by them on Thursday night, were repulsed last night and the French line was held intact, according to a statement issued by the war office today.

In an operation northwest of Montdidier, American troops took forty prisoners.

### PARIS AGAIN ATTACKED BY ENEMY AIRMEN

PARIS June 29—Paris was unharmed by last night's German air raid. None of the bombs dropped by several machines, which attempted the penetration of defenses between 11:30 and 12:30 o'clock fell on the city.

### SENT TROOPS AGAINST ITAL- IANS

PARIS June 29—In addition to an attack on the front in Soissons area, the Germans sent assault detachments against lines held by Italians, on the Elgy heights, southwest of Rheims. The Italians drove off the enemy thrust.

An Oregon man has developed a motor driven machine for cleaning fruit and sorting it into ten grades at a rate of more than 17,000 pieces an hour.

The discovery of a vaccine for turing and preventing Malta fever, prevalent along the Mediterranean, is claimed by a French scientist of high repute.

### Enemy About to Strike Another Surprise Blow

DECLARES ONE OF THE  
GENERALS.

AMSTERDAM, June 29.—Germany is about to strike another surprise blow at the Allies, according to Gen. Von Liebert, who commanded the Germans at Lodz in the Russian campaign. In the same interview, published in the Tageliche Rundschau Von Liebert referred to the Austrian offensive as a painful failure.

German newspapers declare their government is preparing for military intervention in Russia, "to restore order." The Russian Maximalists will assist them.

### Counter Revolutionists Arrive in Harbin

PAUL MILIUKOFF AMONG THEM

The Hague, June 29.—Paul Miliukoff leader of Russian Constitutional Democrats and Alex Guechhoff leader of the Octobrists have arrived in Harbin, Manchuria, and assembled the leaders of the counter revolutionists there, according to the Vossische Zeitung.

### Workers of Budapest Return to Work

SAYS FRANKFURTER ZEITUNG.

The Hague, June 29.—A dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung from Budapest, dated Thursday, declares the strikers in that city have returned to work without exacting any new conditions. "After an interval of four days, due to a general strike, the newspapers will appear to-morrow, the dispatch said. "The workers have resumed work unconditionally."

### British Captured More Than 400 Prisoners

HOSTILE ARTILLERY ACTIVE  
SOUTH OF SOMME

LONDON June 29th (Official)—In their successful attack on Flanders, east of Nieppe wood yesterday the British took more than 400 prisoners and two German field guns. In addition to the prisoners taken in yesterday's operations east of Nieppe forest exceeds four hundred. This figure does not include those taken west of Meris. Two German field guns and trench mortars, also were captured by us.

Hostile artillery has been active opposite Vaire wood, south of the Somme and west of Feuchy (Arras region). There has been increased artillery activity on both sides in the Nieppe forest sector.

### Emperor Karl Refuses Von Seyd- ler's Resignation

WILL SUMMON PARLIAMENT

LONDON June 29.—Emperor Charles of Austria has refused to accept the resignation of the Austrian premier, Dr. Von Seydler, and has summoned the Austrian parliament to meet on July 16, according to an exchange telegraph dispatch which states that Vienna newspapers have published an autograph letter from the Emperor to Dr. Von Seydler to this effect.



COUSINS FROM ACROSS THE BORDER PARADE THE STREETS OF TORONTO. For the first time since 1812 armed American soldiers paraded the streets in Toronto Friday. The visitors were 1,175 men from the 3rd. Battalion 362 Infantry, now on the way to the Pacific Coast to France. The upper picture shows the soldiers leaving Yonge Street subway. In the photo underneath they are seen marching down Yonge street on their way to Queen's Park, where they watched the presentation of medals to the relatives of Canadian soldiers. Three officers are shown in the other picture, and from left to right are: Lieut. C. L. Koen, Major J. B. Woolnough, the O.C., and Lieut. M. G. Howard.

### Enemy Will In- tervene in Russia

HER TROOPS WILL BE SENT TO  
RESTORE ORDER

LONDON June 29.—The German government, according to German newspapers, is taking preparatory measures with a view to intervention in Russia. Under this plan it is stated, troops will be sent to restore order, assisted by Maximalist forces.

### French and British Both Gain Ground

ABOUT 1,500 PRISONERS TAKEN  
IN DOUBLE ATTACK, WHICH  
SEEMED CAREFULLY  
PLANNED.

London, June 28.—British troops in Flanders and the French farther south apparently have anticipated the proposed German drive toward the English Channel ports or Paris and struck first.

Although slight details of the maneuvers thus far have been revealed, the allied troops to-day caught the enemy unawares at salient points, and, driving swiftly forward, took terrain which would have been of considerable value as the starting points of enemy attacks. In addition about 1,500 prisoners and many machine guns were left in the hands of the allies.

The attack of the British was delivered about midway between Hazebrouck and Bethune on a front of nearly 3½ miles over territory which the Germans recently have been deluging with shells. Altogether the attack was productive of an average of ground to a depth of nearly a mile, and including the taking of several small hamlets. It is not improbable that the Germans in a proposed offensive in this region had set their hearts on the capture of St. Omar and the railway line running thence to Calais and Dunkirk.

At the same time the Australian troops went "over the top" near Merris and drove the enemy from some positions.

The French attack. The stroke of the French troops was over a still greater front—4½ miles—and they at points also penetrated enemy positions to a goodly depth, at some points a mile and a quarter. The evident intention was further to block the gateway to Paris through the Villers-Cotterets region.

From Amblemy to the east of Mont Gobert the French carried out their offensive and overwhelmed strongly fortified positions of the enemy along the whole front. Besides beating back the enemy, more than 1,000 Germans fell into the hands of the attacking force.

Although the points of attack were separated by about 100 miles the maneuvers seemingly had been well considered by Gen. Foch, the allied commander-in-chief, as they were carried out almost simultaneously. The strategy of the double stroke is apparent when it is realized that a successful German thrust where the British struck would have menaced the channel ports, or a similar move in the south would have placed the French capital in jeopardy.

### Standing Committee Reports to Council

Finance Committee recommends 1. That Messrs. Samuel Brubacher and Martin Huebner be appointed members of the City Planning Commission.

2. That the petition of the shoe merchants to be allowed to remain open until eleven o'clock on Saturday and before holidays be granted, and the necessary by-law prepared.

3. That a grant of \$50 be made to The Frances Willard Home for Working Girls, and that they be requested to furnish a financial report.

4. That no action be taken on the communication regarding the placing of street signs on the corners.

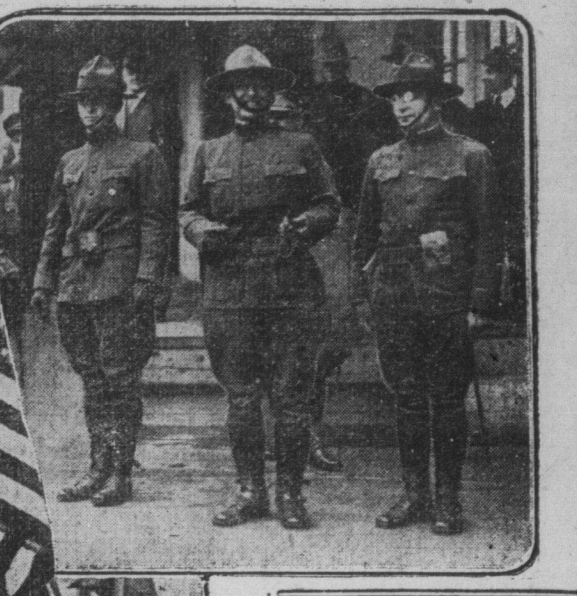
5. That a grant of \$200 be made to the Y.W.C.A.

6. That the Market Clerk be appointed Page for Council meetings.

7. That the Special Committee and the City Clerk be empowered to secure such temporary assistance in the offices as they find necessary.

Fire and Light Committee recommends 1. That the Fire Chief be authorized to purchase a chemical fire extinguisher.

2. That the necessary provisions of the by-law governing chimney-cleaning be inserted in the local papers.



"Excuse Me Sir!"

"Thank You, Sir!"

"Excuse me sir, but have you your military papers with you?"

"Yes, sir."

"May I see them?"

"Certainly."

Anyone standing on the corner of King and Queen street late last evening would have heard the above questions and answers, not once but a hundred times, for the Dominion Police were on duty at that point. Civil were the questions asked and courteous were the answers given.

A young man so accosted would stop, produce his papers and the officers, after perusing them beneath the arc light, would hand them back with a "Thank you sir."

Not infrequently a man whose papers were in order would stop for a chat with the officers before wending his way homeward. Sometimes a young man would have difficulty in locating his birth certificate or his Class E paper, and fearing a night in the cells feverishly would hunt through his pockets for the "scrap of paper" that would keep him out of the big scrap over there.

One man, seemingly of military age, after a diligent search through his pockets both fore and aft said: "I'm sorry sir, but I left my marriage certificate at home in another coat."

"Where do you live?" enquired the officer.

"The house number and street were promptly named, and a request made that the officer accompany him home to see it. Just then Police Officer Pat. Farrell came down the street testing each door to see if it were locked. Seeing the familiar form of the officer coming, the face of the accosted man lost its worried look as he remarked, "Here comes Pat Farrell, he knows me, and can tell you I'm married."

"Do you know this man?" asked the Dominion man.

"Sure I do," came the answer. "Is he married?"

"I guess he is, and if you had his seven little kids to feed you'd be very much married too," said Pat.

With a laugh the Dominion man said, "Alright, Mr. Farrell apparently knows you, but in future carry a certified copy of your marriage certificate lest some other officer stop you when Pat is not around."

With a "Thank you Pat," and a cheery good night to the Dominion officers the much married man hurried away home.

During the half hour The Record stood on the corner, at least twenty-five men were stopped and produced their papers. Among them were Honorable Discharges, Birth certificates, Exemption papers, Category E papers, Marriage certificates and Alien registration cards.

While The Record looked on two men in uniform were accosted, but they produced "leave of absence" permits that had not yet expired.

Just before leaving the corner The Record was informed in answer to a query that some days as many as four hundred men are asked to show their papers.

### Scandinavian Nations Will Remain Neutral

COPENHAGEN June 29.—The Scandinavian ministers of state and foreign affairs in their meetings yesterday and the day before, agreed to continue "impartial neutrality," it was officially announced today.

Nursing Sister Emma F. Pense, of Kingston, has been appointed assistant matron of No. 2 Canadian General Hospital at Lezard, France.

PEMBERTON BILLING M.P. AND HIS WIFE. They are seen leaving Court room in London amid cheering admirers at end of celebrated trial at the old Bailey.

At the Market

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Potatoes were scarcer today. \$1.75 was the price.

In connection with potatoes all vegetables generally offered at the outside stands were scarce because there were fewer vendors outside to offer the same. The vendors outside soon disposed of their products and the platform stands were soon cleared.

The usual supply of early vegetables were available at the inside stands, including radishes, onions, lettuce, rhubarb and so on the prices being 5 and 10 cents a bunch.

Butter and eggs sold at 44 to 45 cents a pound and 40 to 42 cents a dozen respectively.

A few young porkers were sold at \$8.50 each. Hay sold at \$15.00 a ton.

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