

PARLIAMENT DIVIDES ON DRAFT BILL TONIGHT

Weather Forecast:

Fair and Warm

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HAIG STRIKES NEW BLOW ON YPRES SECTOR

DIVISION TONIGHT OVER COMPULSION ENDS LONG TALK

Thirteen Days' Continuous Debate On Conscription Will Culminate In Vote This Evening—Government Majority May Be Sixty—How the Provinces Will Ballot.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Ottawa, July 5.—After thirteen days of continuous debate, the vote of the second reading of the conscription bill will be taken tonight. The amendments thereto will be taken late tonight or early tomorrow morning. The debate has been sustained from the outset, and the parties have put up man for man in the discussion. There have been placed on the Hansard upwards of six hundred thousand words, more or less moderate in tone. The debate has encroached upon party lines more than any other probably since confederation. Some sixteen Liberals have broken with their leader, while on the Conservative side a round dozen have defected. In addition, some widely divergent opinions as to details and application have been expressed, even among those who have agreed on the general principle of the bill.

BRITISH BOMBED AIRDROMES AND SEAPLANE SHEDS

Several Tons of Bombs Are Dropped With Good Effect.

London, July 5.—On Tuesday night bombing attacks were carried out by naval air service machines on the airdromes at Ghislendale and Nieuwmonster, and also on the seaplane sheds and a train at Zaeren. Several tons of bombs were dropped. All the machines returned in safety.

MANITOBA UNIVERSITY WANTS MALE STUDENTS TRAINED FOR SERVICE

Winnipeg, Man., July 5.—At a meeting of the board of governors of the University of Manitoba a resolution was passed that no unmarried man of 20 years of age be permitted to take lectures or take examinations unless he furnished satisfactory reasons why he has not enlisted. This resolution was held over. A proposal for the compulsory military training for male students was approved.

KILTIES AND PIPERS TO TOUR THE STATES FOR BRITISH RECRUITS

Camp Borden, July 5.—With the brass and pipe bands of the regiment, a detachment of 100 men of the 48th Highlanders, making some 200 men in all, will leave Toronto on Sunday, July 15, for a week's tour to the United States in connection with the work of the British recruiting mission in that country. Monday and Tuesday will be spent in New York City, and on Wednesday the kilties will leave for Chicago, where they will remain for Thursday and Friday. The return trip will be begun on Sunday, arriving in Toronto Sunday morning, July 15. The intention is to take some of the men of the 48th, who are at present in the infantry training depot here, the remainder of the party being furnished in Toronto, and brought to Camp Borden for a week's preliminary training.

MINING MAN KILLED. Vancouver, B. C., July 5.—Donald McLeod, a well-known mining man, was killed yesterday in the Great Northern railway yards. His mother, aged 85, lives at Peace River, Alberta.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 72; lowest, 50.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 68; lowest, 46.

TOMORROW—FINE AND WARMER.

Forecast.
Toronto, July 6—A fine and warmer day on Friday.

Light winds; fine and warmer today and on Friday.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Victoria..... 64. 50. Cloudy
Calgary..... 73. 40. Cloudy
Winnipeg..... 68. 46. Clear
Saskatoon..... 72. 44. Clear
Port Arthur..... 72. 44. Clear
Port Stanley..... 72. 46. Clear
Buffalo..... 66. 36. Clear
Toronto..... 72. 50. Clear
Kingston..... 66. 32. Fair
Ottawa..... 72. 52. Fair
Montreal..... 72. 58. Clear
Quebec..... 70. 52. Cloudy

A shallow depression covers the Western Provinces, and the Northwestern States, while pressure is high over the Great Lakes and the Central States. Showers have been almost general in the West, and they have occurred locally in the Maritime Provinces.

LIBERALS WANT WEALTH CONSCRIPTED.

Nearly all the Liberals who have favored the measure have also favored the extension of its principle to wealth and resources. None on the Conservative side, with the possible exception of Capt. Burnham, have done so. The referendum amendment of Sir Wilfrid Laurier finds support in all the provinces of the Dominion, but one, not including the Yukon territory, where the one member will vote for the bill. No less than 21 members, or about one-third of the supporters of the amendment, are to be found outside of the Province of Quebec, which provides 44 supporters for the referendum.

How Votes May Go.

From present indications and without making allowance for absentees, there will be 65 votes in favor of the Laurier amendment and 111 against. This will give a majority against the main amendment of 46. As many of these who vote for the amendment will thereupon vote against the referendum amendment, the bill will reach committee with a majority of nearly 60. On the amendment division the vote will be as follows: In favor of the bill, 65; against, 111. The referendum amendment will be carried by a majority of 46. As many of these who vote for the amendment will thereupon vote against the referendum amendment, the bill will reach committee with a majority of nearly 60. On the amendment division the vote will be as follows: In favor of the bill, 65; against, 111. The referendum amendment will be carried by a majority of 46. As many of these who vote for the amendment will thereupon vote against the referendum amendment, the bill will reach committee with a majority of nearly 60.

ONTARIO'S VOTE.

It will be noticed that Ontario will give a vote against the referendum amendment, and for the bill in all parts of the Dominion. Conservative bolters are confined entirely to Quebec.

REPRESENTATION OF THE HOUSE.

The representation of the House will be 45 shy. Half of that is due to vacancies and half to absentees for various reasons. As the thing is not yet decided, the government will have an almost record majority on the second reading stage of the measure.

More Amendments Likely.

On the committee stage of the bill, lengthy discussion will occur on the provisions of the measure. The third reading of the bill, and amendments may be looked for, and another division expected.

There are strong indications that the bill will be carried by a majority of 60. The government will have an almost record majority on the second reading stage of the measure.

CANNOT HOLD BUILDING FOR THE LIQUIDATION

Vancouver, B. C., July 5.—After an ineffectual fight to retain possession of the Dominion Trust building and dispossess of it for the benefit of the Dominion Trust, the liquidator has had to hand over possession of the building to the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada held on the building. There has been general recourse by the interested parties to the advice of solicitors before any further move is made.

COMMONS REJECTS THE PEOPLE'S BILL

London, July 5.—The House of Commons, acting yesterday on the franchise reform bill, or, as it is officially known, the Representation of the People Bill, decided by a vote of 201 to 166 to reject the principle of proportional representation.

BERRY-PICKERS IN BLOOMERS READY TO LEAVE CITY



Collegiate girls who attend King Street Presbyterian Church have gone to a big fruit farm in London Township to pick fruit for six weeks. They wear khaki uniforms, and are shown in the above picture just prior to being taken to the scene of their labors by George Perry of the British-American Oil Company, in the company's auto truck. They will be chaperoned by a lady from the church each week. The owner of the farm to which they have spent \$100 furnishing the cottage which they will occupy. The picture shows, standing (left to right), Katherine Braithwaite, Miss Carswell, Mrs. Snelgrove, chaperon; Miss Hill, Miss Marion Mackenzie, George Perry, Jean McIntosh, Centre Row—Helen McIntosh, Cora Brennan, Front Row—Bessie McLeod, Winnie Snelgrove, Effie Wilson.

TEUTON ATTACKS ON ADVANCE POSTS OF RUSSIANS FAIL

Brusiloff's Men East of Brzezany Hold Firm.

Petrograd, July 5.—Austro-German forces in Galicia yesterday attacked the Russian advanced post east of Brzezany but were driven off by the Russian artillery fire, the war office announced today.

HUNS MAKE PRACTICE OF SELLING CREWS WHEN FORCED TO BOATS

Copenhagen, July 5.—The survivors of two Danish vessels sunk by German submarines in the Baltic Sea, before the maritime court. The bark Consul Nielson, proceeding for Stockholm, was sunk on May 28. Firing continued from the submarine while the crew were entering the boats. The mate was seriously injured, and several others were slightly injured. The commander of the submarine, which was the U-66, according to the testimony, declined to give medical assistance or dressings.

QUEBEC CITIZENS INJURED BY SLEET IN RECORD STORM

Quebec, July 5.—A heavy squall of sleet and rain fell over the district at 1 o'clock today, causing heavy damage to all crops and to property. In Quebec city streets lumps of sleet an inch in diameter were picked up, and many citizens suffered minor injuries through being hit by the incredibly large lumps of sleet.

SKYLARKING SOLDIER DISOBEYS HALT ORDER, IS KILLED BY SENTRY

St. John, N. B., July 5.—In a thick fog which enshrouded Port Hope yesterday last night Lance Corp. W. S. Hamm, in charge of the guard here, approached Pte. Arsenault, the sentry, in a skylarking spirit and disobeyed the halt order. He ran away, calling out: "You can't get me now, Arsenault." Prince Nicholas, brother of former King Constantine, and his family, have sailed for Italy on the yacht Amphitrite.

HARATAMIS TO HEAD GREEK GENERAL STAFF

Athens, July 5.—(Delayed)—It is announced that Gen. Haratamis, who was war minister in the Cabinet of Premier Zaimis, will be appointed chief of the general staff. The officers of the national defence army will be received by King Alexander on Thursday.

AMERICAN FORCES OFF TO TRAINING CAMPS

Paris, July 5.—The battalion from the United States, which paraded here yesterday, has gone to the permanent American training camp. The other units of the first expeditionary force, which are now at a French port, will leave shortly for camp instruction.

NOT A GUN LOST BY BRITISH SINCE THE SPRING OF 1915; PRISONERS 117,776, GUNS 739

London, July 5.—Since the beginning of the war the British have captured 117,776 prisoners, exclusive of natives taken prisoner in the African campaigns, many of whom have been released, said Major General F. B. Maurice, director of military operations at the war office today. The British have lost to the enemy 51,053 men, including Indian and native troops.

STEAMER FROM ENGLAND DOCKS AT HALIFAX WITH CONVALESCENT FIGHTERS

Halifax, N. S., July 5.—Officers and men of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, some convalescent from wounds or sickness and others on furlough or returned for duty, arrived here today by steamer from England.

RUSS BATTERIES DRIVE OFF GERMAN AIRPLANES

Petrograd, July 5.—A German airplane attack on the Russian aviation base on the south end of the island of Oesel, off the Gulf of Riga, was repulsed today by gunfire from Russian ships and land batteries, says an official announcement today. The statement reads:

"On the Baltic Sea on July 3 nine enemy airplanes executed two flights over the southern extremity of the island of Oesel. Twenty-four bombs were dropped on batteries, hangars and buildings. The enemy's attacks were directed by a concentrated fire of our naval units and shore batteries which prevented the bombs from hitting their mark. There were no casualties or damage."

TURKS IN CAUCASUS DRIVEN TO THE HEIGHTS

Petrograd, July 5.—The Turkish troops that were forced out of Panjivan, on the Mesopotamian front by the Russian occupation, reported yesterday have retired to positions on the heights east and south of the town, where the Russians are attacking them, the war office announced today.

LOSSES OF ITALY'S SHIPS BY SUBMARINE ATTACKS CONTINUE TO BE SMALL

London, July 5.—The Italian Government announced that only one Italian merchant steamer, eight small sailing vessels and four fisher boats were sunk by submarines during the week ending at midnight July 1, according to a Havas dispatch from Rome.

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REVENUE RETURNS FOR THREE MONTHS THIRTEEN MILLIONS BETTER THAN LAST YEAR.

Ottawa, July 5.—Revenue returns for the first three months of the fiscal year total \$53,900,000, an increase of \$13,000,000 over the corresponding period of last year. Capital expenditure is down by \$3,000,000.

BRITISH RUSH TAKES GROUND FROM HUNS ON 600-YARD FRONT

PRUSSIA IS EXPECTING NEW BLOW BY HAIG

Copenhagen, July 5.—Lieut.-Gen. von Stein, Prussian minister of war and state, told a committee of the German Reichstag yesterday, according to dispatches reaching here, that a further British offensive was expected north of Arras, where General Haig apparently is preparing actions on a large scale. The minister said the abandonment of the Saloniki campaign was improbable, but he regarded the Italian offensive on the Isonzo and in the Tyrol as shattered. His view of the Russian offensive are unreported if expressed.

ASHPLANT IS AFTER AUDITORS, OTHERS ARE NOT ALARMED

Controller Saunders Hands Complaining Alderman a "Roast."

DR. SHAW IS SATISFIED Says Affairs Are in Good Shape After Making an Investigation.

At the last meeting of the city council, Ald. H. B. Ashplant presented the following resolution: "Resolved, that the finance committee be constituted by Ald. Drake."

Whereas, Messrs. Dale and Srean have failed to comply with the terms of the bylaw and agreement under which they accepted their appointment as city auditors; and

CHILDREN SENT TO TORONTO TO AVOID BEING TAKEN OVER

Mother Wished to Keep Them Out of Shelter.

UNCLE REFUSES THEM Unaccompanied They Were Placed On Train and Sent to Toronto.

In order to prevent the Children's Aid Society from gaining control of five of her children, the oldest 14 and the youngest 2 years of age, the mother, a city resident, and the wife of a soldier overseas, sent an unaccompanied to an uncle in Toronto last night. The children upon arrival in Toronto were met at the depot by the uncle, who had been communicated with by local officials of the Children's Aid Society, asking that they be returned to the city at once.

SANK ARGENTINE SHIP OUTSIDE BARRED ZONE IN NORTH ATLANTIC

Rome, July 5.—The sinking of the Argentine steamship Toro last month by a German submarine was announced today in the following official statement: "The Argentine steamship Toro, laden with wool for Switzerland, was sunk and sunk by a German submarine in the Atlantic outside the barred zone on June 23. The Toro had the Argentine flag painted on her sides, and before the sinking showed papers demonstrating her nationality to the submarine commander."

GOLD FROM DOMINION DEPOSITED WITH MORGAN

New York, July 5.—An additional \$12,000,000 worth of gold from Canada has been received by J. P. Morgan & Co. and sold to the Federal Reserve Bank, it was announced today. This makes total imports from Canada received in the present movement, \$119,821,000.

"All From One Little Want Ad"

"Do I think that advertising pays? I most certainly do," said C. L. Gray, manager of the London branch of the Mason & Riehl Co. "Let me give you one instance. The other day I had a rare bargain in a talking machine with a number of records. It was a fine buy at \$50 and I inserted a small advertisement in The Advertiser. The ad came out that evening and before 8 o'clock the machine and records were sold and I had the check of a prominent London man in the cash register. Next morning at least five others came in to buy the machine, and while we were unable to give them that machine we sold two others. All from one little want ad that cost a few cents. I could relate all manner of such experiences. I don't need to say any more about my belief in advertising."

Haig "Uppercuts" Once More, This Time Near the Ypres Canal.

London, July 5.—The British made an attack last night southwest of Hollebeke, in Belgium, near the Ypres Canal. Today's official statement says the British line was advanced on a front of 600 yards. The announcement follows:

"Southwest of Hollebeke we advanced our lines slightly on a front of 600 yards. Last night we carried out successful raids in the vicinity of Wieleteje and Nieuport, and captured several prisoners."

A NEW UPPERCUT. [Special to The Advertiser.]

London, July 5.—Continuing his tactics of "mixing" his blows at the Germans, Field Marshal Haig last night struck successfully at the enemy southwest of Hollebeke in Belgium.

"We advanced our line slightly on a front of six hundred yards," the report stated today.

"This new uppercut" at the German lines found its impact in that section near where the British achieved their great gains by the Messines-Wytschate Ridge victory. There has been but little fighting in the salient for a week. Hollebeke is three miles southeast of Ypres. It is the northernmost point in the sharp angle formed at Comines in the junction of the Ypres-Lille Canal and the River Lys. At the time of the Ypres-Wytschate victory, the German divisions repeatedly sent an ultimatum to the British, offering to defend this angle because of the difficulty in defending it in marshy lowlands and because the two waterways hemmed in their forces. The evacuation, however, was mostly of the southern part of this angle, and the German lines held firm around Oosterveld, Wambecq and Hollebeke.

CHI LI GOVERNOR THROWS IN HIS LOT WITH REPUBLICANS

Powerful Army Added to the Forces Hostile to Chinese Monarchy.

London, July 5.—A dispatch from Tokyo, July 4, to the Morning Post, says that Tsoi Kung, military governor of Chi Li, whose attitude hitherto has been friendly to the Chinese monarchy, has now thrown in his lot with the republicans. Tsoi Kung is now mobilizing his forces. His action, it is considered, will endanger the position of the Chinese monarchy. Tsoi Kung is now mobilizing his forces. His action, it is considered, will endanger the position of the Chinese monarchy. Tsoi Kung is now mobilizing his forces. His action, it is considered, will endanger the position of the Chinese monarchy.

JAPAN ANXIOUS.

Tokyo, July 5.—Viscount Motono, foreign minister, interpreting the Diet yesterday, said the restoration movement in China is causing anxiety in Japan, but as it concerns Chinese domestic policies he believed that peace remained a spectator and refraining from interference at least for the present.

DEMOUNCES HSUN.

Tien Tsin, July 5.—Tuan Chi Jui, former premier, has issued an eloquent denunciation of the Manchurian restoration movement. He played a leading part in the restoration of the Manchurian monarchy, and of committing crimes of inconceivable magnitude. He is now being used as a scapegoat for the restoration movement. He is now being used as a scapegoat for the restoration movement. He is now being used as a scapegoat for the restoration movement.

ARTILLERY ENGAGEMENTS ALONG FRENCH FRONTS

Paris, July 5.—Today's official statement reports heavy artillery fighting near Moronvillers, in the Champagne region, on the Verdun front. The statement follows: "There was rather pronounced activity of the artillery in the region of Moronvillers, Prunay and Hill 304. There is nothing to report from the remainder of the front on all points to put out every ounce of strength, to save China from Chang Hsun."