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RUSSIANS MUST Abandon Lemberg To Austro-Germans

Enemy Forces Within Six Miles Galician Capital

ITS FALL IS CERTAIN But the Victory Sure to Cost Germans Dearly

Petrograd, June 22.—With the Russians opposing their Austro-German antagonists on a line six miles from Lemberg, according to most recent information reaching Petrograd, it is officially considered here that the evacuation of the Galician capital cannot now be avoided without the sacrifice of men out of proportion to the strategic importance of the place.

The evacuation of Lemberg, as a base, has already been accomplished in good order, and hospitals and government institutions have been removed. The Russian positions before the city, consisting of a system of trenches and entanglements, are well calculated to make victory for the German allies costly.

The positions are not regarded by the Russian military observers as impregnable on account of the absence of any elevations commanding the district, from which it would be possible to employ artillery effectively.

To the north, the Austro-Germans are reaching positions evacuated by them in September on the road to the Hawka, Russka and Tomaszow. Seemingly they are intent on capturing Tarnow, the railway junction which controls communications between Lemberg and Russia. The Russians, according to reports reaching Petrograd, are holding the Austro-Germans along the Dniester River.

German Daily Suspends Publication By Order of Govt.

Berlin, June 22.—The German authorities today informed the administration of the Berlin Tages Zeitung that it would have to suspend publication for an indefinite period of time, on account of a recent article published by the paper on the subject of German-American relations from the pen of Count von Reventlow.

This action of the German authorities is regarded here as an indication that the Government is weary of seeing its relations with America made more strained by journalistic outbursts such as those of von Reventlow. The article in question followed the well-known lines of that writer, who asserted that international law must be disregarded in the conduct of submarine warfare, declaring that these laws were made before submarines were invented.

The Burial Of Lieut. Warneford

London, June 2.—The body of Warneford, the young Lieutenant of the Aviation Corps, who was killed on June 17th during a flight in France was buried today at Brompton cemetery with full naval honours. Between forty and fifty thousand gathered at the cemetery.

To Stop Trade With Germany via Holland

London, June 22.—An Order in Council to be issued prohibiting the exportation of all goods to Holland, except those consigned to the Netherlands Overseas Trust, is expected to stop trade believed to be passing through Holland into Germany.

German Minister To Bulgaria Arrives In Berlin

Berlin, June 22.—The German Minister at Sofia has arrived in Berlin today for a conference at the Foreign Office, and will return soon to his post.

TURKS BOMBARD BRITISH TRENCHES

Great Number High Explosive Shells but Failed to Deliver Attack—British Trenches—Turks Lose One Thousand

London, June 23.—On the evening of June 19th, an official communication from the Headquarters of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, he Turks expended some 450 high explosive shells on our left centre and were seen massing for attack.

The enemy's heart failed them, the attack degenerated into fire action. At 7.30 one of our brigades attacked the Turkish trenches, but were unsuccessful. The Turks counter attacks effected a lodgement of their lines at an awkward salient, captured by us on the 4th. As the brigade was unable to recover the lost trench, the

50th Royal Scots, assisted by a company of Worcester Regiment, came to their help. This attack was ably organized and brilliantly carried to a successful issue.

The prisoners state the Turks expected this bombardment with high explosives would have leaped us out altogether and were much disappointed that so little impression was being made, though the trenches were much damaged.

The Turkish dead is estimated at three hundred from one brigade alone, and a thousand in all parts, is a low estimate.

British Activity Near La Bassee

London, June 22.—The Official Press Bureau issues the following narrative by the official Eye-witness attached to the staff of Field Marshal Sir John French under the date of June 18th.

"On June 13th we resumed an offensive action in co-operation with the French, who were applying pressure about Arras. The scene of the action was west of LaBassee. After bombarding our infantry attacked, taking a few prisoners. They penetrated well behind and in some place fighting they along trenches of enemy's second line with hand grenades.

"In the neighbourhood of Ypres our infantry charged the German first line over a front of a thousand yards, penetrating in place through the second and third lines, at some points reaching the Bellewaune Lake.

On the left we held about 250 yards of the second line but near Mooge no progress was made. Germans launched heavy counter attack, but their advancing infantry was caught in cross fire of our field guns and driven back, leaving large numbers of dead on the ground. Nevertheless we were unable to maintain ourselves on the whole of the ground gained."

Battle of Arras May Decide Fate of France

Berlin, June 22.—A news agency says that soldiers write that from Arras to Souchez, about eight miles, the field is covered with corpses, and that the odour is unbearable.

Reports from neutral sources declare that the battle raging near Arras may decide the fate of France.

Both sides are fighting with unheard of courage and heroism. The French are very strong, and the Germans are continuously receiving reinforcements.

France Floats New War Loan

New York, June 22.—J. P. Morgan & Co. have announced that arrangements have been made by them and Rothschilds of Paris for the flotation in this country of a new French loan, the amount of which it was impossible to state at present. It will be secured by 1 high-grade railway bonds.

From an unofficial source it is learned that the amount will probably be under 50 millions. Interest will be about 5 per cent.

American Cabinet Short Session

Washington, June 23.—Cabinet session today less than an hour. Neither Mexican nor European situation were touched. Postmaster General Burleson announced he would thoroughly investigate the charge that mail between the States and Sweden has been opened in England. Burleson said he would also investigate the right of belligerents to open mail passing between neutrals.

Unconfirmed Reports Reach London of Fall of Lemberg

Desperate Fighting Around Arras Still Raging—Germans Deliver Counter-Attacks

OFFSET FRENCH GAINS

British Commons Adopts Measure That Will Effect American Exports

London, June 23.—The French gains in the West and the Battle of Lemberg are the only struggles that can be isolated as distinctive during the present stage of warfare. Many unconfirmed reports have reached London that Lemberg has already fallen to the Austro-Germans. Despatches from Petrograd indicate that the evacuation of the Galician capital by the Russians may be looked for any time.

In the Vosges the Germans have retired to the east bank of the Fecht, according to their own admission, but they assert all French attacks have been repulsed.

Fighting around Arras continues to be desperate and sanguinary, the Germans counter-attacking to offset recent French gains.

The Commons today adopted a measure designed to check supplies reaching Germany through neutral states. The Bill, when it becomes a Statute, may have a marked effect on American exports.

A feature of the new War Loan, issued by Britain, enabling the general public to invest as low as five shillings, bids fair to prove immensely popular, several firms announcing that they will purchase these vouchers for all their workmen as a nest egg towards savings.

The Women's Patriotic Association

In Aid of the Sick and Wounded and of Our Soldiers at the Front

Amount acknowledged \$12,993.14

Sale of Housewives 68.58

Money Boxes 4.36

Balance in hand \$13066.08

\$607.60

KATHERINE EMERSON,

Hon. Treas. W.P.A.

BRITAIN EXPLAINS TO WASHINGTON

Attitude Towards Neutral Trade With Little Friction as Possible With U. S. Govt.—Is Determined to Shut Off German Communication with Outside World.

London, June 23.—The Foreign Office delivered today to Ambassador Page, for transmission to Washington, a Memorandum explanatory of the efforts being made by the British Government to mitigate hardships suffered by neutral traders on account of an Order in Council or other war measures affecting their interests.

The Memorandum, although not a reply to the American Contraband

Notes, gives a summary of measures adopted by Britain, with the purpose of enforcing, with as little friction as possible, the policy of shutting off Germany from the rest of the world.

The Foreign Office sets forth the methods, whereby neutrals may trade without coming into conflict with these regulations. The text of the Note is not to be published here, until it is given out at Washington.

Russians Claim Victory On Dniester

London, June 23.—A despatch to the Central News from Petrograd gives the following Russian official communication, made public Tuesday. In the Dniester district complete success has been attained after six days' fighting near Snowidow. The Russians captured over three thousand prisoners on the Zale Szezyky front.

During the night of the 20th, after fierce fighting Russian troops captured two thousand prisoners.

Proposed In Commons Relinquish Salaries

London, June 23rd.—Voluntary relinquishment of their salaries by members of the Commons for the period of the war was suggested today by Sir Arthur B. Markham, Liberal, Premier Asquith promised to consider the question, although he said he thought it was a matter for the house itself to decide. Markham's plea was based on the necessity for economy, and retrenchment in all branches of the public service, but he said he was willing that members with private incomes less than \$2,000 should continue to draw the emolument of \$2000 paid to members of the House.

Capt. Kean of the Prospero wired Bowring Bros. from Conche this morning as follows:—Arrived yesterday this morning O.K.; ice-bound yesterday at Englee; jam of ice gone into White Bay.

JETTISON CARGO or Go to Bottom Was Alternative

Given Norwegian by Submarine Commander

CAPTAIN COMPLIED

Saved His Ship But Sunk Cargo of Footstuffs

Castle, England, June 23rd.—The Norwegian mail steamer Venus arrived here today minus her cargo which was thrown overboard. The Captain asserted, under threat by German submarine commander, that otherwise the Venus would be sunk. The captain says the Venus was hailed by submarine and given the alternative of jettisoning all foodstuffs on board or being sent to the bottom.

SHIP SUNK. CREW LANDED

Fraserburgh, Scotland, June 23rd.—All the crew of the British steamer Carisbrook, sunk yesterday by a German submarine, landed here.

America Stops Jap Expedition

Hague, June 23rd.—The Handelsblad in an edition today asserts that Japan has been prevented from sending 300,000 troops to Europe as a result of an official hint to Britain from Washington that such an expedition would be undesirable.

England's Appeals For More Men

London, June 23.—The commonwealth Minister of Defense, says the Times' Sydney correspondent received an appeal from the Imperial authorities for as many men as possible. Efforts are being made to raise another contingent, comprising three infantry brigades.

J. F. Mouland of Fogo Dist. Slashes the Bottleswasher

And Prays God Will Spare President Coaker and Allow Him to Lead the Fishermen's Cause to Victory.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

Dear Sir,—I must ask you for space in your valuable paper that is doing and has done more to fight the cause of us down-trodden fishermen of this dear old Newfoundland of ours. As a fisherman, and in stating what I will state I am expressing the general feeling of seventh-eighths of the fishermen of the Northern districts. As to the Bottleswasher Editor of that rag, the Daily Star, who is trying to abuse our worthy President, W. F. Coaker, he ought just as well try to stop the tide, as to try to make us forget our President. The more he is abused the stronger he will become. What will make the Union and Coaker stronger and stronger is abuse by such a traitor or as the Star editor.

We are a determined lot as 20,000 fishermen and members of the F.P.U., and if Mosdell wants to find out he should come down to our various harbors and see the fishermen in groups reading our paper—The Mail and Advocate, which is showing up the scandal of the S.S. Fiona, in showing up about her sick crew and all it cost for medicine, they say about \$1000; also about the Wilson Deal or New Field Deal, and all the grabbals got from our hard earnings.

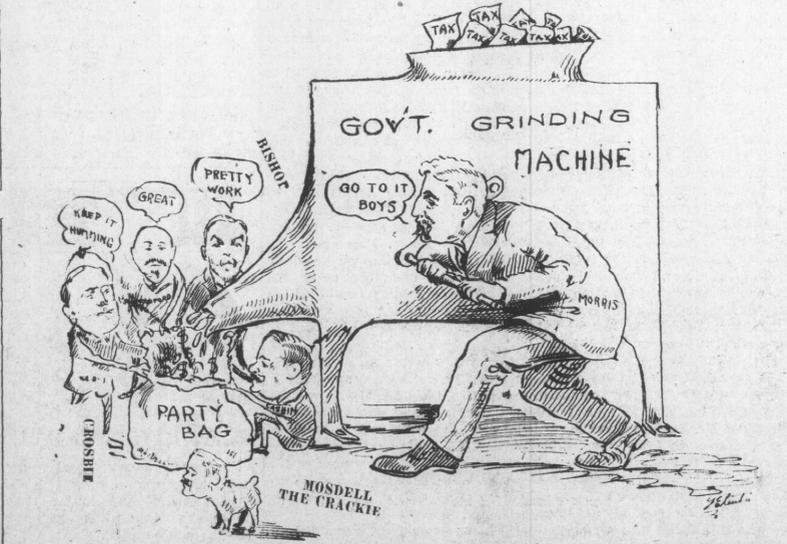
Now Mosdell, why don't you tell us how much Cashin got in his grabbals, that called us fishermen of the North and West cullage, but he got cullage

in the House the past session, Now Mosdell what about Crosbie's grab of contracts, insurance and coal, and the Agricultural grab of Devereaux and Downey and others. We do not mind you Mosdell, it would be just as well for you to try and stop the tide as to try to turn us, as we will never, never be turned against Terra Nova's brightest son who Pisco called the King of the Fishermen in the House the past session.

May God spare him to fight our battles and lead us on to victory, and drive the grabbals out of the ship of State that they are trying to sink. We know, Mosdell, about your clique, and the less you say the better, about our worthy president, as he have the wind and tide with him.

The Northern and Western people think that you (Mosdell) must be well paid by Munn and his gang, but all have well sized you up. Your days are numbered as an editor. Come down to Fogo district the next election and see how you would get on in facing Mr. Halfyard and the F.P.U., but be sure to bring a flying machine to get out quick, because if you fall at Doting Cove, we would not be accountable for what would happen you I remain.

Mr. Coaker and fellow fishermen, Yours truly, J. F. MOULAND, Doting Cove, June 15, 1915.



The above cartoon shows Morris turning the Tax Grinding Machine—grinding tax after tax out of the Fishermen. The machine scatters the taxes of the Toilers amongst the greedy clique of legalized robbers: Crosbie, Cashin and Bishop receiving the lion's share of the boodle, while the Bootle Washer—the Crackie—looks on pitiously, hoping that a few stray coins will come his way. The clique will only allow him to get a small of the givings out. When the rascality ends, the Crackie will receive kicks in abundance as payment for his vile and despicable conduct towards the F.P.U. and Coaker.