

# SERBIANS SCORE SUCCESS ON MACEDONIAN FRONT

## Two From St. John, One From Hampton In Midnight List

Chas. H. Richardson and Thos. Marshall of St. John, Wounded, and Jos. J. Keohan of Hampton Reported Wounded.

Midnight List. INFANTRY. Wounded. Thomas Marshall, Sand Cove Road, St. John, N. B. Acting Sergt. Charles H. Richardson, 151 Union street, St. John, N. B.

MEDICAL SERVICES. Wounded. Driver Raymond C. Blakeney, 45 Allen street, Halifax, N. S.

ARTILLERY. Died of Wounds. Gunner Joshua Coombs, Upper Island Cove District, Newfoundland. Wounded. Gunner James Bower, 53 Gottenburg street, Halifax, N. S.

MOUNTED RIFLES. Wounded. Joseph J. Keohan, Hampton, N. B.

ENGINEERS. Wounded. Rapper John S. McNeil, Benacadie, N. S. Ottawa, Aug. 6—

Artillery. Wounded—Gunner Douglas McDonald, Sydney, N. S.

Seriously ill—Benjamin Bates, Cape Breton, N. S. Wounded—Jos. Horrocks, Sydney Mines, N. S.

MOUNTED RIFLES. Killed in Action. George Rector, Londonderry, N. S.

ARTILLERY. Wounded. Gunner Arthur T. Dale, South Maitland, N. S.

Wounded. Harold E. Crosby, P. O. box 128, Yarmouth, N. S. Arthur D. Porter, Hammond River, N. B.

Leut. John W. Wise, 126 South street, Halifax, N. S.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American League Standing.

| Team         | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 40  | 43   | .553 |
| Boston       | 38  | 45   | .522 |
| Cleveland    | 37  | 44   | .544 |
| New York     | 34  | 47   | .535 |
| Detroit      | 35  | 50   | .524 |
| St. Louis    | 32  | 51   | .505 |
| Washington   | 30  | 49   | .505 |
| Philadelphia | 19  | 78   | .196 |

National League Standing.

| Team         | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Brooklyn     | 39  | 35   | .528 |
| Boston       | 38  | 36   | .542 |
| Philadelphia | 32  | 40   | .570 |
| New York     | 28  | 45   | .516 |
| Chicago      | 26  | 55   | .465 |
| St. Louis    | 25  | 57   | .441 |
| Pittsburgh   | 21  | 53   | .436 |
| Cincinnati   | 16  | 63   | .352 |

International League Standing.

| Team       | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|------------|-----|------|------|
| Providence | 30  | 43   | .552 |
| Buffalo    | 22  | 43   | .547 |
| Montreal   | 20  | 44   | .527 |
| Baltimore  | 20  | 47   | .518 |
| Toronto    | 17  | 46   | .511 |
| Richmond   | 16  | 47   | .495 |
| Newark     | 10  | 54   | .426 |
| Rochester  | 8   | 52   | .422 |

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## AUSTRALIANS WIN NEW GLORY AT POZIERES

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In the war for position the general opinion is that the value of this latest gain cannot be overestimated, and the heavy bombardment which is proceeding in that neighborhood indicates the Australians will have a stiff job holding this new position.

German prisoners report heavy casualties from the fire of the British long range guns, in the villages and camps anywhere from the front line to five to ten miles in the rear.

Hold Southern End of Fleury

Paris, Aug. 6.—11.15 p.m.—The official communiqué issued by the war office tonight reads:

"On the right bank of the Meuse the enemy made no attempt in the sector of Thiaumont.

"We have organized the positions conquered immediately west of the road from Thiaumont to Fleury and in the village, the entire southern part of which we held.

"After a violent bombardment which lasted the entire day, the Germans launched two powerful attacks in the Vaux-la-Chapelle wood. One of these attacks, broken by our fire, was not able to reach our lines. The enemy, who in the course of the second attack had succeeded in penetrating some elements of our trenches, were immediately driven out by a counter-attack. Our front remained intact.

"The usual cannonade occurred on the rest of the front.

"Aviation.—The German aeroplane which fell near Morville and which was reported in the communication of this morning, was brought down by Sgt. Lenoir. This is the sixth enemy aeroplane accounted for thus far by this pilot.

Belgian communication—"Our batteries of all calibres successfully shelled today the German works in the region of Namur. The enemy replied feebly."

Allied Battle-planes Shot Down.

Berlin, Aug. 6, via London, Aug. 6.—An official statement issued today says:

"An enemy battle-plane Saturday morning near the coast of Flanders after a long chase was forced to fight by one of our seaplanes and was destroyed. Naval Lieut. Boehnisch thus destroyed his fourth enemy machine."

French Heavily Bombed on Right Bank of Meuse

Paris, Aug. 6.—The official communiqué issued by the war office tonight reads:

"On the right bank of the Meuse the Germans bombarded violently, from 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the Thiaumont Wood and our position at Chenoy. There were no infantry attacks during the day.

"The cannonading was intermittent on the rest of the front.

"This morning one of our pilots brought down successfully two enemy aeroplanes in the region of Verdun. One fell in the French lines, the second between the German trenches and our trenches. The same morning, after a combat, another German machine was compelled to land within our lines at Moyenneville, north of Estrees. The two enemy aeroplanes were made prisoners. The machine was of a recent model. It was intact.

"Belgian communication. This afternoon the German artillery and trench guns were active at Steenstraete and Het-Sas. The Belgians

carried out a destructive fire on the enemy batteries south of Torvaere."

Germana Quickly Driven Out.

London, Aug. 6.—The official statement issued tonight from general headquarters reads:

"The enemy made two attacks early this morning on the ground we had gained northwest of Postieres. In one of the attacks, by the use of liquid fire, he temporarily forced us back along one of the trenches we had captured, but later we recovered all but some forty yards of the ground thus lost.

"In the other attack the enemy was repulsed with loss.

"In the afternoon we made some progress along the trenches east of Postieres in the direction of Martinputch. Considerable artillery activity was reported near Carenehy and Loos.

"South of St. Etloi we raided enemy trenches, causing many casualties.

"The improved weather enabled useful work by our artillery in connection with the aeroplanes, and destroyed several gun emplacements."

Over 2,500 Prisoners.

Paris, Aug. 6.—According to an official communication, the number of prisoners taken by the French in the week of July 30-August 5, for the most part in the Meuse region, exceeded 2,500.

A Jew Likely

NEXT HOLDER OF THE LIGHTWEIGHT TITLE

Benny Leonard's Showing Against Welsh Puts Him First in Line for the Championship.

"Kill the Jew!"

The cry was raised in England more than a century ago when Daniel Mendoza, "the Star of the East," a Jewish Hebrew of Spanish descent, triumphed over the best of England's bruisers and displayed before the sporting crowd the most marvelous command of boxing skill and science the world had ever seen.

The same cry has been raised hundreds of times by the fight on this side of the Atlantic.

Joe Chynoweth has had the cry drilled into his ears by clamorous mobs. Little Abe Attel has heard this echo of medieval bigotry and religious hatred.

Leach Cross and Kid Herman and Harry Lewis and Young Joseph and Kid Lewis and Willie Beecher and Battling Levinsky and a host of other Jewish gladiators of the ring have felt the venom of this outworn prejudice.

It is a tribute to the good sense and the boxing fans of New York that this cry has never been raised against Benny Leonard, the young Hebrew who recently burst into the limelight by defeating Freddie Welsh in practically every round of a ten-round engagement. Although a Hebrew, Benny is popular with all the fans of the American metropolis, regardless of race and religion.

Now that the powers of Freddie Welsh are flagging, it seems certain that he must soon have a successor, and it seems almost equally sure that that successor will be a Jew. The modern lightweight championship has been held by an Irishman, a French Canadian, a Swiss, a negro, a Dane, two German-Americans and a Welshman. Now it is the turn of the Hebrew. For in Benny Leonard and Charlie White the Hebrews have two lightweight gladiators either one of whom could almost certainly take the title in a battle over the twenty-round route. White is an English Hebrew, a native of Liverpool, while Benny Leonard was born in New York just twenty years ago this month.

Leonard, who has succeeded Leach Cross as the pride of New York's Ghetto, made his mundane debut in a tenement in downtown New York, and although he now resides in that less congested district known as Harlem, he is a product of the Ghetto. His real name is Benjamin Leimer, but like nearly all Hebrew fighters, he changed his moniker when he entered the ring.

The sudden rise of Leonard to fame and comparative fortune has been highly romantic and has not been accomplished without long preparation, however, when Benny boxed the kids of the neighborhood and developed his muscles and stamina and skill. The precipitate flowering came only after a long continued preparation of the soil.

The little Jew was about ten years old when he first donned the gloves. His brothers, Willie and Charlie, were also greatly interested in boxing, and Charlie is now a clever professional. Willie trains his scrapping brothers and acts as their second. The lads had an uncle who was a great fight fan, and who knew quite a bit about the game, and he gave them their first boxing lessons. A ring was marked off in the back yard, and there the Leimer kids and their chums spent most of their leisure hours, sweating each other.

One day a number of men of the neighborhood who had heard of this back yard boxing club came around while the lads were punting each other, and offered to raise a purse if a couple of them would give them a real bout. Benny and one of his chums, Joe Fogarty, consented to stage a six-round battle if sufficient inducements were offered. A purse of fifty cents was quickly raised, and it

## BULGARS DRIVE FROM REMIL BY SERBIAN ARMY

German Reports That Bulgarian Attacks South of Monastir Were Successful Entirely Unfounded, Despatch From Saloniki Says—Brave Little Army of King Peter Nobly Fulfilling Work Allotted by Its Powerful Champions.

Paris, Aug. 6.—The Serbians have won another success in operations along the Macedonian front, according to a Havas despatch from Saloniki today, taking the village of Remil, near Proba, which had been occupied by the Bulgarians.

German reports that the Bulgarians had delivered successful attacks against the Serbians south of Monastir are unfounded, the despatch declares.

Italiana Repulse Austrian Thrusts.

Rome, Aug. 6, via London.—Attacks by the Austrians on Italian positions at several points along the line from the Presidio to the Isosno, none of which was successful, are reported in today's war office statement. The Austrians are keeping up a heavy bombardment along the greater part of the front. The official statement follows:

"On the front between the Adige and the Upper Isosno, the enemy continued his violent bombardment of our line and at points launched strong infantry attacks. Hostile artillery activity increased yesterday on the left bank of the Leno, in the Pasubio area, and at the head of the Posina torrent.

Fierce Fighting for Brody.

"In the Sogana and the Upper Cordevole valleys, infantry actions took place which were particularly heavy on the slopes of Monte Sief, where three attacks on our positions failed. At the head of the Costeana Valley, in the Palasero area, the enemy's heavy batteries fired five hundred rounds on our trenches without effect. The enemy again launched strong attacks on the Chirano and Upper Dogana Valley. Our artillery retaliated, destroying enemy camps near Ralbi, in the Seebach Valley.

"On the Lower Isosno there have been violent artillery duels.

"During the attack of August 4 in the Monfalcone area the enemy, on evacuating positions, left behind special gas bombs which exploded as we entered the trenches."

Petropolis, Aug. 6, via London, 6 p.m.—The official statement from general headquarters issued today reads:

"The battles along the Sereth south of Brody are developing in our favor. Our troops after consolidating their position on the right bank of the river captured two more villages by assault and part of a wood situated southeast of one of them and a height situated between the two.

"Especially fierce fighting occurred in the villages, where it was necessary to drive the enemy out of nearly every stretch. The enemy made nine counter-attacks from the neighboring woods. All these were repulsed and the enemy suffered heavy losses. Over 1,200 men were taken prisoner and fresh prisoners continue to arrive.

"The situation in the Caucasus remains unchanged."

any form. Except for his craving for ice cream he is a sober and temperate lad. He likes to fight for the love of it, but he has an eagle eye for the coin of the realm.

Leonard's bout with Freddie Welsh was a revelation of boxing class, army of may be said of Freddie Welsh and American sporting circles and fight fans have said a lot that wasn't true—he is one of the cleverest who ever put on a glove, and personally a credit to the boxing game. Yet in cleverness he didn't have a thing on Benny, who fought with all the generalship of a veteran.

New York has not had a lightweight champion since Jack McAuliffe retired—and Jack was a Brooklynite and a native of Cork. Harlem Tommy Murphy, Knockout Brown and Leach Cross seemed for a time to be complete champions, but they all fell down in the stretch.

Pride of the Ghetto, "the real lightweight champion of the world in the making."

Peel, N. B., July 30.—Miss Edith Wescott of Boston was the guest of Mrs. Edna Riddout for two weeks.

Miss Edna Riddout of Somerville is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. B. Markey.

Mrs. Jonas Crain and children of Boston, and Mrs. Beecher Crain and daughter, Lois, of Westwood, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ebbett.

Mrs. Herbert Ryder and daughter, Charlotte, of Bangor, returned home on Wednesday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Corey.

Miss Lett Clark has returned from Fredericton.

Mrs. Charles Manser and sons, Bernard and Murray, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Riddout for the weekend.

Mrs. Wilfred Grandmire and children, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCrea this week, left for Arcton today on Tuesday.

Miss Sarah Melville is the guest of Miss Gertrude Markey.

Rev. and Mrs. P. J. Quigg and family have returned home after visiting relatives in Lower Southampton.

Walter Morrell of Fredericton is the guest of Miss L. V. Clark.

## VISITORS TO PATRIOTIC FAIR HAD ONE GRAND DAY IN HAMPTON

Enterprise of St. John Rotary Club and Hampton Willing Workers on Saturday Proved Most Successful—The Prize Winners.

The patriotic country fair at Hampton Saturday proved a great success. The fair was held under the joint auspices of the Rotary Club of St. John and the Willing Workers of Hampton. Those on the committees worked hard. The plans were laid well in advance and carried out so there was not a hitch in the proceedings, in fact it looked as if they had even made arrangements with the weather man, for no better day could have been provided for a country outing than that of Saturday.

The young ladies of Hampton certainly deserve the title of "Willing Workers" for attired in their white costumes they worked with a will and every face bore the smile of satisfaction because of their untiring efforts being crowned with success. The members of the Rotary Club were out in force, and with their coats off they moved out the good things offered for sale and dished them out about the grounds with but one object in view, that of gathering in the money for the visitors to swell the patriotic funds.

While special mention has been made of the excellent work of the members of the Rotary Club and the Willing Workers of Hampton, it would be just as well to state that the members of the Commercial Travellers' Association took an active part, and the travellers made it a point to be home for the week and took advantage of the time and were on hand in force. They had charge of booths along the pike, and as their business every day is selling goods, it goes without saying that they proved a valuable assistance in disposing of articles that were in the hands of old and young who were in attendance.

The Willing Workers of Hampton were also assisted by the gentlemen of that village. Steve Matthews took his position on the court house steps and auctioned articles ranging from a doughnut to a pig and a load of hay, and there was not one article sold which Auctioneer Matthews did not get a good price for.

A special train from St. John carried hundreds of pleasure seekers, while the steamer Hampton steamed from Indian town at three o'clock in the afternoon, carrying a fairly large crowd arriving in Hampton village at seven o'clock. The Temple band from St. John was present during the afternoon and evening and rendered an excellent programme of music.

A dancing pavilion was erected on the grounds, and the music was furnished by a young man with an accordion. Many of the young ladies and gentlemen danced to their delight despite the warm weather.

The grounds where the big fair was held adjoined the Hampton court house. Two concerts were held in the court house and a fair audience enjoyed the programmes.

On the grounds was the midway, and there everything that was necessary could be found where the visitors could spend spare cash.

It was a general holiday in Hampton and all places of business were closed, those having farms stopped work for the day and all wended their way to the fair grounds.

Business men might have been seen along the pike using all the terms of a piker, calling on the visitors to "try your chance," "kill the cow," "take a guess on the cake," "try for the pig," "guess on the load of hay," and many other things, and every booth appeared to be doing business.

On the top steps of the court house might be seen Steve Matthews, the auctioneer, getting clear of a large quantity of goods. His assistant was E. A. Schofield of the Schofield Paper Company. The latter could have been seen looking on high a squealing pig, which was finally knocked down to a St. John merchant for \$4.35, and the purchaser had his own troubles looking after the porker. Then came hundreds of doughnuts which were sold by the dozen, and articles of such a nature too numerous to mention.

Fair prices were received for all the goods and the money thus derived went towards swelling the patriotic funds.

About the grounds were many returned soldiers who have been invalided home, and they also assisted the committee in selling tickets and in other ways.

The piker had many different booths from "hit the Kaiser" to the spy's fortune teller, in fact there were a couple of dozen booths conducted in a style that was highly creditable, and only the professional piker could have done better.

The fair was opened by Mayor Hayes of St. John in a short address, and he was followed by Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell who delivered a patriotic address. E. A. Schofield was the chairman of the general committee and H. G. Marr was the treasurer, and these gentlemen with the ladies and gentlemen who took part in making the fair such a success are satisfied that their labors were not in vain.

In the guessing contest for a pig Mrs. Gaudette of Bermda was the winner, having guessed the exact weight, which was 19.54 pounds. The lady handed the prize back to the committee and the porker was sold at auction.

During the afternoon Miss Russell,

## ALLIES ARE ONE WITH ENGLAND IN RESOLVE TO FIGHT TILL VICTORIOUS

London, Aug. 6.—Answers to the telegrams he sent to the heads of various allied nations on the second anniversary of Great Britain's entry into the war have been received by King George.

The message from Emperor Nicholas of Russia, dated at general headquarters, said:

"I am equally determined that we in Russia shall make good the sacrifices which my brave troops and people have given to a just cause, which will bring the reward we seek, and that the peace for which we fight shall be secured by complete victory over our enemies."

From the Emperor of Japan the following was received:

"After all the trials of the great defense of the Allies are now meeting forward steadily and successfully on all fronts. I beg your majesty to believe I am entirely in accord with you in the strong desire until our common cause for right and freedom shall be fully vindicated."

The message from King Peter of Serbia said he had received with satisfaction the fresh testimony of an "indefinite determination" to bring about the triumph of the noble cause.

daughter of Commissioner J. V. Russell of St. John, lost a valuable watch on the grounds. The timepiece was found by little Margaret Ross, daughter of Joseph Ross, of Hampton, who gave it to one of those on the committee to return to the owner.

Those owning automobiles in Hampton, with some from St. John, kindly loaned their cars for the day, and they were kept busy conveying people from the boat landing to the fair grounds and other points.

While there was an excellent crowd present, there was not the large attendance from St. John that was expected. A. A. and Mrs. D. Angeline missed a most enjoyable time at some of the prize winners.

Opera glasses (Bean contest)—A. M. Dunn of Hampton.

Rubber boots—Harold Fairweather, Hampton.

Silk umbrella—Mr. Sinclair.

Box of soap—Mrs. Hooper.

Five pounds of candy—C. D. Dickson.

Load of hay—W. M. Lundy.

Fountain pen—Mrs. M. J. Lowe.

Box Candy—Miss Alberta Crandall.

Box of tobacco—J. D. Angeline.

Barrel of Potatoes—Mr. Angus.

Wrist Watch—Miss Gladys, Victoria, B. C.

Cake—Dr. Malcolm Kuhnring.

Surfboard—Mrs. Suffren.

Utility Bag—Miss Edwards.

The committee wish to thank the following persons for donations to the fair:—Annette Piano Company, Haven, N. B. Mineral Springs Co., Sussex.

Mineral Springs Co., Ferguson & Page, P. A. Dykeman, Donaldson Hunt, National Drug Company, Imperial Optical Company, E. G. Nelson & Co., H. E. Robinson, Charles Robinson, E. Clinton Brown, Mrs. W. Langstroff, Manchester Robertson Allison, Vesali & Company, also to Prof. Lloyd, the Tennis Club, the Willing Workers and Canadian Rubber Company, Waterbury & Riving, T. H. Estabrook, A. & I. Isaacs, Marr Millinery Company, Mrs. Burden of Boston; G. E. Barbour, C. A. Munroe, Baird & Peters, Bond & Scott, Brayley Drug Company and all others who gave donations towards making the fair such a success.

It was fully ten o'clock before the crowd left the grounds and wended their way homeward, tired but happy over the fact that all had spent a most pleasant time.

Annual Blueberry Picnic

The residents of Welsford will hold their annual blueberry picnic on Saturday, August 19. It is hoped that arrangements can be made with the Rotary club to take part in the gathering and a good sum raised for the Patriotic Fund.

London, August 4.—British naval aeroplanes on Wednesday carried out a successful raid on a German aerodrome and on a munition sheds in towns of Ghent, Belgium, says an official announcement given out tonight by the admiralty. The statement says:

"On Wednesday successful attacks by a naval aeroplane squadron of bombing and fighting machines were carried out on an enemy aerodrome at St. Denis, on Westrem and on Austrian sheds at Melrebeke. About two tons of bombs were dropped and considerable damage was done.

"One of our fighting machines with Flight Lieutenant Baudry is missing, and is believed to have been shot down. The remainder of the machines returned undamaged."

TURKS BRITISH WERE FOOT DUNES AND INFLICTING

London, Aug. 6.—British at Romani, 21 defeated and put to want issued today.

The Turks, added the British, who have Germany. The official

"The general of the date of Aug. 6, the city of Romani on August 6, the British entrenchment junction with a flank the southern flank, and men and heavy howitzers.

"The frontal attack full. Before the flank mounted troops retired the enemy became in the fourth.

"A counter-attack by all arms, which was successful, and at day the pursuit of the was taken up with vigour continued at the time sent.

"The enemy suffered by 8 p.m. on August 6, wounded prisoners, Germans, four mounted number of machine captured. Our casual heavy.

"Australian and mounted troops displayed in holding the strong in an energy and initiative the highest praise in

OBITUARY

John J. Har

Fredericton, Aug. 6, received of the death of John J. Har years. Deceased, with his daughter, Mrs. Har, had been ill for four each trouble. He is widow, three sons, Al of Plaster Rock, and John, and three daughters, Mrs. D. of St. Marys, William, Alexander, of Stanley of Plaster Rock.

Local Red Cross

The regular monthly Local Red Cross will day, August 17, at 3 o'clock, when the ladies earnestly desired that interested in the work should attend.

Births and Marriages

There were born infants, twenty female, males, and thirteen solemnized last week, reports made to Registrar

Children