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RUSSIANS HALT

The Advance of the Germans In Galicia.

ENEMY IS RETREATING

IN BALTIC PROVINCES WHERE RUSSIANS REINFORCED

The Petrograd War Office Says That the Frontal Attacks For Nine Days Caused the Germans Overwhelming Losses.

(Special to the Whig.) Petrograd, May 12.—Although admitting a gradual retreat and very heavy losses to their own forces, the Russian War Office declared today that the losses of the Germans already are overwhelming.

For nine days, the War Office says a general frontal assault on fortified positions has been maintained by the Germans and Austrians. The enemy has come on in irresistible numbers, the report says, and it has been necessary for the Russians gradually to retire.

The many Russian prisoners taken by the Germans are said to have for the most part wounded who were unable to follow the gradual Russian retreat.

The Russian lines in Galicia are now said to be holding new positions and checking the German advance.

In the Baltic provinces the Germans are now reported to be slowly retreating. The Russian forces there have been heavily reinforced.

War Tidings.

War between Italy and the Central Empires is now regarded in Rome as almost unavoidable. There is said to be only a slender chance that an agreement will be reached.

Sergt. Patterson, Calgary, of the Princess Patricia's, now in a hospital recovering from a bullet wound in the arm, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

Rev. Father Albert, pastor of L'Immaculee Parish, Ottawa, was killed in action at Ypres, April 22nd.

Private cable reports Thomas and Gerry Burk, sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Burk, Porth Arthur, as prisoners at Munster, Germany.

A Swiss engineer says the shipyards at Hamburg are turning out three finished submarines a month.

Two of them are of the larger class and one of the smaller type used for coast defense.

A Turkish official communication coming by way of Berlin and Amsterdam says the Austrian submarine AE-2 has been sunk by Turkish warships while trying to enter the Sea of Marmora and that the crew of three officers and twenty-nine men were taken prisoners.

Germans Won't Sink Neutrals In War Zone

(Special to the Whig.) Washington, May 12.—Germany, through Ambassador Gerard, yesterday notified the United States that submarine commanders had been specifically instructed not to harm neutral vessels not engaged in hostile acts; and that Germany would pay for damages to such ships in the war zone.

Neutral ships carrying contraband will be dealt with, the announcement says, according to the rules of naval warfare. If neutral ships are accidentally damaged in the war zone, Germany will express its regret and pay damages without prize court proceedings.

The German Government justifies its submarine warfare on the ground that England is threatening to starve the civilian population of Germany by prohibiting neutral commerce in foodstuffs and other necessities.

In previous communications Germany has disclaimed responsibility for any harm that might befall neutral vessels venturing into the war zone.

GERMANS ANNIHILATED.

(Special to the Whig.) Paris, May 12.—To the east of Ypres the British troops have been attacked again with the aid of asphyxiating gases. They allowed the fumes to pass over, under the protection of masks recently put into use, and by rifle and machine gun fire they annihilated, at the very point of their guns, the German columns which had advanced in close formation.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BASEBALL.

The Schedule Of Games—League Opens On Friday.

The Public School Baseball League will open on Friday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. The following is the schedule: May 14—O. C. I. vs. Macdonald. May 17—Central vs. Louise. May 18—Victoria vs. Frontenac. May 21—O. C. I. vs. Central. May 24—Macdonald vs. Victoria. May 26—Louise vs. Frontenac. May 28—Central vs. Victoria. May 31—O. C. I. vs. Louise. June 3—Macdonald vs. Frontenac. June 4—O. C. I. vs. Victoria. June 7—Central vs. Frontenac. June 9—Macdonald vs. Louise. June 11—O. C. I. vs. Frontenac. June 14—Macdonald vs. Central. June 16—Louise vs. Victoria.

Home From New York. Miss Louise F. Jones, University avenue, has returned from New York where she has been studying architecture and interior decoration at the School of Applied Design.

There's No Need Of a Coalition British Cabinet

(Special to the Whig.) London, May 12.—Reports that Mr. Lloyd-George and certain others were to retire from the Cabinet and that a coalition Cabinet was contemplated were denied by Premier Asquith today.

Speaking in the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith paid a high compliment to the leaders of all parties, and said that because of their united assistance, there was no need of the consideration of any suggestion of a coalition Cabinet.

OBITUARY

The Late Miss Jane Clancy.

The death of Miss Jane Clancy, which occurred on Saturday afternoon, May 5th, at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Dowling, Maple Lawn, will cause a keen sense of loss to many. Miss Clancy was born seventy-one years ago at Odessa, where she spent her early days. She moved to Kingston some thirty-five years ago and lived retired here ever since. In religion, Miss Clancy was a Roman Catholic and a member of St. Mary's Cathedral.

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Mary McConnell, Odessa; Mrs. James Mullin, O'Neil, Nebraska; and Mrs. F. Dowling, Maple Lawn; also by one brother, Robert, Kingston Station.

On Monday morning at eleven o'clock the funeral of the deceased lady was held at Odessa Roman Catholic Church, where a solemn requiem mass was sung by Rev. Father Staley. The remains were buried in Odessa cemetery.

The Late Mrs. W. J. Shipton.

Mrs. Shipton, wife of Sergt. W. J. Shipton, R.C.H.A., died in the Hotel Dieu on Wednesday morning after a brief illness. Her husband lies critically ill in the General Hospital, and small hopes are held out for his recovery. The family home is at the corner of Rideau and Barrack streets.

The late Mrs. Shipton's maiden name was Miss Elizabeth Fannon. She was thirty-six years of age, and well-known in the city. In religion she was a Roman Catholic and member of St. Mary's Cathedral. Two daughters and three sons survive: The Misses Evelyn and Veronica, Walter James and Reginald Shipton all residing at home. One brother, John Fannon, now attached to Lieut. Col. A. E. Ross' ambulance corps in France, and one sister, Mrs. E. D. Martin, Norway, Mich.

Collins' Bay Lady Dead.

On Wednesday morning a highly respected old resident of Collins' Bay passed to rest in the person of Mrs. Eliza Simmons, aged eighty-two years. The deceased had won for herself many friends by her amiable disposition. On Friday afternoon the funeral will be conducted to Collin's Bay cemetery.

WON'T WORK BESIDE THE GERMAN BRASTS.

Calgary, Alta., May 12.—Sixty-five employees of a local leather company, busy on French war orders, have issued an ultimatum to the management to discharge all German or Austrian employees by Saturday. They refuse, they say, to work alongside people whose countrymen have proved themselves to be "beasts."

Roblin Gang Has Resigned In Manitoba

(Special to the Whig.) Winnipeg, May 12.—Sir Rodmond Roblin's Government resigned about noon to-day and the Liberal leader, T. C. Norris, was called in by the Lieutenant-Governor to form a Government immediately. Premier Roblin has had fifteen years of power. A general election is expected shortly and it is conceded that the Liberals will be returned to power.

(Special to the Whig.) Premier T. C. Norris and his Cabinet have already taken over the departments vacated this morning by Sir Rodmond Roblin and his cabinet.

The Winnipeg Telegram (Conservative) says editorially to-day that Mr. Roblin and other members of the Cabinet will resign their seats and thus give the new Liberal Government a majority of seats in the Legislature.

WORKING OUT THE DETAILS

Of Affiliation Of School of Mining With Queen's. The Board of Governors of the School of Mining are working on the details of the scheme for the affiliation of that school with Queen's University. At the Board's annual meeting, affiliation was decided upon. At present the School of Mining is conducted by a separate Board, but an arrangement exists between the University and the School whereby each helps the other in regard to various subjects. It is felt that better results would be secured were the University and the School under one Board of Trustees. It will take some months to arrange the affiliation.

Col. Carson, just returned from the front, says that he found the Canadians as keen as ever to get back into the trenches. They are not in the least downhearted.

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