

GERMANS SHELLING THE SAND DUNES

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(Special to the Whig.) Paris, July 27 (Official).--For the first time in several weeks artillery duels along the sand dunes of the Belgium coast were reported in official despatches to-day. The Germans shelled Furnes behind the French lines with their long range guns, and bombarded St. Dunkirk, the famous sea-side resort two and a half miles from Neuport, hurling shells all round the grand hotel of the dunes. During the night a German aeroplane dropped five bombs on Dunkirk, doing no damage. In retaliation for these attacks, French heavy artillery bombarded Westend and Middlekirk, held by the Germans for several hours with considerable effect. The German artillery replied, and throughout yesterday and last night the roar of big guns was heard all along the coast. Scarcely any infantry fighting has occurred in the last twelve hours. The French have consolidated their positions at Limekopf by short charges and are maintaining their positions against all German counter attacks. Skirmishes have occurred in Argonne.

War Tidings. Turkey has replied to the protest of Greece against the ill-treatment of Greeks in Ottoman territory by stating that the "expulsion of

Caught Stranger With Explosives Near Gas Plant

On Monday evening shortly before dark a foreigner was rounded up in the cellar of a vacant house near the gas tank on Barrack street and when found by Police Constables Cotter and McCarey he had a valise filled with explosives. How long this foreigner has been frequenting this place is unknown, but it was by chance that Mrs. Charles McCormick, who resides across the street, saw him slide through the window into the basement. It is also claimed that a fuse was found and everything was almost in readiness to carry out a dastardly plot which might have caused the loss of many lives besides a terrific fire. The two constables had a lively tussle with the foreigner before they finally landed him in Fort Henry.

A LITTLE BOY SHOT In the Foot While Playing with a Rifle. While playing with a rifle at Barker's Point, on the Rideau, Saturday evening, William Godwin, the six-year-old son of Enoch Godwin, Jr., Pine street, accidentally shot himself in the left foot. The bullet passed through the child's instep and caused a considerable quantity of blood to be lost before arriving at the office of Dr. I. G. Bogart, where the wound was attended to. The little Godwin boy is a plucky little chap, and although he was feeling the effects of the shot on Monday, he was nevertheless up and around.

THE BRITISH CASUALTIES HAVE REACHED 330,995

(Special to the Whig.) London, July 27.--British losses in the war thus far, including both her military and naval forces, total 330,995, Premier Asquith stated to-day in a printed reply to a query put to him in Parliament. The heaviest losses suffered by the army naturally were in the fighting in northern France and Flanders, where the total losses were 112,564 officers and 255,649 men. These losses were divided as follows: Officers, 3,288 killed, 6,803 wounded and 1,163 missing; men, 48,383 killed, 156,308 wounded and 50,963 missing. The Dardanelles losses, including

Something Worth Fighting For

The British Empire represents all that is best in the material, economic, political, moral and spiritual life of the world to-day. Under the protecting folds of the Union Jack freedom has attained its highest limit. Britain has had the wisdom so to train and guide the swarthy children of alien races, and even the foes of yesteryear, that they put their living bodies between her and her enemies.

She has the gift of keeping alive, across tumbling seas, round half a world, the undying bond that unites the heart to home. The British Empire may be unscientific and unorganized, but it is mighty, with the greatness of the soul. Through the ages she has been the friend of the oppressed and the support of the weak. She has fought the fight of the little nations: that they might not be exterminated. Once again she has girded on her armour in defence of a people small in numbers but great in spirit--the heroic Belgians.

Shall such an Empire go down to utter destruction? Shall such a beneficent civilization disappear from the earth?

We must answer this question to-day--not with boastful words, but by stirring deeds. The old grey mother sends forth the call to battle, and her sons are gathering from afar. They come from beneath the Southern Cross--from beneath the Northern Skies--from India's Coral Strand--from African veldt and plain--one from the ends of the earth. Many, alas, have already laid down their lives for this glorious cause. Although no sculptured marble should rise to their memory, nor engraved stone bear record of their deeds, yet will their remembrance be as lasting as the land they honored.

It is our duty--nay, more, our privilege--to give to the Empire to-day the best we have. We cannot do too much, for the need is far greater than the most of us yet realize. Canada has done nobly, but she must do more. The country calls for men, and still more men. No man who can go should hesitate another hour. We must see this thing through.

There will be no salvation for us if we fail. Join the Khaki line to-day.

BISHOP OF LONDON PRAYS FOR ALLIES

Twenty Thousand Persons, Including 3,500 Territorials, Attend Great Open Air Service.

London, July 27.--Right Rev. Arthur F. W. Ingram, Bishop of London, on Sunday evening conducted a huge open air intercession service on the steps of St. Pauls Cathedral for the success of the arms of Great Britain and her Allies, to which 3,500 Territorials marched in a body. Twenty thousand persons were present. In his address the Bishop said: "The soul of England will free the world again. No calamity could be more awful to contemplate than at this supreme crisis in the history of the world England should fail. The call which has been addressed to the nation for voluntary military service is the greatest call that could be addressed to any nation and no other nation would have believed it possible. This is the time when we can answer to this call voluntarily. We are fighting for the freedom of the home, the liberties of the world and international honor. Christ upon the cross was opposed to the revival of the pagan doctrine that might makes right. The church calls upon the nation to say that no sacrifice matters if we win."

ENTIRE EMPIRE WILL RENEW ITS WAR VOW

Meetings to be Held Everywhere to Pass Resolution of Determination.

London, July 27.--The anniversary of Great Britain's declaration of war on Germany August 4th, will be marked throughout the Empire by reaffirmation of the determination of the British peoples to continue the struggle unwaveringly. The pledge will be embodied in the following resolution, approved by Premier Asquith: "That on this anniversary of the declaration of a righteous war this meeting of citizens of records us indelible determination to continue to a victorious end the struggle for the maintenance of those ideals of liberty and justice which are the common and sacred cause of the Allies. Meetings have been arranged throughout the Empire at which the resolution will be put. Members of the Cabinet and of Parliament and other public officials are co-operating in the arrangements and the Dominions and Colonies are all joining in the movement.

PAYS \$101 FINE FOR BASS CATCH

Thomas Shipman, of Ivy Leaf, Confesses Judgment at Clayton.

Clayton, N.Y., July 27.--State Game Protector George Wegener of Alexandria Bay and C. M. Stearns of Sackett Harbor, went before Justice of the Peace H. D. Cole of this village, Friday with Thomas Shipman, Ivy Leaf, Ont. Shipman confessed judgment and paid a penalty of \$101 for selling black bass, illegally, the bass having been caught in nets near Clayton. The protectors have been on the lookout for Shipman for the past two weeks, with a warrant for his arrest, but through the efforts of his attorney, John O'Leary of Clayton, a truce was granted to allow him an opportunity to come to Clayton to adjust the matter.

RUSSIA CONSIDERING THE INTERESTS OF HER ALLIES IN MAKING STAND.

Petrograd, July 27.--There is a feeling at Petrograd that in facing a great rush the Russian are considering the interests of France and Great Britain in preference to their own. It would be a small matter for Russia with her vast territories to give up for the time being a little more of Poland, but it has been clearly recognized by those directing the plans of the Allied armies that further retirement without fighting would allow the enemy to transfer large forces to the west in order to break through to Calais and possibly to Paris.

The Railways About Warsaw Are in Danger

(Special to the Whig.) London, July 27.--The magnitude of the German enveloping movement in the eastern field is now absorbing the attention of the British officials and public. The latest reports show that General Von Buelow's 30,000 cavalry have turned southward from Riga, and are within eighty miles of the railway connecting Petrograd with Warsaw. The Times believes the operations are a real danger not alone to Warsaw but to the whole system of railway defenses of which that city is the centre, and that it now is apparent that the Germans are planning to envelop the entire Russian army in this region. The newspaper points out that the fall of Warsaw will have grave significance for the west, as it will mean that Russia's power to resume a successful offensive will have been indefinitely postponed and that the principal bases for offensive operations will be in the hands of Germany. The city of Antwerp was fined 250,000 francs (\$50,000) for popular demonstrations held on the Belgian fête day.

ADVANCING HOSTS HAVE BEEN HALTED

All German Attacks On The Narew Front In The Last 24 Hours Have Been Unsuccessful.

Russian Warships on the Black Sea Have Sunk Forty Small Sailing Vessels in The Past Two Days--The Plight Of The Turks Growing

(Special to the Whig.) Petrograd, July 27.--Von Hindenberg has been halted and thrown back in an attempt to drive the Russians back upon the river Bug defenses north of Warsaw, the War Office announced in an official statement early to-day. "After a stubborn combat, the enemy forces who crossed Narew, southward toward the Bug, have been driven back from Osh to Olsanki," said the official statement. "South-east of the fortress of Pultusk, other forces of the enemy, who succeeded in crossing the Narew were repulsed in their attacks on our positions on the River Prout (seven miles north of the Bug). All German attacks on the Narew front in the last twenty-four hours have been unsuccessful." Minor outpost fighting is occurring around Ivanogorod and Novo Geotiwsk. Continuing their campaign to sweep the Black Sea free of Turkish shipping and cut off supplies en route for Constantinople, Russian Black Sea warships have sunk forty small sailing vessels laden with coal in the last forty-eight hours, it was announced to-day. "Advices received here say that the plight of the Turks is growing desperate. By wrecking coal docks on the Asia Minor coast and destroying coal carriers, the Russian fleet has made it necessary to shut down many Turkish factories and railway and munitions works lack coal. Travellers arriving at the Russian frontier, say it may be necessary to shut down Constantinople's water works."

MOVEMENTS IN POLAND

Combined Operations Indicate Vaster Scheme Than Supposed.

London, July 27.--The Morning Post Petrograd correspondent cables: "The Germans are developing a new movement or plan. It appears that the attack in the Baltic provinces directed seemingly upon Riga was merely a preliminary movement to aid the advance in quite a different direction. Before reaching Mitau, that is one long march from Riga, the enemy suddenly turned southeastwards. Simultaneously other movements developed. Junishky, on the high road, 26 miles north of Shavli, was seized, and from Rosieny, 40 miles south of Shavli, another quite distinct force has begun to march due east. The column which seized Junishky, like the columns recently engaged before Mitau, is marching south-east. These combined movements are being made in such force as to prove their importance to the German general strategic plan. Experts here no longer speak of German operations north of the Niemen as demonstrations or a diversion, but regard them as indicating that the enemy's strategic scheme is much more vast in conception than hitherto was supposed. The only puzzling point of this interpretation is the impossibility of conjecturing whence the Germans are drawing the astounding numbers which are now undoubtedly in action on the Russian fronts."

JAILED FOR "FALSE" NEWS

Youth Wrote Parents Here About Country's Condition.

Paris, July 27.--The Geneva (Switzerland) correspondent of the Havas Agency sent the following: "The Criminal Court at Constance (Germany) sentenced a factory workman named Radoltzell, seventeen years old, to three weeks in prison for giving 'false' information concerning the economic situation in Germany in a letter to his parents in the United States."

BOSS BARNES' LAWYER DEAD.

New York, July 27.--William I. Ivins, a well-known lawyer and for years prominent in politics, died here aged sixty-four years. Mr. Ivins was recently taken ill after his arduous labors in behalf of William Barnes, in his libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt. Acute Bright's disease is given as the cause of Mr. Ivins' death. He has held the office of Judge Advocate General of New York State, and City Chamberlain, and in 1905 was the Republican candidate for Mayor.

The Kaiser Set Apart Boer Reserve

London, July 27.--A Times special from Capetown says: "General Botha, speaking at a banquet in his honor, laid stress on the far-reaching character of the German designs in South Africa. He said maps had been discovered recasting the chart of Africa on the basis of a peace to be concluded at Rome in 1916. 'The whole of Africa south of the equator was marked 'Greater Germany,' except for a minute fragment of territory labelled 'Boer reserve.' 'At the outbreak of the war, Col. Maritz inquired how far the independence of the new republic was guaranteed. The Kaiser replied: 'I shall not only acknowledge the independence of South Africa, but even guarantee it, provided the rebellion starts immediately.'"

Turks Likely to Massacre the Christians

Rome, July 27.--The apostolic delegate at Constantinople has succeeded in conveying confidential information to the Vatican that the forcing of the Dardanelles is inevitable, and that the Turks are determined to massacre the Christians when the Allies occupy Constantinople, which will probably be raised to the ground. The delegate urges the Pope to use his influence to prevent massacres and to suggest that the Christians be interned in Asia Minor that they may thus escape a death which otherwise will be inevitable. The Pope has appealed to Emperor William and to Emperor Francis Joseph, whom he will hold responsible, unless the threatened massacres are averted.

EXECUTION POSTPONED. (Special to the Whig.) New York, July 27.--Upon the request of Supreme Court Justice Ford for more time to consider the application for a new trial made by Charles Becker, under sentence of death for instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, gambler, the execution of the former police lieutenant was postponed last night from Wednesday until Friday morning of this week.

COMMANDS BLACK SEA.

Russia Has Drednought To Face Turkey. Petrograd, July 27.--Now that the Russian's first dreadnought is in the Black Sea the command of that sea, which has been practically hers for many months past, is now absolute, even if Turkey has the undamaged Goeben available. This consideration is of importance at the present moment, and the expectation of the re-opening of the Dardanelles is believed to be approaching realization.

DAILY MEMORANDUM.

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