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ITALIAN FORCES ADVANCING TO THE WEST OF MONASTIR

The Serbians Repulse Bulgarian Counter-Attacks—The Teutons Cross the Danube near Simnitza—Rumanians Pressed Back in the Alt Valley.

Paris, Nov. 25.—Despite the hindering of operations because of fog and rain, Serbian troops out of Monastir repulsed Bulgarian counter-attacks in the region of Grunista, and Italian forces, also under Gen. Sarrail, succeeded in progressing further to the west of Monastir, the official statement stated to-day.

Teutons Cross the Danube.

Petrograd, Nov. 25.—Admission that the Teutonic forces in the Balkans have crossed the Danube near Simnitza was made in to-day's War Office statements. It also said the Rumanians have been pressed back by the enemy in the Alt Valley, south of Kalimanesht and Moldaroshit.

DISLOYALTY DOES NOT APPLY TO LIBERALS

The Ontario Reform Association Resent the Utterances of Toronto Politicians.

Toronto, Nov. 25.—At the Friday afternoon session of the annual meeting of the General Reform Association of Ontario W. G. Charlton, of Aymer, and the Liberal candidate in East Elgin, moved the resolution replying to the insinuations of disloyalty made against the Liberals by W. K. McNaught and Ald. McBrien. This resolution condemned the unholily Conservative-Nationalist alliance at Ottawa as unfair to Canada and inimical to the best interests of the Empire.

Referring to the Conservative-Nationalist Alliance, Hon. G. P. Graham declared that the Premier had taken into his Council men who went down into Quebec and told the people not to vote for Sir Wilfrid because if they voted for him they might have to serve in the wars of the British Empire.

Sir Allen Aylesworth in his address urged closer relationship between the people of Ontario and Quebec.

Sir Allen paid an eloquent tribute to the personal character of Sir Wilfrid. Not only was he an able political chief, but the speaker had found in Sir Wilfrid one of the best friends he had ever found in his life. Everything that a good man ought to be he had found in Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

"I firmly believe," declared Sir Allen, "that not 12 months will roll over our heads before Sir Wilfrid will again be called to be the first Minister of Canada."

The resolution was passed with great enthusiasm.

DUTY OF FOREIGN CARS.

Resolution Aimed at Cars Owned by Canadian Lines.

New York, Nov. 25.—Canadian freight cars entering this country and transporting merchandise between domestic points would "in aggravated" cases become subject to customs duties under a resolution adopted to-day at the collector's conference, held in the customs house, meet with the approval of the Treasury Department. During the last two years complaints have been made by collectors at several points that freight cars belonging to the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk and other Canadian lines were being used in state and inter-state commerce in this country.

After debate it was finally decided to recommend to the Treasury Department that duty should be put on foreign cars in aggravated cases, but only after the Secretary of the Treasury had been notified.

Nothing to Report.

London, Nov. 25.—Nothing but heavy rain was reported from the British front to-day by Gen. Sir Douglas Haig.

Because he was opposed to recruiting meetings being held in his church on Sunday, Rev. C. R. Albright, of Dundas Methodist church, has been forced to resign.

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THE DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE'S FIRST PUBLIC APPEARANCE IN CANADA.



This picture, taken on the occasion of the Duke's review of the 202nd Edmonton Battalion at Connaught Square, Ottawa, shows (left to right) Maj.-Gen. D. A. Macdonald, His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, Sir George H. Foster, Hon. Dr. Reid, Hon. J. D. Hazen; in rear: F. E. McCurdy and Sir Sam Hughes in mufti.

FIFTY-SIX MORE MEDICAL DOCTORS

To Be Graduated by Queen's at Special Convocation.

NEARLY ALL THE DOCTORS

WILL JOIN THE BRITISH AND CANADIAN A. M. C.

The Lists of Bachelors and Doctors of Medicine and Also the List—Medals in Medicine and Surgery.

By holding an extra war session during the summer and fall, Queen's Medical College is able to graduate fifty-six new doctors six months earlier than otherwise. The graduates were announced by the faculty at a meeting on Friday night. Most of the graduates will enter the Canadian and British Army Medical Corps at once. The list is:

- Degree of M.D., C.M. E. J. Brennan, M.B., North Bay. T. F. Cartar, M.B., San Fernando, Trin., B.W.I. W. T. Case, M.B., Georgetown, B.G. C. A. Crawford, Melville, Sask. G. F. Doyes, Odessa. D. R. Fletcher, Ceylon. W. R. Grant, M.B., Sintaula, Sask. G. H. Johnston, B.A., Cataragui. J. E. Kane, M.B., Kingston. J. A. Labelle, M.B., Ottawa. G. P. Laughlin, Point Anne. H. M. MacDonald, M.B., Owen Sound. D. K. F. Mundell, Kingston. W. C. Page, B.A., Kingston. G. S. Purvis, Viking, Alta. C. M. Seilery, B.A., Cobourg. K. M. Shorey, Napanea. G. F. Sills, Tweed. L. D. Stevenson, B.A., Dunfermline, Scotland. A. B. Whytock, B.A., Madoc. The Prize List. Faculty prize in anatomy—A. B. Lawler, Kingston. Faculty prize (\$25) for highest marks on second year examinations in anatomy, physiology, histology and chemistry—W. S. Patrick, Kingston. Faculty prize for highest percentage of marks on third year examination in pharmacology—D. L. MacDonell, Lancaster. The N. F. Dupuis scholarship for highest marks in chemistry of the second year (\$50)—R. J. Dolan, Nelson, N.B. (with honor of faculty prize and anatomy prize). The Dean Fowler scholarship for highest percentage of marks on the work of the third year (\$50)—A. A. Cauley, Lombardy (with honor of being bracketed for prize in pharmacology). Faculty prize for the best written and practical examination in third year pathology—M. R. Boe, Burke's Falls. Medal in medicine—Henry Hedden, Danville; A. B. Whytock, Madoc. Medal in surgery—K. M. Sharey, Napanea. A special convocation for the laureation of the graduates is to be held next Tuesday evening.

Venezelos' Greek Government Declares War on Bulgaria

Athens, Nov. 25.—The Greek Provisional Government, headed by former Premier Venezelos, to-day formally declared war against Bulgaria. Venezelos established a revolutionary, or "provisional" government of Greece on the island of Crete some weeks ago. The former Premier first clashed with King Constantine because of Venezelos' vigorous pro-ally war views and his insistence that Greece cast her lot against Germany. At the Greek elections Venezelos apparently obtained support in this position from the people, but he failed to move the Greek monarch to any change in his attitude of neutrality.

NOT YET FULLY AWAKE TO ISSUE

Sir William Robertson Tells the People of Great Britain.

MUST PUT THEIR BACKS

INTO THE WAR—HAVE NOT DONE SO YET.

English Bishops Plead for a Self-Denial Christmas—Changes Are Impending in the British Admiralty.

London, Nov. 25.—The papers to-day give prominence to an appeal by Sir William Robertson, chief of the Imperial Staff, for greater war efforts on the part of the people for the nation. The appeal was contained in a letter to the council of one of the London boroughs, and says: "There is no doubt whatever of our ability to win the war if only we really put our backs into it. We have not yet done this. We still do not recognize the issues at stake, nor the efforts we ought to make and can make, if we will but try."

"I have every confidence in my countrymen, but they are not yet fully awake."

Alongside of Sir William's letter is published a plea from the leading English bishops for the banishment of all extravagance and ostentation, particularly in the matter of foods, in the celebration of this year's Christmas holidays, and the making of the Yuletide "a self-denial Christmas—a simple festival of joy, thanksgiving and prayer."

Changes Are Impending. London, Nov. 25.—The Times, referring to recent criticisms of the Admiralty, says that the Government now recognizes the necessity of strengthening the board. Certain changes are impending, the paper says, and are likely to be published within the next few days.

WAR TIDINGS.

Serbian troops made a further advance north of Monastir Friday and captured Rapce.

The U. S. State Department officials have determined that in future no more notes would be written to Germany on the submarine issue.

Emperor Charles, the new ruler of Austria, on Friday, issued an official proclamation of encouragement to his troops.

The Belgian ministry says the Germans are deporting agricultural land owners and textile workers in large numbers.

Although the Teutons are gaining some points in Russia, the Russo-Rumanians appear to be making ground in others.

The Serbian-French continue to make progress around Monastir.

PEACE TALK IS HOSTILE.

Citizen Army Only Now Ready For War, Says Northcliffe.

New York, Nov. 25.—Lord Northcliffe in a wireless message to the New York Times, says: "The suggestion that Great Britain should consider peace can only be regarded as hostile."

"Our citizen army is only now ready for war."

"There are no peace discussions in this country at all, and there will be none while Germany occupies any portion of the Allied territory."

HUN PROCLAMATION ENSLAVING BELGIUM

Civilians May Be Forced to Work and Feed Themselves.

London, Nov. 25.—A copy of a proclamation issued by order of the German commandant at Antwerp, Belgium, giving instructions to workmen, has been received here. The proclamation says that after receiving their wages, which will be paid if their services are voluntarily given, workmen must feed themselves, and add:

"The German authority notifies the people that civilians may be forced to work if there are insufficient volunteer workmen, for example, for working factories, sawmills, workshops or on farms, in the fields and in the building of railways or roads. The population will never be forced to labor on works exposed to continual fire. In case of refusal to work, the person so refusing will be condemned to penalties of a fine, imprisonment and enlistment in the prison battalion of civilian workmen with reduced rations. The communes may also be punished, either by limitations of trade or the imposition of a fine or taxes, etc."

TURKEYS BRINGING RECORD PRICES

St. Lawrence County Fowls Sell at From 34 to 37 Cents.

Ogdensburg, N.Y., Nov. 25.—A record price for St. Lawrence county was paid for turkeys at Heuvelton when the fowls brought from 34 to 37 cents. A small lot sold for 38 1/2 cents. The total sales amounted to thirty-five tons. The fowl will be shipped to Boston.

Farmers came from a radius of ten miles and the influx was as large as in other big years. The turkeys this year are especially fine condition, a dry season enabling the birds to remain out of doors most of the time.

FRANCE INCREASES TAXES.

Tax on Yield From Securities Raised From 4 to 5 Per Cent.

Paris, Nov. 25.—New taxes, which are estimated to yield 600,000,000 francs, have been decided on by the appropriation committee of the Chamber of Deputies after many weeks of consideration. Among the measures will be an increase of the income tax from 2 to 5 per cent, the taxes on the yield from securities from four to five per cent, and on sugar from twenty-five to forty francs per metric hundredweight. There will also be increases in the taxes on tobacco, wine, beef, letter postage, coffee, chocolate, tea, vanilla, mineral waters and a great variety of other articles, and also upon horses, vehicles, billiards and dogs.

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DIED

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Funeal from his late residence, 185 Johnson street, on Monday, 27th inst. at 2 p.m.

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A Big Smash In Zeppelin

(Special to the Whig.) Amsterdam, Nov. 25.—Travellers from Munich arriving to-day reported that a new German super-Zeppelin was wrecked in Tuesday's gale between Friedrichshaven and Wilhelmshaven. Twenty-seven are said to have perished in the accident, only one being rescued.

Familiar Quotations

WORDS OF WISDOM FROM MANY THINKERS. Oh instability of human compassion! Today at the tumultuous flood we weep for Caesar slain; tomorrow, at the ebb, we vote a monument to Brutus. —A. J. E. WILSON.

THE LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY GIVEN

Despatches That Come From Near And Distant Places.

TIDINGS FOR OUR READERS

PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

The Whig's Daily Condensation of the News of the World From Telegraph Service and Newspaper Exchange.

The British Red Cross Fund in Ontario has now reached a total of \$1,600,000.

Dr. Marshall Sutton, of Cooksville, was found dead in bed from apoplexy.

The last quarterly dividend from the Guelph Junction Railway is \$11,260.66, or 5 1/2 per cent on the city's investment.

A boycott of potatoes has been declared by the Montreal Housewives' League, and rice and macaroni are recommended as a substitute.

An experiment began in London Friday with the opening of the new St. Martin's Theatre with guinea stalls and other prices in proportion.

Premier Sir Lomer Gouin said his government had not been asked to make a grant for the French-Canadian minority in Ontario, and did not intend to make one.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught visited Chatham, England, on Friday for the opening of the new wing of the naval hospital given by the women of Canada.

Hamilton controllers sent eight by-laws to the City Council for consideration as to submission to the ratepayers in January, involving expenditure totalling \$122,000.

An Oxford farmer is said to have found the hay in his barn sprayed with a peculiar chemical and intensely moist; suspicion is aroused also by the actions of a German farmer.

Dr. Robert A. McGregor, the young London, Ont., physician now serving a life sentence at Jackson State Prison for the death of Cyril Sparling, will probably be paroled by the end of next month.

At Prince Albert, Sask., the departmental store of the MacLeod Company, limited, was completely destroyed by fire. The loss on the stock is estimated at \$175,000 and \$200,000 on the building.

According to Representative Doremus, the political complexion of the U.S. House of Representatives will be as follows: Democrats, 217; Republicans, 215; Progressives, 1; Socialist, 1; Protectionist, 1; Prohibitionist, 1; Independent, 1.

A Royal proclamation announces that henceforth gold, silver and paper money, securities, cheques, drafts, letters of credit and any negotiable instruments or documents relating to the transfer of money, credit or securities will be treated as contraband of war.

Organization of a Norwegian-American bank with \$2,500,000 capital to facilitate Norwegian shipping is being planned by Norwegian banking and shipping interests. The bank would have headquarters in New York, with a branch in San Francisco.

TO SEND DRAFTS.

(Special to the Whig.) Ottawa, Nov. 25.—No more battalions are to be raised in Canada, only drafts will be sent. No officers above the rank of lieutenant are now going to France, and many senior officers, now in England, will come back to Canada to civil life.

DAILY MEMORANDUM

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St. Luke's Christmas sale and Concert, Wednesday, Nov. 29th.

St. Mark's Bazaar, Barrfield Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 29th, 1916. Free bus leaves McLeod's Drug Store, 3 p.m.

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