

THE WAR SPIRIT SPREADING IN SOUTH AFRICA

Christian Dewet and General Beyers Have Taken the Field Against the Union South Africa Government

THE OUTBREAK IS VERY SERIOUS

Germans Have Invaded Andola, West Africa—Unrest in Albania Is Growing, Turks to Send Troops There

London, Oct. 28.—A battle which all the world is watching still sways back and forth in the little district of Flanders, where the allied forces are struggling to check the German advance to Calais. At the same time, other events reported from widely separated points claim attention.

GERMAN ATTACKS LESS VIOLENT

French Positions Everywhere Maintained and French Forces Continued to Advance

Paris, 1:43 p. m., Oct. 28.—A French official statement this afternoon says that yesterday the German attacks between Nieuport and Arras were less violent. French positions were everywhere maintained and French forces continued to advance to the north and east of Ypres.

Continuing, it says: "We also made some progress between Cambrai to the southwest of Lathasse and Arras. Further information continues to confirm previous reports that the German losses in dead, wounded and prisoners are considerable in the northern region."

"On the right bank of the Aisne, the Germans attempted at night a very violent offensive movement in the region of Craonne. On the heights of the highway at Des Dames their were repulsed. In the Woerth district our troops continued their advances."

Regarding the eastern situation, the announcement says: "In the region northeast of Rawa, the Russians inflicted heavy losses on the Germans. There has been furious fighting in the forests between Kozienka and Radom. In Galicia, the Russians are making progress. In East Prussia, partial attempts at an offensive movement on a party of Germans failed."

JAPANESE STEAMER SUNK

German Cruiser Emden Sends Small Vessel to Bottom

London, Oct. 28.—The German cruiser Emden sank a small Japanese steamer, Kamegusaki-Maru, while the latter was proceeding to Singapore, according to a Central News dispatch from Berlin via Amsterdam.

CHOLERA AT LISBON

Spanish Government Has Stopped All Communication Across Border

London, Oct. 28.—According to a Central News dispatch from Copenhagen, the Cologne Gazette reports that an epidemic of cholera has broken out at Lisbon, and the Spanish government has stopped all communication across the frontier.

SIR W. E. FRANKLIN DIES

Was Commander of Third Division of Kitchener's Army

London, Oct. 28.—Lieut. Gen. Sir W. E. Franklyn, who commanded the third division of Kitchener's army, died suddenly last night.

At the Summer Hotel

They take these flowers to Miss Bertha Bobson, room 12.

Public what party in K. of C. hall Thursday evening, Admission, 5c.

DEAD AND MISSING, 80

Of the 340 in Franklin Coal & Coke Mine at Time of Explosion

260 HAVE BEEN RESCUED

Twenty-Nine Bodies Recovered and More Visible but Inaccessible

Royalton, Ill., Oct. 28.—Of 340 men in the Franklin Coal and Coke company's mine, when the explosion occurred yesterday, 260 registered as rescued to-day, leaving the number dead and missing about 80. Twenty-nine bodies were recovered and two heaps of dead visible, but not yet accessible to rescuers, are estimated to contain about 50 bodies. A coroner's inquest was started to-day.

WARM WEATHER NEXT AT BAT

Winter's First Inning Fails to Score and the Side Is Retired

Washington, Oct. 28.—Assurance that yesterday's touch of winter will be followed immediately by warmer weather generally throughout the country was given out yesterday by the government forecasters. Warmth was said to be moving eastward in the wake of the biting wind that brought freezing temperatures and killing frosts to the Ohio and upper middle Mississippi valleys.

Will Quit If Villa Does Carranza Offers to Resign on Condition That His Rival Does the Same

Mexico City, Oct. 28.—Venustiano Carranza has submitted his resignation to the Aguascalientes convention. His offer to relinquish his post as supreme chief of the nation, however, is conditional on the retirement to private life of General Francisco Villa.

JURY HEARS TESTIMONIALS

More Than 1,200 Pages Tell of Good Results from Use of Oxyphator

Rutland, Oct. 28.—Nearly the entire time was taken in the United States district court in this city to-day in reading the depositions of the witnesses of the respondent in the oxyphator case, in which E. L. Jones of Rutland, N. Y., is accused of using the mails fraudulently. The jury had to listen to testimonial covering 1,200 pages from people who claimed to have been cured of many ills by the oxyphator.

WAITS RIVER

Arlen Batten is not as well at this writing.

Arnah Cunningham has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to attend high school at Bradford.

George Dodge is taking a commercial course at Albany Business college, Albany, N. Y.

Mrs. Carrie L. Wallace of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Dodge.

Miss Edith M. Rice of Montpelier seminary, Winona Sanborn of East Orange, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McKnight and son of East Thetford spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Locke.

Mrs. L. A. Ramey of Barton is at G. A. Nutt's for a short stay.

Mrs. Frank Carter and Miss Florence Wright were delegates to the Sunday school convention at Barre last week.

L. T. Welch is building a garage. J. P. Richardson is doing the work.

Mrs. Orrin Dodge and Miss Ethel Hodge have returned from their visit in Boston and vicinity.

TALK OF THE TOWN

The Conder basketball team met last evening and elected officers for the ensuing year. Thomas Nicholas was elected to succeed Forrest Balchouler as captain.

Wendell Gregware to succeed Norman Gordon as manager. The manager is securing games with amateur teams of this part of the state. All teams wishing games apply to Manager Gregware.

Farmers in the city to-day talked expectantly of winter and seemed to feel that the first blast from Jack Frost yesterday is a forerunner of early snow and much cold weather. Rumors on the outskirts within two miles of the city limits one man avails to see his thermometer hanging around the 20 above zero mark. It was warmer this morning, although a raw wind did not tend to remove the suspicion that winter is coming this way. The farmer says that yesterday's weather put a crimp in their glowing plans for the day, as the ground was frozen solid in many places.

There has been evidence here in the city of a general disposition to attach storm windows and to building house leakages wherever they are customarily used. The weather men promise a warmer spell of weather before the big snow set in.

PLAINFIELD

A very pleasant reunion of the Vincent family was held with Mrs. C. J. Goodrich of Plainfield, a member of the family. Mrs. Goodrich entertained them at the Bennett inn, Wednesday evening.

Frank Gould said that he visited the postoffice at South Royalton. Both men have been in jail for some time.

REPORT NEAR IN NEW HAVEN CASE

Federal Grand Jury in New York is Now Making Rapid Progress.

THE CITY'S OR KINGSTON'S

Question of Ownership of Land Now Used as Street Before City Fathers

STREET COMMITTEE LACKS INFORMATION

North Main Street Dispute Occupies Most of Time of the Aldermen

Barre's aldermanic street committee was roundly scored for its alleged dereliction to duty when the city fathers came together in regular session last night and found themselves without so much as a scrap of official information on the question of ownership in a complaint made by Paul Kingston, who claims the city is inhibiting him from dumping dirt on his own premises at 440 North Main street.

NEW ENGLAND ROCK UNDER QUANTINE

Product of Granite Hills Said to Be Carrying Gypsy Moth Eggs to Other States

Washington, Oct. 28.—The agricultural department has declared a quarantine against stone, hard New England stone, the real article of rock variety. At first thought it is hard to understand how the germs of disease could lurk even in the pores and crevices of a big block of granite or marble, but the agricultural department has discovered that egg clusters of the gypsy moth are being distributed on stone and quarry products of New England to other parts of the United States.

GRANITE RATES MUST COINCIDE

Rates on Monumental Stone Discriminating Compared with That on Building Stone, Says I. C. C.

Washington, Oct. 28.—On complaint of the Nebraska state railway commission, the interstate commerce commission held yesterday that the existing freight rate of 31 cents a hundred pounds on shipments of monumental granite from Vermont quarries to Mississippi river transshipment points was discriminatory in comparison with the rate of 21 cents on building granite. An order was issued by the commission directing that the rates on the two classes of granite should be the same.

C. V. ASKS EXTENSION OF TIME

President Smith Says Road Has Not Got Money to Build New Station

Burlington, Oct. 28.—President E. C. Smith of the Central Vermont railway appeared before the citizens' committee here yesterday and asked the city to consent to postpone commencing work on the new \$165,000 union station until April 1 of next year. The reason advanced is that the Central Vermont is unable to finance the building of a new station at this time, owing to the stringency in the money market occasioned by the crop situation.

HEARING IN BANKRUPTCY CASE

Trustee Wishes to Sell Cutfur, Storer & Fay Plant for \$10,000

A hearing in the bankruptcy case of Cutfur, Storer & Fay, at one time granite dealers in Barre, took place yesterday afternoon in the grand jury room at the county courthouse, Montpelier.

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EIGHTEEN INJURED

When Washington - Chicago Train Goes Off Track in West Virginia

FIVE WERE SERIOUSLY HURT

Cause of Wreck Is Unknown as the Details Are Lacking

Richmond, Va., Oct. 28.—Eighteen were injured, five seriously, when a Chesapeake & Ohio train from Washington for Richmond and Chicago was wrecked to-day at Barboursville, W. Va., according to advices to railroad officials here to-day. The cause of the wreck is unknown.

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ENDOWMENT NOW EXCEEDS \$130,000

During Year Ending Yesterday Goddard Increased This by \$10,932.28—Officers Elected

Through bequests made during the fiscal year ending yesterday, the sum of \$10,932.28 is added to the permanent endowment fund of Goddard seminary, according to an announcement made by the treasurer at the annual meeting of the seminary's board of trustees yesterday afternoon.

The endowment fund, with the addition of \$10,932.28, now totals \$130,932.28. The bequest, made in the form of a bequest to the school, and \$932.28, the residue of the estate of Sarah A. Mower of Barre, now amounts to \$130,932.28. Harmony prevailed throughout the meeting, and the reports from different sources as well as conditions at the school were generally found to be satisfactory.

Officers elected for 1914-1915 were as follows: President, Charles H. Darling of Burlington; 1st vice-president, W. H. Gladding of Randolph; 2nd vice-president, Arthur D. Farwell of Montpelier; secretary and treasurer, Harvey E. Averill of Barre; executive committee, C. H. Darling, Ira C. Calef of Washington, A. D. Farwell, C. N. Kenyon of Barre, D. V. N. Camp of South Barre, Homer C. Ladd of Barre, Ernest J. Hewitt of South Royalton and Homer Pitts of Barre; committee on endowment fund, Ira C. Calef, Albert Johannott of Montpelier and W. H. Gladding; auditors, Clark King of Montpelier, J. Ward Carver of Barre and John G. Morrison of Cambridge, Mass.

The request of D. V. N. Camp, who has served long and faithfully as secretary to the board of trustees, that he be relieved of the duties connected with the office, was granted reluctantly.

Elections to the board of trustees included the following: Rev. George F. Fortier of St. Albans, F. E. Kimball of Burlington, L. D. Pierce of Rochester and Orlando L. Martin of Plainfield. On the recommendation of the alumni association the names of Mrs. Mary R. Snow Hollister, Goddard '78, and Irvin T. Potter of Boston, Goddard '80, were added to the board of alumni trustees. During the year one member of the board passed away. Rev. J. Edward Wright was a long-time friend of the seminary and served for several years as a vice-president of the board.

A list of the trustees who participated in yesterday's meeting follows: C. H. Darling of Burlington, Clark King of Montpelier, Ira C. Calef of Washington, Charles A. Gale, M. D. of Rutland, S. D. Allen of Barre, C. N. Kenyon of Barre, A. D. Farwell of Montpelier, D. V. N. Camp of South Barre, Charles A. Chapman of Ferrisburg, George H. Clark of East Montpelier, O. K. Hollister of Barre, E. J. Hewitt of South Royalton, Homer C. Ladd of Barre, Harvey E. Averill of Barre and Ruth Hollister Butterfield of North Montpelier.

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