

TWO MORE BRITISH SHIPS ARE CAPTURED BY THE TURKS IN BLACK SEA

YPRES STORY TOLD BY MAN ON THE SCENE

Germans Fail of Object On Which Energies Were Concentrated.

LOSSES TO BOTH LARGE

English Writer Pays Compliment to Kaiser's Troops for Way They Advanced.

London, Nov. 6.—An account of the events on the battle front witnessed and written by Colonel Swinton of the intelligence department, dated Nov. 1, given out by the press bureau, says: "Fighting the past five days has been of a most desperate nature. It has been eminently a soldiers' battle. Our men behaved splendidly in the face of heavy odds and well upheld the reputation of our army.

"Heavy as have been our losses, we have taken a far heavier toll from the enemy and prevented their gaining the object on which their energies were concentrated, the capture of Ypres. Our French allies have made a name for themselves which will never die. The German troops also won our respect for the way they advanced."

The Germans are reported to have retired from the Yser. Belgians have occupied both banks of the river, but fighting is proceeding within the triangle of Ypres, Dixmude and Roulers.

266 Men Missing.

Berlin, Nov. 6.—A report from Wilhelmshaven shows 266 men are missing from the crew of the German cruiser Yorck, sunk recently on the North sea coast of Germany by accidental contact with a German mine. The commander, first officer and 382 men were rescued.

Constantinople, via Sofia, Nov. 6.—A London official statement says: "One of the British warships bombarding Dardanelles was struck by a shot from the forts, and an explosion resulted. The British steamer sunk off Akhri, Asia minor, after the crew and cargo were put ashore."

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—A Sofia dispatch to Vossische Zeitung says Turkish cruisers successfully bombarded the Russian fortified seaport of Batum, in the Black sea.

Dover, England, Nov. 6.—Heavy firing was heard off Dover this morning. It is not ascertained whether it was artillery exchanges on the Belgian coast or a naval engagement in the North sea.

The Exchange Telegraph's Liverpool correspondent says the Turks seized the British steamers Assiout and City of Khir at Smyrna.

Wireless Cry Last Word.

Valparaiso, Chile, Nov. 6.—A wireless cry from the British cruiser Glasgow—was the last word received from Rear Admiral Cradock's squadron, following the engagement off the Chilean coast Sunday.

The Germans saw the Monmouth sink and heard an explosion on board the Good Hope that they believe sent the crippled flagship to the bottom. All that night the German cruisers searched the sea unsuccessfully for the Good Hope. They picked up a radiogram directed to the Glasgow by the Glasgow. There was no reply.

There were about 650 men on the Monmouth when she disappeared beneath the waves. Admiral Cradock had 900 men with him on board the Good Hope.

Whether the Glasgow and the transport Otranto, which escaped destruction, survived the damage suffered is not known. The whereabouts also of the German cruisers Leipzig and Bremen remain in doubt.

GLENN MARTIN IS HURT IN FALL OF AEROPLANE

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 6.—In a fall of nearly 100 feet yesterday Captain L. E. Goodier, Jr., of the United States aviation corps and Glenn Martin, well-known aviator, were severely injured. The accident occurred near the army aviation camp on North Island, across the bay from San Diego. Martin was demonstrating the machine for government officers.

It was said at the hospital that both men would recover.

London, Nov. 6.—Lieutenant Murray lost his life yesterday in an aeroplane accident at the Avon Flying school. It is believed he miscalculated the distance in landing after a flight over Roshall Down. His machine crashed to the earth.

THE WEATHER

Forecast Till 7 P. M. Tomorrow, for Rock Island, Davenport, Moline and Vicinity.

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, warmer tonight, fresh winds.

Temperature at 7 a. m., 41. Highest yesterday, 58, lowest last night, 41.

Velocity of wind at 7 a. m., 12 miles per hour.

Precipitation none.

Relative humidity at 7 p. m., 48, at 7 a. m., 77.

Stage of water 3.5, a fall of .2 in last 24 hours.

J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Evening stars: Mercury, Jupiter, Mars, Venus. Morning star: Saturn.

Beginning of retrograde movement of planet Venus, backward from east to west.

PRIEST HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

Father John Mullen Insane, However, When He Killed Agent, Jury Says.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 6.—Father John Mullen, one-time priest of the Holy Rosary church at 610 Northwestern avenue, was held to the grand jury yesterday on a charge of murder at the close of the inquest into the death of Thomas W. Patterson, station agent for the Illinois Central at Hillside, Ill., and postmaster of the village.

The coroner's jury, however, wrote into the verdict its belief that Father Mullen was not in his right mind on Oct. 20 when he ran amuck in Hillside and stabbed Patterson. It was recommended that commission be appointed to fix his mental status.

Felix Simolini, who owns a fruit store at West Van Buren street and South Kostner avenue, testified: "Father Mullen and I started to gather mushrooms that day. We left my store in an automobile and went direct to Elmhurst, where each of us had a small glass of beer. At Bellwood later Father Mullen had a soda water and I drank another beer. After going through Mount Carmel cemetery Father Mullen complained he felt ill. I was hungry, and we both stopped in Cotuno's saloon at Hillside. I had a glass of beer while waiting for lunch, and Father Mullen drank some stomach bitters. When my coffee came he picked up the cup and threw it on the floor."

Simolini's further testimony corroborated that of young Joseph Russo, who knocked Father Mullen down when the priest attacked his father. After the fracas, Simolini said Father Mullen returned to the saloon and threw matches in Cotuno's face. Cotuno ejected the priest, who did not wear vestments. Immediately afterward Father Mullen ran across the street, bumped into Patterson, and stabbed him.

Father Mullen, who sat beside his lawyer, Leroy Hackett, said he had no testimony to offer.

ILLINOISAN SAVES 40 YALE MEN FROM A TRAIN

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 6.—Seventy Yale students were saved from death yesterday afternoon by an Illinoisan when the Klinkerbocker express train flashed around a curve upon them in East New Haven. All leaped and escaped, but two men, Robert Theobald of Toledo and Professor Kirk Bryan, in charge of the party, a geological expedition, were hurt. Bryan's injuries, however, are bruises. Theobald's left arm and right leg were broken.

The warning that saved the party was given by Gilbert Porter of Elmhurst, Ill., who saw the express first and shouted. His cry gave his fellow students time to escape by inches. All the party were academic seniors.

HERO OF KIMBERLY IS FOUND LONDON SUICIDE

London, Nov. 6.—Major General Robert G. Kekewich, retired, who defended Kimberly for 125 days against the Boer armies, was found dead in his bedroom Monday from a self-inflicted gunshot wound in the head.

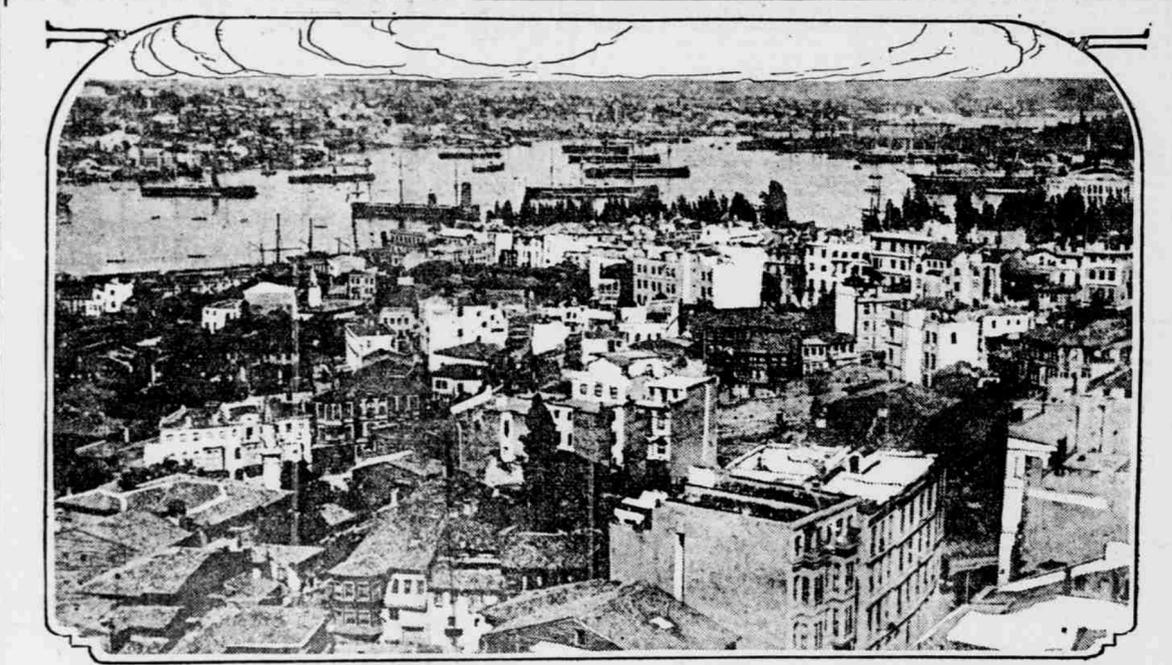
The suicide is attributed to a nervous breakdown. General Kekewich was born in 1854 and entered the army 20 years later. He served in many campaigns and received numerous decorations for distinguished service.

For holding Kimberly against the Boers from Oct. 15, 1899, until Feb. 16, 1900, he was promoted to a major generalship.

TRUNK LINES ARE TO SPLIT CHARGE

Washington, Nov. 6.—The interstate commerce commission has directed trunk line railroads to re-establish all lines or divisions with United States steel corporation railways which are concededly common carriers. Tens of thousands of dollars annually will accrue to industrial railway lines through the decision.

Constantinople Russ City, Muscovite Dream; Would Give Czar Ice-Free Port



Bird's-eye view of Constantinople. Is the Russian dream of an ice-free port about to be realized? If the allies are successful in the present war, it is already agreed that Russia will get Constantinople. This will give her control of the Dardanelles, and assure her of an outlet to the ocean through the Black sea.

TEN STATES NOW LET WOMEN VOTE

Nevada and Montana Are Won to Equal Suffrage—Five Others Reject It.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 6.—Women now have full suffrage in ten states and in the territory of Alaska, according to latest returns last night from Tuesday's election, which apparently gave the franchise to women in Montana and Nevada.

Late tabulations of the vote on equal suffrage in Nevada and Montana did not upset the lead previously recorded in favor of the women, but rural and mountainous counties had not reported. These missing precincts might overturn the 300 vote lead in Montana, but probably not the lead of 3,500 in Nevada.

In addition to the ten states now listed as granting the full franchise to women, they have the right to vote for certain officers in 22 other states.

The ten woman suffrage states are: 1. Wyoming, 1890; 2. Colorado, 1893; 3. Utah, 1895; 4. Washington, 1910; 5. California, 1912; 6. Arizona, 1912; 7. Kansas, 1912; 8. Oregon, 1912; 9. Nevada, 1914; 10. Montana, 1914.

The 22 states allowing partial suffrage to women are: Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Nebraska, (defeated full suffrage Tuesday), New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Ohio (defeated full suffrage in 1912 and on Tuesday), South Dakota, Vermont and Wisconsin.

Despite the claims of woman suffrage leaders that they won the vote in some of the other seven states which voted on the subject Tuesday, late returns bear out early indications that the franchise was denied women in Ohio, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota.

Officers of the National Woman Suffrage association began to recapitulate the results of women's votes in the various states in which they balloted on Tuesday. They contend that the women were instrumental in California in passing the laws that will drive out pugilism and segregated vice quarters and failed in driving out saloons only because of the too drastic provisions of the amendment.

The suffragist leaders also assert that women showed their power at the polls in Chicago by electing as judge of the Municipal court Charles L. Billings, who introduced in the Illinois legislature the bill that gave women the right to vote for many officers in Illinois. Billings would have been defeated by the men's vote.

The leaders also declare that women aided materially in voting prohibition on Tuesday for Washington, Oregon, and Colorado. The vote on the ousting of saloons is still in doubt in Colorado, however.

CLERGY HUNG IN MEXICO ON VILLA ORDERS

Churches Used for Barracks, Stables and Public Dance Halls.

Rome, Nov. 6.—Pope Benedict has sent a letter to the archbishop of Mexico comforting him and the Mexican episcopacy in their distressing situation in that they have been almost forced into exile. The pontiff encourages the Mexican clergy to trust in a better future.

According to the reports to the Vatican, Catholic priests have been expelled from their dioceses and exiled to Vera Cruz or the United States, sacred images have been broken, and churches used for barracks, stables and public dancing halls. General Villa ordered the hanging of Jesuit Christian brothers, and Carranza ordered the confiscation of property of the clergy.

CUMMINS HOLDS PLACE BY 42,348

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 6.—Complete unofficial returns from every county in the state placed the plurality of Senator Cummins, republican, over Connolly, democrat, at 42,348. Complete returns gave Clarke, republican, for governor, a plurality of 25,751 over Hamilton, democrat. Complete returns on all but six counties showed Justices Ladd and Weaver and Benjamin Salinger elected to the supreme court.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 6.—The Omaha Bee, republican, concedes control of both houses of the legislature to the democrats, also the governor.

DISAPPROVAL FOR FRIEDMANN CURE

Washington, Nov. 6.—The public health service has placed the seal of official disapproval upon the tuberculosis "cure" brought to this country in 1913 by Dr. Frederick Friedmann of Berlin. The health service has made public a report of its investigations in hospitals and laboratories where tests of the Friedmann cultures were made. It refutes Friedmann's claim of discovery of a specific cure.

SOLDIERS ARRIVE IN TROUBLE ZONE

Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 6.—A federal grand jury today began investigating recent violence in Hartford valley coal mining regions. Troops A and B of the United States army arrived on a special train at noon and proceeded to Prairie Creek.

CONFESION OF A CRIME IS DECLARED TO BE FALSE

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 6.—That the truth of the murder of his wife and four children has not yet been told by Scott Stone is the belief of State's Attorney Busch, Deputy Fire Marshal Roberts and Sloan and the other officials in charge of the case.

Yesterday Stone admitted the falsity of his confession at St. Louis, where he said he had blown up his family with dynamite. The deputies confronted him with a statement that they had located the dynamite he alleged he had used, that it was all there, and, moreover, it was no good and would not explode.

"My wife killed herself and the children and I set fire to her bed to conceal her crime," said Stone. This variation of the story that he has been telling since he was placed in jail is not credited.

Efforts of T. M. Stone, the father of the prisoner, to retain counsel for his son are said to have been fruitless so far.

WOULD SELL CARDINALS FOR A PALTRY \$500,000

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 6.—Schuyler Britton, president of the St. Louis Nationals, will sell the Cardinals for \$500,000, players' plant and good will.

This was the price he set last night when told of the rumored peace plan discussed at the American league meeting in Chicago whereby the St. Louis Cardinals would be asked to buy either the Cardinals or the Browns.

"Sell? Of course I will sell," said Britton. "I figure the club, which was valued at \$350,000 in 1912 when it finished in seventh place, is worth a half million today, with good prospects of being a pennant winner next year. I know nothing of the peace plan, but if it is based on my willingness to sell, I'll sell."

MOVING DAY HELD A SOCIAL MENACE

Constant Shifting of Families Leads to Immorality, Says Congress Speaker.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 6.—Moving day was depicted as one of the greatest foes of modern society and one of the cardinal reasons for divorce and vice by John P. Hammond of Des Moines, Iowa, in an address before the International Purity Congress here. "The constant shifting of families from one section to another," he said, "prohibits long acquaintance among young people through which proper life partners can be selected. Young people thrown into contact with strangers become bold and practice deceptions. As a result consummation of marriage is frequently a guess. Deceptions discovered lead to the divorce courts and too often to immorality."

Dr. Hattie Schwendener of St. Joseph, Mich., urged the widest possible publicity of social diseases.

DUNNE NAMES A BOARD FOR PONTIAC REFORMS

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 6.—The advisability of excluding from the state reformatory at Pontiac all boys under 16 and of raising the age limit of first offenders committed to this institution from 21 to 25 years will be investigated by the following commission appointed yesterday by Governor Dunne.

W. C. Graves, superintendent at Pontiac.

Edmund M. Allen, warden penitentiary at Joliet.

W. V. Croisser, warden penitentiary at Menard.

Judges A. J. Pettit, William E. Dever and John M. O'Connor, all of Chicago.

Kent E. Keller of Alva.

E. C. Curtis of Grant Park.

Morton P. Hull and J. O. Hrubby, both of Chicago.

W. T. Davies, Cook county's jailer, and John L. Whitman, superintendent house of correction, both of Chicago.

QUARANTINE FOR IOWA ON DISEASE

Washington, Nov. 6.—An order quarantining Iowa and Massachusetts because of the discovery of the foot and mouth disease in those states was issued this afternoon by the department of agriculture.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 6.—State Veterinary Surgeon Gibson said he had been advised the proposed action of the agricultural department at Washington did not contemplate a quarantine against the whole state of Iowa. He said the quarantine would be only against the county in which Parnell is located.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 6.—One hundred cattle and 800 hogs at the Union stock yards have been condemned for destruction today on account of the foot and mouth disease.

The international live stock exposition has been formally declared off.

KRUPPS SENT TO ARRAS TO PIERCE LINES

Germans Striking Another Mighty Blow Along Whole Battle Front.

EMPEROR ON THE SCENE

Heavy Reinforcements for the Kaiser's Forces Are Also Pouring Into West.

London, Nov. 6.—Germany is striking another mighty blow along the whole line of battle. Recrudescence of activity is indicated by today's official French statement, which mentioned severe encounters at various points between Flanders and the Swiss border. Meanwhile fighting is proceeding actively by land and sea in the new war zone created by Turkey's entrance into the conflict, and a British warship is said to have met disaster in an attack on the Dardanelles.

The battle in Belgium has resulted in no decisive advantage to either side. In the triangle formed by Dixmude, Ypres and Roulers, great bodies of men are engaged in a deadly struggle. Apparently the Germans are bringing in heavy reinforcements. Emperor William is said to be on the scene. Forty heavy Krupp guns are enroute from Essen to Arras, where it is believed the Germans will attempt to pierce the French line. On the rest of the line the offensive generally remains with the Germans.

An Amsterdam dispatch states 40 heavy guns arrived at Aix-la-Chapelle yesterday from Essen, destined for Arras. Twelve long empty trains were proceeding to Namur and 60 armored automobiles with mitrailleuses left Aix-la-Chapelle for Ostend. Emperor William has promised a reward of 750 marks for each machine gun captured.

Russians in Armenia.

In the east the Russians claim a decisive victory over the Austrians, and have recaptured Jareaslau. In Poland the Germans have retired to their selected positions, and the Russians face the same problem which confronted the French and British in France of driving the enemy from strongly fortified places.

Russia is vigorously prosecuting war against Turkey. Petrograd advises the Russians have entered Armenia, by two routes, and several Turkish regiments have been captured.

Tokio announces the British-Japanese forces are attacking outlying forts of Tsing-Tan, which must be taken before the main positions are attacked. More than a thousand Japanese have been killed and wounded.

Turk Army Advances on Egypt.

Berlin, Nov. 6.—A report from Constantinople, given officially here, says the ameer of Afghanistan has sent an army of 170,000, with 135 guns, to the Indian frontier. The railroad from Herat to Kusk has been destroyed. British officials on the border have been arrested. Some of them were killed. Turkish troops in Sinai peninsula are advancing in the direction of Egypt. The Turkish army operating against Egypt numbers a quarter million.

Armies at Standstill.

Paris, Nov. 6.—An official announcement this afternoon says yesterday passed without any perceptible modification on the fronts. Fighting continues between Dixmude and Thelys, without any marked advance or retirement at any point. Violent cannonading to the north of Arras and also directed upon Arras was without result for the enemy. German effort in Belgian and north France continues. A column of German wagons was destroyed by our artillery north of the forest of Agnez. There has been a furious fight in Argonne, where with the bayonet our troops have driven the Germans back. Russia announces officially a great Russian victory in Galicia.

General Joffre received a telegram from Grand Duke Nicolas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, saying the Russians have gained in east Prussia the greatest victory since the beginning of the war.

Jaroslaw Retaken.

Petrograd, Nov. 6.—A Lemberg dispatch says the Russians have recaptured the town of Jaroslaw and 5,000 Austrian prisoners. Jaroslaw is 17 miles northwest of the Austrian fortress of Przemyel. The Austrians are in retreat along the river San. The Austrians are reported exhausted by struggles through snow-filled mountain passes.