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TURKS MADE ATTACK ON CAUCASUS FRONT

But Were Driven Off With Heavy Losses. In Persia Turks also Sustained Serious Defeat.

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BATTLE OF LOOS COST BRITAIN 59,000 CASUALTIES

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The British casualties in the battle of Loos, France, last September, totalled 237,8 officers and 57,228 men, according to an announcement made in the House of Commons this afternoon by Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under secretary for war.

CANADA'S DUTY WELL DONE

OTTAWA, January 4.—The decision to increase the Canadian force to half a peculiar interest in the recruiting up to date for the various contingents, and the enlistments of divisional areas.

SOMETHING FOR SWEDEN TO THINK OVER

COPENHAGEN, (via London January 6.—(delayed)—The Politiken states that the Swedish liner Crillon, bound for Japan, has been seized by the Germans and taken to Swine mound.

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AUSTRIANS REPULSED WITH HEAVY LOSS

(Special to the Guardian.) PARIS, Jan. 7.—The following Montenegro official statement was given at Montenegro Consulate here today: "The Austrians attacked energetically in the direction of Berane Rozaj and Goeuovo and Touriak on January 5th but were everywhere repulsed, on the northern and western fronts there have been artillery duels, but Austrian aeroplanes fell over Pulcigno and the aviators were made prisoners. An important movement of enemy's troops is reported in the direction of Bilak and Trebino.

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Insurance Rate Against U.S. War Risk Increased

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CANADIAN OFFICER WILL WED ENGLISH GIRL

LONDON, Jan. 5.—It is announced that the marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Lieutenant C. Heathcote Graham, of the Second Divisional train, Ottawa, and Dorothy, daughter of the Rev. L. and Mrs. Duckwell, Folkestone.

ALLIES ARE ACTING NOT TALKING NOW

ATHENS, (via London) January 6 (delayed)—M. Skoulioudis, premier of Greece, states that he has not yet received an answer to his protest to the Entente Powers regarding the arrest of the consuls, at Saloniki, of Germany and her allies. The public has been greatly aroused by the claim of the Entente Powers that the consuls were engaged in spying, is characterized as laughable.

TEN MILLION DOLLAR LOAN FROM RUSSIA TO THE CANADIAN CAR COMPANY

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—No formal meeting of the Canadian Car Company was held Tuesday, but announcement was made by the company that it expects to close a \$10,000,000 loan tomorrow. It is believed to be banking circles that the loan is to be made by the Russian government, which advanced \$200,000,000 to the Car Company when that government placed an order for \$33,000,000 worth of munitions last spring.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC

(Special to the Guardian.) TORONTO, January 8.—Maritime: Westerly and northerly winds, fair and decidedly cold.

A TREMENDOUS RUSSIAN MOVE IN PROGRESS IN BESSARABIA

400 Russian Guns Hammered the City of Cernowitz for Fifty Hours Preparatory to Infantry Attack. Fighting of Most Bitter Character Continues, few Prisoners being Taken. British Submarine Accidentally Lost. Developments Resulting from Sir Ian Hamilton's Report on Dardanelles. Feared Nine Ships Laden with American Produce Lost.

LENGTH OF WAR DEPENDS ON SUPPLY OF MUNITIONS

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The House of Commons has passed a bill designed to facilitate the output of munitions. The bill is in the form of an amendment to the Munitions Act. In appealing for the passage of the measure, David Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, said:

GREECE PROTESTS AGAINST ARREST OF HUN CONSULS

PARIS, Jan. 6.—The Petit Parisien declares that a note which Mr. Romanos, Greek Minister to France, handed to Premier Briand protesting against the arrest of the German and other consuls at Saloniki as a "violation of Greece's neutrality" was couched in much sharper terms than the Greek complaints to Berlin and Vienna regarding the Teutonic aerial raid on Saloniki.

Amherst Man Gets The D.S.O. Medal

MONTREAL, January 6.—Word has been received to the effect that Captain Forest Mitchell, nephew of Senator William Mitchell, has received the D. S. O. for distinguished bravery at the Dardanelles. Captain Mitchell was a resident of Amherst, being in the employ of the Maritime Coal Railway and Power company, but he enlisted in the western regiment and with the \$5,000 British troops so successfully removed from the Gallipoli Peninsula a short time since.

BRITAIN DOES NOT FEAR CONTRAST OF METHODS OF WARFARE

LONDON, Jan. 6.—A British official statement, issued today says: "Sir Edward Grey, (Secretary for Foreign Affairs) has answered the complaint by the Germans, through the American ambassador, regarding the destruction of the coast of Ireland of a German submarine and crew by the British auxiliary Baralong, by referring to various German outrages. Sir Edward Grey offers to submit such incidents, including the Baralong case, to an imperial tribunal composed of, say, officers of the United States navy."

A TERRIBLE TOLL

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The list of ocean horrors for 1915 includes these merchant vessels sunk by German or Austrian submarines:

UPCOMING EVENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

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