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FIGHTING GEAR PILED MOUNTAIN HIGH

Back of the Somme Lines Preparations on a Gigantic Scale are Being Made for a Drive which will Make Fighting Hitherto Seem Feeble by Comparison.

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, Jan. 4.—(New York Times)—While peace talk is flying back and forth over the wires both belligerents are grinding themselves for the greatest fighting yet.

SUMMARY OF MARKET SITUATION IN THIS CITY

Business Conditions in Charlottetown are Reported Good for the Time of Year. The Prices Being Paid by Dealers.

After the Christmas and New Year's rush business is naturally quiet in Charlottetown at present. Nevertheless the merchants report business exceptionally good for this time of year.

GERMANY MAY VIOLATE SWISS NEUTRALITY

(Special to the Guardian.) PARIS, Jan. 4.—The French believe that a German invasion of Switzerland is increasingly probable.

TWO ZEPPELINS DESTROYED BY FIRE

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Two zeppelins were destroyed at Tondern-Schwing by fire due to defective electric wiring in a recently constructed double shed.

REGINA LABOURERS OBJECT TO REGISTRATION

(Special to the Guardian.) REGINA, Sask., Jan. 4.—At a mass meeting of working people of Regina held last night a strongly worded resolution was passed expressing opposition to the plan of National registration and calling upon the Borden Government to resign.

FATAL RAILWAY ACCIDENT NEAR EDINBURGH

EDINBURGH, Jan. 4.—Eleven persons were killed and forty injured yesterday when a train loaded with persons returning to Edinburgh after a New Year holiday collided with a switch engine two miles outside the city.

RUSSIAN ARMY EVACUATES DOBRUDJA

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, Jan. 4.—(Official)—The latest reports from the Roumanian military operations indicate that the Russian army has evacuated the province of Dobrudja without loss.

DARING ROBBERY BY A CANADIAN IN A LONDON CAFE

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Jan. 3.—Driver William Gibson, Canadian Field Artillery was sentenced to three years penal servitude for being concerned with another soldier not in custody in stealing £2 7s. 6d. from a restaurant keeper named Hurst.

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BIBLE SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

Contributions for the Year Exceeded Those of Last Year By \$300.

\$2,000 Sent to Head Office After All Expenses Had Been Paid.

Tribute to Late Mr. H. J. Cundall Ordered to be Entered On Society's Records.

The annual meeting of the P. E. I. Auxiliary Bible Society was held in Grace church last evening. In the absence of the President Mr. W. S. Louson, who is unavoidably absent from the province, Rev. F. L. Little-Johns presided.

JUDGE BRAY'S DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

(Special to the Guardian.) ALBERT, N. B., Jan. 4.—An inquest into the death of Judge Bray was held here by Coroner Dr. S. C. Murray of Albert. The evidence showed conclusively that Judge Bray came to his death through taking by mistake an ounce bottle of carbolic acid which he drank under the supposition that it was essence of lemon which he had been in the habit of taking.

CHILDREN KILLED BY SNOW SLIDE FROM ROOF

(Special to the Guardian.) MANCHESTER, Jan. 4.—A score of little girls marching into Parker School Tuesday afternoon were buried in a mass of snow and ice which slid from the school house roof.

MARITIME CASUALTIES

(Special to the Guardian.) OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—Canadian casualties are announced as follows:—In fantry, died Alfred Caby, Catham, N. B.; Wounded, Arthur Smith, Grand River, N. S.; Killed in Action, J. P. Paul, Red Bank, N. B.

WILL NOT DICTATE RE SERVICE CARDS

(Special to the Guardian.) EDMONTON, Jan. 4.—The trades and labor council decided to leave the filling in of the National Service cards to individual conscience.

DEPOSED ABYSSINIAN EMPEROR CAPTURED

(Special to the Guardian.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—In Despatches received describing conditions in Abyssinia it is said that the deposed Emperor Lijl, Tassau had been captured and his followers were being pursued and crushed.

LACK OF TONNAGE FOR CARRYING RAILS

OTTAWA, January 3.—Lack of ocean tonnage may prevent the shipment of the 1,600 miles of steel rails which the Canadian government undertook to supply for use in France. Canada is providing the rails, and the British government can get them across the ocean the arrangement entered into two weeks ago will be carried out.

CONDENSED ADS. TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

TWO CENTS per word each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany order. SAUNSON'S SAUSAGES MADE fresh every day from selected young pork. Saunders, Newsome & Co., Market Building. 2248-9-26M6mo.

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INTERESTING CEREMONY N. B. SHIP CAPTAIN ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

(Special to the Guardian.) ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Jan. 4.—Capt. Peter J. Warr of the three masted schooner Lizzie Lane was accidentally struck on the head by the main boom of his vessel when off Lunenburg, yesterday and expired about fifteen minutes after the accident.

MINARDS LINIMENT CURES GARGET IN COWS

Minard's Liniment Cures Toothache. latter is in the hospital, the other has gone back to the front. Private Hume was near Jack McLean, of Charlottetown, when the latter was killed on October 13th, 1915, and assisted at his burial. He lies at rest in a little cemetery back of the lines. Moses Gallant, another man of the 26th, was killed the first night they were in the trenches.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE TIDE, MOON, ETC.

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