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Victory Bonds Pave the Way for Lasting Peace AUSTRIA'S UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER EFFECTIVE YESTERDAY AT 3 A.M.

Allied Governments Officially Notified That General Diaz Had Signed Armistice Giving Austrians till 3 o'clock Monday Morning, According to Terms Agreed Upon, Namely Unconditional Surrender. Meanwhile the Allies on the Western Front are Smashing Their Way Through Positions, Whole Argonne Region Cleared of Enemy. Immense Number of Prisoners and Guns Captured.

(Special to the Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 4.—An armistice with Austria was signed this afternoon by General Diaz, the Italian commander-in-chief, according to an official announcement here this evening. The armistice comes into effect at 3 o'clock Monday morning. The text of the statement reads:
"A telephone message has been received from the Prime Minister in Paris saying that news has just come that Austria-Hungary, the last of Germany's props, has gone out of the war. The armistice was signed by General Diaz this afternoon and will come into operation tomorrow at 3 o'clock. The terms will be published Tuesday. Official announcement of the signing of the Austrian armistice reached the Premiers while they were in session this afternoon and gave the greatest satisfaction. It was arranged that the conditions of the armistice would be made public promptly."

WHY THE AUSTRIANS QUIT

(Special to the Guardian)
ROME, Nov. 4.—Italian and Allied forces in their drive in northern Italy have captured 100,000 Austrian Hungarian prisoners. The Italian war offices announced today. More than 2,200 guns have been taken. Italian forces have landed at Trieste, the principal seaport of Austria-Hungary on the Adriatic, according to an official announcement made this evening by the Italian war office, and the tri-color is flying from the castle and from the tower of San Giusto.

TERMS ANNOUNCED IN ALL ALLIED CAPITALS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The terms of the armistice under which the land and sea forces of what once was the Austro-Hungarian Empire have laid down their arms, were announced simultaneously in Washington and the Allied capitals. They accomplish complete surrender and open Austrian and Hungarian territory for American and Allied operations against Germany.

TENTH ITALIAN ARMY CAPTURED 16,000 AUSTRIANS

LONDON, Nov. 4.—It is officially announced that the tenth Italian army with which British contingents have been fighting has captured more than 16,000 prisoners east of the Piave.

BRITISH ATTACKED ON WIDE FRONT

LONDON, Nov. 4.—At dawn this morning British troops south of the Scheldt River attacked on a wide front according to a report received from Field Marshal Haig today.

AIRMEN OPERATING EAST OF METZ

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Railways and airplane hangers in the region east of Metz were attacked today by British independent air forces says an official statement issued this afternoon.

ARGONNE CLEARED OF ENEMY

PARIS, Nov. 4.—The Argonne region has been cleared of the enemy by the French and American forces, the war office announces tonight. Numerous villages and important positions were captured in Sunday's fighting.

ALLIED CAPTURES IN PRESENT OFFENSIVE

PARIS, Nov. 4.—Since the great offensive began on the western front on July 15th last, the allied armies have captured 362,355 prisoners, including 7,990 officers as well as 6,217 cannon, 38,622 machine guns and 3,907 mine throwers.

CITY OF GHENT CAPTURED BY ALLIES

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Ghent was captured Sunday morning, the Daily News announced today. The news was received in a despatch from Rotterdam.

ALLIED FORCES IN CONSTANTINOPLE?

PARIS, Nov. 4th Allied forces are reported to have arrived in Constantinople and to have landed on the Prince's Islands, according to an Athens despatch to the Petit Journal, dated Sunday. The newspaper says that while there is no confirmation of the report its realization apparently is only a question of hours in any event.

NO MORE GERMANS TO CROSS TO HOLLAND

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 4.—German authorities have been notified by the Dutch Government that no refugees will be permitted to cross the Belgian Netherlands frontier.

CANADIAN PRISONERS MAY BE LIBERATED

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—The conclusion of an armistice between the Entente Allies and the Central Powers would likely mean the immediate release of Canadians held as prisoners of war. An official despatch from England states that the release of Allied prisoners and provision for the punishment of persons responsible for consistent brutal treatment of prisoners would be demanded as a condition of any armistice. In the neighborhood of 2300 Canadian soldiers have been taken by the enemy since the outbreak of the war.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC

TORONTO, Nov. 5.—Strong east and south winds. Showery.
The tide will be high this morning at 11.13 and tomorrow at 11.45; tomorrow morning at 12.40 and Thursday at 1.
The sun sets this afternoon at 5.05 and tomorrow at 5.04 it rises tomorrow morning at 7 and Thursday at 7.01.
The moon sets this afternoon at 5.59.
New moon Sunday, Nov. 3rd at 4.02 p. m.
First quarter moon Monday Nov. 11th at 11.45 a. m.
Length of today ten hours and six minutes.

AMERICANS TAKE SEVENTEEN TOWNS

Advanced Twelve Miles on Eight Mile Front and Captured 5,000 Prisoners and 100 Guns.

(Special to The Guardian)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The capture of 17 towns and villages by Americans operating west of the Meuse was reported today by General Pershing in his communique for Sunday evening. The first American army has captured dominating heights from the Germans northwest of Verdun and brought under the fire of its heavy guns the important railroads at Montmedy, Longuyon and Conflans. General Pershing announces an advance for the first army of twelve miles on an eight mile front in three days. Prisoners captured numbered more than 5,000 and guns more than one hundred.

GERMANY NOW ALONE WITH BOLSHIEVIKI

Defection of Bulgaria and Austria Leaves Germany and Terrorist Anarchists Alone to Face the World in Arms.

(Special to The Guardian)
PARIS, Nov. 4.—After the surrender of Bulgaria and Austria nothing remains to Germany but the Russian Bolsheviks. What avenged irony of events when a military autocracy, the symbol of social discipline, is reduced to alliance with terrorist anarchy.

BRITISH CONTRACTS FOR \$3,000,000 GARMENTS

United States Government has Placed Contracts with British Government for Over Three Million Uniform Garments and Million Yards of Cloth.

(Special to The Guardian)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Contracts have been placed within the British government for the manufacture of 1,800,000 pairs of trousers and 1,400,000 coats for the American expeditionary forces, Acting Quartermaster General Wood announced today. At the same time supplementary orders were placed for 1,000,000 yards of cloth to be used in the manufacture of officers' uniforms.

DOMINION SUBS TO VICTORY LOAN

Victory Loan, Nov. 4.—Dominion total \$145,511,800.

ISLANDERS IN CASUALTY LIST

OTTAWA, Nov. 4.—The following P. E. Island names are included in today's casualty list: Killed in action, Corporal K. Bell, Cape Traverse; died of wounds, J. Blanchard, Charlottetown; died, W. Thomas, Summerside.

KING CONGRATULATES ROYAL AIR FORCE

LONDON, Nov. 4.—King George has sent the following telegram to the Secretary of State for the Royal Air Force:
"I offer you and the Royal Air Force my warmest congratulations on the successful results of the air fighting on October 30 when all previous records were beaten. Such achievements testify to the spirit which animates the ranks in their determination to retain our mastery of the air and cannot fail materially to assist the steady advance of my armies on the field."

THRILLING ADVENTURE BY ALLIED AIRMEN

Swept Over Great Area of Enemy Territory Exploring Province of Namur, Gathering Valuable Information and Creating Panic Among German Troops

(Special to The Guardian)
PARIS, Nov. 4.—One of the most audacious and thrilling achievements of the Allied air forces is announced in the French and Belgian official statements issued last night. British and French aviators are credited with one of the most brilliant and successful air operations of the war. They swept over a great area of enemy territory penetrating and exploring the province of Namur and gathering much valuable information. Flying low they attacked the enemy's forces with bombs and machine guns, threw them into a wild state of panic and utterly routed a strong supporting body of troops. The airmen returned to their bases practically without loss.

SPLENDID RESPONSE TO APPEAL FOR MEN

Over 150 Men Extra Now Engaged on the Standardizing of the P.E. Island Railway and the Work is Proceeding Most Satisfactorily with Prospects of an Early Completion.

It is gratifying to announce that the appeal made through the press for men to work on the railway has met with a very generous response from all over the province. Superintendent Grady informs the Guardian that there are now about 150 men employed between Charlottetown and Summerside and that the work is progressing most satisfactorily with good prospects of being finished between these two points and Borden in time for the bulk of the fall shipping.

The third rail has been laid on 8½ miles of the whole line between Summerside and Emerald and the laying of the third rail on this section is well underway. Between Charlottetown and Emerald there are about 6000 ties to be laid and rail laying will begin from the Charlottetown end as soon as the ship now unloading at Charlottetown is discharged. This is most promising and if the weather conditions are at all favourable during the next week or ten days a standardized road from Charlottetown to Summerside to Borden may be looked for. The weather has been exceptionally unfavourable, impeding the work of the farmers as well as preventing them from offering their services on the railway. Nevertheless they have responded most patriotically for this service which is second in importance only to winning the war and they will, in return, have the benefits which will accrue from being joined up with the continental railways and on the road to the markets.

TELEGRAMS EXCHANGED

The following telegrams, which more than our full share of the five speak for themselves, were exchanged yesterday between the Victory Loan the Hun with our dollars.
heads of Ontario and P. E. Island.
C. H. B. Longworth,
Provincial Chairman, Victory Loan Headquarters, Charlottetown
Ontario sends greetings to Prince Edward Island and congratulates you and your workers upon your splendid contribution. For the first week scarcely any meetings have been permitted in this province, but we are pleased to note that Ontario's total with one-third of our time gone, exceeds eighty millions. Everybody here working like beavers, and there will be no let-up until we have done
G. H. WOOD,
Chairman Ontario Committee
November 4th
C. H. B. LONGWORTH
Chairman P. E. I. Committee

VICTORY LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS

The following are the handsome subscriptions received yesterday from the men who are floating the Victory Loan Campaign on P. E. Island.
W. K. ROGERS,
Chairman King's and Queens' County Committee. \$5,000
W. HARRY TIDMARSH,
Chairman City Canvassing Committee \$5,000
F. R. HEARTZ,
Chairman Finance Committee \$5,000
J. P. GORDON,
Chairman Publicity Committee \$,000
W. F. TIDMARSH,
Chairman Special Subscription Committee \$2,000
J. O. HYNDMAN,
Member Provincial Executive Committee \$3,000
C. H. B. LONGWORTH,
Chairman Provincial Committee \$5,000
The fact that these men are investing so largely in the Victory Bonds demonstrates that they have full confidence in the splendid investment they afford with high interest return with the security of the whole of Canada at their back.
DOUBLE UP—DOUBLE UP—DOUBLE UP.

VICTORY LOAN

P. E. Island Objective \$2,500,000
Subscriptions \$ 508,000

Charlottetown and Royalty Objective \$600,000
Subscriptions \$315,000

Summerside Objective \$150,000
Subscription \$ 67,000

The amounts are up to Monday, Nov. 4th

CLASSIFIED ADS

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