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OWNERSHIP OF REAL ESTATE IN BELGIUM

Will be Settled by Belgian Authorities After the War. Germans Threaten to Transfer Property from Belgian Refugees.

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, Feb. 16.—The question of the ownership of land and houses in Belgium will be settled by the authorities of Belgium after the close of the war, the Foreign Secretary, Sir Edward Grey, told the Commons this afternoon, in reply to a request for assurance that property which the Germans threatened to transfer from Belgian refugees unless they returned to their country, would revert to its true owners. The Foreign Secretary added in this connection that this is one of the questions, among other in which we believe the result of the war will make justice and right prevail.

NO EXECUTIONS ON LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12.—Because this is Lincoln's birthday, John Kinzie, who was to have been hanged today, was granted a stay of execution until February 26. Kinzie's lease of life was granted by Governor Dunne, in order to avoid what would be popularly viewed as a desecration of the birthday of the Great Emancipator. "We like to think of the Lincoln anniversary as a day of hallowed memory. It would seem to be a mark of respect, therefore, since the thing is possible, to delay such a serious matter and thus avoid the marring of the day," said the Governor.

AMERICAN LADY HELD AS SPY IN GERMANY

TOLD TO QUIT COUNTRY. BERLIN, via London, Feb. 15.—Miss Caroline Wilson, of Beverly, Mass., arrested here several days ago on suspicion of espionage, was released yesterday after Ambassador Gerard had interceded vigorously in her behalf. She came to Berlin as the correspondent of a Chicago paper, and was taken into custody, it is alleged, because she displayed indiscreet curiosity concerning naval affairs, gun calibres and other matters. Miss Wilson's release was granted only upon condition that she leave Germany immediately.

GERMANS ARE GETTING BUSY IN ALSACE.

PARIS, Feb. 14.—Refugees who have been expelled from Alsace-Lorraine declared that the Germans are making extraordinary preparations to resume the offensive in that region. The wife of the foreman of the machine works of Grafenstaben, a town to the South of Strassburg, and including Fort von der Tann, says that more than a million men are being prepared. Every village is now reported to have been put in shape to resist a siege. All the inhabitants whose German sympathies are doubtful, refugees say, are being expelled from the region and every person showing inquisitiveness is taken into custody and sent into Germany.

WILSON IS OBDDURATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—President Wilson today rejected the compromise bill evolved yesterday by Democratic leaders of the House. He refused to agree to an amendment terminating the activities of the Government in the shipping business two years after the close of the European war.

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27 U.S. SHIPS DUE IN WAR ZONE AFTER FEB. 18TH

(Special to The Guardian) NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Of the steamships clearing from New York within the past two weeks, records show that 27 will be within the war zone declared by Germany around Britain and after Feb. 18, the day set to establish a war zone. Four of the ships of this fleet are American-owned and by the United States flag, five steamers carry passengers.

GERMANY FEARS BRITISH TREACHERY?

(Special to The Guardian) BERLIN, Feb. 16.—(Official to-day) —Inasmuch as it is to the interest of Britain that there should be conflicts between Germany and neutral powers, it is thought in German shipping circles that English submarines, in order to bring about this end, may purpose to sink one or more neutral ships. It is known also in shipping circles that the British also in quantities of mines against German submarines. The Cologne Volkstrom says Germany must wait patiently and show that February 18th will be a day of bitterness.

NEW ANCHOR LINER ARRIVES IN NEW YORK

(Special to The Guardian) NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—New Anchor Line steamer Taccania arrived here today on her maiden trip from Glasgow and Liverpool. She was built at Glasgow, is 14,000 tons gross register. She brought 323 passengers and more than 3,000 sacks of mail. Thomas Williams, a native of Wales, on his way to Canada jumped overboard during the voyage and was lost.

IRON CROSSES FOR GERMAN HEROES

(Special to The Guardian) BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Lieut. Commander von Muecke, commander of the cruiser Emden which landed on Cocoe Island has been awarded the Iron Cross of the first class while every member of the landing party received an iron cross of the second class.

AMERICA'S NOTE REACHES BERLIN.

BERLIN, Feb. 15.—James W. Gerard, the American Ambassador, called on Gottlieb von Jagow, the German Foreign Secretary, at six o'clock last evening and presented to him the United States Government's note concerning the German sea war zone proclamation. It is believed that Germany's reply will suggest that if the United States desires a mitigation of Germany's naval campaign, it would be well to induce Great Britain to lift her embargo on foodstuffs bound for Germany, which, in the German interpretation of International law, is entirely illegal and unjustified.

GERMANS GOING TO APE AS RULERS IN POLAND.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 15.—News has reached here that Germany and Austria have declared the independence of Poland, to become operative Feb. 14, when it is planned to hold a convention at Cracow, Galicia, for the purpose of naming a King. It is stated that Archduke Karl Stephen of Austria is a likely candidate for the throne. The convention members are to be elected by ballot by the population in such parts of Poland and Galicia as are now in the possession of the Austrians and in expropriating the German has yielded German Silesia to the proposed kingdom. Pending the holding of the convention the temporary government is headed by Ignatz Daschinsky, Socialist member of the Austrian Reichstag.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, Feb. 17.—Maritime: North-westerly winds; a few local showers; but mostly cold and turning colder. The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 40 above zero, and the previous night was 31 above. At 9 a.m. yesterday it was 38 above, and at 9 p.m. 36 above. The tide will be high this afternoon at 1.09 and tomorrow at 1.37; it will be high tomorrow morning at 1.18 and Friday at 2.01. The sun sets this evening at 5.29 and tomorrow at 5.31; it rises tomorrow morning at 6.57 and Friday at 6.55. The moon sets tonight at 8.33. There was a new moon on Sunday, Feb. 14th, at 12.31 a.m. The first quarter of the moon will be on Sunday, Feb. 21 at 10.58 p.m. The length of today will be ten hours and 31 minutes. Minard's Liniment Cures Rheumatism.

A BREEZE IN THE COMMONS PROVOKED BY SIR WILFRID

Sharp Passage Between Minister of Justice and Opposition Leader Over Changes in the Cabinet, in Which Sir Wilfrid Made an Undignified Attack on Hon. L. P. Pelletier Charging That He Had Resigned as Postmaster on Grounds of Ill-Health to Accept a Judgeship.

(From our own Reporter.) OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—Sir Robert Borden's promised statement in regard to changes led to a considerable breeze in the House today. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, were the principal participants. After the Premier had explained that Hon. L. P. Pelletier had, owing to ill-health, to be succeeded by Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, and that Hon. Bruno Nautel, who had gone to the Railway Board—his successor being Hon. P. E. Blondin—the Opposition Leader rose to reply. Sir Wilfrid in the course of his criticism remarked that while Mr Pelletier had retired from the Ministry owing to ill-health to take a place on the bench, Hon. C. J. Doherty had reversed the process by retiring from the bench to become a member of the Government. Mr Doherty resented the statement of the Leader of the Opposition that he had retired from the Bench owing to ill-health. He said the statement was untrue. The Speaker intervened, and Mr Doherty explained that he did not mean to say that Sir Wilfrid knew it to be untrue, but he ought to have known it. He had retired, he said, after ten years service and was engaged to accept the annuity which he is drawing. Sir Wilfrid then remarked that the Minister of Justice had made it clear that the Quebec law provides for the retirement of a judge after fifteen years in the event of poor health, but the Minister of Justice had made it clear that he had retired when in good health and accepted a pension. The Opposition leader was bolstering up his case by a misrepresentation of the statute. There is considerable indignation in Conservative ranks over the unprovoked attack of Sir Wilfrid Laurier on Hon. L. P. Pelletier for having resigned, on grounds of ill-health, as Postmaster-General, to accept a position as judge. It is pointed out that Sir Wm. Mulock, the first Postmaster-General, resigned, on grounds of ill-health, on conditions and was once appointed judge of the High Court of Ontario.

ITALY TO MOBILIZE WITHIN A FORTNIGHT

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, Feb. 16.—A prophecy that Italy would mobilize her army within the next fortnight was made here today by Ricciotti Garibaldi, the Italian patriot. He said that unless the Italian Government decided to participate in the war there would be a revolution.

CANADIANS NOW "OFFICIALLY" IN FRANCE

(From Our Own Reporter.) OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—At the opening of the Commons Sir Robert Borden read the following message received by the Duke of Connaught from the Colonial Secretary, dated Feb. 17. "Your ministers will be glad to know that the whole Canadian contingent are doing well at the front, having safely crossed over to France." The announcement was heartily applauded.

BRITISH CASUALTIES IN NAVY TO DATE

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, Feb. 16.—Replying in the Commons today to a request for details regarding the total British naval casualties since the outbreak of the war, Winston Spencer Churchill gave these figures: Killed: 348 officers, 5,812 men; wounded: 45 officers, 352 men; missing: 8 officers, 5 men. To this list Mr. Churchill said should be added casualties of the First Royal Naval Division which participated in the defence of Antwerp, which were: Killed: 5 officers, 38 men; wounded: 4 officers, 134 men; missing: 2 officers, 368 men; interned: 39 officers, 7,524 men.

DOMESTIC SUPPLY OF OATS IN TO BE SEIZED BY BUNDERSRATH.

BERLIN, via London, Feb. 15.—The Bundersrath today decided to expropriate all the domestic stocks of oats, with the exception of seed oats and the grain necessary for fodder for horses. The order becomes effective Feb. 16.—The Bundersrath also raised the price of oats to \$12.50 per metric ton. The action of the Bundersrath, or federal council, in expropriating the domestic stocks of oats is a further step in the direction of the German government's policy of conserving the food supplies of the country. On Jan. 26, the federal council ordered the seizure by Feb. 1st of all stocks of corn, wheat and flour.

RUSSIANS NOW DRIVING BACK ENEMY.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A despatch to the Daily Chronicle from Czernowitz says: "Fighting continues in Bukovina. The Russians have received reinforcements and have begun a series of counter-attacks which shattered the Austro-German lines at three points, compelling a retirement. "The Russians are now moving forward, but snow impedes the march. The cold is intense, the temperature renders it impossible to distinguish friend from foe a hundred feet distant. "Thousands of wounded on both sides have perished from exposure."

DISPUTE OVER CARDS ENDED IN MURDER.

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Guesepelli Re-col, aged 21, was shot dead this afternoon in Richmond avenue, and Stefano Mallro was arrested on a charge of murder in connection with the tragedy. It is said the two had quarrelled at a game of cards just prior to the shooting.

SUMMARY OF THE SITUATION

(Special to The Guardian.) LONDON, Feb. 16.—Great Britain received today, through Walter Hines Page, American Ambassador, Germany's offer to withdraw her threat of a submarine blockade against Great Britain if the British navy would permit the free movement of foodstuffs to the civil population of Germany. There is no expectation here that the offer will be accepted, in fact Great Britain is already preparing to retaliate against Germany by placing under more stringent control ships destined to Germany, and a proclamation is momentarily expected declaring a blockade of the German coast, or at any rate prohibition of foodstuffs destined for Germany. The Cabinet with naval and military advisers considered this question today, and it is understood the decision is awaiting formal confirmation of the Privy Council, from which all proclamations emanate. In the meantime British and neutral ships are moving as freely as usual, with the exception of those belonging to a few Dutch lines, which have reduced their number of sailings. Norwegian and Danish insurance companies have given instructions that steamers insured by them shall have their national colours, names of ships and the country of origin painted on the sides of all vessels. Holland and Italy, like the United States, have protested to Germany against her sea threat, and have asked Great Britain not to make free use of neutral flags. Similar representations are expected to be made to two countries tomorrow in a joint note to Norway, Sweden and Denmark. For the time being questions of diplomacy are arousing more interest than actual fighting, although military movements of first importance are taking place essentially along the eastern line. A German offensive, strongly supported by fresh troops, is being pushed with great vigour both along the east Prussian frontier and the Carpathians, north of the lower Vistula. Russians now have evacuated East Prussia except for a small area near Lyck, where they are opposing the German advance and also apparently calling back in North Poland, for the Germans today announced that they have occupied Plock and Bielsk, which the Russians recaptured from them a short time ago. While the Germans claim to have inflicted heavy losses on the retreating Russians, military men here and newspaper correspondents in Petrograd continue to refer to the Muscovite movements as a strategic retirement to a fortified line which lies along the Niemo River, through Kovno, Grodno and Lomza, and thence to the fortress of Novogeorgievsk. Heavy fighting also continues in the Carpathians and Bukovina. In Bukovina Russians are also falling back, but they continue to hold the food supplies further west and are putting up a stubborn resistance to the Austro-German offensive in that region. Here fighting is taking place in deep snow, and both sides are suffering severely. The large number of troops the Germans are using on the east, it is believed by military observers here, will prevent for some time any attempt by the Germans to break the deadlock in the west. General French in the first of the promised by-weekly reports pays high tribute to the Indian and the territorials he says they have far more than justified the most sanguine hopes entertained of their value in the field. The report adds reinforcements are arriving regularly. Progress is also claimed in the region of La Bassee, where the Germans are said to have suffered severe losses and that the British artillery shows superiority over that of the Germans. There was no further news today of the new German offensive in Alsace which is designed to stop the French advance toward Enlousaen or of the French offensive to the Greek island of Saint Michel which it is said threatens the line of communication between that town and Metz. Relations between Greece and Turkey are apparently becoming more strained although Turkey offered reparations for the insult to the Greek military attaché at Constantinople. It is reported the Greek Minister has left the legation in charge of the Secretary being dissatisfied with Turkey's attitude. Turkey's Minister also has left there. This is believed in domestic quarters to be first step in the rupture of diplomatic relations between Greece and Turkey which are believed also to have been affected by the Albanian invasion of Serbia. The British Parliament tomorrow will debate on the motion to call on the Government to fix the maximum prices for food.

SWITZERLAND DEMANDS APOLOGY FROM GERMANY

(Special to The Guardian) BERNE, Switzerland, Feb. 16.—An official inquiry having established that the aeroplane which flew over Swiss territory and which Swiss troops fired on, was a German machine, the Swiss Minister in Berlin has been instructed to demand an apology from the German Government.

MEXICAN SITUATION GROWING WORSE

(Special to The Guardian.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Official advices from Mexico represent the situation with respect to the diplomatic corps as growing worse. Newspapers in Vera Cruz, where the Carranza government has its seat, are reported to be publishing articles intended to compel the corps either to go to Vera Cruz or to leave Mexico.

BERLIN CAST DOWN BY DEFEAT AT SEA

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 15.—A Danish business man who has made several visits to Berlin since the war started describes in an interview had with him the change that has come over the city since the British victory in the North Sea. He said: "Public feeling in Germany underwent a perceptible change a few days after the sinking of the Blucher. The change was very noticeable and nothing but a German victory on land or sea can revive the spirits of the people to the former exuberance. "The German papers persistently told the people an English battleship was sunk in that battle, but no one discovered the name of the ship and consequently the whole German version of the battle is disbelieved. "I have seen many trains of wounded creep into Berlin after dark, but one terrible sight I shall never forget. Most of these trains disgorge their mangled and bleeding humanity at a station near the Zoological Gardens. I saw one train draw up filled with insane German officers and men. The long days and nights without relief in the trenches and all manner of privations, lack of food, illness and disease, had driven these poor fellows out of their minds. Many of them were shrieking and struggling with their attendants. They were dragged out of the compartments, locked in another train and sent to asylums for the insane in Saxony and North Germany."

2,500 PEOPLE ON ISLAND OF MANUA FACE STARVATION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Starvation faces 2,500 people on the island of Manua, one of the American Samoan groups, unless they get relief within the next three weeks. Lieut. Chas. A. Woodruff, the naval governor, reported today that the hurricanes, earthquake and tidal wave had devastated the island. Secretary Daniels began conveying asking congress for \$10,000 to buy food at nearby islands and convey it to Manua on naval vessels.

FRENCH OFFICIAL

(Special to The Guardian) PARIS, Feb. 16.—(Official to-night) —The War Office says that German trenches nearly two miles in extent have been taken in Champagne to the Northwest of Perthes and North of Beausejour. key's attitude. Turkey's Minister also has left there. This is believed in domestic quarters to be first step in the rupture of diplomatic relations between Greece and Turkey which are believed also to have been affected by the Albanian invasion of Serbia. The British Parliament tomorrow will debate on the motion to call on the Government to fix the maximum prices for food.

14 ALIEN SUSPECTS WITH FIRST CONTINGENT RETURNED TO HALIFAX

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 15.—There was quite a stir at the steamship terminal today when the C. P. R. liner Missanable docked from Liverpool and fourteen "alien suspects" from the first Canadian contingent at Salisbury Plain disembarked under a strong guard and were marched, each man handcuffed to a soldier to the Citadel and there imprisoned. Some of the suspects are admittedly of Austrian and German birth, while others of various foreign nationalities are under suspicion of disloyal tendencies. They all enlisted in Canada with various regiments of the first contingent and were taken to England, but there were placed under detention.

MORE CASUALTIES AMONG PRINCESS PATS

(Special to The Guardian) OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—Four casualties were reported from the Princess Patricia's last night, bringing the total to 38 deaths among expeditionary forces since they left Canada. Of this number 18 belonged to the Patricia's were either killed in action or died of wounds sustained there. The rest died at Salisbury Plains on barges outside of Canada.

KITCHENER'S ARMY LANDING IN FRANCE

(Special to The Guardian) PARIS, Feb. 16.—There is confirmation of recent messages stating that 500,000 British troops were being landed on French soil within a few days. Visitors returning from France report that some cities have had their population increased by British soldiers from 30,000 to 60,000. The rest of Kitchener's army of 1,000,000 is expected to be landed in France within the next four weeks. Among the lately arrived soldiers are regiments from Canada and Malta.

THE AUDACIOUS WAS NOT SUNK

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The Audacious, one of Great Britain's finest and most powerful battleships of the super-dreadnought class, will rejoin the grand fleet next week. She will leave the shipyards of Harland & Wolff, Belfast, on Monday, without a flaw in her hull or armament. This information was contained in advices received yesterday in New York by the Herald. In the light of the news received here the Audacious, although crippled either by a German torpedo or mine, was not sunk. With her wounded hull bound in cotton mats and a gaping hole below the water line adequately plugged, she remained afloat and was safely guided into drydock, several hours in the wake of the Olympic, of the White Star line, which was no sunk. She will leave port about in response to the battleship's signal of distress. In conformity with the policy pursued by the British authorities no information relating to re-commissioning of the Audacious will be published in the United Kingdom.

SAILOR SWEPT OVERBOARD ON HALIFAX VESSEL.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 15.—The Halifax schooner Eddie Theriault from St. John's, Nfld., for Bahia, Brazil, with a cargo of fish and which it was feared had been in a battered condition, was reported to have been in a battered condition. Paul Peterson, a Norwegian, one of the crew, was swept overboard and drowned and the vessel lost her spars and rigging. The schooner reached Barbadoes on Saturday, having been out 75 days.

FATAL ACCIDENT IN CAMPBELLTON.

CAMPBELLTON, N.B., Feb. 15.—A fatal accident occurred in Campbellton on Thursday evening, by which Frederick Smith, son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Smith, lost his life. Young Smith had been working with a gang of young men shovelling snow and was returning on a train of flat cars when the train, stopping suddenly, threw several of the boys from the car. Smith fell between the cars and the wheel of the car rested on his body, killing him almost instantly. Mr and Mrs Smith, who have but recently moved into Campbellton, are very highly respected people and much sympathy will be felt for them in their great sorrow.

URGES SLAUGHTER OF PASSENGERS.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A message received here says German Admiral is urged to "Slay English women and open letter published in the Empire declares that "things will be different when British passengers are drowned," because the loss of ships is regarded as a mere financial outlay. "We put in our good men; Britain put in only money," is the plaint. The Deutsche Montagszeitung discourses on the "psychology of England," and insists that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz shall begin a campaign of indiscriminate slaughter of passengers.

40 FORTY AEROPLANES AND SEAPLANES

Attacked German Positions With Good Results.

Bombs Were Dropped on Heavy Batteries and Much Damage Done.

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, Feb. 16.—Forty British and French aeroplanes and seaplanes attacked German positions at Ostend, Middlekerke, Ghistelles and Zebrugge in Belgium, and according to an official report, with good results. Bombs were dropped on gun positions, trawlers and barges and an aerodrome. The official statement concerning the air raid says: "Air operations of the naval wing were carried out against Bruges, Ostend, and Zebrugge districts this afternoon. Forty seaplanes and aeroplanes bombed Ostend, Middlekerke, Ghistelles and Zebrugge. Bombs were dropped on heavy batteries situated on the East and West of Ostend, on gun positions at Middlekerke, on transport wagons, on the Ostend-Ghistelles road, on the mole at Zebrugge to widen the breach damaged on former attacks, on the locks at Zebrugge, on barges outside of Blankenburge and on trawlers outside Zebrugge. "Eight French aeroplanes assisted the naval machines by making vigorous attacks on the Ghistelles aerodrome, thus effectively preventing German aircraft from cutting off our machines. It is reported that good results were obtained."

BRITISH KILLED OR CAPTURED ALL THE ENEMY

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A force of 200 Turks and Arabs under German officers, who were preparing to attack the British station at Tor, at the entrance to the Gulf of Suez, were killed and either killed or taken prisoners Friday by a British force, according to a British official report from Cairo. One hundred soldiers were taken prisoners, and of the others it is believed that not one escaped death. "The official report states that in January fifty Turks and two German officers approached Tor, believing that the place was undefended. Finding Tor garrisoned by 200 Egyptian soldiers, they sent for reinforcements. These arrived and a force numbering a little over 200 occupied a village to the north of Tor. On their arrival becoming known, a small detachment of British troops landed in their rear, and, advancing over the hills, made a surprise attack upon their position at dawn on Friday. The official report concludes as follows: "The enemy's force was annihilated. Over 100 prisoners were taken, among them a Turkish major. Over sixty of the dead were found on the field, and it is believed that none got away. Twenty camels were captured and the enemy's stores were destroyed. Our losses were one Gurkha killed and one wounded."

WOMAN LAWYER REFUSED ADMISSION TO THE BAR IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Judge St Pierre this afternoon rendered a decision against the admission of Mrs Langstaff to the Bar of Quebec. Mrs Langstaff, after studying law, was refused admission to the law examiners at Quebec City, and she took the matter to court.

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