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SIBERIAN EXPEDITION NOW ORGANIZED

General Newburn Who Returned with Sir Robert Borden Announces Plans Affecting Canadians.

(Special to The Guardian)

OTTAWA, August 27.—General Newburn, who has returned to England with Sir Robert Borden, has brought back with him the complete plans for the organization of the Canadian Siberian expeditionary force.

is the first time that British soldiers have fought abroad under the command of a Canadian-born leader.

GERMANS ATTEMPT TO SINK TRANSPORTS

Sensational Attempt to Blockade French Port at Which U. S. Troops Land, The Attempt Failed

(Special to The Guardian)

WITH AMERICAN DESTROYER FLOTILLA, BAY OF BISCAY, Aug. 26.—Within the past few days Germany has made a sensational attempt to blockade one of the French ports at which the American troops enter.

trance to a French port. A Great Gamble. In addition to taking the toll of lives, it was designed to block the harbor and thus square accounts for what the British Navy accomplished at Zebrugge and Ostend.

RECRUITING BOOM ON IN IRELAND

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Dublin messages record the welcome surprise that a recruiting boom is in full swing in the Irish Capital.

FISHING SCHOONER SUNK BY SUB

A CANADIAN ATLANTIC PORT Aug. 27.—The crew of the new fishing schooner Rush of Boston arrived here at noon today on board another vessel reporting that their ship was sunk by a submarine yesterday morning on the fishing grounds off this coast.

P. E. ISLANDERS IN CASUALTY LIST

OTTAWA, August 27.—Killed in action, J. A. Wignmore, Emerald, P. E. I. Died of wounds, August 27. W. Gallant, Charlottetown, P. E. I. A. H. Gallant, Abramsville, P. E. I. Killed in action, G. J. Matheson, Cardigan, P. E. I.; F. V. Lynds, Kensington, P. E. I.

REV. DR. W. P. ARCHIBALD HAS PASSED AWAY

Many in this province will learn with regret of the death of Rev. W. P. Archibald, D. D., which occurred at the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax on Sunday night last, after a brief illness. The late Dr. Archibald was born in Musquodoboit, N. S. He graduated B. A. at Dalhousie in 1872 and M. A. in 1878. In 1888 he received the degree of B. D. at the Presbyterian College, Halifax and his D. D. in 1911. He was ordained in 1875, and his first charge was in the Hampton Bonshaw congregation. He later accepted the pastorate of the Cavendish Presbyterian Congregation and 1907 became pastor of the Springside N. S. Congregation. He was regarded as one of the ablest men in the Maritime provinces and was for a term Moderator of the Maritime Synod. His wife, formerly Miss Minnie Ramsay of Summerside predeceased him by several years. His funeral takes place today at Springside, Upper Stewiacke.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS MEETINGS, ETC.

Closing at 12.30 today. Please phone your orders early as possible. Beer & Goff. 1108. Entertainment tonight, The Choir of St. James Church goes to Cavendish this evening and will give an entertainment in the Cavendish Presbyterian Church for Red Cross. Purposes at 7.30. Admission adults 20 cents Children, 10 cents. All invited. IMPORTANT MEETING. A MEETING of the residents of Marshfield and Dunstaffnage will be held in Marshfield Hall Thursday evening 29th at 8 o'clock to consider installation of telephone system. Every body invited. Mr. Van Buskirk, manager is expected to be present. P. E. Island Protestant Orphanage Social and Tea, Wednesday next. Cars will convey patrons from the city, leaving the Guardian corner at intervals after 4 p. m. Help this worthy institution. This promises to be the best social of the season, music, games etc. 1973-S-27M21.

CANADIANS AGAIN IN LIMELIGHT IN DASH THAT AMAZED THE HUNS

Turned Up Unexpectedly 45 Miles from Where They Were Supposed to be, Attacked the German Line at 3 o'clock Yesterday Morning, Capturing Wancourt, Guemappe and Monchy Le Preux. They Had Made a Detour of About 100 Miles Striking the Germans Before They Knew Where the Blow Came From. Their Achievement One of the Most Glorious Feats of the War.

(Special to The Guardian)

LONDON, August 27.—The astonishing news comes from France that it was the Canadians who at three o'clock yesterday morning attacked the German line southeast of Arras, captured Wancourt, Guemappe and Monchy Le Preux and pressed on easterly to a point near the Hindenburg line, or rather to what is known upon the official maps as the Drocourt Queant switch of the Wotan defensive system of the enemy, Monchy is a little more than six miles south of the southerly boundary of the Canadian Vimy front, but the corps has not been in the line at Vimy for some months. When last heard of, little over two weeks ago, the entire four divisions were stationed immediately to the north of Roye, almost forty-five miles due south of Monchy. There they had arrived after driving the Germans before them for over fourteen miles, and captured over ten thousand prisoners.

there and held their own within the famous German position till the battle of St. Quentin in March of this year. It was this much disputed ground that Sir Julian Byng's men fought over again yesterday. Their success was far greater than on the first day of the battle of Arras sixteen months ago, and there is no doubt that the Drocourt Queant lines are in more serious danger than they were in at any time during the offensive of that period.

On the Somme battlefield there has been steady progress on both sides of the river, that on the north carrying the advance to a point near Marcourt about six and a half miles from Peronne on the north bank of the river Susanne, and on the south, Cappy was captured.

congratulate General Currie and his officers on the magnificent successes and secondly to discuss with General Currie important questions affecting administration of the corps. From the corps commander down all Canadians in France are most optimistic over the result of the present operations. As one officer remarked "We have got Fitz guessing. He does not know where he is going to be hit and his morale is consequently badly shaken."

HINDENBURG LINE CUT

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, August 27.—The Hindenburg line has been penetrated at the British troops east of Penele. Troops of Field Marshal Haig today are advancing astride the River Scarpe and are pushing forward to the south of Bapaume. Elsewhere along the British front their progress also continues. There has been heavy fighting at Longevale and on the adjacent ground where the German launched a heavy counter attack with fresh forces brought up especially for the purpose from Sedan. In the face of this counter attack the British fell back to the edge of Longevale. In the course of the night the New Zealanders, according to reports, swept around Bapaume at the North and reached the Railway just north of the Bapaume Cambra Road. The Germans are offering stiff resistance in the neighborhood of Thiller to the south of Bapaume.

THE GERMANS RETREATING TO AVOID BEING CUT OFF

The Germans west and south of the bend of the Somme must be getting out as best they can across the river fords to avoid being cut off by the advancing British. Many large calibre guns should be secured by the victors in this.

CANADIANS TOOK 1,000 PRISONERS IN DAY'S FIGHT

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, August 27.—South of the Scarpe the Canadians driving along Arras, Albert, Cambrai Road, have gained ground and added more than 1,000 Germans to the bag of prisoners during today's fighting.

BRITISH TOOK 15,000 MORE PRISONERS IN DAY'S FIGHTING

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, August 27.—British troops yesterday took another 1,500 prisoners and made a further collection of guns, trench mortars and machine guns. Field Marshal Haig's forces swung forward as far as Longvau in their advance north of the Somme.

GERMAN CHEMICAL FACTORIES BOMBED

LONDON, August 27.—Chemical factories at Mannheim and the railway station at Frankfurt were successfully attacked Sunday night by the British independent air force, according to an official communication issued tonight. All the British machines returned safely to their bases.

SIR EDWARD KEMP VISITS CANADIAN FRONT

LONDON, August 27.—Sir Edward Kemp, Canadian Overseas Minister of Militia, has returned from France, where he visited the Canadian corps and went over the ground captured by the Canadians in their victory before Amiens. The object of the Minister's visit was first to personally

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, August 28.—Moderate winds, fine and comparatively cool. The tide will be high this afternoon at 3.43 and tomorrow at 5.54; it will be high tomorrow morning at 4.03 and Friday at 5.07. The sun sets this evening at 8.03 and tomorrow at 8.01; it rises tomorrow morning at 6.37 and Friday at 6.38. The moon rises tonight at 11.43. The moon was full on Thursday August 22nd at 3 p. m. The last quarter of the moon will be on Wednesday, August 28th at 3.27 p. m. The length of today will be thirteen hours and twenty seven minutes.

TROUBLE IN GERMANY OVER FOOD RATIONS

Rest of Germany Jealous Over Rations Allotted to Berlin. Bavarian Newspapers Indignantly Protest While Berlin Accuses Bavarians of Want of Patriotism.

WASHINGTON, August 26.—A diplomatic telegram from Berne today says:

Discussions of a bitter nature have broken out in Germany in consequence of a supplementary ration of meat of 250 grammes accorded to Berlin, which is 250 grammes in excess of the ration granted to the rest of the Empire. The Bavarian Minister of the Interior officially protested to the Secretary of State at the Imperial Food Supply Bureau against the favor to Berlin. This act was the signal for a violent controversy between the Berlin and Bavarian Newspapers. The Berlin Tageblatt declared that Bavaria appeared on the threshold of the fifth year of war like a fertile oasis, and that it was unjust for the inhabitants of an oasis to be jealous of the inhabitants of the desert. The reply from Munich was a telegram to the Frankfurter Zeitung giving an account of the women's rising recently in front of the Munich town hall, when the women protested against the high cost of living and the scarcity of food. "The Vorwaert says: "This dispute which is caused by a miserable 250 grammes of meat per week, has something shameful about it. It gives the impression that the fighting to seize the few provisions suffering people of Germany are fighting to seize the few provisions that still remain in the country like dogs over bones. The Bavarian government in giving this exhibition to the world, has not accomplished a patriotic work."

ITALIANS RETIRE IN ALBANIA

(Special to The Guardian) LONDON, August 27.—In Albania the Austrians are conducting an offensive which has rendered necessary a retirement of the French and Italian troops in the region of the Upper Devoli. The result of the fighting does not seriously affect the Allied line along the Semini.

LORD SHAUGHNESSY OPENS EXHIBITION

(Special to The Guardian) TORONTO, Ont., August 27.—Lord Shaughnessy, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, formally declared the opening yesterday of the Canadian National Exhibition for 1918. In his address for the occasion his Lordship touched interestingly on railway problems. He declared he did not oppose railway nationalization, but warned the country to proceed slowly and carefully on any such scheme. The greater part of his address was a frank discussion of the problems that will confront Canada after the war.

CROWN PRINCE RUPRECHT OTHERWISE ENGAGED

(Special to The Guardian) COPENHAGEN, August 27.—King Leopold of Bavaria at a family dinner Sunday, according to an official statement made in Munich, announced the engagement of Crown Prince Rupprecht to the Princess Antoinette of Luxemburg.

MYSTERY SHIP

WITH THE GRAND FLEET, Aug. 27.—Visiting the fleet recently King George inspected a mystery ship which is a puzzle to the enemy. Reference to peculiarities is officially restricted to statement that she is an airplane carrier.

ENEMY USED SEVENTY DIVISIONS

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS, Aug. 27.—Until Sunday night it was estimated that the enemy had been forced to use between the Scarpe and the Aisne at least seventy divisions since August 8.

\$200,000 WORTH OF GRAIN SEIZED IN U. S.

(Special to The Guardian) NEW YORK, August 26.—Seizure by the government of 1,967,000 lbs. of devalitized wheat gluten which was to have found its way to Germany through Switzerland, was announced in a statement today by A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian. The grain, worth in pre-war times approximately \$200,000, was discovered in June in a warehouse here ready for shipment overseas. It will be sold at public auction August 26.

100,000 GERMANS CAPTURED, AS MANY KILLED, AND 300,000 WOUNDED

Since July 18, when the counter-attack of the French and American army against the army of the Crown Prince in the Marne salient was launched, about 110,000 Germans have been captured, at least as many more have been killed and not less than 300,000 have been wounded more or less seriously. The Allied armies, which inflicted these great losses upon the enemy have themselves had many casualties, probably not less than a quarter of a million, but they have lost scarcely any prisoners and in battles fought by the troops of Mangin, Rawlinson, Hubert and Byng so many of the enemy's guns have been taken that relatively few of the Allied casualties were caused by shellfire and a much greater proportion of the wounded than usual will speedily return to the front. It is therefore within the mark to state that the net losses of the enemy in the past six weeks have been not less than 200,000 greater than those of the Allied Armies and the end is not yet. In the battle of the Somme which has spread north and south from the original front so that it now extends for over forty miles from Arras to the south of the Somme, the German artillery has done badly. While the British and French guns are following closely behind the advancing tanks and infantry and together with the aviators are taking very heavy toll of the retreating enemy.

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—Thanksgiving day may not be held this year until November. The date has not been fixed but there is a proposal that Canadian holiday be named nearer the American Thanksgiving day. For the past few years Thanksgiving Day has been the second Monday in October.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

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