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PREMIER ASQUITH BACK IN LONDON

Will Arrange for Conference of Irish Leaders. Sir Edward Carson a Vital Factor.

LONDON, May 19.—With the return of Premier Asquith to London, the question of the immediate fate of the Irish government will take the centre of the stage for the British public. It is expected that Mr. Asquith will immediately arrange a series of conferences with the Irish leaders including Sir Edward Carson and John Redmond.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE ALARMS THE TURKS

20,000 Turks Withdrawn from British Front at Kut-el-Amara to Stem Advancing Russian Tide.

LONDON, May 19.—Twenty thousand Turkish troops have been withdrawn from the British front east of Kut-el-Amara, presumably to meet the Russian advance on Baghdad, according to despatches received here today.

CONDENSED ADS. TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

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VIOLENT FIGHTING RESUMED ON VERDUN FRONT

Fresh German Troops Brought Up but all Their Attacks were Repulsed with Exception of Slight Footing Secured in one Trench. French Aviator Brings Down His Tenth German Aeroplane.

PARIS, May 19.—Violent fighting on a large scale was resumed on the Verdun front last night. Two fresh divisions of German troops, attacked French positions at Avocourt, a Wood, and Hill 304, west of the Meuse. The war office announces the attacks in the main were unsuccessful, although the Germans obtain a footing in a small post south of Hill 287, which lies just to the east of Avocourt Wood.

FOOD QUESTION IN GERMANY SERIOUS

LONDON, May 19.—A despatch to the Morning Post from Amsterdam yesterday says: "The food question in Germany is at present in such a position that in the opinion of the physicians of Greater Berlin, who recently considered the matter, uniform regulation of the food supply is necessary in the interests of the health of the people."

SOLDIER'S THANKS FOR GIFT OF SOCKS

The following letter has been received by Mrs. Joseph Matheson, Oyster Bed Bridge, thanking for socks which were sent last December: "Somewhere in Belgium, Dear Mrs. Matheson: Many thanks for socks just received. I am sure you certainly needed them. If I come through this thing all right, I will do my best to look you up. We are having splendid weather now. I only hope it continues hoping you got this note, and trusting you are well."

ALLIES TO FEED STARVING PEOPLE

LONDON, May 19.—Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade, in an interview with a representative of Reuters today, said that it was the unquestionable duty of Germany to feed the Belgians, Serbians and Poles, but as this was neglected by them, the Allies had undertaken steps not obligatory on their part.

Twenty-four Killed in Train Wreck

EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, May 16.—Twenty-four persons were killed, it was stated by authorities in Piedras Negras, opposite here, in the derailment of the through passenger train from Mexico City to Laredo, Fri. Av. between Juerejarro and Empalme Gonzales. Previous reports gave the number of dead as eight. The bandits carried away all they could find as well as much of the passengers' clothing.

RECRUITING MEETINGS MONDAY 22nd

Remember the recruiting meetings to be held Monday night as follows: Preston—Speakers, Cannon Simpson, Colonel Peake, Mr. James McLean, Gensington—Speakers, Judge Stewart, Rev. Dr. Bennett, Captain Sagnall, Bedouque—Speakers, Rev. Dr. Fullerton, Mr. Alex McDonald, Dr. Bonnel, Long River—Speakers, Rev. F. H. Littlejohns, Mr. J. M. Hughes, Major J. J. 'out, Prowse, Malpeque—Speakers, Rev. G. C. Taylor, Rev. J. Murchison, Lieut. Messervey, French River—Speakers, Rev. R. G. Fulton, Ven Archdeacon Watson, Lt. Murphy.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS ETC

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CINDERELLA PERFORMANCE A SPLENDID SUCCESS

People's Theatre Crowded to the Doors and Many Unable to Gain Admittance. The Play Splendidly Staged and a Complete Success. Will be Repeated this Afternoon by Request.

Cinderella and the Gold Slipper, the story that is familiar to everyone old and young was very prettily staged and presented in five acts at the People's Theatre last evening. It was a sympathetic audience who put away the worries of every day life to enjoy the trials and triumphs of Cinderella so admirably depicted by Miss Hilda Senter and that they were successfully entertained was quite evident. It must not be forgotten that the performers were all young and that it was really their first big undertaking in this city, but they did exceptionally well and reflected much credit on the committee instrumental in arranging and staging the play.

EASTERN TEACHERS MEET AT MONTAGUE

Excellent Addresses Given and Helpful Papers Read and Discussed Large Public Meeting in Evening.

The 16th annual session of the Eastern Teachers' Association met yesterday morning in the auditorium at Montague. There was a large attendance of teachers from nearly every district in the country. The programme at this session was as follows: Address . . . . . The President Address Prof. Tennant, of Agri. Dept. Paper: Value of School Gardens

AMERICAN BATTALION FOR EASTERN CANADA

Men from U. S. Now Living in Maritime Provinces and Quebec Will be Eligible.

TORONTO, Ont., May 19.—Major Chaplain C. Seymour Bullock, of the 97th battalion, (American Legion) has been appointed to command a new battalion to be raised among men from the United States, now residing in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The unit will be known as the 237th battalion, with headquarters at the Halifax, and is to be one of four battalions to be raised to form a second brigade of the American Legion.

BRITISH ATTACK ON TOWN OF EL ARISH

LONDON, May 19.—British war ships and aeroplanes have bombarded the town of El Arish, in Egypt, near the border of Palestine, and are believed to have destroyed the fort there, it was announced officially today. El Arish is on the Turkish line of communication from Syria to Egypt.

SOCKS APPRECIATED

Dear Miss Campbell, Chelton Albany, has received the following letter from France, March 23, 1916. Dear Miss Campbell: We do not have many in acknowledgement of a small note found in a pair of socks, written June 30th 1915.

FOSTER MOTHERING LITTER OF FOXES

An unusual occurrence in the history of the fox industry has taken place at Rosebank Fur Farms, Ltd. Dr. Leo Frank, felt somewhat worried over a valuable fox in the ranch of his company on account of her queer antics at the time that she was about to deliver her pups. After a consultation with the keeper and ranch manager, Mr. W. B. Purdie, it was decided to have a relay of watchers in order to ascertain when she would have her young and immediately take the young away from her. Yesterday morning Dr. Frank was called on the phone and was informed that she had already delivered her pups and was shut in her den, and wanted further advice before proceeding any further.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE, TIDE MOON ETC.

The tide will be high this morning at 11.56 tomorrow at 12.46 and Monday at 1.39; it rises tomorrow morning at 1.46, Monday at 2.40 and Tuesday at 3.33. The sun sets this evening at 7.31 tomorrow at 7.33 and Monday at 7.34; it rises tomorrow morning at 4.20, Monday at 4.19 and Tuesday at 4.18. The moon rises tonight at 11.25 and tomorrow at 12. There was a full moon on Wednesday, May 17th at 10.11 a. m. The last quarter of the moon will be on Wednesday, May 24th, at 11.6 a. m. The length of today will be fifteen hours and ten minutes and tomorrow fifteen hours and fourteen minutes.

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