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## ALLIED SUCCESSES IN THE KAMERUNS

### French and British Forces Surprised and Captured City of Tibate, Southwest Africa. Sultan and People Welcomed the Conquerors who Saved Them from German Rule.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
PARIS, Nov. 22.—Official information is contained in an announcement today of the capture by French and British forces of the city of Tibate, in the German colony of Kamerun, West Africa, as the result of a surprise attack. The statement follows: "The French column operating in Kamerun, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Brizet, surprised the German forces. On November 3, the Germans who were entrenched on heights in the region of Tibate were defeated and retreated in great disorder. The Germans were expecting an attack from the North, whereas the French, by a rapid detour, made the attack from the South. On the next day a British column joined the French in the occupation of Tibate, the great native city whose Sultan and population welcomed the Franco-British forces for saving them from oppressive German rule. There has been a renewal of activity on the part of forces operating against the Germans in Kamerun. Difficulties have been encountered during the wet season though the Germans are being hemmed in on all sides."

### \$17,000,000 TO CANADIAN WAR LOAN SUBSCRIBED WITHIN ONE HOUR

(Special to The Guardian.)  
MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—Within an hour of the official advertisement of Canada's \$50,000,000 war loan, banks and financial and business houses in Montreal announced subscriptions to it totalling over \$17,000,000. Brokerage houses stated that enquiries from American buyers were most brisk. Subscriptions included the following: Bank of Montreal, \$9,554,000; Royal Bank, \$2,650,000; Merchants, \$1,600,000; Union Bank, \$1,500,000; Hochelaga Bank, \$915,000; Banque Provinciale, \$250,000; Sun Life, \$1,500,000; Winnipeg Life, \$1,000,000; Imperial Oil Co., \$1,000,000; City of Ottawa, \$500,000; Oglivie Flour Mills, \$100,000; Montreal City and District Bank, \$1,000,000.

## THOUSANDS DEAD AND WOUNDED BETWEEN AUSTRIAN AND ITALIAN LINES

(Special to The Guardian.)  
GENEVA, Switzerland, Nov. 22.—The unbridled fury of the battle for possession of Gorizia and the heavy loss of life occasioned thereby is emphasized by advices received at the Swiss front, a telegram from Larbach, Austria, saying that thousands of dead or wounded are lying between the Austrian and Italian lines having fallen in endless succession. With attacks and counter-attacks the battle proceeds without rest for the exhausted soldiers. Red Cross workers are overwhelmed by the great number of wounded.

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## BALKAN SITUATION IMPROVING GREEK PROBLEM NEAR SOLUTION

### Greek Cabinet Disposed to Accept Conditions Demanded by Entente Powers Except that Requiring Participation in War. Blockade Continues Pending Definite Assurances. Serbians have won Victory over Bulgarians Arresting Latter's March on Monastir. Roumania Being Pressed Hard for Definite Stand by Entente and Central Powers.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
LONDON, Nov. 22.—No definite news has been received here of Greece's reply to Entente Allies' demand for guarantees for the safety of the Anglo-French troops landing at Saloniki or for that of the Serbians who might be forced over the Greek frontier. One despatch from Athens, however, says the Greek Cabinet is disposed to accept the conditions laid down by the Entente Powers except that condition requiring Greece to participate in the war and that the solution of the whole difficulty may be expected immediately. "Meanwhile the blockade of Greek commerce has continued, it is reported, is participating in the measures of restraint decided upon. This with the news that the Serbians have won a victory over the Bulgarians north-east of Pristina and that the Bulgarians have delayed their march on Monastir and that the Austro-Germans are labouring under difficulties as a result of winter weather, has created a more hopeful feeling in the capital of the Entente Allies. British and French forces are daily being strengthened by men and guns landed at Saloniki and part of the reinforcements are being sent to Monastir, where the Serbians are also reported to be concentrating and threatening the Bulgarians at Prilep.

Roumania finds herself in much the same position as Greece with both the Entente Allies and the Central Powers bringing pressure to bear upon her. The Germans, it is said, are asking Roumania to give assurances of her continued neutrality and also offering her concessions if she intervenes in the war on the side of the Teutonic Allies. With a big Russian army in Bessarabia, however (it is believed in military circles here) it is hardly likely that Roumania will accept the second alternative. On the whole it is expected here that the firm attitude of the Entente Powers towards Greece will clear the Balkan situation before long. There is little news of importance from any other front.

The Italians by a continued offensive are strengthening their positions around Gorizia, which it is believed cannot hold out much longer. On the western front British and French artillery has become more active in Flanders and Champagne, which on previous occasions has been the signal for offensive movements.

The Russians, since they regained the ground lost along the Styry River, have been inactive except for minor attacks in the Dvinsk region. A Petrograd correspondent, however, predicts that more important events are pending. Another flotilla of British submarines is reported to have arrived in the Baltic.

## RECRUITING MEETING IN SUMMEBSIDE

The recruiting meeting held in Union Hall, Summerside, last evening was largely attended, the hall being filled to the door. Mayor Saunders presided. The first speaker was Lieut. Ritchie, of Halifax, chief recruiting officer of the Maritime Provinces. Lieut. Ritchie is an eloquent and forceful speaker. He emphasized very strongly the necessity of men responding to the call that is now resounding throughout the Empire. He stated that Germany's principal object in this war was one which, if victorious, would mean the absorption of Canada as well as other British possessions by her. Her main object was to secure more colonies in order that her people might spread over the world. The colony of all others that she had her eye upon was Canada. He made a very earnest appeal to the young men of Summerside and vicinity who were in a position to enrol themselves among the soldiers now serving in the cause of their country.

Lieut. Col. Beer was the next speaker. He gave a vivid description of his work from the time the first contingent left Valparaiso in October 1914, until he left to return to Canada. He pictured life in the different training camps, in the trenches and the engagements in which he took part, and mentioned particularly Festubert, Givenchy and Ypres. He told of the desolation wrought in Belgium, and the inhuman cruelties practised by the Germans on the people whom they conquered. In conclusion he emphasized the need of men and more men to fight in the trenches to the men at home to come to their aid at the earliest possible moment.

The Rev. C. de Wolfe White followed. He pictured in eloquent language the rapidity with which the Germans had spread themselves over the different battlefronts, the magnificent organization which they carried out in their undertakings, and although he had no doubt of the ultimate result, he realized as all others must that the quicker the war was over the better it would be for the British Empire. He also made an earnest appeal to all those who were able to take up arms to do so now.

Judge Stewart followed, and in a brief address gave a review of the causes which led to the war, and contrasted the conditions and liberties enjoyed under the British flag with the tyranny of Germany. He maintained that the spirit of liberty inherent in all who had lived under British rule would ultimately prevail. At the conclusion of his address Colonel Beer again made an earnest call for recruits, to which five responded, viz., Neil Durrant, Fenton Arbib, William Daley, Charles Dunn and William McFinnis.—C.

## SHOT DEAD AT NARROWS, QUEENS CO.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 20.—The Gleaner says: Otty M. Thorne, deserter from the 26th Battalion and now held in connection with the death of Stanley Akerley, who was found shot dead near his home at the Narrows, Queens County, was brought to Gaagetown on Thursday afternoon from St. John on the steamer Victoria. Thorne was out with a rifle on the evening the fatal shooting occurred and owing to certain remarks made prior to leaving his home he was arrested on a charge of manslaughter. Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, Attorney-General, has instructed John R. Dunn, Clerk of the Peace for Queens County, to be present at the preliminary hearing, which will take place before Magistrate Coes. The coroner's inquest will be continued on Monday night.

## GEN. FRENCH CONFIRMS HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES

(Special to The Guardian.)  
LONDON, Nov. 22.—Field Marshal Sir John French in a report from the front, issued to-night, describes briefly the organized bombardment by British artillery of the German lines and refers again to the fighting in October around Loos. Of the German counter-attack on October 8, Field Marshal French had previously reported that the German losses were very heavy, "some 8,000 or 9,000 dead being left in front of the British and French trenches." In denying this the German official statement sent out on Sunday, Nov. 21st said, "This was a pure invention, as the number of dead and missing including those who died of wounds, was only 765." Field Marshal French in his latest report declares that the German communication refers to only a small portion of the battlefield, and reiterates that all information confirms his original estimate.

## British Forces Have Reached City of Monastir

GENEVA, Nov. 22.—Press despatches from Bucharest say that British forces have arrived at the Serbian city of Monastir, and are being reinforced.

A telegram from Constantinople by way of Bucharest says the first contingent of German troops has reached that city, and that Field Marshal von Mackensen is expected there next week.

## Another British Steamer Sunk

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The British steamship Hallamshire, 4,420 tons gross and the Merganser, 1,905 tons, have been sunk. Their crews were saved.

The British steamship Salsette, from London for Bombay, is ashore south of Rasabu Borez, in the Gulf of Suez. She is signalled for immediate assistance.

The Hallamshire, 335 feet long, was built and owned in Glasgow. She was last reported as having sailed on Oct. 19 from East Ham, England, for Barry, Wales. The Merganser was 290 feet long and was owned in Cork.

## WAR ZONE AROUND GREECE

SALONIKI, Nov. 21, via Paris, Nov. 22.—It is rumoured here that the Entente Allies have decided to carry out the commercial blockade to the extent of establishing a war zone around Greece and cutting off all supplies. Greek action will be taken. The Associated Press has learned, however, that the French authorities unofficially made the strongest representations to the throne respecting the necessity that Greece give assurances of more active co-operation with the Allies.

Denis Cochin, French minister without portfolio, who has been conferring with Greek officials, has gone to the front.

## VOLCANO STROMBOLI IS SPOUTING LAVA

PALERMO, Nov. 21, via Paris, Nov. 22.—The eruption of Stromboli volcano is assuming serious proportions and the population of the island is fleeing to places of safety. The sides of the volcano are cracking and streams of lava are visible at a distance of forty miles.

## Italy to Declare War on Germany

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The Berne correspondent of the Central News telegraphs that diplomats understand that an Italian declaration of war on Germany is only a matter of hours.

## MODIFIED EYE TEST FOR RECRUITS

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—The Militia Department is preparing a modified eye test for recruits which will not be so stringent as that now in use. The test now is the same as that used for the South African war, where much of the keen eyesight for the fighting in such keen eyesight for the fighting in France and the test has been made much less difficult in England for this war because the range of rifle shooting is comparatively short.

## Bantam Battalion From British Columbia

OTTAWA, Nov. 22.—An offer of a bantam battalion—that is, a battalion of men under the regulation height of five feet four inches—has been accepted by General Hughes. It will come from British Columbia.

## HEAVY FIGHTING AT GALLIPOLI

### British Aviators Successfully Bombed Bulgarian Junction Station, Interrupting Bulgarian Communication. Aviator's Close Call and Heroic Rescue by Companion.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
LONDON, Nov. 22.—The following official report from the British Headquarters at the Dardanelles was received today: "Two British aeroplanes successfully attacked the railway station at Ferejik, near Enos, on Nov. 19. One machine was unfortunately brought down by the enemy's fire, but the pilot made a good landing safely in the marshes on the opposite side of the river, where he burned his machine. Meanwhile the pilot of the second aeroplane, who was alone, seeing his friend's mishap, landed beside him and succeeded in bringing him away just in time to escape capture by the enemy, who were running toward him. At Russels Top, in the Anzac zone on the western side of Gallipoli Peninsula, where the Turks recently fired a mine, we succeeded in occupying on November 20 part of the enemy's underground workings. A fight occurred underground, in which two Turks were shot by an officer and several others killed by bombs.

Ferejik is in southern Bulgaria, near the Turkish border, across the Gulf of Saros from Gallipoli Peninsula. It marks the junction of the Adrianople-Dedeaghat and Dedeaghat-Day-Saloniki railroads. The attack was apparently made by aviators from the Peninsula to interrupt the communications of the Bulgarians.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 22.—Violent fighting in the vicinity of Zeddul-Bahr on the tip of the Gallipoli Peninsula is reported by the War Office today. The statement follows: "Artillery duels are in progress on the Dardanelles front. Violent fighting with bombs is taking place near Zeddul-Bahr."

## KITCHENER GIVEN GREAT OVATION ON ARRIVAL AT GREEK CAPITAL

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The London correspondent of the New York Herald cables this morning: Despatches from Athens report that Lord Kitchener had more than an interview with King Constantine a brief time with Mr. Skouliotis, the Prime Minister, and coincidentally with the fatal call of Britain's war Secretary on the King, the newspapers of Athens published extras containing the communique issued by the British legation declaring, in the name of the King, an economic and commercial blockade of Greece. The announcement caused a panic in all circles, as it recognized the hour for Greece has struck.

Her King must now declare for the Central Empire, give to the Allies a satisfactory guarantee of neutrality, or immediate action, prove that he is willing to submit to the masses of the great majority of the Hellenic people by honoring the treaty with Serbia, and ranging his army and navy on the side of the entente, thus making for a greater Greece.

The Greek Cabinet, forewarned of the vigorous policy to be initiated by the quadruple entente, was in continuous session, from nine o'clock on Friday night, till three o'clock on Saturday morning, and information that it was unable to agree upon any definite course, was followed by the manifesto of the entente powers.

Only one member of the Cabinet, said to be Mr. Goumaris, the man whose threats to disarm the Serbians and Franco-British forces, led to the Allies' warning, that Greece must intervene in behalf of Serbia, or demobilize, favored casting to the lot of the nation with the central empires.

The King and the other ministers insisted on maintaining the policy of benevolent neutrality, but they would not agree to give the definite guarantees demanded by the representative of the four great powers.

An immense crowd that witnessed the arrival of Lord Kitchener at the Palace, cheered Britain's war secretary as heartily as it did Mr. Denys Cochin, Minister of France, thus evidencing that the heart of the Greek people is with the Allies.

Despite the pessimistic tone of the British newspapers, there still is hope that the King will go with the Allies against the central empires. It will be immediately recalled. Whatever the outcome is to be, and we shall not have long to wait, the great Franco-British fleet is where it can strike hard and protect the Allies' troops in Serbia from Greek treachery.

Of the British and French troops no news has been received.

## London Papers Approve Blockade

NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 22.—A cable from London this morning to the Herald says: "The economic and commercial blockade of Greece is heartily endorsed by all the newspapers this morning, this vigorous action being defended on the ground that the suppression of the constitution by the King in defiance of the will of the Hellenic people, and the sinister threats of Mr. Goumaris and other pro-German ministers, that the Serbians and Franco-British forces would be disarmed and interned, if they were forced to retreat into Greek territory, warrant not only the blockade, but even more drastic measures to prove to King Constantine that his treachery would mean the end of his reign."

This is the attitude of the conservative "Daily Telegraph," which says: "The Allies mean to have their way and that, to rescue gallant Serbia, and safeguard the lives of the French and British soldiers who are fighting where Greece, honoring her treaty, should have shown an embattled front, they will use all legitimate means to secure the objects at which they aim."

"The sooner the pro-German party in Athens realizes the Allies' inflexible determination, the better it will be for the Kaiser's brother-in-law and the Hellenic Kingdom."

These are also the views of other newspapers such as the Daily Chronicle, the Daily News and the Times.

## TO QUARTER SOLDIERS IN SUMMEBSIDE

Lieut.-Colonel Dean and Captain Jago, of the 6th Division, Halifax, have been in Summerside for the past few days looking over the situation with a view to quartering a number of recruits in town during the winter. At representative meeting of the citizens held in the Council Chamber yesterday afternoon, at which Mayor Saunders presided, these officers outlined their scheme. The buildings which they had inspected, and which they decided could be used for this work were the Agricultural Hall, including "Happyland Theatre" (which Mr. Gaudet, Manager, generously offered to vacate if required), the West-end school, offered by the School Trustees, and the large warehouse and hall (Montgomery's Hall) which Messrs. Braes, McKay & Co., Ltd., have also generously offered and have agreed to remove without cost to the department all their goods now stored there. The officers expressed themselves as much pleased with conditions in Summerside. If their report is approved by the Militia Department, it will mean a big thing for Summerside during the coming winter.—C.

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