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## ITALIANS CLEARING UP THE BATTLEFIELD

### Gathered in Several hundred additional Prisoners and Immense quantities of Arms and Material. All guns captured by Austrians have been Recovered

(Special to the Guardian)  
PARIS, June 27.—The Italians continue to clear up the Piave battlefield. An official despatch from Rome states that a few hundred additional prisoners have been secured in the process, and that all the Italian artillery, arms and material captured by the Austrians have been recaptured. It is added that only after statistical work will it be possible to give a statement as to the enormous quantity of

Austrian arms and material taken by the Italians.  
(Special to the Guardian)  
GENEVA, June 27.—The Austrian defeat has caused depression in Vienna, according to a Basle despatch to La Suisse. Crowds paraded the streets in angry demonstrations in Prague. The despatch said 50,000 people marched through the streets demanding peace. They were dispersed by the police.

## CERMANS WANT CASPIAN OIL WELLS

### Will probably march on Baku, centre of World's richest Oil Fields and will disposes the Armenians.

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—The German expeditionary force which has occupied Poti, the rival of Batum as a Transcaucasian oil shipping port, is almost certain after reinforcements arrive to head for Baku on the Caspian where the oil wells are located. The Baku oil field is one of the richest in the world. The Germans have undoubtedly persuaded themselves that the

Turks would not know what to do with them if they did occupy Baku. They propose to add Baku and Poti and the railway between the two ports that carry these oils. They are sworn enemies of the Armenians and if Germany occupies the city it will be no place for an Armenian to live. The remainder of the race would be forced to trek north into the barren uplands of the Caucasian range.

## LEAGUE OF NATIONS ABLY DISCUSSED

### Viscount Grey Enunciates Principles Upon Which An Effective League of Nations Must be Based.

LONDON, June 26.—(British Admiralty Press)—The League of Nations, the widest interest will be evidenced in a pamphlet on "The League of Nations," written by Viscount Grey of Fallodon, who was Secretary of Foreign Affairs in the Cabinet of Herbert H. Asquith at the beginning of the European war. "There is more at stake in the war than the existence of individual States or Empires or the fate of a continent," says Viscount Grey. The whole of modern civilization is at stake and whether it will perish and be submerged, as has happened to previous civilization of older types, or whether it will live and progress depends upon whether the nations engaged in this war, and even those that are onlookers, learn the lessons that the experience of the war may teach them.

executive head of the United States and is or will be found present as regards the Entente Governments, while Austria has publicly shown a disposition to accept the proposal and probably may really welcome it as a safeguard for the future, not only against bold enemies but against Prussian domination. As long, however, as military rule in Germany continues Germany will oppose a League of Nations, he says.

"Nothing will change this," Viscount Grey continues, "except conviction in the German people that the use of force causes at least as much suffering to themselves as to others, and that security based upon law and treaty and a sense of mutual advantage is better than the risks, dangers and suffering and the exerting of supreme power and efforts to obtain it. And this conviction must so work upon them as to displace the military party and their policy and ideals from power in Germany."

### FORCE DOES NOT PAY

"Germany has to be convinced that force does not pay, that the aims and policy of her military rulers inflict intolerable and also unnecessary suffering upon her, and that when the world is freed from the menace of these military rulers with their sharp words, shining armour and mailed fists, Germany will find peaceful development assured, and preferable to expansion by war, and will realize that the condition of true security for one nation is absence of security on the part of all nations.

The second condition, says Viscount Grey is that the German Government and not the people of States willing to favor it must understand clearly that it will impose some limitations upon the national action of each and may entail some inconvenient obligations. The smaller and weaker nations will have rights that must be respected and upheld by the League. The stronger nations must forego the right to make their interests prevail against the weaker by force and all the States must forego the right in any dispute to resort to force before other methods of settlement by conference, conciliation, or, if need be, by arbitration have been tried. This is the limitation. Force, the writer insists, must be brought to bear upon States that refuse to settle their disputes by arbitrary power.

### (Special to the Guardian)

Paris, June 27.—President Poincaré today signed a decree declaring the exact conditions in Russia which include Paris within the army zone.

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—Kerensky's mission in England, and the purpose of his visit to America, is to inform the people of the two countries, especially the influential Russians, of the exact conditions in Russia with a view to procuring Allied aid for that country. N. Nibokoff, Charge d'Affaires of the Russian Embassy in London told the Associated Press today.

## AMAZING STORIES BY GERMAN PRISONERS

### Believed New York Captured by Germans who are now Marching on Philadelphia, and German Submarines Sunk Numerous Ships in Long Island Sound.

(Special to the Guardian)

LONDON, June 27.—The extraordinary stories about the destruction of London by Zeppelins and the isolation of the British Isles, that were current among the Germans at the front during the early part of the war find their counterpart now in tall tales about the invasion of the United States.

On Tuesday night, and in the course of their advance, the Americans captured 250 of the enemy, including several officers. One of the officers "gave away" the operations of the "Cheer Up" branch of the German army. He informed his captors that the German commanders have been telling

the soldiers that a German army has landed in America, and having captured New York is now marching on Philadelphia. Another story is that German submarines have sunk forty or fifty ships in Long Island Sound.

The American Intelligence Department will probably counteract the "Cheer Up" work of the German commanders by dropping over the enemy's billeting areas leaflets in German, conveying the information that there are almost a million American fighting men in France, another million in training depots and camps on this side of the Atlantic, and a third million of men waiting to take their places when they go forward.

## LORD FRENCH ON IRISH CONSCRIPTION

### No Intention of Abandoning Conscription in Ireland says Lord Lieutenant. Act will be Carried out Unflinchingly Without Fear or Favor in Face of all Opposition.

(Special to the Guardian)

LONDON, June 27.—The Government's intentions regarding conscription in Ireland were stated by Lord French, the Lord Lieutenant, at a luncheon given in his honor by the Lord Mayor of Belfast today. He said: "I must state plainly and emphatically that the government of Ireland will carry out its duty in this respect unflinchingly without fear or favor, and in the face of whatever opposition, whether of criticism, whether or actual force, that may most unfortunately or inadvisedly be at-

tempted. I do not wish to sail under false colors or create false impressions. You may take it direct from me that when my program was framed there was no thought of abandoning the possibility of conscription, nor was any such idea intended to be conveyed. Fifty thousand men and a moderate monthly quota could easily be obtained, and would be obtained, if the recruiting campaign was not wrecked by hostile action or sullen apathy. If compulsion has to be resorted to the number could, of course, be regulated by population as was the rule in other parts of the Empire."

## RECONSTRUCTION OF CANADIAN CABINET

### Again Discussed at Ottawa and Probable Personnel Hinted At.

(Special to the Guardian)

OTTAWA, June 27.—With the arrival of the dog days, there is revival in Ottawa of gossip in regard to Cabinet reconstruction. This is certain to take place upon the return of the Premier from England. He is expected early in August. When the Government was formed, there were 23 cabinet ministers. Of these, there were 13 Conservative Unionists and nine Liberal Unionists with one Labor representative in Senator G. Robertson. Since then the portfolio of Inland Revenue, held by Hon. Albert Seigneyne, has been abolished, so that the standing now is 12 Conservatives, 9 Liberals, and one Labor.

Sir Robert promised, when Union Government was formed, that later

the cabinet would be reorganized on a fifty-fifty basis. It has been taken for granted that this would be accomplished by increasing the number of Liberals. However it looks as if it would be achieved by eliminating Conservatives. Mr. Seigneyne is already out, and if Hon. Frank Cochrane becomes head of the Government Railway Commission, as seems likely, the number of Conservatives in the cabinet will be reduced to 11. Hon. Pierre Blondin, who is returning to Ottawa from overseas has no seat in parliament. He cannot continue to be Minister of Forestry. If he retires and he is succeeded by a Liberal, this would make 10 Conservatives and 9 Liberals, giving Sir Robert as Prime Minister, the extra vote.

## KING AND QUEEN AT AMERICAN Y. M.

### For First Time Ate Buckwheat Bakes Hot From the Griddle and Covered With Real Maple Syrup. They Enjoyed Their Meal.

(Special to the Guardian)

LONDON, June 27.—King George and Queen Mary tasted American buckwheat cakes for the first time yesterday, at the Eagle Hut of the American Y.M.C.A. The visit was a surprise one at the King's own suggestion. Late in the afternoon the secretary at the Eagle Hut received a telephone call. The official at the other end of the line said in a matter-of-fact tone: "The King and Queen desire to call at the Eagle Hut, and will be there in a few minutes." The King and Queen sat down at an oil-cloth covered table beside a group of khaki clad American aviators and a couple of blue jackets from an American battleship. They each ate a plate of buckwheat cakes hot from the griddle with a generous covering of genuine maple syrup. Both finished their portions, politely refusing a second helping, but declared themselves unanimously in favor of the adoption of the buckwheat cakes in the British naval menu.

## PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE NOW PRIVY COUNCILLOR

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—Premier Lloyd George was today sworn as a member of the Privy-council at Buckingham Palace.

## INFLUENZA NOW AMONG THE GERMANS

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—Influenza is now an epidemic along the German front, according to reports received here from the Dutch frontier. The prevalence of this ailment is said to be hampering the preparations for offensive operations.

## I. B. S. A. PASTOR GIVEN TEN DAYS JAIL

(Special to the Guardian)  
TORONTO, June 27.—Adherents of the International Bible Students Association crowded the police court yesterday morning, when Ernest Spaulding, one of their number who claimed to be a pastor of the organization, was charged with failing to report or claim exemption under the Military Service Act. Spaulding said he had been engaged in pastoral work for about eleven years, and claimed that it was not necessary for him to register under the Act. Magistrate Denison, however, thought different and on the authority of Mr. Justice Duff convicted and sentenced him to ten days in jail.

## MURDER OF EX-CZAR OF RUSSIA CONFIRMED

(Special to The Guardian)  
GENEVA, June 27.—The Ukrainian Bureau at Lusanna announced today it had confirmation of the report that the Bolshevik authority at Yekaterinburg condemned Nicholas Romanoff, the former Emperor, to death after a short trial and then shot him.

## SIR ROBERT BORDEN RECEIVES VISITORS

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—Sir Robert Borden's visitors today included Lord Bryce and General Sir Sam Steele. The Canadian Premier conferred with the foreign secretary and met Generals Harrington and Redcliffe in the afternoon. He had an interview with Dr. J. W. Robertson who has just arrived from Canada.

(Special to The Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—Premier Borden, besides attending the war cabinet when a photograph of all the ministers was taken in the garden of Downing Street, went to the House of Commons and heard the Irish debate.

## CANADIANS WILL CELEBRATE JULY 1

(Special to The Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—The Canadians in France will celebrate Dominion Day in great style. Arrangements on a very lavish scale are being made.

## POSSIBLE AGREEMENT RE EXCHANGE PRISONERS

(Special to The Guardian)  
THE HAGUE, June 27.—It is learned from an authoritative source that indications point to the reaching of an agreement by the Anglo-German conference on exchange of prisoners. The conference has suspended its sittings for a few days to enable the delegates to communicate with their respective governments.

## PROHIBITION IN STATE OF TEXAS

(Special to the Guardian)  
AUSTIN, Texas, June 27.—The statewide statutory prohibition law went into effect in Texas at 10.30 o'clock tonight. It brought about the closing of saloons in scores of "wet" spots most of them being situated just outside the ten-mile zone that surrounds all the larger cities and a number of smaller towns where army camps, aviation landing fields and shipbuilding yards are located. The zone law which made these places dry went into effect on March 2.

## FURTHER CONSERVATION OF WHITE FLOUR

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, June 27.—Compulsory use by bakers, confectioners, public eating places and private householders of substitute for white flour are prescribed in an order issued today by the Canada Food Board.

## GRAND DUKE MICHAEL HEADS SIBERIAN GOVT.

(Special to The Guardian)  
AMSTERDAM, June 27.—Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, a younger brother of the former Emperor Nicholas, is reported in a despatch from Moscow received here today by way of Berlin, to have placed himself at the head of the Siberian Government, and to have issued a manifesto to the Russian people.

## SUGAR RESTRICTIONS IN UNITED STATES

(Special to the Guardian)  
WASHINGTON, June 27.—The restriction of the Americans to one and a half ounces of sugar a day for each individual during the next six months was ordered today by Food Controller Herbert C. Hoover. The amount is about one teaspoonful at each meal. A shortage in the sugar crop in this country, together with the absence of merchant vessels to import hundreds of thousands of tons of sugar from the Philippine Islands, Java and other sugar-producing countries, is mentioned as the reason for the curtailment.

## TWO CANADIAN STEAMERS SUNK

### Only few Miles off British Coast Only One of Crew of Sixty was Saved, Sinking of Ship a Mystery.

(Special to the Guardian)  
AN ATLANTIC PORT, June 27.—The Canadian Pacific steamships Pomeranian and Medora have been submerged, according to information brought here today by the captain of a vessel arriving from England. The sinkings occurred only a few miles west of the British Isles. The two ships were bound for American ports. The mariner says the destination of the Pomeranian is a mystery in British shipping circles. Only the second engineer of a crew of sixty was saved, he declared. He asserted that no trace ever was found of the other members of the crew after the vessel, following a muffled explosion in the

hold, settled in shallow water. The engineer climbed into the rigging after the ship righted herself on the bottom, and was picked up by a patrol boat. The crew of the Medora took to the boats when their ship was torpedoed. The U-boat commander is said to have made the captain, wireless operator and chief gunner prisoners.

### SUBMARINES OFF CAPE RACE

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Shipping operating in the area east of longitude 40 between the latitude of Cape Race and Bermuda has been warned of enemy activity in these waters.

## ALLIES CONTINUING SUCCESSFUL RAIDS

### Next German move probably awaits misty weather to enable them to make Surprise Attack.

(Special to the Guardian)

LONDON, June 27.—British and French continue their nightly raids all along the front from near Ypres to the region east of Rheims. These raids afford evidence not only of vigilance in checking up the number and identity of the enemy troops in the trenches, but of the fact that the Germans have not yet disclosed the direction from which the next great assault is to be launched. Had aerial scouting located the enemy's masses near the front on any particular sector there would be no need for so many exploratory raids on the enemy trenches.

The German move may be waiting upon a spell of wet weather with the inevitable mist that rises from wet ground and in the river valleys when warm weather quickly follows rain. If the element of surprise cannot be brought to the aid of the enemy, Hindenburg may not be keen to put fortune to the test, for if he makes another great attack and fails to secure that decisive result which he set out in March to secure he will be forced to return to defensive warfare to prevent the utter exhaustion of his reserves. That would be a confession of failure which would almost inevitably be followed by his retirement in disgrace, as von Moltke retired after Verdun.

### SAMPLING THE GERMAN TRENCHES

(Special to the Guardian)  
WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 27.—British raiders are still tapping the German lines between Flanders and the Somme sampling the garrisons new to the battlefield in order to test their strength and the state of concentration in the camps behind them. In one of the battles today 21 men with an officer and 10 machine guns were brought in from the enemy lines southwest of Arras and from the upper side of the river Scarpe. Six prisoners were brought back by a raiding party.

Heavy bombardments varying in length are being laid on the British trenches at odd hours. Some of them are in the nature of rehearsal barrages but the German infantry is keeping quietly in its own trenches.

### GERMAN EXCHANGE WEAKENS

(Special to The Guardian)  
PARIS, June 27.—A despatch from Geneva says that exchange on Berlin and Vienna weakened on the receipt of the secretary's speech. The mark fell 260 points and the crown 150. Allied exchange continued firm.

## GERMANY SUPPLIED FROM UKRAINE

(Special to the Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—Germany is beginning to receive considerable quantities of food from the Ukraine. One train of fifteen trucks loaded with bacon, grain and sugar, has arrived at Breslau. Energetic efforts are being made by the Ukraine authorities to increase the food shipments of all sorts, to Germany.

### NO PEACE IN GERMAN POLICY

(Special to The Guardian)  
LONDON, June 27.—The Times contends that the speech made by Dr. Kuehlmann is a bold profession of the policy of militarism, without the faintest trace of doubt or repentance. The war will certainly last as long as Germany supports such a policy. The speech was even more remarkable for the commissions in it than what it contained.

### CONDENSED SPECIALS

FOUND PAIR OF GOLD RIMMED glasses some few days ago. Owner may have same by calling at Guardian Office and paying for adv. 9635-2-28Mtr.

TEACHER WANTED FOR PORT Hill school, District No. 4, Prince County; a first or second class teacher; supplement \$75.00. Apply to Archie Ellis, Secretary Trustees, Port Hill. 9145-6-28M41

WANTED, TEACHER FOR MILburn school, No. 105, Supplement \$50.00. Mid-summer vacation. B. L. Campbell, Secretary O'Leary, R. 2. 9136-6-28M31pd

WANTED ONE SECOND CLASS, male teacher for Cape Egmont School, No. 60. Supplement \$80. Mid-summer vacation. Apply to Napoleon Arsenault, Secretary. 9156-6-28M51.

TEACHER WANTED FIRST OR second class for Sea View school, Supplement \$80. Edwin Murphy, Secretary. 9154-6-28M6pd.

TEACHER WANTED AT ONCE FOR Glen Valley School, No. 163. Supplement \$50. Apply Hugh Nicholson, Secretary. 9153-6-28M21.

TEACHER WANTED FOR BIG RUN School, Supplement \$80. Spring and fall vacations. Freeman Robertson, Secretary, Point Poplar. 9151-6-28M6pd

WANTED TEACHER FOR BRACKley Point, First or Second class, supplement \$75. Apply C. H. Shaw, Secretary. 9158-6-28M31.

TO DAIRYMEN—SANITARY BUTter paper, printed, "Fresh Dairy Butter"—35c per 100. Per post 40c. Guardian Office. 9025-6-24M6tr.

BERGER'S PURE PARIS GREEN at MacKie & Nelson's 9088-6-26M31.

CASH OR GROCERIES IN EXCHANGE for your eggs at MacKie & Nelson's. 9088-6-26M31.

MACKIE & NELSON ARE SELLING oats at \$1.00 to \$1.05 per bushel and P. E. Island timothy hay at \$1.00 per hundred. 9088-6-26M31.

WANTED, GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. No washing. Apply at Guardian Office. 60735-7Mtr

TO LET—CENTRALLY LOCATED a bright, front bedroom in private family. Apply at Guardian Office. 6084-6-27Mtr.

WANTED — TO RENT OR PURCHASE, a small house and barn. Centrally located preferred. Apply M. c. o. Guardian Office. 8046-6-12Mtr

LARGE BRICK HOUSE AND SHOP on Dorchester St., one door from Queen St., is offered for sale. The house suitable for boarding or apartment house. Shop can be used as a grocery or feed store. Also a stable in connection. Apply on premises 75 Dorchester St. 9088-6-26M31.

LOST IN THIS CITY A RED CROSS pin. Finder please leave at Guardian Office. 9056-6-25M31.

TEACHER WANTED FOR WARREN Grove School first or second class, Supplement \$50. Apply Walter Scott, North River. 9149-6-28M31.

## THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, June 28.—Moderate to fresh easterly winds, fair and cool. The tide will be high this afternoon at 1.52 and tomorrow 2.44; it will be high tomorrow morning at 3.17 and Sunday at 3.55. The sun sets this evening and tomorrow at 9.04; it rises tomorrow morning and Sunday at 5.38. The moon rises tonight at 11.36. The moon was full on Monday, June 24th at 5.38 a. m. The last quarter of the moon will be on Monday, July 1st at 4.43 a. m. The length of today will be fifteen hours and twenty nine minutes.