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PATRIOTIC SUNDAY IN THE CITY CHURCHES

The King's Appeal for Men and More Men Emphasized from City Pulpits in Eloquent and Forceful Sermons to Large Congregations.

Continued At Grace Methodist Church the Rev. J. W. McConnell, B. A., preached sermons morning and evening full of earnestness and trenchant power. Speaking of his previous pastor...

Never in the history of all the nations of the world had there been anything to equal what they were privileged to look upon in that respect. This was one of the outstanding wonders of the world—black men, red men, brown men, white men...

He believed in his soul that British freedom and British liberty had made freedom and liberty a better thing in every other nation under God's skies. This was the secret of the marvellous unity of spirit that emanated from the people of this vast Empire.

He would speak also of the protection that was thrown around the people of Britain. Let them think of the marvellous things that came from that little patch out there in the midst of the great seas.

In striking language Mr. McConnell appealed to his hearers "Would we be content to be ruled by men who crucified Canadian boys, to be ruled by men who had cut off the hands of little children, who had degraded women and children—to submit to all this savagery and barbarism that had passed under the name of culture."

Speaking of the United States, Mr. McConnell said that the women of the great republic had made this memorable assertion, "If the men of America failed us at this crisis and refuse to supply ammunition to the Allies, there are 500,000 women in New England who will work in their places and answer them immediately. The women of America would respond to the call of humanity as the women of England and France have done."

THE KING APPEALS TO THE EMPIRE FOR MORE MEN

The King's Message Received Yesterday by Lieutenant Governor MacDonald is a Direct Appeal to the Manhood of Prince Edward Island.

His Honour the Lieut.-Governor last night received the following personal message by cable from His Majesty King George through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the Rt. Hon. A. Bonar Law:—

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, LONDON, OCT. 25. TO MY PEOPLE: AT THIS GRAVE MOMENT IN THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN MY PEOPLE AND A HIGHLY ORGANISED ENEMY WHO HAS TRANSGRESSED THE LAWS OF NATIONS AND CHANGED THE ORDINANCE

THAT BINDS CIVILISED EUROPE TOGETHER I ASK YOU TO REJOICE IN MY EMPIRE'S EFFORT, AND I FEEL PRIDE IN THE VOLUNTARY RESPONSE FROM MY SUBJECTS ALL OVER THE WORLD WHO HAVE SACRIFICED HOME, FORTUNE AND LIFE ITSELF IN ORDER THAT ANOTHER MAY NOT INHERIT THE FREE EMPIRE WHICH THEIR ANCESTORS AND MINE HAVE BUILT.

VICTORY AND ENDURING PEACE. IN ANCIENT DAYS THE DARKEST MOMENT HAS EVER PRODUCED IN MEN OF OUR RACE THE STERNEST RESOLVE. I ASK YOU MEN OF ALL CLASSES TO COME FORWARD VOLUNTARILY AND TAKE YOUR SHARE IN THE FIGHT.

THE SITUATION IN SERBIA IS DAILY BRIGHTENING

French Troops have Joined Hands with the Serbians Placing the Bulgarians in a Critical Position. Antente Allies are Rushing Troops to Aid of Serbians. German Strength on Western Front Waning. Italians have Secured Strong Positions.

(Special to the Guardian.) LONDON, Oct. 25.—While the Austro-German and Bulgarian campaign in north-eastern Serbia is being carried out according to plan, despite fierce Serbian resistance, and the Bulgarians who crossed the Timeok hold the town of Pramovo and are separated from the German who crossed the Danube near Orsova by only a few miles, in the south things are not going so well for the invaders.

British correspondents in France have just disclosed a fact made known to them by the British staff that even after the Anglo-French offensive in September, the Germans had the greatest difficulty in securing new reinforcements to meet that adventure and had to call upon men just returned from Russia for rest to fill the gaps in the Western lines.

mans out of their redoubts from the stage headed for Saloniki. These, however, are only preparatory operations while the Italians are in the midst of a great offensive which has already gained for them many valuable vantage points, which according to Rome despatches, may any day place them in possession of the fortress of Gorizia.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES UP TO OCTOBER 16

OTTAWA, Oct. 25.—An official computation of Canadian losses in the war up to October 16th, was issued from the casualty office to-day. The total number of casualties, 15,187, made up of 677 officers and 14,510 men. Of these the deaths from all causes are 17 officers and 2,490 men, to which it is feared a heavy list of missing must be added. The official figures are: Killed in action, 94 officers, 1,625 men; died of wounds, 25 officers, 654 men; died of illness, 6 officers, 172 men; accidentally killed, 2 officers, 38 men; prisoners of war, 56 officers, 1,251 men; missing, 37 officers, 1,110 men; wounded and ill, 457 officers, 9,660 men.

GREEK CROWN PRINCE GOES TO SALONIKI

(Special to the Guardian.) PARIS, Oct. 25.—The Crown Prince of Greece has gone to Saloniki accompanied by a large staff. He goes to inspect the garrison. THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC. (Special to The Guardian.) TORONTO, October 25.—Maritime: Fine and mild followed by strong southerly winds at night. THE WEATHER.—Yesterday was fair with cold winds.

COMING EVENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

Why worry with hair falling. Call and have it treated. Six treatments 25c. Mrs. White, Queen Hotel. 3632-10-26Mtf. A MEETING of "The Harmony Woman's Institute" will be held in Warren Grove school house, on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28th, 1915. 3613-10-23-M11.

PLOT HATCHED IN THE UNITED STATES

To Hamper Shipments of Munitions to Allies by Disabling Ships at Sea by Means of Clockwork Bombs. Five Men Arrested.

(Special to the Guardian.) NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Details of a plot to hamper the shipment of munitions of war to the Allies by planting clock-work bombs on the rudders and propellers of ships so timed that they will explode disabling the ships on their way across the Atlantic, were disclosed to-day by the confession of one of five men charged in a complaint filed with the United States Commissioner with a charge of conspiracy to violate the Federal Statute. Robert Fay, a lieutenant of the 16th Saxon Infantry, in his confession admitted that he came to this country last April through an agreement with the German Secret Service to blow up or delay steamers laden with war supplies for the Allies.

confession of Fay, who said he had been decorated with the Iron Cross for fighting in the Woods-Champagne district, France, covers his arrival in the United States on April 23 last, his making of clock-work bombs since then and activities in experimenting with explosives along the Hudson River. Quantities of acid in a room occupied by Fay and Walter Scholz, in Wehawken, N.J., and boxes each containing 120 pounds of chlorate of potash used in making so-called sugar bombs in a boathouse on the Hudson have been found after the arrest of these men on Sunday. Scholz is a brother-in-law of Fay and is a mechanic. Two other men were arrested to-day, Paul Daeché, Jersey City, N. J., who said he was a graduate of Cologne University, and Dr. Herbert Kienle, manager of a clock company, are charged in the complaint with having aided in procuring the explosive materials used by Fay.

GERMAN COUNTER ATTACK REPULSED BY ALLIES

(Special to the Guardian.) NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—News Agency despatches from Paris say all the Entente Powers have joined in a demand that Greece make definite decision at once as to whether it shall support Germany or the Allies. Ex-Premier Venizelos has summoned all his supporters to Athens.

BULGARIANS TELL OF CAPTURE OF USKUP

(Special to the Guardian.) SOFIA, Oct. 25.—An official communication here concerning the capture of Uskup, Serbia, by the Bulgarians, says: "Our troops inflicted a decisive defeat on the Serbian troops in the neighbourhood of Uskup. We finally occupied the town, the enemy with more than 500 killed or wounded were thrown back and our troops pursued them. On the other fronts there is no change."

THE LATE MR. S. W. CRABBE

A worthy man and good citizen in the person of Simon W. Crabbe has fallen among us. He died at his residence, Hillsborough Street, last evening of an illness of over ten months. The deceased gentleman was, like many of our prominent and successful business and professional men, born on a farm. His father was the late Joseph Crabbe, who at one time lived at Milton, and his mother was a daughter of the late Simon Dodd. In the year 1864 he sold his farm at Milton and removed with his family to Charlottetown. In that year the subject of this sketch became a clerk in the hardware business establishment of Dodd & Rogers, then located on Pownall Street. He remained with this firm until the month of April, 1872 when he opened out a hardware store of his own in the Offer Brick Building on Queen Street. A few years later he moved into the shop on the North side of Queen Square in the days of yore known as "Walker's Corner," where he carried on until his death a flourishing and successful business. Although Mr. Crabbe gave close attention to the management of his own business, it by no means absorbed all his time and talents. He was ever one of the most public-spirited of our citizens and was always ready to respond to any popular call for public service. It will be admitted that in the many positions of public trust and confidence which he filled he brought to the discharge of his duties honesty, energy and business qualifications of the highest order. He was elected a member of our City Council as far back as the year 1877, and during the many succeeding years that he was a member of that body his honest and energetic management of civic business was highly appreciated by our citizens. He was a most zealous and active participator in the fight for good and beautiful supply of pure water for our city and that success in the year 1887 crowned the efforts of those who had so long battled for city ownership of a plentiful supply of good drinking water was in no small measure due to his tenacity and determination. He was also for several terms elected as Chairman of the Board of Water Commissioners. How faithfully and efficiently he performed

the duties of that responsible position is within the knowledge and recollection of all. Mr. Crabbe also aided both with his means and experience the establishment of several industrial concerns in our midst. He was President of the Condensed Milk Company and the Charlottetown Light and Power Company. He was also a prominent Mason, having held all the highest positions in the order. As a politician he was always strenuous and ever staunch and true to his party and his party's cause. That his party will in the future miss his loyal and valuable support can well be believed.

He was frank and straightforward to an unusual degree and his friendship was true, constant and valuable. We feel that in his death Charlottetown has lost a good citizen and an upright man whose word was always as dependable as his bond. Mr. Crabbe was married about twelve years ago Florence, daughter of the late John Stumbles by whom he is survived. We respectfully extend to her and his other relatives our sincere sympathy in the great loss which they with the whole community have sustained in his death. As a politician he was always strenuous and ever staunch and true to his party and his party's cause. That his party will in the future miss his loyal and valuable support can well be believed. He was frank and straightforward to an unusual degree and his friendship was true, constant and valuable. We feel that in his death Charlottetown has lost a good citizen and an upright man whose word was always as dependable as his bond. Mr. Crabbe was married about twelve years ago Florence, daughter of the late John Stumbles by whom he is survived. We respectfully extend to her and his other relatives our sincere sympathy in the great loss which they with the whole community have sustained in his death. As a politician he was always strenuous and ever staunch and true to his party and his party's cause. That his party will in the future miss his loyal and valuable support can well be believed.

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