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ADMIRAL DUFOURNET WILL MAINTAIN ORDER

Issues Announcement Reassuring the Populace of Athens that He Would Repress Disorders in Athens Later Withdrew Announcement Probably on King's Promise to Maintain Order.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Nov. 30.—A despatch to Reuters Telegram Company from Athens dated Thursday says: "Admiral Du Fournet, commander of the Entente Allied naval forces in the Mediterranean on Wednesday night issued an announcement reassuring the populace saying he would immediately repress disorders and hold the organizers of them responsible. An hour later he withdrew the announcement. It is understood he received a letter from King Constantine promising that order would be maintained. King Constantine this morning visited the commander of the first army corps, and presumably gave him strict orders. The outlook is uncertain."

ST. ANDREW'S DAY DULY CELEBRATED

The Caledonian Club of Prince Edward Island is to be congratulated on its excellent and appropriate celebration of St. Andrew's Day at the Davies Hotel last night. The members of the club are at the front, and directly or indirectly, practically every member of the club is personally interested in the one subject uppermost in the thoughts of all, namely the war. It was fitting therefore that the celebration this year should be of a more thoughtful character than in former years when the idea was mainly national jubilation, not unmixed with more or less hilarity. The feast, a ten course dinner, put up and served in a manner that would do credit to the best hotel on the continent and just such a feast as the Davies can provide whenever it sets out to do it, was quietly enjoyed in pleasant sociability while all the after-dinner speeches breathed patriotism, loyalty and unbounded optimism with the quiet characteristic Scottish determination to stick to it at whatever cost till British and allied arms are crowned with success.

THOSE PRESENT: Those present were: Ex-Governor D. A. McKinnon, President; Mr. D. Edgar Shaw, Chief; Mr. Thomas F. White, second Vice-President; Mr. Mr. James Paton, ex-Chief; Col. Stewart, ex-Chief; Mr. Charles Webster, ex-Chief; Mr. W. W. Walker, ex-Chief; Mr. S. A. McLeod, ex-Chief; Mr. David Bethune, ex-Chief; Mr. John McPhee, ex-Chief; Mr. James McIsaac, ex-Chief; Mr. S. A. McDonald, ex-Chief; Mayor Brown; Prof. Hinton, Prof. Watkiss, Prof. Blanchard, Mr. Pierce, U. S. Consul; Rev. Dr. Fullerton, Hon. John S. Innan; Mr. A. A. McLean, M. P.; Mr. D. Gordon; Mr. Lauchlin McDonald; Mr. Jack McLeod; Dr. McMillan; Mr. Reuben McDonald; Mr. E. A. Foster; Mr. A. G. Morrison; Mr. Kenneth McKay; Mr. E. G. Saunders; Mr. J. R. Burnett; Mr. J. R. Gillis; Mr. W. L. Cotton; Mr. P. McCourt; Mr. D. B. McDonald; Mr. D. K. Currie; Mr. John B. Andrew.

COMMITTEE: The Committee in charge of the arrangements and to whom great credit is due for the excellent manner in which this most enjoyable

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GENERAL SUMMARY OF WAR SITUATION

Gun Forces are Nearing Bucharest. Little Fighting on Other Fronts Owing to Weather Conditions.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Nov. 30.—The rapid advance of the Germans in Rumania, with the capture of Petchit and the approach to Kulgurena from Giurgiu is regarded here as constituting a serious situation, judging from comment in the morning papers. It is remarked that if the invaders reach Kulgurena they will be only seventeen miles from Bucharest, and only twelve miles from the outer forts of the capital. In none of the other theatres has there been any fighting of great intensity so far as official reports show. Big guns of the belligerents on the front in France and Belgium are still active at various points. The only infantry engagement reported was near Ypres where in an attack on a two mile front the British were repulsed, according to Berlin. Both Berlin and Sofia record repulses of Entente Allied attacks in the region of Monastir, Serbia, where rain and fog are hindering operations. In the Russian theatre Turkish troops have stopped strong Russian attacks on Zlota Lip River in Galicia. The much discussed bill providing for compulsory service of civilians for war service in Germany, known popularly as "the man power bill" has been again introduced in the Reichstag. In introducing it Chancellor Von Bethmann Hollweg again reiterated that Germany was ready to end the war by a peace guaranteeing the existence in the future of the German nation.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE TURKISH TRANSPORT

(Special to the Guardian.) PETROGRAD, Nov. 30.—The following official account of operations on the Turkish front was given out today: "A hostile detachment which advanced in the region of Wanzk withdrew after an unsuccessful night attack. In the Sakiz region we captured a Turkish transport of 47 animals laden with grain."

WILL CONSULT THE DOMINIONS

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Nov. 30.—Lord Islington in the House of Lords yesterday announced that the overseas Dominions would be consulted with reference to the peace terms suggested by the Allied governments at the conclusion of the war. Lord Islington said: "Before any arrangements for calling a peace conference can be made, we must have reached a more precise and definite stage regarding the issues of the war, while the heavy pre-occupation of the Premiers of the various Dominions must be a factor in any arrangement to call the conference in this country. It has been definitely decided that the Dominions which have contributed to the conduct of the war, are entitled to consideration when terms of peace are finally formulated."

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

(Special to the Guardian.) TORONTO, Ont., December 1.—Easterly winds, or moderate gales, mostly south and east winds, with occasional rain. The highest temperature registered yesterday was 44 degrees above; at 9 a. m., 40; at 9 p. m., 44. The coldest previous night was 34 above. The tide will be high this afternoon at 3:56 and tomorrow at 4:47; it will be high tomorrow morning at 3:16 and Sunday at 4:40. The sun sets this afternoon and tomorrow at 4:17; it rises tomorrow morning at 7:22 and Sunday at 7:23. The moon sets tonight at 11:56. There was a new moon on Saturday, Nov. 25th at 4:50 a. m. The first quarter of the moon will be on Friday, Dec. 1st at 9:56 p. m. The length of today will be 8 hours and 56 minutes.

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GERMANS CAPTURE ROUMANIAN TOWN

(Special to the Guardian.) PETROGRAD, Nov. 30.—The Rumanian town of Tzomana, sixteen miles south of Bucharest has been captured by the Teutonic forces, the war office announces. The statement follows: "Having attacked the Rumanians along the road from the Danube to Bucharest near Giunantzi, Tzalagarent and Tzomana, the enemy occupied the latter position toward evening. The situation in Dobrudja is unchanged."

TWO CHILDREN FOUND DEAD IN WELL

GRAND FALLS, N. B., Nov. 30.—Word has been received from the little settlement of New Denmark, southeast of Grand Falls, that a sad double fatality occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Andresen, two highly respected residents of that place. Two of Mr. and Mrs. Andresen's three children were found in a deep well. Both were dead.

VILLA IS IN CONTROL OF CHIHUAHUA.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 29.—Villa is moving northward from Chihuahua City, according to a despatch from General Trevino received tonight by General Gonzalez at Juarez, who was ordered to concentrate his forces at Juarez.

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SIR JOHN JELlicoe NOW FIRST SEA LORD

Vice-Admiral Beatty Who Commanded in Jutland Battle Succeeds as Head of the Grand Fleet. Other Changes Fore-shadowed. British Press Generally Comments Favourably on Changes.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, Nov. 30.—Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, commander of the British fleet, was yesterday appointed First Sea Lord of the Admiralty, in place of Sir H. B. Jackson, being succeeded in command of the Grand Fleet by Vice-Admiral Sir David Beatty, who commanded the British battle-cruiser squadron in the Jutland battle. Admiral Sir Henry B. Jackson has been appointed Second-in-Command of the Naval College at Greenwich. There will be consequential changes in the Board of the Admiralty. Other changes in the way of bringing new men from the fleets to Whitehall are foreshadowed. Apparently Mr. Balfour retains his office as first lord of the admiralty through it all, although some of the same newspapers which called for Colonel Churchill's retirement have been turning their guns upon him, but from a different angle. They considered Churchill too impetuous and disposed to interfere with matters of strategy, while they considered Mr. Balfour too slow and conservative.

U.S. SENDS REQUEST TO GREAT BRITAIN

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The United States has sent notes to Great Britain and France, requesting reconsideration by those governments of their refusal to issue a safe conduct through their blockade lines for Count Tarnowski, the new Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States, and speaking of the unfavorable effect that a continued refusal would have on opinion here. The notes point out that it is an inalienable right of sovereign nations to exchange ambassadors, and insist that a third nation, even in time of war, is not justified in denying that right.

"THE BLACK FEATHER" A SPLENDID PLAY

The Prince Edward Theatre Filled Last Evening When This Splendid Melodramatic Comedy was Staged.

Manager Gallagher made no mistake when he secured for a return engagement at the Prince Edward Theatre that noted and able actor, Mr. Albert Brown and his talented company. The theatre was crowded showing that the people of this city know how to appreciate the "right goods" when they come along. This is the second Canadian tour of Mr. Brown, and in his latest production "The Black Feather" specially written for him by a clever Canadian playwright, Mr. W. A. Tremagne, he had an excellent vehicle in which to place once more before the public his unique ability. "The Black Feather" may be termed a sister play to the former big success "The White Feather," and in respect, at least, is quite similar though quite a different story. In the role of Dick Kent, played by Mr. Brown, this similarity is noted. Dick, though generally regarded as a stupid, good-for-nothing idler and fop, the useless son of a former British diplomat, at the end proves himself a very shrewd individual, and a very useful member of the British intelligence staff. How he circumvents a German Baron and Austrian Countess who are trying to secure official information in regard to Britain's intentions on the eve of the outbreak of the present great world war makes a decidedly interesting story and calls for exceptionally clever acting. The scenes of the play are laid in London and there are some very tense and interesting situations. Most of the characters of the play are in some way connected with the British Foreign Office, and Dick by his acuteness, saves two honest but incompetent officials who happen to be the uncle and brother of his sweetheart from blunders and weakness that would have meant their own disgrace, and the injury of their country. The incidents are most exciting, but strictly within the bounds of probability and the dialogue which has been written for Mr. Brown has all that crispness and humor which his sparkling methods as an actor demand. The work of the ladies in the cast Miss Sarah Perry, as the Countess Wanda Von Holtzberg, Clemence Randolph as Evelyn Thornton and Helen Keers as Lady Caxton, was particularly good. Mr. De Stefani as the Baron; Mr. Sherwood as Pavlovec, Mr. C. Welch-Homer as Sir George Caxton and Robert R. Ranier as Jack Thornton had leading roles and played them admirably throughout. The other actors Messrs George Henry, Thomas Shaw, and H. Elderedge in minor roles showed up well. The costumes of the ladies and the splendid scenery were excellent. Tonight "The Black Feather" will be repeated and those who missed seeing this fine play last night should make it a point to be at the Prince Edward in good time.

ENEMY ALMOST DRIVEN OUT OF GERMAN EAST AFRICA

(Canadian Press Despatch.) CAPETOWN, November 30.—It is understood here that General Jan Christian Smuts, former minister of defence, has just been sent to take command of the German East Africa, where he is in supreme command of the British forces operating there, will go to the front in France to take command of the Union of South Africa contingent there. The situation in German East Africa is that what is left of the German army is kraaled in a stretch of territory southeast cornered about 500 miles in diameter, covered with thick brush, very swampy in places, and with malaria very prevalent. Notwithstanding the hardships they have undergone in the campaign through the Kaiser's long possession, the large majority of the seasoned soldiers are said to be eager to volunteer for overseas service.