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AUSTRIA AGREES TO ARMISTICE TERMS

Unconditional Surrender of Austria Unofficially Reported in London. A Probable Sequel to Terrible Losses Sustained in Last Few Days.

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 3.—A despatch, unofficially confirmed, says Austria has agreed to the armistice terms of the Allies and 70,000 Austrians have been made prisoners on the Piave.

ITALIANS CROSS THE TAGLIAMENTO

ROME, Nov. 3.—Italian patrols have crossed the Tagliamento and occupied the city of Spilimbergo.

AUSTRIANS FLEING BEFORE ITALIANS

ROME, Nov. 3.—Austrians are fleeing from Udine, about 60 miles east of the Piave, according to reports received here. They have abandoned a great quantity of war materials in the region of Udine which was Italian Headquarters before the 1917 retreat.

ITALIANS CAPTURING FORTIFIABLE POSITIONS

ROME, Nov. 3.—On the Asiago

Plateau the Sixth Army and two Allied divisions have carried formidable positions which the Austrians have held for months. Mont Mosciagh Baldo, Monte Longara La Meletta, Di Gallo Sasso Rosso, Monte Spith and Lambara are in our possession.

Three thousand prisoners and 232 guns were captured on the Asiago Plateau today.

AUSTRIANS WILL RETIRE TO ORIGINAL POSITIONS

(Special to the Guardian)
The Austrian official statement says that their troops will retire to positions held at the start of the war and that all Serbian territory will be evacuated.

GERMANS FORTIFYING BAVARIAN FRONT

Germans fearing Allies will attack through Austria are erecting fortification along the Bavarian frontier.

The Germans are retreating across the Argonne forest and French forces are close upon them.

MORE SMASHING VICTORIES ON THE WESTERN FRONT

Canadians Enter Valenciennes, British and Canadian Troops Advanced on Six Mile Front Capturing two or Three Thousand Prisoners and Going 1-2 Miles Beyond Valenciennes. In Flanders a Five Mile Advance was Made on a Ten Mile Front Bringing the Allies to the Scheldt. Allied Air Forces Successfully Bombed Important German Positions.

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 3.—Valenciennes has been captured. Field Marshal Haig reports that the city was taken by Canadians under General Currie who have passed through the town.

**—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
CAPTURED 5000 PRISONERS**

(Special to the Guardian)
In the fighting on the front of Valenciennes the British took 5,000 prisoners in two days.

The British advanced one and a half miles to the east of Valenciennes and captured the village of St. Saulves.

**—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
ALLIES NEARING GHENT**

PARIS, Nov. 3.—The Allies are within four kilometres of outskirts of Ghent, Americans between Alsne and Meuse have penetrated the German positions.

**—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
FRENCH CAPTURE 1400 PRISONERS**

PARIS, Nov. 3.—The French attack to the east of the Aisne in the Vouclers area was renewed this morning, the war office announced. Prisoners to the number of 1,400 have been taken.

GENERAL GOURAUD'S ARMY MAKES GREAT ADVANCE

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FOURTH FRENCH ARMY, Nov. 3.—General Gouraud's army attacked this morning on a front of five to six miles between the Aisne and the Argonne in conjunction with the first American army on his right. The immediate objective of the French commander in this region is to clear the enemy out of the thickly wooded and much broken mass of the Argonne, the last natural fortress which remains to him until he reaches the Ardennes.

The attack of General Gouraud's army must be taken in conjunction with the American attack on a much larger scale which is progressing in the most encouraging fashion on the other side of the Argonne and has resulted in the taking of 3,000 prisoners and twelve villages. At Grand Pre General Gouraud is in touch with the American army on his right.

**—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
LONDON, Nov. 3.**—Attacking on a front of six miles south of Valenciennes this morning English and Canadian troops captured between 2,000 and 3,000 prisoners and inflicted extremely heavy losses on the enemy. This announcement is made in the

official report from Field Marshal Haig tonight. The attack resulted in an advance of two miles and the capture of Aulnoy and Preseau, thus reaching the southern edge of Valenciennes which is flooded.

**—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
FIVE-MILE ADVANCE ON TEN MILE FRONT IN FLANDERS**

LONDON, Nov. 3.—Today's attack in Flanders was rewarded by an advance of more than five miles on a ten mile front. It brought the Allies to the Scheldt from Berchem to Gavere 10 miles south of Ghent. This advance probably will enable the Belgians to push the enemy over the derivation canal to the Terneuzen canal.

**—BUY VICTORY BONDS—
ALLIED AIRMEN DO GOOD WORK**

LONDON, Nov. 3.—The Independent Air Force on Wednesday night dropped bombs on the railroads at Baden, the chemical factories at Karlsruhe, and the blast furnaces at Burbach in Germany. According to an official statement made this evening. On Thursday the railway station at Bonn in the centre of the town, the railroads at Fresoaty and Trevis and the Airfield at Buhl were attacked. All machines returned.

CANADA'S SHIP BUILDING PROGRAMME

Contracts Awarded for 31 Steel Steamers of 8,400 Tons, also for Large Type of 10,500 Ton Steamers.

(Special to the Guardian)
OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—Supplementary to previous announcement in connection with the Government ship-building programme, the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, announced tonight that contracts had now been placed with several ship-building yards in Canada for the construction of thirty one steel steamers, ranging in tonnage from 8,400 tons dead weight capacity to 8,100. Tons in addition to the types of vessels for which contracts have been placed plans and specifications for a large type of 10,500 tons are in course of preparation and it is expected that contracts for this type will be placed in the near future at Halifax and possibly at Vancouver.

Italians Sank Austrian Warship

(Special to The Guardian)
ROME, Nov. 3.—Italian naval forces succeeded in entering the harbor of Pola, the Austrian naval base, on Friday morning and sank the Austrian battleship Viribus Unitis, the flagship of the Austria Hungarian fleet, it is officially announced.

THE STRIKING CHANGES IN EUROPE

(Special to the Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 2.—Ex-Premier Asquith, speaking at Glasgow today, said that the most striking change occurring in Europe was the complete and irrevocable collapse of autocracy. In 1914 three Emperors ruled the greater part of Europe and a large part of Asia. The Russian Emperor now had been deposed and murdered, the Austrian Emperor was a waif and stray, whilst the third Emperor was hovering on the verge of abdication. What-over may be the terms of peace those thrones cannot be rebuilt.

AUSTRIA ADVISES QUIET SUBMISSION

LONDON, Nov. 3.—After the proclamation of a republic in Budapest, Arch-Duke Joseph, the representative of the Emperor, left the city according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Zurich. Emperor Charles, the despatch adds, before leaving Vienna personally gave orders that all conflict with the populace be avoided. He instructed the authorities to yield without resistance to the new power.



Bulgarian King Has Abdicated

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 3.—King Boris of Bulgaria, who ascended the throne on Oct. 3, has abdicated. A peasant government has been established at Tarnovo under the leadership of M. Stambuliwsky who has been the chief of the Peasants and Agrarians of Bulgaria for some time. M. Stambuliwsky who is reported to be the head of the new government in Bulgaria is said to be in command of a republican army of 400,000 men, according to a Zurich despatch to the Central News.

NOW MINE-SWEEPING THE DARDANELLES

British Mine-Sweepers Clearing the Way for Allied Warships to Get Through the Straits to Constantinople and the Black Sea.

(Special to the Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 3.—A large fleet of the latest type of British mine sweepers today began the tedious task of clearing the Dardanelles of mines and other obstructions. This work, together with other safeguards which the Allies consider to be necessary before the Allied fleet enters the tortuous waterway leading past Constantinople and through the Bosphorus to the Black Sea, will take several days in the opinion of the British Admiralty.

VERSAILLES CONFERENCE AGREES ON TERMS

LONDON, Nov. 3.—The Versailles conference has finally agreed on the Armistice governing the maritime powers of the central Empires. The proposals contain six points which are believed to throw a safe guard around the German fleet.

THREE MONTHS CAPTURES BY BRITISH ARMIES

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 3.—In the past three months the British forces in France have taken 172,659 prisoners and 2,378 guns from the Germans, according to an official communication received from Field Marshal Haig tonight. During the month of October the British forces fighting in France captured 94,000 prisoners, including 1,200 officers, 925 guns including many heavy cannon, 7000 machine guns and 670 trench mortars.

Premier Borden Delegate to Peace Conference

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—Premier Borden will go to Europe as a Peace Conference Delegate. Lord Shaughnessy is suggested as a Canadian Minister to Great Britain.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC

TORONTO, Nov. 4.—Fine and cold. The tide will be high this morning at 11.19 and tomorrow at 12; tonight at 10.40 and tomorrow at 11.13.
Sun sets this afternoon at 5.07 and tomorrow at 5.05; it rises tomorrow morning at 6.59 and Wednesday at 7.
Moon sets this afternoon at 5.19. New moon Sunday, Nov. 3rd at 4.02 p. m.
First quarter moon Monday, Nov. 11th at 11.45 a. m.
Length of day ten hours and ten minutes.

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AUSTRIA REPUBLIC NEXT IN ORDER

(Special to The Guardian)
PARIS, Nov. 3.—Members of the inter-allied diplomatic council believe the Hapsburg dynasty is ended and that an Austrian Republic is likely to be formed.

AUSTRIA SURRENDERS HER NAVY TO SLAVS

LONDON, Nov. 3.—A German wireless despatch picked up by the British admiralty tonight says that according to an imperial proclamation the Austro-Hungarian navy has been handed over to the South Slav National Council sitting in Agram.

Belgrade Captured By Serblans

LONDON, Nov. 3.—Serbian troops have entered the city and capital of Serbia, Belgrade. Turkey has willingly handed over the city of Baku to the British. All Turkish railways have been placed at the disposal of the Allies.

Bavarian Prince Claims German Throne

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, Nov. 3.—The Bavarian Premier has notified Berlin that the Bavarian royal family claims the imperial throne in the event of Emperor William's abdication, according to the Socialist Leipzig Zeitung which is quoted in a Hague despatch to the Daily Mail.

Hungarian Minister Has Resigned

LONDON, Nov. 3.—Count Julius Andrassy who became Austro-Hungarian foreign minister on Oct. 25, has resigned according to a Zurich despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

Armistice Terms Given to Austrians

PARIS, Nov. 3.—The inter-allied council at Versailles has forwarded to Gen. Diaz, commander of the Italian armies, the terms of the Armistice to be granted the Austrians, the Matin declared today. The inter-allied council unanimously agreed upon every clause in the terms, it was stated.



NEW PRESIDENT C.P.R.—Howard Wentworth Beatty, K. C., who has succeeded Lord Shaughnessy as president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at the age of 41. He is a native of Thorold, Ont., and a graduate of Toronto University

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 3.—A mob reaching the royal palace at Stuttgart shouted "down with Wilhelm. abdicate immediately." Mounted police dispersed the crowd.

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—The Victory Loan total for the Dominion up to Friday night was \$110,404,150.

CHARLOTTETOWN'S OBJECTIVE FOR VICTORY LOAN

The Victory Loan Objective for Charlottetown and Royalty has been placed at **\$600,000** to win the Governor General's Honour Flag. Up to 6 o'clock last night the amount subscribed was **\$261,000**. The Objective for the Province has been placed at **\$2,500,000**. Up to 6 o'clock last night the amount subscribed was **\$370,300**.

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