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## GERMANS BEATEN TO A STANDSTILL

In Battle of Borjowm Germans Lost 27,000 Men of Whom 15,000 Were Killed.

Kaisers' Arrival Suggests Another Attempt to Capture Warsaw in His Honor. Russians Hold Positions Taken.

(Special to the Guardian.)  
PETROGRAD, Feb. 9.—The Russians have fought the Germans to a standstill, but their force which crossed the Bzura has a difficult task before it. The German second line of defence in this quarter is of immense strength. The Kaiser's arrival in Poland suggests that the Germans intend to make a final attempt to capture Warsaw in his honor.

German losses in the battle of Borjowm are estimated at 27,000 men, according to despatches received here to-day from Warsaw. Of these at least 15,000 are killed, according to a correspondent of the Novoe Vremya, who was at the battle front when the great conflict raged along the line and when the Germans attempted to cut their way through the Russian lines in order to approach Warsaw.

The correspondent reports a lull in the fighting, with the Russians holding the positions they won at Kamien by a flank attack. The Germans maintained their front in West Borjowm.

**STR. WILHELMINA  
NEARING ENGLAND**

(Special to The Guardian.)  
LONDON, Feb. 9.—The American steamship Wilhelmina which sailed from New York on January 22 with a cargo of food supplies for Germany passed the Lizard this morning.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
EALMOUTH, Feb. 9.—The American ship Wilhelmina with grain and other food supplies for Germany arrived here to-day. The Captain said he came to Ealmouth of his own free will and had no prize crew on board. The Wilhelmina is lying in the stream flying the American flag. Customs officers boarded the vessel immediately on arrival, but it was not announced what action, if any, was taken.

**AUSTRIAN CAUGHT NEAR THE  
TORONTO  
PUMPING STATION.**

TORONTO, Feb. 9.—Josef Kniaz, an Austrian reservist, was interned in Stanley Barracks yesterday for loitering in a suspicious manner at the pumping station at the foot of John Street. He was captured by the military guard, and said he was looking for work. The sum of \$125 was found in his pockets and it transpired that he had been distributing his money freely among his friends. He had not registered, and said that he was not a reservist, but when his lodgings were searched, an army book was discovered, among other documents, which are being examined by an interpreter.

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## YESTERDAY IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Order Paper Cleared in Less Than an Hour. First Jarring Note Sounded by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Promptly Answered.

Important Questions Asked and Answered. Close Season for Lobster Fishing Asked for by Packers Not Granted for 1915.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 9.—It took the House less than an hour this afternoon to clean up the order paper and to wind up all business. At the present rate of progress the House will be ready to adjourn before the members have become nicely settled in the capital. The only jarring note was over the appointment of Mr. Albert Severyn member for Dorchester, as Deputy Speaker.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier could not refrain from calling attention to the fact that the new deputy was elected in 1911 as a Nationalist, pledged to the repeal of the Naval Service Act. He was afraid the voters of Dorchester would be aggrieved when they heard of his change of heart.

A retort courteous but pointed, was forthcoming from Sir Robert Borden. He remarked that Mr. Severyn had at least made as much progress in the direction of securing the repeal of the Naval Act as Sir Wilfrid had accomplished in his efforts to destroy protection after 1896.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier inquired when the Government would lay before Parliament a statement as to the expenditure of the money voted for war purposes in the August session.

The Premier answered that the statement was all ready to be brought down yesterday, but that it had been decided to excise certain confidential information contained in it. It was therefore necessary to prepare a new statement but he thought it would be ready to-morrow.

## SCATTERS RARE GEMS

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Besides three men behind the counters there were several customers in Henry Sessler's pawnshop at five o'clock last night, when a young man tied the front door to an awning cleat and threw a padded brick through the window.

He had seized a tray containing \$3,000 worth of diamond jewelry from the window display and had reached the other side of Eight avenue, near 115th street, before Sessler and his clerks were able to break the clothes-line that held the door. Then Solomon Mathysyns, one of the clerks, fired several shots at the fugitive.

Across Eight avenue, the youth tried to enter the hallway of a tenement, but was pushed back and sent down by a janitress. As he fell many of the diamonds he had seized flew out into the snow. Getting to his feet again, he ran into another tenement up to the roof, across the tops of several houses and then down to the street. He got away.

Within a few moments 2,000 persons were struggling with one another in their search for the lost diamonds in the snow. The crowd became so great that the police reserves from the West 123rd street station were called out and they had to fight to clear the street.

Sessler, who was sitting at the front window when the brick came flying through, said he leaped for the door but found it tied. He tried to get the hand that was reaching for the diamonds, but failed.

## FRANKFURT MAYOR DEAD

FRANKFURT, Germany, Feb. 4.—Dr. Franz Adickes, former Mayor of Frankfurt, is dead. He retired from office in 1912. For many years he was the most prominent mayor in Germany owing to his activities in municipal socialism. His last important achievement was the establishment of the university of Frankfurt.

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

(Special to The Guardian.)  
TORONTO, February 10.—Maritime: Fresh North-westerly winds; fair and cold.

**THE WEATHER.**—Yesterday was beautifully mild and clear. The lowest temperature of Monday night was 25 deg. above zero. At 9 a.m. yesterday it was 30 deg. above, and at 9 p.m. 28 deg. above. The highest temperature of the day was 34 deg. above zero.

The tide will be high this morning at 7.51 and tomorrow at 9; it will be high tonight at 6.36 and tomorrow at 7.51.

The sun sets this afternoon at 5.20 and tomorrow at 5.21; it rises tomorrow morning at 7.09 and Friday at 7.07.

The moon sets this afternoon at 2.10. The last quarter of the moon was on Sunday, Feb. 7th at 1.11 a.m. There will be a new moon on Sunday, Feb. 14th at 12.31 a.m.

The length of today will be ten hours and ten minutes.

Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria.

## CANADIAN SENATE FORMALLY OPENED

Two Vacancies Announced, in British Columbia and Prince Edward Island.

Senator Murphy Moved Address in an Eloquent Speech, Dealing with the War and Canada's Part in it.

(From our own Correspondent.)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 9.—A communication from the Clerk of the Senate was read in the Upper Chamber to-day announcing the resignation of Senator J. E. MacDonald of British Columbia had been received, and that Senator J. E. Robertson of Prince Edward Island had not been in his seat for two sessions.

The Senate opened to-day when the address in reply to the speech from the throne was moved by Senator Murphy of P.E.I. The speech, he said, conveyed the gratifying knowledge that in this time of emergency Canada was doing her duty. Canada owed a debt of gratitude to the Duke and Duchess of Connaught for the interest they had shown in Canadian affairs, and for consenting to remain in the Dominion beyond their term.

The Princess Patricia was to be congratulated for having given her patronage, her name and a set of colours to a very gallant Canadian regiment, which she had shown in Canada during the war. The despatch of a Canadian contingent, the largest force that ever crossed the Ocean, reflected the merits of the Militia Department and the Government, which sent them.

The Princess Patricia regiment had already shown them the quality of the men they were sending to the front, and it was satisfactory to know that there were 50,000 more such men ready to set out. He might be pardoned on calling attention to the fact that in proportion to population the little province of Prince Edward Island had sent more men to the front than had any other Canadian province. The time required the expenditure of blood, of brains and of money. It was satisfactory to learn that the Empire was so well provided with all of them, and that Britain was so well able to finance the war, and it was satisfactory to know that the British fleet had formed one of the greatest feats of war in clearing the sea of the enemy and keeping the trade and troop transport routes free to her friends, and the markets closed to the enemies of the Empire. From all parts of the Empire men were marching to the tune of Tipperary to join the Fench and Belgians to press back the wave of barbarians who had overrun peaceful lands. Local differences had been forgotten and men had shaken hands, shouldered their rifles and marched away together to meet the common enemy and to save freedom to humanity. The termination of the war no man knows, but as to the eventual outcome there could be no doubt. Freedom would triumph, the Allies would be victorious and the German principle of military dominance would be destroyed.

Senator Girroir of Nova Scotia, in seconding the address, commented upon the fact that two such ancient enemies as France and England were fighting shoulder to shoulder. Never before was there greater certainty of victory.

Other speakers were Senator Bostock and Senator Lougheed.

**FRENCH OFFICIAL**

(Special to The Guardian.)  
PARIS, Feb. 9.—(Official to-night)—There is nothing of material importance to report. During the afternoon of Monday, Feb. 8, we blew up in front of Fay, Southeast of Peronne, a mine galley on which the enemy's soldiers were at work.

**GERMAN AIRMAN  
FOUND DEAD**

LONDON, Feb. 8.—Fishermen have found in the Thames estuary the body of a German aviator, with a shrapnel bullet in the lungs. It is supposed that he dropped from an aeroplane which was driven off by British gun fire on Christmas Day.

**TWO YEARS  
FOR BIGAMY**

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 8.—Private Geo. Weston Smith, of the 33rd Battalion, was given two years in Kingston penitentiary today on pleading guilty to a charge of bigamy. Smith, who is enlisted at Woodstock, has a wife in England and was recently married again here.

**AMERICAN UNIT MAY  
JOIN CANADIANS.**

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.—A number of leading officers of the United States army residing in Canada are considering formation for overseas service in the cause of Britain.

For some time a number of very capable United States army and national guard officers, some of high rank and representing almost every state in the union, have been applying to the militia authorities in Canada for service in the present war. Of course, neither the Militia Department nor any Canadian can have anything to do with enlisting or accepting the services of any alien.

**TWO MILLION ARE  
GETTING RELIEF.**

PARIS, Feb. 8.—Official statistics give the number of applications for government aid as 2,116,000, of which 261,600 were refused. At present daily allowances are paid to 1,870,000 persons, the average per family being 2 francs, 10 centimes (42 cents). The daily outlay is 3,900,000 francs (\$780,000).

**GERMAN NAVAL  
CASUALTIES HEAVY.**

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 8.—Approximately 15,000 German sailors and marines have been lost since the war broke out. Two naval casualty lists issued to-day contain respectively 1,378 and 1,089 names. Previous reports contained more than 12,000 names.

## SUMMARISED NEWS FROM BATTLEFRONTS

Germany's Threatened Blockade Draws Protests from Greece While Other Neutral Countries Prepare to Take Action.

Little Activity in Western Zone. Russian Successes Now Threaten East Prussia and Germans are in Position of Extreme Danger.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
LONDON, Feb. 9.—Germany's threatened submarine blockade of the waters around the British Isles and France and the question of the use of neutral flags by merchant ships belonging to belligerent countries occupy the public mind in England and the neutral countries of Europe.

Greece has already replied to the German memo to the effect that she expects Greek ships to be protected by the regulations governing navigation on the high seas and coasts not effectively blockaded, while Holland and the Scandinavian countries are taking the steps for joint action.

The American steamer Wilhelmina which has grain aboard for Hamburg, has arrived at Falmouth, England, it is thought possible she has been ordered there by one of the British patrol ships as the British Government announced its intention to prevent her from proceeding to Germany and of submitting the question as to her cargo to the prize court. A despatch from Falmouth says the captain of the Wilhelmina declared that he proceeded to that port of his own free will.

Outside of these questions of international law the chief interest lies in the Eastern zone, operations in the West having lapsed into a period of calm with only a few small engagements on the narrow fronts which can have little effect on the campaign

as a whole. In the East, on the other hand, the Germans having been checked in their efforts to break the Russian lines before Warsaw have transferred many of their troops to East Prussia to meet the Russian offensive in that region. This offensive has commenced to be a real danger to the Germans as it threatens to drive a wedge between Tilsit and Insterburg and so to turn the fortified positions in the extremely difficult country of the Mazurian Lakes. If this movement succeeds the Russians would overrun a considerable part of East Prussia and would again be on the way to Konigsberg and Danzig.

The campaign in the Carpathians and Galicia is not so easily followed as official reports are sparing in information. It is evident, however, that while the Russian offensive in the Western passes of the mountains are being pushed with strength and has proven partially successful it has been met by stronger opposition in the Eastern passes with the result that the Russians were compelled to fall back on Bukwino. They have repeatedly done this only to give the Austrians a chance when they attack from the Russian end of the passes and it is presumed this is their intention now. Operations are on such a large and complicated scale that it may be weeks before any definite decision is reached.

## ALLIES CAPTURE BELGIAN TOWNS

(Special to The Guardian.)  
AMSTERDAM, Feb. 9.—The Belgian towns of Paschendale and Lange-marck have been captured by the Allies, according to a despatch received here from Brussels to-day. It says the Belgian troops took these places with the assistance of a large force of British troops after a hard fight with the Germans. Lange-marck is north and Paschendale north-east of Ypres. Their occupation would imperil the German army, whose centre rests on Roulers.

## FRENCH AND BRITISH CRUISERS IN CUBA

(Special to The Guardian.)  
HAVANA, Feb. 9.—A French armoured cruiser, apparently the Conde, arrived off the port of Havana to-day. There she joined the British cruiser Bristol which for some weeks has been attending, with the British cruiser Derwick, in watching the port and cruising outside Cuban territorial waters.

## MORE BODIES IN QUAKE RUINS

AVEZZANO, Feb. 8.—Over three hundred bodies have been taken from beneath the ruins of houses demolished in the recent earthquake at Santa Natolia. In addition 67 of the 650 persons injured, have died.

## GEN. BRIDOUX'S DEATH AT FRONT VERY DRAMATIC

(Special to The Guardian.)  
PARIS, Jan. 27.—(Correspondence) The Temps publishes the following story of the death of General Bridoux taken from the notebook of an army surgeon just returned from captivity in Germany:

"I passed yesterday through one of the most touching experiences of my life," the surgeon writes. "General Bridoux, in command of our cavalry corps, died in my arms. I have seen many deaths in twenty years and I have read of the deaths of Plutarch and of the generals of the empire, but I am convinced that no noble a soul as that of General Bridoux has rarely animated a mortal."

"The battle was raging in a fog so thick that one could see no farther than 200 yards. To better watch the operations the general and his staff were approaching the lines in their automobiles. Coming into a clearing the party sustained a heavy musketry fire from a party of Germans concealed in thickets. The chauffeur and two ordnance officers were killed outright before the cavalry escort could intervene and drive the Germans away. General Bridoux fell back in his seat with his hand to his breast. A bullet had shattered his shoulder, penetrating the body and pierced a lung.

"We carried him into a log hut in the thicket. 'I suffer' he exclaimed. 'I feel very ill,' then he talked of his wife and children to the chaplain, but to us he spoke only of the army, of his soldiers, of his corps of cavalry that marched without horses and of which all the men are heroes."

"General Buisson, who commanded a division under Bridoux, arrived. 'My dear Buisson,' said the dying general, 'I am about to die for my country and I am almost happy since that will give you a command of which you are worthy. Don't forget that our role is to advance, always advance and that we should do all the harm possible to the invaders who seek to annihilate our beautiful France. I have confidence in the final victory and I regret to have contributed so little to it.'

"I die joyfully for my country," he resumed after a paroxysm. "Tell the cavalry corps that the sacrifice of my life should serve as an example."

"Another paroxysm, another lucid interval and then the general expired with these words on his lips: 'I die—I am happy—My country will triumph.'"

Minard's Liniment Cures Rheumatism.

## UNITED STATES WILL NOT PROTEST

Against Great Britain for Hoisting United States Flag on British Ships.

Danger of Such Practice to Neutral Ships will be Pointed Out to British Government.

(Special to The Guardian.)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The administration, in view of the hoisting of the American flag on the British ship Lusitania, stated to-day that the opinion of the highest authorities is that the use of other flags by ships of nations at war is a customary practice and no formal protest can be made, but that it will be proper to send to Britain a note pointing out the dangers to neutral shipping which may follow, if such practice is continued.

LONDON, Feb. 8.—The use of the American flag by the British steamer Lusitania, of the Cunard Line, in its voyage across the Irish Sea, has aroused great interest, and, although it did not mention this instance specifically, the British Foreign Office, issued a statement to-night dealing with such usage in a general way. It argues that the only effect in the case of a merchantman in flying a neutral flag would be to compel a belligerent ship to investigate the nationality of the vessel, and the character of her cargo, before capturing her.

It is pointed out in this statement also that by the Merchant Shipping Act of 1894, foreign vessels are permitted to use the British colors for the purpose of escaping capture.

## CANADIAN TROOPS NOW IN FRANCE

(Special to The Guardian.)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 9.—That all the Canadian troops of the first division who have been in Salisbury Plains, are now in France, is the effect of unofficial but nevertheless trustworthy information received here to-day. It is not known when they will go to the trenches, but it is believed that in France, under more favourable conditions of weather, the troops will continue the tactical training which, since last October, they have been engaged in in England. Sir George Perley's present visit to France is for the purpose of inspecting Canadian headquarters.

## FROM THE FIRING LINE

The following letters have been received by Mr. H. W. Winnicombe, acknowledging the receipt of the tobacco through the Overseas Tobacco Fund to which many citizens contributed. It is indeed pleasing to know that the "men in the firing line" have received the tobacco, etc., which is but another evidence of the patriotism of the P. E. Island people. It might here be added that the fund for a further supply is still open and it is hoped to send same forward in time for Easter. Pte. A. K. Green, A Company, 1st Devons, British Expeditionary Forces writes: Dear Sir: Just a few lines thanking you very much for your present, which I received all right. I am very glad to say that I am quite safe and in the best of health, trusting you are the same. With kind regards from all. Private H. Wilmott, Signalers, 1st Devons, British Expeditionary Forces, writes: Dear Sir: Many thanks for gift of tobacco and cigarettes. It came at a most opportune moment. It is quite a treat to have a smoke, especially in such times as these when we have to stand so long in water and mud. I think I shall close now, again thanking you for your gift.

## COMPLETE ANARCHY REIGNS IN ALBANIA

LONDON, Feb. 8.—The following note has been issued by the Montenegro consular general here:

"Cettinje—Complete anarchy reigns in Albania, which is continually augmented by the intrigues of the Austrians and Young Turks. Albanian bands kill and pillage all Montenegrin subjects who are obliged to traverse Albanian territory. All the merchant die transported along the River Boana is confiscated and held at enormous ransom, despite the incontestable right of Montenegrin navigation of this river."

"The consular cabinet at Scutari is without authority over the Albanians, whose misdeeds against Montenegrin commerce grow daily."

## PLOT TO BLOW UP "LA CHAMPAGNE" WAS FRUSTRATED

PARIS, Feb. 9.—A plot to blow up the French line steamer La Champagne, which has arrived at Corunna, Spain, from Mexico, was frustrated by a wireless message received aboard the ship on January 19, according to the Journal Madrid correspondent.

Reports made by officers of the vessel when it landed are said to have stated that information given in the wireless message was that a man aboard, believed to be a German, intended to destroy the ship. Prompt measures were taken by the Captain and the man was arrested. Five dynamite bombs, the correspondent says, were found in his trunk.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

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\*DON'T FORGET THE Institute supper at the Florida Hotel tomorrow evening, Feb. 11. 8551-2-9m11

\*Reserve Thursday evening 18th, inst., for the concert and social at North Milton. Proceeds in aid of Red Cross. 8567.

\*Mr. Richard Creed will address an Agricultural Conference at Bedouque on Wednesday evening, February 10th. Everyone interested is invited to be present. 8558-2-9ME11.

\*MANY MEN GO WITHOUT A TYPEWRITER because they think they can't afford one, but do you know that you can buy a good rebuilt typewriter from me, very reasonably, or pay for a machine on an instalment basis. A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S. 8550-2-10M11.

\*THE PETERS ROAD section of the Murray Harbor North congregation intend holding a grand concert and pie social on Feb. 16th in the Cambridge Hall. Proceeds in aid of the new Manse. Come one come all a good time is guaranteed. 8554-2-10ME11. (Minard's Liniment Cures Neuralgia.)