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DESPERATE FIGHTING ON RUSSIAN FRONT

German Attacks Repulsed by Russians. A Violent Counter-Attack Gained Ground from Enemy.

(Special to the Guardian.)

PETROGRAD, Jan. 25.—Desperate fighting is still in progress in the Riga region on the Russian front the war office announced today.

Western Front—Enemy formations which after strong artillery preparation attempted to attack our detachments north of Shaaden and near the northwestern corner of Tirul swamp.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. PETER'S CONGREGATION

The annual meeting of the congregation of St. Peter's Cathedral was held last evening. The church warden's report showed that the total receipts for the year from all sources amounted to \$348.00.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT WANTS EARLY CONFERENCE WITH DOMINIONS

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The government has called to the Dominions for information as to the earliest date at which their representatives will be able to reach London for the Imperial Conference.

GRIM LEGAL PRODUCT OF WAR

PARIS, Jan. 25.—It is no crime for a mother to kill a child born as a result of her violation by a German soldier, a Paris jury decided today.

UNIDENTIFIED SUB ARRIVES AT NEWPORT

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 25.—An unidentified submarine heavily loaded is laying off shore between Point Judith and Beaver Tail where she arrived a little after two o'clock this afternoon.

1000 NEW BOX CARS FOR C.G.R.

ST. JOHN, Jan. 25.—The C. G. R. has one thousand new box cars at present on order and from this time forward will receive deliveries of them ranging from ten to fifteen per day.

THE WEATHER, TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, Jan. 26.—Increasing northeast winds; continued cold; snow tonight.

The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 14 degrees above. At 9 a. m. it was 5 above; at 9 p. m. 14 below; at 11.30 it was 18 below the coldest the previous night was 14 above.

The tide will be high this afternoon at 1.15 and tomorrow at 1.56; it will be high tomorrow morning at 1.12 and Saturday at 2.09.

The moon sets tonight at 10.02. There was a new moon on Tuesday, January 23rd at 2.40 a. m.

The first quarter of the moon will be on Monday, January 29th, at 8.02 p. m.

ADJOURNMENT OF PARLIAMENT EARLY IN FEBRUARY PROBABLE

Sir Robert Borden Announced His Acceptance of Opposition Offer for Adjournment, Attaching Two Minor Conditions, Introduction of a Borrowing Bill and Consolidating Railway Act. Debate on Address Continued.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 25.—Parliament will be adjourned early in February, probably for two months or more. Sir Robert Borden announced in the Commons today his acceptance of the offer of the Opposition for an adjournment to allow the Premier to attend the Imperial Conference.

It is understood that the Prime Minister has received a cablegram from London at the earliest possible date in which the urgency of early attendance at the Imperial Conference is pointed out.

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY CONCERT LAST NIGHT

It was a "richt braw Scotch nicht" at the People's Theatre last evening, when the anniversary of Scotland's immortal bard, the great Robert Burns was observed.

The dancing numbers "Reel of Tullock" by eight lads and lassies, "Highland Fling" by five lassies, "Ghillie Callum" by Master Raymond McNeill, of West River, and hornpipe by Misses McFarlane and Biffin evoked quite an ovation in each case.

The dancing of Gillie Callum by Master Raymond McNeill, the six-year-old son of Mr. Malcolm McNeill, of West River, evoked tremendous applause.

The dancing of "It's Nice When You Love a Wee Lassie," Miss Blanchard in "My Laddie," and last but not least, Mr. Charles Earle in "Bonnie Prince Charlie," Rapturous applause greeted the above named performers.

The dancing of "Wot Ye Wha's in Yon Town," for which Miss Lucy Blanchard and Mr. Charles Earle were enthusiastically cheered.

SECOND DEATH FROM MONCTON FIRE A THIRD FEARED

MONCTON, Jan. 25.—Two lives have been lost as a result of the gas explosion on Wednesday morning in the residence occupied by the family of James Long, Jr., Botsford St. Mrs. Long died at the general hospital yesterday afternoon and early this morning her daughter, Lillian, aged six, also succumbed to her injuries.

GREEK GOVERNMENT TENDERS APOLOGY

LONDON, Jan. 25.—In compliance with one of the demands of the Entente Powers recently agreed to by Greece, the Greek Government today handed to the Entente ministers a note formally expressing regret for the events of early last December.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION

TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 25.—An attempt was made to assassinate Yukio Oseki, former Minister of Justice and leader of the Constitutional party while he was addressing a mass meeting called to demand the resignation of the Cabinet.

CANADIAN AND U. S. OFFICERS HAVE CHASE

After Murderer of Inspector Jackson of Winnipeg. Cold Blooded Murder in Railway Car.

(Special to the Guardian.)

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 25.—Provincial officers and the police of Windsor, Walkerville and Sandwich, co-operated with Detroit authorities, have thrown out a dragnet which they say James Steward, alias Stewart, alias George Gordon, a professional safecracker, who murdered Marshal Jackson, Winnipeg Immigration Inspector, in cold blood on a Michigan Central train early this morning, cannot successfully break through.

LABOURITES DEMAND CONSCRIPTION OF ACCUMULATED WEALTH

MANCHESTER, Eng., Jan. 25.—Immediate conscription of accumulated wealth to limit the financial burden of the war is demanded in a resolution adopted unanimously today at the annual meeting of the Labor party.

The resolution calls for taxation of not less than fifteen shillings on the pound sterling on unearned incomes, direct taxation of land and nationalization of the banking system.

Mr. MacLean spoke strongly in favor of a national Government in which both political parties, the farmers and labourers, would be represented.

EARTHQUAKE IN MALAY ISLANDS

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Fifty natives were killed and two hundred others were injured in an earthquake in Island of Bali in the Malay Archipelago, according to a despatch from Amsterdam to the Central News.

ROUMANIAN CROWN PRINCE AT PETROGRAD

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The crown prince of Roumanian and Premier Bratino have arrived at Petrograd for a conference with the Russian authorities on important questions in connection with the Roumanian situation.

The despatch says that ten thousand of Roumanian refugees continue to pour into Bessarabia and the adjoining provinces. Among them are 12,000 Roumanian boy scouts whom the correspondent says the Germans threatened to treat as guerrillas. Some refugees have arrived at Petrograd.

YOUTHS OF 18 CALLED TO TRAIN FOR HOME DEFENCE

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The war office announces that all youths from eighteen years of age up have been called to train for home defence until they reach the age of nineteen years.

FURTHER REPORTS FROM NORTH SEA FIGHT

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Persistent reports from Holland yesterday were that from six to ten German destroyers had been sunk in Monday night's engagement between British and German sea forces.

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