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FEARS FOR BRUSSELS LITTLE CHANGE IN SITUATION IN NORTH FRANCE

KAISER FIRED VON MOLTKE; DISAGREED OVER STRATEGY

GERMAN AND BRITISH CONTINUE TO MAKE BRILLIANT RAIDS
ON ENEMY—CUT OFF IMPERIAL GUARDS FROM
AMMUNITION SUPPLIES.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Oct. 6.—At the battle of the French cavalry executed a raid back of the German lines, where they blew up a railroad tunnel and escaped before their presence was discovered. British Lancers and French troops performed a brilliant exploit at another point, getting between

the Imperial Guard and their artillery ammunition train by a long dashing ride. They cut off the supplies, destroying them so that the Guards' big guns were rendered temporarily useless. Lieut. Gen. Von Moltke, the head of the German general staff, was removed from office by the Kaiser owing to a disagreement over the question of strategy.

JAPANESE SQUADRON HAS TAKEN GERMAN BASE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Tokyo, Oct. 6.—The navy department has issued the following: "The Japanese squadron headed to destroy the German base on the South Sea landed blue-prints on Juliet Island, the seat of government of the Marshall Islands, which was annexed by Germany in 1886. It is believed the base was destroyed, fortifications, arms and ammunition were seized. The British steamer was released. There was resistance to the Japanese."

PORTUGAL REPORT SAYS PORTUGAL WILL FIGHT WITH THE ALLIES

(Special to The Daily News.)
Lisbon, Oct. 6.—A despatch says British ships have arrived at Oporto and are probably destined for transport of Portuguese troops to the seat of war. Portugal's mobilization of the Portuguese forces, it is believed, has been ordered on the demand of the British government.

COND CONTINGENT NOT YET DECIDED ON

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, Oct. 6.—Colonel Sam Hughes has returned to the capital. He will not say whether he is going to England or not. The contingent depends on the decision of the war office. It would appear from the indecision that a second contingent as if the authorities feel they have the situation well in hand.

Are your books behind or out of balance? If so, apply Box 120, Daily News.

FRENCH ACCEPT CANADIAN GIFT

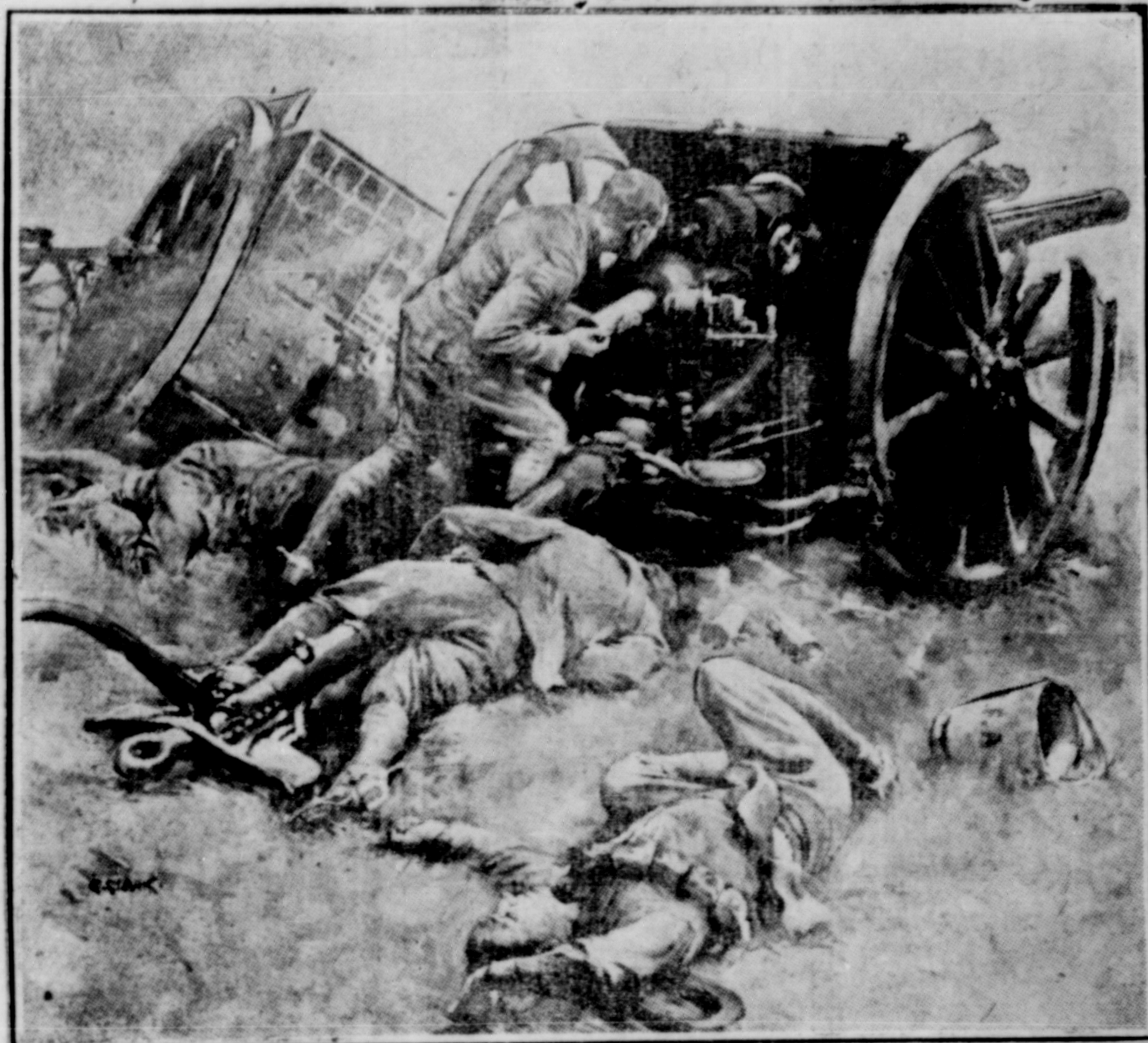
(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Oct. 6.—A Bordeaux despatch says the minister of war was authorized to accept the sum of half a million francs offered by the Canadian government for the establishment and maintenance of a Red Cross hospital in France.

HEAVY GUN FIRING IN THE NORTH SEA

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Oct. 6.—A despatch from Amsterdam says that in news received from The Hague heavy gun firing has been heard in a westerly direction in the North Sea.

That 5th Ave. Planking.

The city solicitor reported to the Council that the portion of the replanking of Fifth avenue still undone could be undertaken by a local improvement bylaw covering the cost. About 1,380 feet are still unfinished. The city engineer has already completed some 150 feet, which must be paid for out of the general fund. It was felt that it wasn't fair that those property owners should get off while the remaining ones would have to pay for the planking still undone. Some one suggested that all the street be completed from the general fund in order to get the same advantage Sixth avenue got. In discussing the new municipal clauses the city solicitor said the fault wasn't his that this difficulty existed. "I can't make the act better or worse; I believe no one could make it worse." After a good deal of discussion it was decided that nothing be done for the present.



HOW THE ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY FIGHT.

This picture was drawn from the description given by a special correspondent in a despatch concerning the operations of the British troops at the front. He says: "A half battery in rather an exposed position was galling the Germans by accuracy of its aim. Several batteries made an attack on it. One by one its guns were silenced. The men who had been serving them lay dead around. One man was left. He did his best. He would have gone on till he dropped, but an officer called him away. And you can bet that he was mighty sorry to go."

LOCAL UNEMPLOYMENT WILL BE LOOKED INTO

The question of unemployment was another question considered by the Council. The city engineer, the mayor and G. W. Kerr said they were constantly approached by people out of work and some of them badly in need. There are 140 now employed by the city and it was suggested that the work be divided up, giving a fortnight to each employee so that more had a chance. Ald. Kerr said he knew of 50 men wanting work, "and the only objection to them is that they are Canadians."

Ald. Montgomery suggested that the city burn wood instead of coal and thus give employment. Finally it was decided to pass the matter on to the board of works with the understanding that they have power to hire or fire men which they have not had this year as each foreman was given that authority.

MUST PAY FOR STREET BUT CAN'T GET IT

There is a bad muddle about the Eleventh avenue bylaw. This bylaw was consolidated with a number of others and sold to an American firm, who only paid for about \$6,000 of bonds to date and there are fears that they will not come through with the balance. In the meantime Eleventh avenue property owners must pay the assessment for this bylaw as well as sinking fund and interest. It cannot be cancelled because it is consolidated with other bylaws, part of which is sold. The cost is about \$70 per lot and there is no prospect of getting a street. Some of the property owners are beginning to think the Council has got them in a bad mixup.



ARCHDUKE CHARLES FRANCIS JOSEPH.

Heir to the Austrian-Hungarian throne, reported to be with the routed Austrian armies west of Przemyśl and in danger of capture. He is a grand-nephew of the Emperor and a nephew of Archduke Ferdinand, former heir, whose assassination marks the beginning of the war.

SOCIAL AND DANCE.

A social and dance will be given by the ladies of the Altar Society of the Catholic Church on Tuesday evening, October 6, in the Catholic Hall. Card playing starts at 9 p. m. sharp. Beautiful prizes for winners. Admission, 50c.

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City Band Practice.

The band members met Sunday and have a membership of twenty, with an addition of ten beginners taking lessons from Mr. Hoelscher. The band will have two rehearsals per week instead of Sundays. Mr. Hoelscher has a large collection of music on the road for the band. Some of the concert numbers include the Arcadians, Lucia, Ernani, Il Traviatore, Faust, Carmen, Orpheus, Suite by Greig, Fingals Cave, Finale 4th. Symphony by Tschai-kowsky and ballet Excelsior, several light numbers besides. The band's first appearance will be a grand ball, "music" furnished by the full band. Twenty-five per cent. of the receipts to go to the patriotic fund. In connection with the band Mr. Hoelscher has organized an orchestra of five pieces, which will be heard from later on. The next band rehearsal will be announced through the papers. Placing beginners from the start in the band would hinder the men that do play from going ahead and beginners can only sit in with band for rehearsals, when the bandmaster feels they can handle their part.

KAISER'S ORDER IS NOT CARRIED OUT

London, Oct. 5.—The Times says today that it is able to give from a thoroughly trustworthy source the text of an order issued by Emperor William to his army on August 19. It follows:

"It is my royal and imperial command that you concentrate your energies for the immediate present upon one single purpose, and that is that you put forth all your skill and all the valor of my soldiers to exterminate the treacherous English and walk over Gen. French's contemptible little army."

GERMAN PAPERS ADMIT THAT SITUATION IS DISQUIETING

GERMAN SOLDIERS FIGHTING FOR THIRTY-SEVEN DAYS WITHOUT ANY CHANCE OF REST—BAD WEATHER CAUSES SICKNESS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Copenhagen, Oct. 6.—Vivid accounts of the fighting appear in the German newspapers which now admit that the situation is desperate. The Allegemeine Zeitung says: "The officers and men have been fighting day and night for thirty-seven days. The Germans are facing a difficult strate-

gic situation in the mountain districts, where they are rendering superhuman services chiefly in flooded trenches under almost indescribable conditions. The strain is said to be almost unendurable. No German troops are able to retire from the fighting line for rest. Bad weather is causing much sickness."

FEARS ARE FELT FOR SAFETY OF BRUSSELS

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Oct. 6.—News from Brussels is disquieting. All the German wounded are said to be removed from the city. Several houses, one hotel and a railway station have been already burned and provocative acts on the part of the Germans are said to be growing more common. The population is excited and may be stung to take reprisals.

MORE HEAVY FIGHTING NEAR SOMME AND OISE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris (French Official Bulletin) On the left wing our front is extended more and more. Between Somme and Oise there have been alternate advances and withdrawals. Near Lassigny an important attack by the enemy was repulsed. North of Soissons we have, with the co-operation of the British army, made a slight advance.

REGIMENT SHOT AWAY; MAJOR FOUGHT ON

Great Heroism of French Officer—32 Left Out of 700 Men.

Angouleme (via Bordeaux), Sept. 23.—The family of Major C. Dupont, of the artillery, has received news of his heroic death in a recent action. With a regiment of 700 men strong he received orders to take a position in a meadow near a town. There was a dense fog at the time, through which ominous rumblings were heard, but Major Dupont's instructions were urgent. All his men stood at their posts waiting. Suddenly the fog lifted and revealed a company of German quick firers within 1,500 yards of the French position. In a few seconds all except two officers and thirty men had fallen before the storm of shot.

Major Dupont was among those unscathed. The German captain approached him and asked for his surrender. Major Dupont declined to give it and sprang to a gun beside which his gunners lay dead and trained it upon the enemy. But before he could fire a bullet stretched him across the gun mortally wounded.

Ex-Ald. Douglas leaves today by the Spokane for Seattle. He will spend the rest of the year with his family in that city. When asked if he expected to again be a candidate for alderman he replied that he would certainly be in the game at the next election.

CONFIDENCE EXPRESSED IN ULTIMATE SUCCESS

Paris, Oct. 6.—Critics refuse to attach any importance to the slight setback suffered by the Allies on the west wing yesterday. Confidence is still strong in the ultimate result. General Von Kluck may prolong his agony by pressing over northward, but his force seems to be utterly doomed.

ZANARDI SENTRY SHOOT AT BOAT

The sentry at Zanardi Rapids bridge seems bent to shoot somebody. A short time ago the "Leila" was taking a party of militia officers over there and as she approached the place in broad daylight a bullet was fired by the sentry right through the boat, passing close to the engineer's head. He apparently had called a halt without having been heard.

Last Saturday a local professional man went around the island with a party of women and children in an open boat, which anybody could see was a pleasure trip, and as they were approaching the bridge they were challenged by the sentry. At the time the boat was carried by a strong current and the engine could not possibly be stopped without danger of a collision. The soldier, however, insisted on viewing them as a body of Germans, and was with difficulty kept from shooting into their midst.

BIG GAME HUNTERS HAD GOOD SUCCESS

Mr. and Mrs. Bainter have just returned from a six weeks' hunting trip to the Atlin district. The report a very successful trip and a good time. They were along with Mr. and Mrs. Mobley, who are well acquainted in that country and know exactly where to get the big game. Each of them were successful in landing a moose—real big fellows with fine antlers. Mrs. Bainter shot one all by herself and is naturally very proud of her achievement. Three of the heads are being taken to Rupert. Besides being a great hunting resort the game is easily taken out, it being possible to take a pack horse right to the spot where the game was got.

Besides large game there are millions of ptarmigan and hundreds could be shot in a day.

Mr. and Mrs. Mobley and Harry Mobley remained behind for a few days, but will be home on Saturday.

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