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KING GEORGE IS VISITING THE TROOPS IN FRANCE

GERMAN SPLEEN DESTROYS CITY OF YPRES--ALL ATTACKS OF ENEMY HAS BEEN REPULSED

THE GERMANS DESTROY YPRES-- KING GEORGE GONE TO FRANCE

BRITISH AVIATORS HAVE BLOWN UP GERMAN PETROL DEPOTS AT GHENT AND BRUGES--GERMAN ATTACK SLACKENING OFF.

(Special to The Daily News.)
 London, Dec. 1.—Fighting in the western zone was confined yesterday to useless German attacks on Arras.
 The town of Ypres has been utterly destroyed by German explosives and incendiary bombs as revenge for the repulse the Germans have suffered there.

British Aviators Busy.
 The Allies aeroplanes are doing good service, and blew up petrol depots at Ghent and Bruges.
King George Goes to France.
 An announcement to the Official Press Bureau states that King George has gone to inspect the expeditionary force in France.



FIELD KITCHEN ON SALISBURY PLAIN.

TYPICAL VILLAGE STREET NEAR THE BIG CAMP



AFTER A SQUARE MEAL



SOME RECREATION--A WRESTLING BOUT

NEW PICTURES OF THE CANADIAN TROOPS AT SALISBURY PLAINS.

GERMAN ATTACK ON CANADA NO VIOLATION MONROE DOCTRINE

ONLY EFFECT IS SHOULD THEY ATTEMPT TO OVERTHROW GOVERNMENT AND SUBDUCE COUNTRY, SAYS EX-PRESIDENT TAFT.

Montclair, N. J., Nov. 30.—The Monroe Doctrine was strongly endorsed, its relation to the present European war discussed, and the declaration that interference by the United States in Mexico and Central American states has had nothing to do with that doctrine, was made by Former President William Howard Taft in an address here. These are some of the salient features of his remarks:
 The landing of troops in Canada by enemies of Great Britain would not constitute a violation of the doctrine, but an effort to establish a new form of government in case of victory would.

and carrying the war into a country which is waging war upon her? All that the Monroe Doctrine would consistently require of us would be to insist that when the war was over, if Germany was successful, she could not take over the territory of Canada and overthrow her government and establish her own there, or take any oppressive measure which would have a similar effect. But we could not object to her exacting an indemnity if she were the victor."

There is little likelihood of the policy being pressed in Argentina, Brazil and Chile. These countries are able to protect themselves, and they are so remote from the United States that violation of the doctrine in respect to them would not be harmful to this country's interests and safety.

50,000 AUSTRIANS WITH 600 OFFICERS CAPTURED BY RUSSIANS IN FORTNIGHT

(Special to The Daily News.)
 Petrograd, Dec. 1.—During the first half of November 50,000 men with 600 officers of the Austrian army were captured.

ANGLICAN BAZAAR

The Womens Auxilliary of the Anglican Church will hold their bazaar on December 3rd, in the church. The sale will consist of many useful and fancy articles for Xmas and New Year gifts, also home cooking and candies, ice cream and tea will be served during afternoons and evenings. A formal opening at 2:30. Musical program in the evening.

"AND THERE WAS LIGHT."

The Society Circus got a concession from the Council for two nights of free light during the circus in aid of the Belgian Fund. They used more light, however, than their authority covered—some \$50 worth. A letter from Jack Edwards, the secretary, to the Council asked for this additional rebate. It was granted.

Photos in the home grow priceless as the years go by. Why have vain regrets. Go now to the Benson Studio, 2nd Avenue, for that group picture. Sitings made day or night. All work delivered in one week. 4t.

THE WEATHER.

Compiled by F. W. Dowling, Observer.
 (5 a. m. December 1, 1914.)
 Barometer 29.537
 Max. temp. 36.0
 Min. temp. 24.0

BASKET BALL.

There will be a double header in the Basket Ball League tonight in the Rink at 8:15 sharp. Tigers play Callies; C. C.'s play Men's Own.

WANTED.

People to come and see our immense stock of Second Hand Furniture. We must dispose of it at once. Prices to suit everybody. Corner of Third Avenue and Seventh Street. Furniture Stores. Phones No. 86 and 465.

BATTLE IN POLAND STILL UNDECIDED

(Special to The Daily News.)
 Petrograd, Dec. 1.—Another day of the great battle in Poland has passed without decisive result. Both sides claim local advances but the situation seems to be practically unchanged. The Germans are rushing along reinforcements to save their army, which was almost surrounded.

5,000,000 MEN SAID TO HAVE BEEN LOST SO FAR

West Flanders, Nov. 30.—Assounding casualties which three and a half months of modern warfare has produced is a serious matter for the whole of Europe. There is good authority for the statement that this war has already accounted for something like five million of the pick of European manhood. This is no fancy figure. It has been worked out carefully.

OH, YOU GOVERNOR!

That governor for the electric plant—or the lack of it—is the vital question in the City Hall. The city has been wiring almost daily for weeks for it and as often has the Canadian General Electric Company assured them that it is on the way; that, indeed, it is almost here—but the governor refuses to turn up.
 The General Electric Company wants to improvise a temporary governor and that's where the rub comes. The mayor stated last night that the city solicitor had wired the head office asking if they would take the responsibility for any damage to the plant occasioned by this experiment. They did not reply to the wire. They got, however, a letter from their agent in Vancouver, saying that the company would guarantee their own machinery against the test, but not the pipeline, etc. The mayor had wired J. D. Ross for advice as to the hand governor and advised waiting for a reply.

Alderman Montgomery objected to the mayor and Alderman Morrissey taking so much initiative without consulting the Council. It was a mistake to wait. The delay cost the city \$125 per day. You don't need to pay the company until the governor is here. Let them go ahead with the temporary governor, and hold them to the contract.
 It was finally agreed to leave the matter over until Mr. Ross was heard from.

WASHED NUT COAL—\$5.00.
 New Wellington Coal Company, Phone 416.

Don't Argue!
 Go to Cole's Segar Store
 WITH EVERY 50c PURCHASE YOU GET A COUPON
 \$20.00 Motor Cycle First Prize
 \$10.00 Victor Victrola Second Prize
 Given Away Free on New Years Day
 PIPES TO FIT ANY FACE

COTTON COMPANY WANTS DEBENTURES

Cotton is King, but not in British Columbia. Cotton Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, however, want to do all Prince Rupert's work and take debentures for it. It's as simple as anything. Just, tell them what you want, from a hair-pin to an electric plant, and all you've got to do is to give them all the debentures they want and the work is done. It's an easy way of getting rid of debentures, too, and it enables the city to get lots of things for Christmas that they couldn't otherwise afford and it will give lots of good employment to labor at—perhaps 45 cents an hour and perhaps less. Anyway, they want the debentures and it doesn't matter who pays the bill. The finance committee will puzzle over it.

ELECTION OFFICERS.

The municipal election for mayor, aldermen and school trustees will be held on January 14. Nominations will be made one week earlier. A. Cuthbert has been appointed the returning officer, with the following deputy commissioners: J. M. Carmichael, David Z. McLennan, Thomas Trotter, Wm. Denning, George Sutherland and A. Clapperton.

RITCHIE MUST PAY.

The city solicitor reported last night re the Ritchie sewer case. He said that the decision meant that Mr. Ritchie would be compelled to pay all costs of the trial, those of the city as well as his own.

NAME WANTED.

For the big doll at Wallace's. Little girls, bring in suggestions and contest for the two dollars.

J. W. McKinley, of 416 Green street, is offering the balance of his furniture for less than half its cost. Call and see them, or phone Red 337. 2774f.

RUSSIANS CONTROL CARPATHIAN PASSES

(Special to The Daily News.)
 London, Dec. 1.—A Russian official statement says that the Russian troops command the Hungarian passes of the Carpathian Mountains.

WHEN IS AN AMENDMENT NOT AN AMENDMENT

The mayor needs another fish dinner. He nearly bit the head off a few aldermen last night. There was a discussion as to whether the city should or should not buy a gas-boat. Alderman Montgomery was contending that the small cost of some \$400 would be saved in hire within three months. The money, too, was at the credit of the lighting plant, and the boat should be secured. He moved that the Council proceed to open the tenders, which was duly seconded.

Alderman Morrissey opposed this. At this late date in the term of the Council it wasn't wise. Besides, the city hadn't the money. He moved that the Council do not open the tenders, which also was duly seconded.

The mayor proceeded to put the question, "All in favor of the amendment?"
 Alderman Montgomery: "There is no amendment. It is a direct contradiction."
 "Excuse me, Alderman Montgomery," said His Worship. "I'm going to run this show."

"But," protested the alderman, "look up the book of rules."
 "I don't care for rules," said the mayor. "Who is in favor of the amendment?"

With a great deal more noise than can be put on paper, the amendment that was not an amendment was carried, and there will be no city boat for the present.

COUPONS FREE

With every 50 cents purchase you get a chance to win the Big Doll at Wallace's. 277-78

SHOWS BAD LOGIC.

In the friendly discussion of the naval question which has been going on for a few days The Journal seems to have got badly twisted. It started out by telling how every Canadian "hung his head" because Canada did not go through with the Borden contribution. It didn't seem to matter that the contribution was too late to be effective, for the ships would not be ready for two years yet. The fact also that the Laurier naval policy, which would have been available and which was a duplicate of the Australian which has done such valiant service to date, was thrown down by the same Borden, does not seem to occur to them. The startling admission by The Journal today, however, is that as far as the British navy was concerned its "answer to the call of war was the characteristic, 'Aye, ready.'" In this The Journal is right. The North Sea is safe, but what about our own coasts, where the Laurier naval policy would apply. "Out of thine own mouth have I judged thee."

WHERE GREAT BRITAIN STANDS

Some of the British papers are publishing the following couplet on their front page daily:
 "Come, the three corners of the world in arms,
 And we shall shock them:
 Nought shall make us rue,
 If Britain to itself do rest but true."

CANADIANS FORMING AN AVIATION CORPS

(Special to The Daily News.)
 London, Dec. 1.—An aviation corps is being formed from the Canadian Contingent from Salisbury Plain.

TELEPHONE AND LIGHT DEPARTMENTS

The telephone department at the Council last night, through the superintendent, submitted a statement of costs and earnings for the month of October, which showed the following:

Maintenance	\$206.15	\$ 2.50	\$208.65
Gen. expenses	619.45	62.26	681.71
Sinking fund and interest			284.50
Total operating costs			\$1,174.86
REVENUE			
Total collections for month			\$2,190.75
Surplus for month			\$1,015.89
CAPITAL			
Labor		\$ 99.40	
Material		107.37	
			\$206.67

Light Department.

The office of the superintendent of the light departments reports upon the costs and earnings for the month of October as follows:

Generation	\$804.00	\$2,294.75	\$3,098.75
Maintenance	177.25	35.20	212.45
Gen. exps.	307.60	7.50	405.00
Sinking fund and interest			556.93
Total operating costs			\$4,273.13
REVENUE			
Light and power accounts			\$5,536.55
Service charges			58.00
Total earnings			\$5,594.55
Net revenue			\$1,321.42
CAPITAL			
Labor		\$199.05	
Material		481.60	
			\$680.71

TENDERS FOR HOSE.

At the Council meeting last night tenders were opened for the supply of hose for the Fire Department. The prices were from the Gutta Percha Company through Fred Stork, at \$1.10 and \$1 a foot, according to quality; from the Thompson Hardware, at \$1.10; \$1.05 and \$1; from the Kaizen Hardware, at \$1.10 and \$1.05; from Howe & McNulty, for \$1.10, \$1.85c and 65c. These were referred to the fire committee for report.

Cold nights—warm blankets—Wallace's. 277-78