

ATTACK ON THE BRITISH TRENCHES IS REPULSED

SIANS REPORTED TO HAVE TURKS IN CORNER--FISH MEETING HEARS ADDRESS BY MEMBER

ANS AND BRITISH CLASH-- BRITISH RETAKE TRENCHES

HAVE BEEN IN RECENT FIGHTS -- ALSO ATTACKS
D COUNTER ATTACKS BETWEEN THE FRENCH
AND GERMANS.

Thann, Lanbach and Senneheim.
What Berlin Says.
Berlin, Jan. 26.—The German official report says that two strong points of support in possession of the British were captured by the Germans in a general assault on the British positions near La Bassee.
Berlin Reports.
Berlin, Jan. 26.—A large number of inhabitants were injured by the bombardment of Middelkirke and Westende in Belgium, including the Middelkirke burgo-master.
In the region of La Bassee the Germans claim to have captured British positions of 4,200 yards. Three officers and 110 men were taken prisoners by the Germans, and one cannon and three machine guns captured. The British attempt to recapture the positions was repulsed with heavy losses.

MINISTER HAS RAISE FOR BRITAIN

Jan. 26.—Foreign
Sazanoff, replying to a
concerning the help
rendering the Allies,
Britain had undertaken
ar heavier than was ex-
er. "So long as a sin-
soldier remains on
il no peace will be con-
d Sazanoff, adding: "As
uation of the enemies'
we are bound by an
with the Allies."

ALL BELIEVED LOST WHEN YACHT SANK

(Special to The Daily News.)
New York, Jan. 26.—Captain
Harding, of the schooner yacht
Idler, and his crew of fourteen
men, are believed to have perished
when the yacht sank off the
Inner Diamond shoals.

GERMAN CAPTIVES LANDED IN SCOTLAND

(Special to The Daily News.)
Edinburgh, Jan. 26.—Fifty survivors of the Blucher have been
landed from two British torpedo
boat destroyers at Leith.

CITY ASSESSMENT IS UP FOR DISCUSSION

The city assessment was up for
discussion last night. The mayor
and Alderman Morrissey, for the
finance committee, recommended
that in ordering the assessor to
proceed with the work "a sugges-
tion" be included that there be no
change made in the values.

Alderman McClymont, the other
member of the finance committee,
presented a minority report, asking
that the assessor be not inter-
fered with.

A discussion brought out the
fact from the city solicitor that
the Council could adopt last
year's assessment and that there
could be no appeal from it.

THE WEATHER.

By F. W. Dowling, Observer.

(5 a. m. January 26, 1915.)
Barometer 29.996
Max. temp. 44.0
Min. temp. 34.0
Rainfall01



PRINCESS ELIZABETH



QUEEN DOWAGER



QUEEN MARIE



PRINCESS ILEANA



KING FERDINAND

TURKEY IN CLAWS OF RUSSIAN BEAR

(Special to The Daily News.)

Petrograd, Jan. 26.—The Rus-
sian Caucasian army is closing in
on the Turkish Black Sea flank.
Where the Ottoman troops are de-
scribed as in a dangerous plight.

Stubborn Resistance

Petrograd, Jan. 26.—The official
report from the Caucasus
says that the Russian offensive
continues in the region of Trans-
Charuk despite the obstinate of-
fensive of the Turks. In the re-
gion of Oiti isolated fighting has
occurred.

MAYOR AND MORRISSEY WILL MAKE TOUR

The mayor has always been
jealous about that trip his prede-
cessors made to London. Why
shouldn't he have a trip, too?
When he goes, though, he won't
take the city solicitor—for he had
his trip. It's Alderman Morrissey's
turn now.

Last night he announced that
the time had come to make the
trip. No better chance would
ever come. The mayor and the
finance minister will first storm
Victoria and if they don't get all
they want there they are going to
Montreal and take the general
manager of the Bank of Montreal
by the ears and demand that he
hand over all the money in his
vaults.

It is conceivable, however, that
the worthy manager might object
to this rough handling or that
the aggressors might begin to
quake at the knees. So if this
fails they will go to Ottawa and
tell Papa. Anyway, they are going
to have a bonny time and if
they can sell some of the city's
debentures, so much the better.
They will leave in a few days. Alderman
Kerr was appointed acting
mayor.

TELEPHONE POST BLOCKS CITY STREET

Alf Halligan got his car injured
by coming in contact with a city
telephone pole on Fourth Avenue
East that stands on the street.
Through Carss & Carss last night
he informed the City Council that
he would expect them to make
good the damages. They amount
to about \$32. The city solicitor
and city engineer will report.

We have a few more suits, per-
haps one that will just fit you.—
Demers. 20-21

STEAMER WAS RAMMED BY SCHOONER AND SANK

(Special to The Daily News.)

New York, Jan. 26.—The steam-
er Washingtonian, of the Ameri-
can-Hawaiian Line, was rammed
by a schooner off Cape Henlopen
and sunk. One person was
drowned.

GERMAN ALLIES MAKE ADVANCE IN POLAND

(Special to The Daily News.)

Cracow, Jan. 26.—Austro-Ger-
man forces have occupied Kielce,
in Russian Poland.

BURNS NIGHT WAS DULY CELEBRATED

The Night of Burns was cele-
brated last evening in St. An-
drew's Hall. Instead of the for-
mal banquet of former years, the
spread last night was put on by
the society's ladies' auxiliary and
was a great credit to that organ-
ization. It could not be beat in
any of the local hotels, which is
saying quite a lot.

About two hundred people were
there at 8:30 o'clock to partake
of the banquet that was spread,
including a number of invited
guests. About 9:30 the toasts and
speeches began, and continued
until about 2 a. m. In the mean-
time the lads and lasses who were
yearning for the advent of the
light fantastic were wishing they
could administer Hobson's treat-
ment to some of the long-winded
orators. Finally the speeches
were finished, the tables cleared
away in short order and after
that the dance commenced, which
was enjoyed by young and old,
and continued well into the
morning.

Tenders will be called for the
towing of the garbage scow. It
will require a boat with a thirty
horsepower engine and a con-
tract to end at a notice of thirty
days. It was specified that the
insertion only appear once in the
local papers.

COMMITTEES NAMED NEW BOARD OF TRADE

The first meeting of the new
executive of the Board of Trade
was held yesterday in the Board
of Trade rooms, Second Avenue.

The president, Mr. D. G. Stew-
art presided, and a number of
matters were referred to the vari-
ous committees appointed for
action and report. It was decided
to continue the publicity bureau,
under the management of F. S.
Wright, the commissioner. It was
also decided that the fisheries
committee should co-operate with
the citizens committee to the
fullest extent in connection with
the obtaining of the concessions
as to ruling regulations from
the government. It was also de-
cided to continue the luncheons
of the board. The following com-
mittees were appointed, the first
name on each committee being
the chairman:

Freight Rates—F. G. Dawson,
F. H. Mobley, W. P. Lynch.
Trade and Commerce—F. H.
Mobley, W. P. Lynch, M. Albert.
Mining—L. W. Patmore, A. Da-
vidson, G. R. Naden.
Insurance—W. P. McCaffery,
M. Hobin, T. D. Pattullo.
Port—H. B. Babington, O. H.
Nelson, G. L. Clayton
Civic—M. Albert, J. G. McNab,
G. A. Woodland.
Membership—S. P. McMordie,
G. Frizzell, S. Parker.
Publicity—T. D. Pattullo, O. H.
Nelson, J. G. McNab.
Fisheries—G. W. Nickerson, G.
L. Clayton, W. E. Williams.
Legislature—W. E. Williams,
F. H. Mobley, L. W. Patmore.
Transportation—M. J. Hobin,
G. A. Woodland, H. B. Babington.
Entertainment—G. Frizzell, G.
W. Nickerson, S. P. McMordie.

SAW A BIG WHALE.

Victoria, Jan. 26.—The Japa-
nese liner Chicago Maru, which
reached port Friday afternoon
from the Far East, sighted a dead
whale early on Wednesday morn-
ing when 200 miles from the
coast. The big mammal, 100
feet long, was floating upside
down, and its great length at-
tracted considerable attention. In
addition to her local cargo, the
Chicago Maru brought 4,266 tons
of cargo for Vancouver, 934 tons
for Seattle and 3,107 tons for Ta-
coma, including 744 bales of raw
silk for overland shipment.

FISH MEETING WELL ATTENDED-- H. S. CLEMENTS CHIEF SPEAKER

PETITION WITH 2,500 NAMES TO BE PRESENTED TO AUTHORI-
TIES—MEMBER PROMISES TO DO HIS UTMOST
IN GETTING CONCESSION.

There was a crowded house last
night in the Empress Theatre to
hear the discussion on fishery
concessions for Prince Rupert.
H. S. Clements was the chief
speaker.

After reading the memorandum
to be presented to the govern-
ment on the question, he expos-
tulated on a few phases of the
question, which are very familiar
to the people of this city. He
urged the people to do all they
could to secure this industry, as
Seattle and Ketchikan were do-
ing their utmost to beat us. He
did not say, however, why he
objected to sending a delegation
to Ottawa to support him, which
is about the only thing the citi-

zens have not already done.
At the close of the meeting, a
resolution was put by Fred Stork,
and carried unanimously, that
the city in mass meeting endorse
the requests already made of the
government.

Mr. George L. Clayton presided
and outlined the demands of this
city along the line of allowing
American fishermen to buy their
supplies here and to sell their fish
in bond without the trouble of
shipping it themselves to the
United States as the present reg-
ulations demand.

Mr. Clements promised to do his
utmost in the matter and will pre-
sent the petition containing some
2,500 names to the authorities.

GERMAN CRUISER SEEN LAYING MINES

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 26.—The German
armored cruiser, Friederich Carl,
and numerous torpedo boats were
seen off Aland Islands, at the en-
trance to the Gulf of Bothnia,
steering south. It is believed
they were laying mines in the
gulf. All shipping there has been
stopped.

CANADIAN BUGLER MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 26.—An unidenti-
fied Canadian bugler was killed
and two others injured at Salis-
bury Plains as a result of a mo-
toring smash.

CANON RIX WILL LECTURE IN ST. PETER'S CHURCH, SEAL COVE

Another opportunity is being
given to hear Rev. Canon Rix de-
liver his masterly lecture on "The
Flag." Many who wished to
hear the canon on this, one of his
favorite subjects, when he lectured
at the Empress Theatre some
time ago were disappointed owing
to the inclement weather. However,
next Thursday, January
28, at 8 p. m., at St. Peter's
Church, Seal Cove, the lecture in
its entirety will be repeated, to-
gether with a short program of
songs, recitations, etc. A most
interesting and profitable evening
is promised. The proceeds on
this occasion will be devoted to
St. Peter's Church building fund
of the Ladies' Aid. Admission,
25 cents.

WANTED.

Piano at reasonable price. Ap-
ply P. O. Box 895. 19-25
Dresses moving rapidly, but
still a few are left at \$7.50 and
\$12.50.—Demers. 20-21
A few copies of the Pioneer
Booklet remain unsold. To close
them out quickly the publishers
have reduced the price. Get one
at Orme's (either store) for 75c
while they last. 8t

GERMAN CRUISER REPORTED TORPEDOED

(Special to The Daily News.)

Malmoe, Sweden, Jan. 26.—It
is persistently reported here
that the German protected cruiser
Gazelle was torpedoed yester-
day by a submarine of unknown
nationality in the Baltic off the
Prussian coast.

KITCHENER PRAISES PRINCESS PATRICIAS

(Special to The Daily News.)

Montreal, Jan. 26.—A letter re-
ceived here credits Lord Kitchen-
er with the statement that the
Patricias are "the premier regi-
ment of my second army."

TORONTO LOSES HER DEPUTY POLICE CHIEF

(Special to The Daily News.)

Toronto, Jan. 26.—Deputy
Chief of Police Stark is dead, at
the age of 65 years.

REDUCTION IN COAL.

Beginning Monday, January 25,
the price of New Wellington Coal
will be as follows:
No. 1 House Lump Coal, per
ton \$10.00
Washed Nut, per ton \$8.50
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ery guaranteed.—Rogers & Albert.
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