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DECISIVE ENGAGEMENT ON RUSSIAN FRONT

MINOR RUSSIAN SUCCESSES -- TURKS' DARING ATTEMPT TO REGAIN TRENCHES

DARING TURKISH ATTEMPT TO REGAIN LOST TRENCHES

TURKS LED BY GERMAN OFFICERS MAKE A DESPERATE ATTEMPT—ALL OFFICERS AND MAJORITY OF MEN KILLED—REMAINDER TAKEN PRISONERS—STEAMERS SUNK.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, June 17.—A daring attempt made by Turkish troops, led by German officers, to recapture the lost trenches in the Dardanelles resulted in the killing of the officers and the majority of the men.

When the trenches were captured by the Dublin Fusiliers, with the bayonet, over 200 dead Turks were discovered who were the victims of an enflaming fire

by our machine guns. The remainder were taken prisoners.

More Steamers Sunk.

London, June 17.—The British steamer Stratstairn has been torpedoed and sunk in the English Channel. Eleven of her crew were landed. The captain and several of the crew drowned when one of the boats capsized. The steamer Trafford, of 234 tons, also has been torpedoed. The crew was saved.



WHERE GERMANS BURNED BRITISH WOUNDED—A church at Douliu, Belgium, which German soldiers filled with straw and set on fire after placing their own dead and the British wounded on the straw.

"THE CAUSELESS WAR" BY WILLIAM J. BRYAN

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, June 17.—The second installment of ex-Secretary of State Bryan's "The Causeless War" claims that military preparedness provokes instead of prevents war. The article says that it would have been difficult to keep the United States out of the war if they had been prepared.

ROBERT W. SERVICE IS AT THE FRONT

Ottawa, June 17.—Word has been received here that R. W. Service, the Yukon poet and novelist, author of "Songs of a Sourdough," is "doing his bit" at the front. Service left London about the end of May as a chauffeur in the Anglo-American Ambulance Corps, an organization under the auspices of the Red Cross, and among the members of this corps are many Harvard men. Several of them are multi-millionaires, and own half a dozen cars, but all are content to drive one for the cause of humanity. Service has been a resident of Paris since shortly after war commenced.

FOOTBALL.

The following team will represent the Merchants in their game with the Sons of England tomorrow night. All players are requested to be on hand at 7 p. m.: H. Smart, goal; W. H. Doodson and James Currie, backs; R. Arthur, F. Cameron and J. Knowles, halves; J. M. Thomson, A. M. Brighton, J. A. Hunter and L. Ives, forwards; reserves, J. Simpson and D. Allen. 140-41

E. H. Beazley, superintendent of the Union Steamship Company, left for Vancouver on the Prince George.

A most enjoyable dance was given last night in St. Andrew's Hall in honor of the Hazelton ball players.

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VICTORIA BASEBALL TEAM IS DISBANDED

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, June 17.—The Victoria baseball team has been disbanded and its franchise returned to the Northwestern League. The players refused to accept a cut in wages, following ten straight defeats.

FORMER SECRETARY TO BRYAN IS DEAD

Albuquerque, N. M., June 17.—Harvey B. Ferguson, 67, former congressman from New Mexico, who recently resigned as private secretary to William J. Bryan, died at his home here last Thursday of apoplexy. Mr. Ferguson served as delegate in Congress from New Mexico in the Fifty-fifth Congress and was the first congressman from New Mexico following admission of the state in 1911.

PRINCE GEORGE ARRIVES.

The following were amongst the first-class passengers on the G. T. P. S.S. Prince George this morning: L. P. Stills, D. A. Whyte, Mr. Bacon, Miss Gibberson, Miss Weston, Mrs. T. M. Hamilton, S. M. King and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fraser, Mrs. T. W. Toyer, Mrs. Plummer, E. H. Murphy, G. D. Gord, R. E. Coleman and wife, J. J. Bowman, A. F. Kolno, Angus Beaton, Father Lewis, J. A. Russell, Lieut. W. S. Marshall, A. Douglas, V. Dalmage, J. F. Pooler, Mr. and Mrs. Bowden, Geo. Raeseta, Miss Fulmore, Mrs. G. B. Hood, Mrs. D. B. Rose, Geo. Rose, J. E. Knobel, F. Burgunder, T. Hill, Lieut. Nichols, Mrs. J. Talbot and R. B. Switzer.

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DECISIVE ENGAGEMENT ON THE ENTIRE RUSSIAN FRONT

MANY MINOR SUCCESSES—SHORTENED LINE HOLDS FIRM—NEW FRONT EXTENDS FOR 682 MILES—BRITISH OFFENSIVE CONTINUES TO ADVANCE.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, June 17.—Reports of many minor successes by the Russians stimulate the belief that the shortened Russian line is now holding firm.

A decisive engagement is in progress along the entire Russian front, extending for 682 miles in Poland, Galicia and Bukowina.

Western Front.

London, June 17.—The British offensive continues to advance.

The French also claim advances and further captures of parts of the German labyrinth of fortifications.

Judge Gregory deferred judgment in the case against Frank McAllister, who is charged with stealing fishing gear. Accused claimed he committed the theft while under the influence of liquor.

VANCOUVER MAN PROMOTED ON FIELD

Earning his promotion by "valor in the field," E. H. Henry, a member of the 72d Seaforth serving in the 16th Battalion at the front, has received a commission as lieutenant. He left here as a private, received his corporal's stripes at Valcartier, became a platoon sergeant when the Canadian division went to France, and after the battle of Ypres was recommended for commissioned rank.

Lieutenant Henry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Henry of Chemainus. He was formerly a draughtsman in the employ of the B. C. Electric Railway at Vancouver. When the 72d was formed he was one of the first to enroll. He volunteered for active service as soon as war was declared. He has a large acquaintance here and his friends will be glad to hear of his quick promotion.—The Province.

JERRY BONNEAU ARRIVED IN TOWN LAST NIGHT

Jerry Bonneau, one of Prince Rupert's most popular old-timers, came in on the train last night.

Mr. Bonneau owns a lot of property in town, including the Bayview Hotel, which was burned down lately.

THE WEATHER.

(5 a. m., June 17, 1915.)
Barometer 30.024
Max. temp. 52.0
Min. temp. 50.0
F. W. Dowling, Observer.

John Dybhavn returned last night from the Scandinavian convention at Escanaba, Mich.

Follow the crowd to Self's Cafe. There is a reason. Next Majestic Theatre. 102tf.

General Superintendent Mehan returned last night from a trip over the Pacific division and branches.

Judge Gregory and a jury are today hearing evidence in the case of Rex vs. John May.

Rev. Mr. Frank, the new Methodist minister of Smithers, left for the Interior town this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Frank.

VANCOUVER TEACHERS SALARIES REDUCED

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, June 17.—The School Board, at a meeting last night, ordered a 10 per cent cut in all teachers' salaries, to be effective July 1. This makes a saving of \$28,000 for the remainder of the year.

GERMAN SUBMARINE IS CHEATED OF ITS PREY

London, June 17.—The Danish schooner Marie, which has arrived at Leith, Scotland, reports that last Thursday, while on the passage from Christiansund she was held up by a German submarine, forty miles off the Isle of May, Scotland. The crew of the schooner was ordered to their boats and the Germans boarded the Marie with the intention of setting fire to her, according to the story, but on the appearance of two British patrol boats the men returned to the submarine, which disappeared. A patrol boat towed the Marie to Leith.

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Majestic Theatre

—ANNOUNCEMENT—

Fair Play is My Motto.—Through a mixup in Vancouver, either by the Film Exchange or Express Companies, "The Black Box" has not arrived in Prince Rupert and we will not be able to show it today. We are substituting a first-class program, fully worth the price of admission.

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HAQUI INDIANS SEEK TO EMULATE THE KAISER

(Special to The Daily News.)

Washington, June 17.—A force of 600 bluejackets and marines, under Admiral Howard, has been ordered on an expedition to the Aquila Valley from Guaymas, on the west coast of Mexico. The Aquila Indians have declared war on Americans, Mexicans and Germans and threaten to annihilate foreigners.

PUNCH, KAISER, UNCLE SAM.

London, June 17.—Punch's cartoon this week depicts the Kaiser gesticulating anxiously and dressing Uncle Sam, who is smiling and very weary. The Kaiser is saying "Everything can be explained. I can put the whole thing in a nutshell, if you'll only listen to me for three years, or the duration of the war."

Prof. R. W. Brock, dean of the faculty of applied science in the C. University, came in from Ottawa last night, and left for Vancouver on the Prince George.

WEST HOLME

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(Special to The Daily News.)

London, June 17.—The Morning Post said yesterday morning: "A letter, received in Loanhead, Midlothian, by friends of a corporal serving in the Canadian contingent, states that his company, on capturing one of the enemy's trenches, found eight reservoirs of poisonous gas marked 1914, and also respirators dated 1911.

"The discovery would seem to indicate that the plan of using poisonous gas was no new thing with the German army, as has been generally understood to be the case."

The first recorded case of extensive use by the Germans of gas was north of Ypres on April 23, when the French lines were driven back two or three miles after a cloud of gas was wafted into their trenches from the German front.

FAMOUS TRAVELER WILL VISIT PRINCE RUPERT

Frank M. Carpenter, the famous traveler and brilliant descriptive writer, will shortly spend two weeks in Prince Rupert, on his way to Alaska.

Mr. Carpenter was formerly inspector of consulates for the United States government.

Len Bell, G. T. P. engineer, returned from an extended visit to the East on last night's train and was heartily welcomed by his old friends. He attended the convention of locomotive engineers in Cleveland, Ohio.

Strawberries and Ice Cream
At the Presbyterian Church hall, Fourth Avenue, next Saturday, June 19th, 3:30 to 6 p. m. 41-42

The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of accidental death in the case of Abram Mikeff, who met his death by falling down the elevator shaft at the cold storage plant.

Two ladies from Comox Avenue were charged at the Police Court this morning with running disorderly houses. One was fined \$25, the other case being adjourned for three days.