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## BALKAN SITUATION CLEARS CONSIDERABLY

### ROUMANIA TO AID ALLIES--GREECE STANDING BY--BULGARIANS ARE REPULSED

#### ROUMANIA WILL AID ALLIES-- SERBS DRIVE BACK GERMANS

**ROUMANIA WILL JOIN ALLIES--BULGARIA REPULSED--GERMANS LOSE HEAVILY AGAINST SERBS--KAISER AT THE BALKAN FRONT--GREECE CONTINUES ARMED NEUTRALITY**

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, Oct. 12. Premier Bratiano, of Roumania, has informed the Italian government that Roumania will enter the war on the side of the Allies for certain. Roumania will, however, choose her own time in taking the field against the Austro-Germans.

Bulgarian officers in Switzerland have refused to re-join the colors to fight against Russia.

##### Bulgarian Attack.

London, Oct. 12.—Bulgarian troops attacked Vlasina, in Serbia last night. All attacks were repulsed.

##### Foothold in Belgrade.

Paris, Oct. 12.—150,000 Austro-Germans who have crossed the Save and the Danube have been repulsed by the Serbian artillery. Belgrade is the only point where the enemy has gained a foothold.

Bulgaria has requested Roumania to furnish 600 cars for the transporting of troops and is entrenched on the Serbian frontier.

##### Greek Attitude.

Premier Zaimis, of Greece, announces that it will be better to

continue an armed neutrality until it is assured that vital interests of Greece are at stake. Greece will shape her future conduct to meet events.

##### Germans Repulsed.

Nish, Oct. 12.—Our troops have repulsed the Germans in their effort to cross the Danube, capturing mortars and four machine guns. One detachment of the enemy was annihilated near Semendria.

On the Drina front, several detachments crossed the river, but were unable to advance. We hold our positions.

##### Kaiser There.

The Kaiser has arrived at the Serbian front.

##### Armenian Massacres.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Ambassador Morgenthau reports that the massacre of Armenians has been renewed with vigor since Bulgaria entered the war as Turkey's ally. The majority of Armenians in Turkey have now been killed.

The meeting of the Presbyterian Club has been postponed until Wednesday, October 20.

#### OPIUM SMUGGLING ON STEAMER MONTEAGLE

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—Customs officers, who made a search on the C. P. R. steamer Monteagle, discovered a huge plot to smuggle opium. Six hundred tins, containing opium valued at \$100,000, were discovered and seized, after a fight with the Chinese smugglers.

#### ART NOBLE TO LECTURE ON RED CROSS WORK

Under the auspices of the Helping Hand Society, Art Noble, who recently returned from the front, will speak on the work of the Red Cross Society at the front, in St. Andrew's Hall on Wednesday at 8 p. m.

There will be a silver collection, which will be donated to buying tobacco for the Rupert boys in the trenches.

George A. McNicholl returned from Winnipeg last night.

#### WEALTHY YOUNG MAN MISTAKEN FOR BURGLAR

(Special to The Daily News.)

New Orleans, Oct. 11.—Rev. Byron Holley, rector of the fashionable St. George's Episcopal Church, shot and killed Lansing Pearsall, the son of a wealthy railroad contractor, in his study at 6 a. m. today. The rector says that he thought Pearsall was a burglar.

#### WOMEN VOTING IN NORWEGIAN ELECTION

(Special to The Daily News.)

Christiania, Oct. 11.—Women are voting today for the first time in a Norwegian general election. There are 170,000 new electors on the rolls. It is forecasted that the change will give added strength to the Socialist and anti-militarist parties.

**LADIES,** Call and see the latest millinery at 608 Fulton Street, next Fulton Market, reasonable prices. 240-42.

#### ALLIED SUCCESSES CONTINUE-- HUNS DEFEATED EAST AND WEST

**GERMANS LOSE 7,500 MEN AT LOOS--FRENCH ARTILLERY FIRE EFFECTIVE--RUSSIANS PIERCE GERMAN LINES ON STRIPA--THE RUSSIAN ADVANCE PUSHED RAPIDLY**

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, Oct. 11.—(Official) German counter attacks at Loos have been repulsed, the Germans leaving 7,500 dead on the field. The French have retained their hold on Loos and have advanced another 1,000 yards.

The French batteries have replied effectively to heavy German bombardment at La Scarpe, in Champagne and at Spaurain.

##### Later.

Paris, Oct. 12.—Fighting continues northeast of Souchez and on the Heights of La Folie.

##### Russian Successes.

Petrograd, Oct. 12.—The Russian forces have pierced the German lines on the river Stripa, taking over 2,000 men, sixty officers, four big guns and ten rapid firing guns. The Russian advance is being rapidly pushed.

##### London Optimistic.

London, Oct. 12.—The recent successes in the east and west have sent another wave of optimism over England. The Russian forces have had a series of successes around Dvinsk and in eastern Galicia. The accuracy of

their artillery fire demonstrates that they have recovered from the recent shortage of ammunition.

#### ANOTHER PRINCE RUPERT BOY RETURNED

Edward Biddle, the returned warrior who has been filling the columns of the Vancouver papers with war stories, went from Prince Rupert with the first contingent, and has brought back with him the wrist watch presented to him before leaving this city. The shine is considerably gone from the case, and the face bears blood stains, but Ed. would not trade that Prince Rupert watch for the best chronometer on the coast or anywhere else.

He expects to return to Prince Rupert in the course of a week or so, and Prince Rupert will have an opportunity of welcoming one more of its brave sons. He has a German helmet and several other curios.

Don't forget St. John Ambulance meeting in Hays' Building tonight.

## FLAG OPERATIONS

Ottawa, October 9.—It has not escaped the notice of his friends that Major General Sir Sam Hughes is obliged to spend a large part of his time roving from one Canadian city to another, gathering salutes from the soldiers, verbal bouquets from officers who have their way to make, and civic receptions where the mayor can be persuaded to sign the order. Although this is a duty not unpleasant to Sir Sam, the opinion grows here that he could profitably stay at home at Ottawa and attend to matters, less personal perhaps, but quite as important, to the welfare of the nation and the Conservative party.

For instance, there is the large question of getting all the good that can be got in the way of cheer for the people and argument for the next election campaign out of the grand old Union Jack. It is felt that the Minister of Militia should have this department in charge. He is just the man for it. Activity along this line has been neglected far too long. So far as an adequate display of flags is concerned the Germans might well doubt whether we have a native land to die for at all.

This strange absence of flags has been brought to the attention of the authorities mostly by the remarks of American tourists in Canada, who cannot understand how a country can be in the throes of a great war without hanging out a banner or two. The average American visits Canada, sees our troops marching away by the thousands, the people lining the streets to see the heroes off, but no cheering, no flags.

Naturally our American cousin asks why.

"We feel too sad to cheer," we reply, with a lump in our throats.

"So many of these brave fellows will never come back."

And that explains why there is so little cheering. But when the American cousin goes on to ask about flags, we are fairly stumped. Why is it that the cities and towns and villages of Canada, the public buildings and the private dwellings, are not aflame with the Union Jack and the Red Ensign? Why do we deny our soldiers the sight of that oriflamme of liberty, and justice, to hearten and inspire them? There's nothing that bucks the soldier boy up like that meteor flag fluttering from every corner of the old home town as he marches away to Flanders, or the Dardanelles, or Egypt, or wherever the paths of glory lead him. The old flag and the band playing "The Girl I Left Behind Me" there's a remembrance to live in his heart amidst the perils of battle. It sustains him like a religion.

Knowing what aid and comfort it is, why don't the soldiers get a chance to see more of it? If ever there was a time to wave the flag this is it. Here is a real crisis of Empire, a real occasion for loyal bunting, a tremendous opportunity for all the moral support and spiritual enthusiasm the flag can supply, yet the government does nothing. It does not even give out a word of advice and encouragement.

The other day Premier Borden was visiting the great and loyal city of Toronto, with the object of delivering a message from our soldiers at the front. His visit coincided with the news of victories in Flanders and the Argonne—a double reason for flags and paeans of joy. One would have thought to see flags everywhere, on the shop fronts, on towers and steeples, in the hands of the young men and maidens, in the

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#### THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY AT THE WESTHOLME

The Westholme Theatre has a particularly good eight-reel program for tonight. There is not a dull moment from start to finish. "The Diamond From the Sky" becomes increasingly interesting as the story unfolds and last night the management had difficulty in finding seats for all who wished to see it.

Charlie Chaplin in "The Champion" is as funny as ever, while Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew in "Following the Scent" provide fun for everybody. "A Bag of Gold" and "The Shadow and the Shade" are both splendid dramas. This is one of the finest programs ever presented to a Rupert audience.

##### WORLD'S SERIES

Boston, Oct. 12.—Boston defeated Philadelphia by 2 runs to 1 today. Chalmers and Burns were the Philadelphia battery and Shore and Cady for Boston.

#### KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS DANCE

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#### MONTEAGLE ON FIRE AT VANCOUVER DOCK

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, Oct. 11.—The C. P. R. steamer Monteagle is on fire here. She was due to sail tomorrow for the Orient. While preparing to place the hatches on No. 2 hold at 4 a. m. today, a tongue of flame shot skyward.

The entire crew and engineering staff assisted the local fire brigade to fight the flames, which are now under control. Two firemen were taken to the hospital, suffering from the effects of the smoke.

The Monteagle had 1,500 tons of cargo in No. 2 hold, consisting of cotton, sewing machines and a mixed cargo. She will have to be unloaded in order to hold an investigation to see whether her plates are buckled. C. P. R. officials refuse to discuss an incendiary theory.

##### Otter Wrecked.

The C. P. R. steamer Otter has gone on the rocks at D'Arcy Island. She was on her way north from Victoria to assist in removing the cargo from the wrecked Mariposa, preparatory to an effort to float the Alaskan boat.

The Otter was an old wooden steamer valued at \$30,000. She is reported to be a total loss, and abandoned by the underwriters.

The Cordova and Salvor, of Vancouver are standing by the Mariposa.

You must hear Art Noble speak in St. Andrew's Hall tomorrow night.

#### THE BROKEN COIN AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE

The eleventh episode of "The Broken Coin" at the Majestic is just as full of excitement as the others. War has been declared, and the count and his friends are in the thick of it. The battle scenes are intensely realistic.

"For I Have Foiled" is a striking drama which must appeal to all. A wealthy manufacturer, determined to find out the conditions under which his employees work, disguises himself and goes to work in his own factory. The results are illuminating for the millionaire and discomfiting for his superintendent.

"When Their Dads Fell Out" is an extremely funny comedy, while the Animated Weekly is up-to-date and interesting. Coming Wednesday—a great two-reel drama entitled "The Tomboy."

##### THE DRYDOCK

W. T. Donnelly left for the east on Saturday's delayed train. Mr. Donnelly is thoroughly satisfied with the tests carried out at the dock. This is the tenth dock of the kind which Mr. Donnelly has designed. The others are all being used regularly, and he intends to do all he possibly can to get work for the Prince Rupert dock at an early date. It is just possible that it will be occupied this winter. Robert Smith has been awarded a contract to lay steam piping throughout the yards. The work, which represents an expenditure of \$5,000, will start at once.

#### TWO AMERICAN FISHERMEN LOST

The American fishing schooner Seymour, which arrived from the banks on Saturday night, reported the loss of two members of the crew, John Lovig and Alfred Lund, off Cape Clear, in Alaskan waters. Both were experienced fishermen. It is supposed that they became entangled in the gear. No trace of the men or their dory could be found.

Chimneys, pipes, ranges and furnaces cleaned. Repairs of all descriptions—Fitz, Phone 583.

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