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WHOLESALE SURRENDER OF AUSTRIANS

"BRAVE CANADIANS" HAILED BY LONDON CITIZENS -- TWO HUN CRUISERS GONE

EUROPE AMAZED AT RAPIDITY OF RUSSIAN MARCH

Austrians Have Lost fifty per cent of Force—Unable to Cope With Terrific Russian Drive.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, June 16.—The Teuton losses in the big Russian offensive from the Pripet River to the Rumanian border are estimated at three hundred thousand men. The supply of cartridges captured in the Stripa trenches was sufficient to have lasted the Austrians for several weeks.

Europe Amazed.

Petrograd, June 16.—The Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz and the Russian advance along the entire southeastern front is astonishing Europe because of its rapidity and force.

Except in the centre of the Russian front, the Austrians are quite unable to resist the terrific drive and have already lost fifty per cent of their forces.

Complete units are surrendering and military trains containing field equipment in wholesale quantities have been abandoned. The Russian losses are small.

MRS. HUGH DUNN HEARS OF HER BROTHER'S DEATH

Mrs. Hugh Dunn yesterday received by wire the sad news that her brother, Alex. F. Quinn, had been killed in action on June 3rd. Mr. Quinn left for the front with the first contingent from Vancouver and saw some strenuous fighting in the early stages of the war. He was wounded at Festubert and, on recovering from his wounds, was offered his discharge from the forces, but preferred to go back to the front. He met his death in the terrific battle which raged around Zillebecke on June 2nd and 3rd. The sympathy of all citizens will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Dunn in their bereavement.

RETAIL MERCHANTS

Important meeting of Retail Merchants Association will be held in Board of Trade rooms at 8 p. m. Monday, June 19th. All merchants requested to be present. W. W. WRATHALL, Secy.

E. C. D. Butter, 40c.—Frizzell's.

WESTHOLME

OPERA HOUSE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

"THE LOVE ROUTE"

Five-act Famous Players Drama.

SELIG TRIBUNE WEEKLY

of the latest world's news.

"SWEEDIE'S HERO"

Great Essanay Comedy.

NOTE—One Show only on Saturday.

JUNE 23rd IS CHAPLIN NIGHT

MEXICANS CROSS AMERICAN BORDER

(Special to The Daily News.)

El Paso, June 16.—Mexicans have again crossed the border in the vicinity of St. Ignacio. Several of the bandits were captured and many were killed.

Two thousand refugees have arrived at Juarez. Famine conditions are prevailing around Torreon and the civil population would welcome United States intervention as it would relieve the danger of starvation, which is the newest issue.

The Carranza currency is absolutely without any purchasing power.

THE TORIES ADVANCE ON ANYOX DEFENCES

Napoleon Bowser, with his staff, arrived on the Prince Rupert this morning on his northern campaign. He was supported by a battalion of politicians from the south, including Hon. Dr. Young, Hon. W. R. Ross, Hon. Wm. Manson, D. N. McIntyre, Pearl Fleming and Messrs. Blue and Brown, representing the Matson press and the Vancouver Province respectively.

Evidently the commander-in-chief reckoned that his forces were not strong enough to carry the trenches at Anyox for strong reinforcements were taken on at Prince Rupert, along with a stock of liquid fire. With such a display of strength, it is hoped that the Anyox defences will crumple up at the approach of Napoleon and his army.

As was fitting in such a chief, Napoleon himself did not show up while the transport Prince Rupert lay at this port, but remained deep in study of his campaign in his state-room. His staff attended to the shipment of the reinforcements. The transport left the wharf with the bugler playing "And You'll Remember Me." Nothing could have been more appropriate than the bugler's selection; Prince Rupert and B. C. surely will remember Bowser.

BASEBALL

The Colts and the C. C.'s meet at Recreation Park this evening in a league game. Karl Louis, who pitched so well for the Colts on their northern tour, will pitch for the Colts tonight and Art Manson will be behind the bat. The C. C.'s battery will be Bryant and Astori. It should be a real good game, as the Colts are out to win.

CHURCH UNION

(Special to The Daily News.)

Winnipeg, June 16.—President Falconer, of Toronto University, has been elected Convener of the Presbyterian General Assembly in place of Dr. S. D. Grant, of Toronto, who has resigned.

A new committee with powers to consider church union matters has been appointed.

SAFETY FIRST—USE NEW WELLINGTON COAL. PHONE 116.

LONDON HAILS CANADIANS AS YPRES HEROES

Citizens Display Banners Bearing Words "BRAVE CANADIANS"—Heavy Bombardment at Verdun.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, June 16.—The citizens of London are displaying banners bearing the words "BRAVE CANADIANS," in recognition of the victorious action by the Dominion troops in the vicinity of Ypres. Imperial officers are making highly complimentary statements in regard to the splendid conduct of the Canadian soldiers on the field.

There is intermittent shelling along the British portion of the western front and the situation of the Canadian line remains unchanged, the troops from the Dominion occupying the trenches which were regained from the enemy yesterday.

Verdun Front.

Paris, June 16.—Intense artillery fighting continues at Deadman's Hill and at Hill 304. A German trench and one hundred and fifty prisoners have been captured.

The Germans continue their violent bombardment of the French positions north of Souville. Souville is the key to the inner defences of Verdun itself.

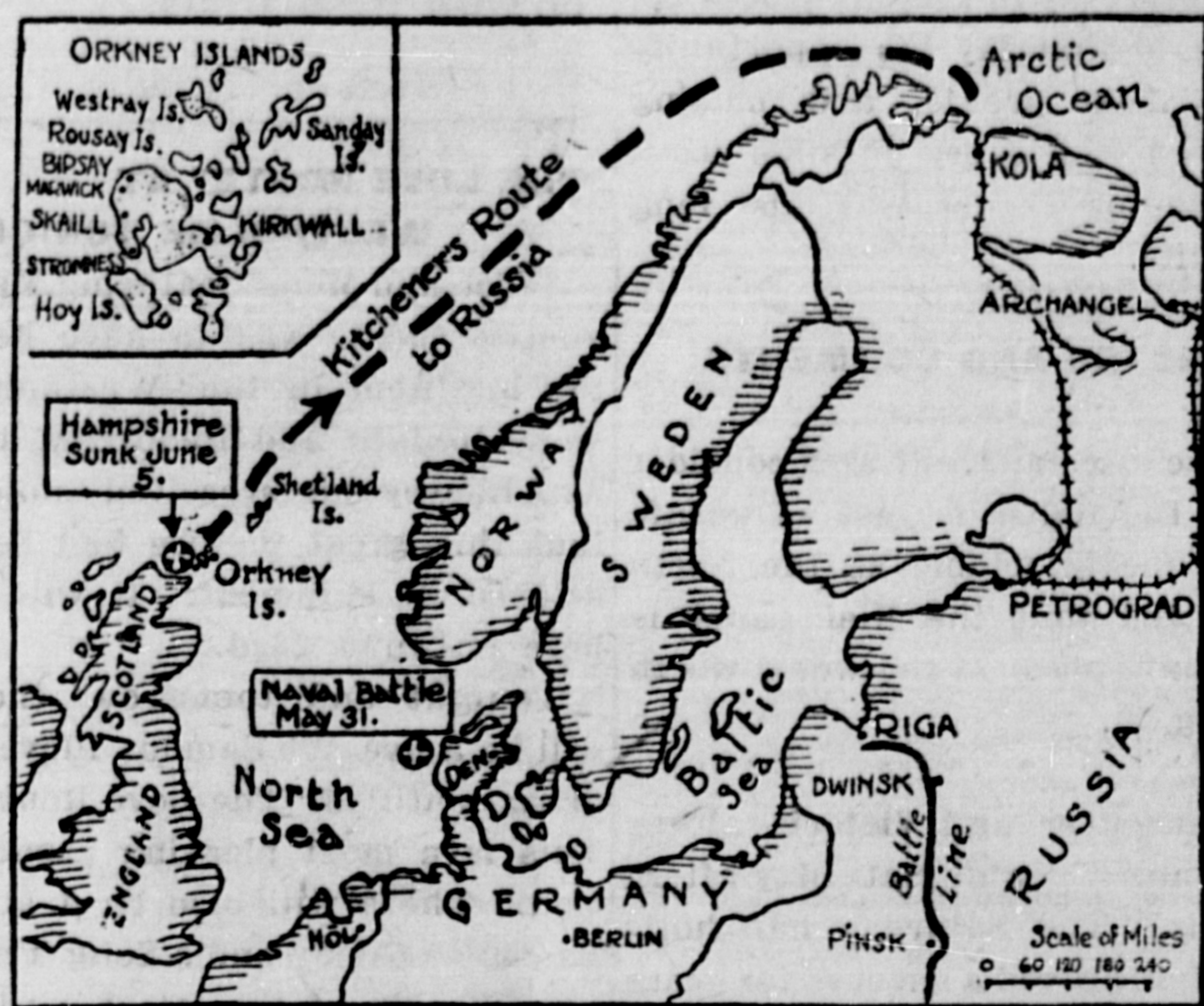
SPLENDID CONCERT AT WESTHOLME THEATRE

The Scotch concert between the shows at the Westholme last night was a huge success, every number being greatly enjoyed, encores being the order of the evening. Annie Stewart sang "The Blue Bells of Scotland;" Gladys Kemp gave splendid exhibitions of Scotch dancing; J. E. Davey was never heard to better advantage than in his rendering of "Mary of Argyll;" A Clapperton sang "The Land O' the Leal" with great feeling, while his rendering of "Duncan Gray" was in his best style. J. G. Sinclair in impersonations of Harry Lauder simply brought down the house. He gave "Fou' the Noo," "Killiecrankie" and "The Farm Yard Song" in a fashion which would have done credit to the great Harry himself.

The accompaniments were played by W. Vaughan Davies. Mr. Davies is in charge of the arrangements for the Welsh night at the Westholme and it gives promise of being one of the finest concerts ever given here. Next Thursday is Irish night.

MR. AND MRS. BOWERMAN ARRIVED THIS MORNING

Mr. T. Bowerman, of the Digby wireless station, who has been south on a vacation, did not return alone this morning, but brought back with him a young lady who is now Mrs. Bowerman. The genial operator is receiving the hearty congratulations of his many friends in Rupert and on the island.



WHERE THE CRUISER HAMPSHIRE WENT DOWN

Map shows the route to be followed by the Hampshire with Earl Kitchener and his staff on board, en route for Russia probably to arrange for the closer military co-operation for new movements planned, when she was sunk by a German torpedo.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATE DR. WOODROW WILSON

(Special to The Daily News.)

St. Louis, Mo., June 16.—The Democratic National Convention has unanimously nominated Dr. Woodrow Wilson as its candidate for the Presidency, with Marshall as Vice-President.

W. J. Bryan, formerly Secretary of State, endorsed the methods of the present administration and approved of Wilson's attitude in the Mexican situation. Bryan advocates that the United States remain non-participant in the European conflict.

PRINCE RUPERT ARRIVES

The following were amongst the first-class passengers on the Prince Rupert this morning:

Lottie Dougherty, Mrs. Tepsert, C. Solem, Mrs. Skinner, Mrs. F. Hall, W. Blue, Mr. McIntyre, Mrs. Kennedy and two children, Miss Kennedy, Mr. Thompson, Master Kennedy, Mr. Fortine, Mr. H. Lee, Mr. Bertram Lee, Mrs. Lee, Rev. Stapleford and wife, E. Brown, T. Bowerman and wife, W. Todd, Miss Marie Jackwith, T. Hansen, O. McKinnon, Mrs. Bardwell, T. Montgomery, C. T. Marsh, R. P. Moore, J. H. Pilsbury and wife, Miss Haufmann, C. Gorman, C. Zemantz, J. F. Price, C. Jacobson, Hon. Dr. Young, R. H. Merritt, Hon. Wm. Manson, Miss Babbett, Mrs. F. Poole, T. Murphy, J. N. Brice, C. Wolfe, H. Veale, wife and two children, J. Jennings, Mrs. J. Jennings, S. De Winters, Miss Waller, Mrs. Macey, Miss Macey, Mrs. Kerigan, Miss Kerigan, Mr. J. Macey, Miss Richards, J. H. Dennison, Mrs. J. H. Dennison, J. M. Dennison, Rev. Sykes and wife, Mrs. T. Sykes and child, Miss Sykes, Master Sykes, S. J. Keats, R. N. Block, Mrs. T. Ward and child, F. A. Cady and child, S. Levy, Mrs. T. Hamanaka and child, Mrs. J. C. Hanbury and child, J. Hodson, Hon. Wm. Bowerman, Hon. Wm. Ross, P. Flemming, W. S. Jones.

PACIFIC GREAT EASTERN

Vancouver, June 16.—The Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company contemplates the laying of track from Clinton to Quesnel this year.

GERMANS LOST TWO CRUISERS IN THE BALTIC

Russian Flotilla did Effective Work—Kitchener Stood on Bridge Calmly Chatting as Cruiser Sank.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Copenhagen, June 16.—In the battle between the German convoy and the Russian flotilla of destroyers and submarines in the Baltic yesterday, the Russians sunk the German cruisers Herzmann and Konig Von Sachsen; two armed trawlers and ten of the merchantmen.

Hampshire Survivor's Story.

London, June 16.—Survivors from the cruiser Hampshire declare that a mine was responsible for the disaster. They say that they last noticed Earl Kitchener standing on the bridge chatting with the captain as if nothing had happened.

In East Africa.

Havre, June 16.—The Belgian Expeditionary Force in German East Africa has been pressing forward so strenuously that it has compelled the enemy to retreat.

SUBLIME HEROISM OF FRENCH AVIATOR

The following story of the sublime heroism of a French aviator in an air fight which took place above Muelhausen is recounted in the Paris Matin.

As soon as the French machines had been signalled above the German lines the enemy squadrons stationed in Haute-Alsace, as well as those of Fribourg, were on the watch, and immediately went up. The squadron stationed at Habsheim comprised a Kampfflugzeug, a bi-motor with two mitrailleuses, whose hundredth flight had just been celebrated that evening. The Kampfflugzeug, which had ascended quickly, saw a French aeroplane above it, and, profiting by its superiority in speed and armament, it attacked the French machine, and after a stiff fight, pierced the petrol tank.

At once the petrol went in flames. Seeing that he was inevitably to die, the French pilot thought that his death might as well be a useful one, and in a circle of fire he darted straight at the Boche machine, and, grappling with it, dragged it with him in his fall.

PIRATES' INNOCENT VICTIMS

Three hundred and fifty-three women and 124 children have perished at sea as the result of German submarines, not including the deaths of women and children on the Sussex and Persia.

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