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ALLIES VICTORIOUS ON THE WESTERN FRONT

THOUSANDS OF PRISONERS TAKEN EAST AND WEST — ALLIES CONTROL GREECE

AUSTRIANS AND ROUMANIANS IN GREAT BATTLE

Roumanians Capture Ostroba and Other Points—Russians are Making Big Drive on Lemberg.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Paris, Sept. 5.—A great battle between the Austrians and the Roumanians has been raging for the past forty-eight hours at Orsova and the enemy has now evacuated this most important stronghold.

Counter attacks by the Germans and Bulgarians were repulsed and the Roumanians captured the towns of Borszek and Zekeli in Transylvania.

Russian Front.

Petrograd, Sept. 5.—The Russians have renewed their great drive on Lemberg in an endeavor to pierce the heart of the Austrian crown land before the winter sets in to retard operations.

The Russians have crossed the Thenivka River and have seized an Austro-German position, taking 2,724 prisoners. Between last Thursday and Sunday, General Brussiloff's army captured 19,400 prisoners.

Seaplane Raid.

Berlin, Sept. 5.—It is officially reported that German seaplanes raided the harbor works and oil reservoirs at Constanza, Roumania, and also dropped bombs on Russian warships lying off this port.

ENTRIES FOR FAIR

In order to allow people to make entries before the 10th, the office of the Agricultural Association, next the Savoy Hotel, will be open until nine o'clock each evening this week.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

If friends and relatives of soldiers on active service whose properties may through inadvertence be included in tax sale advertisement of the City of Prince Rupert lands will notify the Collector prior to the date of sale, all possible protection will be given.

ED. JOHNSON,

Treasurer and Collector.

SPLendid GATHERING AT LABOR DAY SPORTS

Given delightful weather, the Labor Day sports were a huge success. The proceedings began in the morning with a football game between the Sons of England and St. Andrew's Society, the Scotch laddies winning somewhat easily by four goals to nothing.

Next came a baseball game between teams representing the Merchants and the Union men, the latter winning a thoroughly enjoyable game by 7 runs to 5, in seven innings. Several who had not played ball for years found that they still knew how and some who claimed to having never played before did remarkable work.

The results in the field sports were as follows:

Running broad jump (open) 1st (A. W. Edge & Co., \$5.00) E. A. Murphy; 2nd, (Bulger & Denike, \$3.00) Leo Ives.

One mile walk (open) 1st (Acme Importers, \$5.00) A. Nicholson; 2nd, (Mechanics' Store, \$3.50) H. Atkins.

Putting the shot (open) (Stewart & Mobley, \$5.00) G. Brown; 2nd, (McRae Bros., \$2.50) G. Rudderham.

Running broad jump (closed) 1st, (Smith & Mallett, \$5.00) G. Rudderham; 2nd, (Loop, \$2.50) E. Murphy.

100 Yards dash (open) 1st (F. G. Dawson, \$5.00) S. J. Winsby; 2nd, (Prince Rupert Grocery) L. Robertson.

Hop, step and jump (closed) 1st S. M. Newton, \$5.00 N. H. Kilpatrick; 2nd, (Fuller & McMeekin, \$2.50) G. Rudderham.

100 Yards dash (fishermen) 1st, (Martin O'Reilly, \$5.00) J. R. Peterson, "Mabel A"; 2nd, (H. S. Wallace & Co., \$3.50) M. Nelson "Mayflower."

Hop, step and jump (open) 1st, (Pacific Cartage, \$5.00) E. A. Murphy; 2nd, (Table Supply, \$2.50) N. Kilpatrick.

One mile race (open) 1st, (Geo. D. Title, \$10.00) A. Nicholson; 2nd, (George Frizzell, \$5.00) E. Holmquist.

Running high jump (open) 1st, (P. Burns & Co., \$5.00) Harry Self; 2nd, (G. P. McColl, \$2.00) J. Murphy.

100 Yards dash (closed) 1st, (J. A. Kirkpatrick, \$7.00) N. K. Continued on Page Three

WE NOW HAVE WASHED NUT COAL ON HAND. ALBERT & McCaffery, Phone 116.

FIVE THOUSAND GERMANS TAKEN ON SOMME FRONT

Great Anglo-French Offensive is Resumed—Germans Being Pushed Steadily Back.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Sept. 5.—The great Anglo-French offensive on the Somme front has been resumed with renewed vigor and there is a fierce battle raging along both banks of the river. The French made important gains in the Picardy region on Sunday, taking two strong German positions and a substantial portion of the German line.

Le Forest and Clercy were occupied by the French and, following up this success, our Allies captured Soyecourt and a portion of Vermadvillers, taking over five thousand prisoners.

British Advance.

The British are sweeping forward and have captured one town and the suburbs of another, and there is desperate fighting along almost the entire western front, with the Germans being pushed steadily back.

In fierce fighting in De Ville wood, the British accounted for eight thousand of the German 108th division.

WELSH DEFEATS WHITE IN TWENTY-ROUND BOUT

Colorado Springs, Sept. 5.—Welsh defeated White in a twenty round contest here yesterday. A portion of the grandstand bleachers collapsed and a hundred persons were injured.

Kilbane Won.

Cedar Point, Sept. 5.—Kilbane defeated Chancy in three rounds.

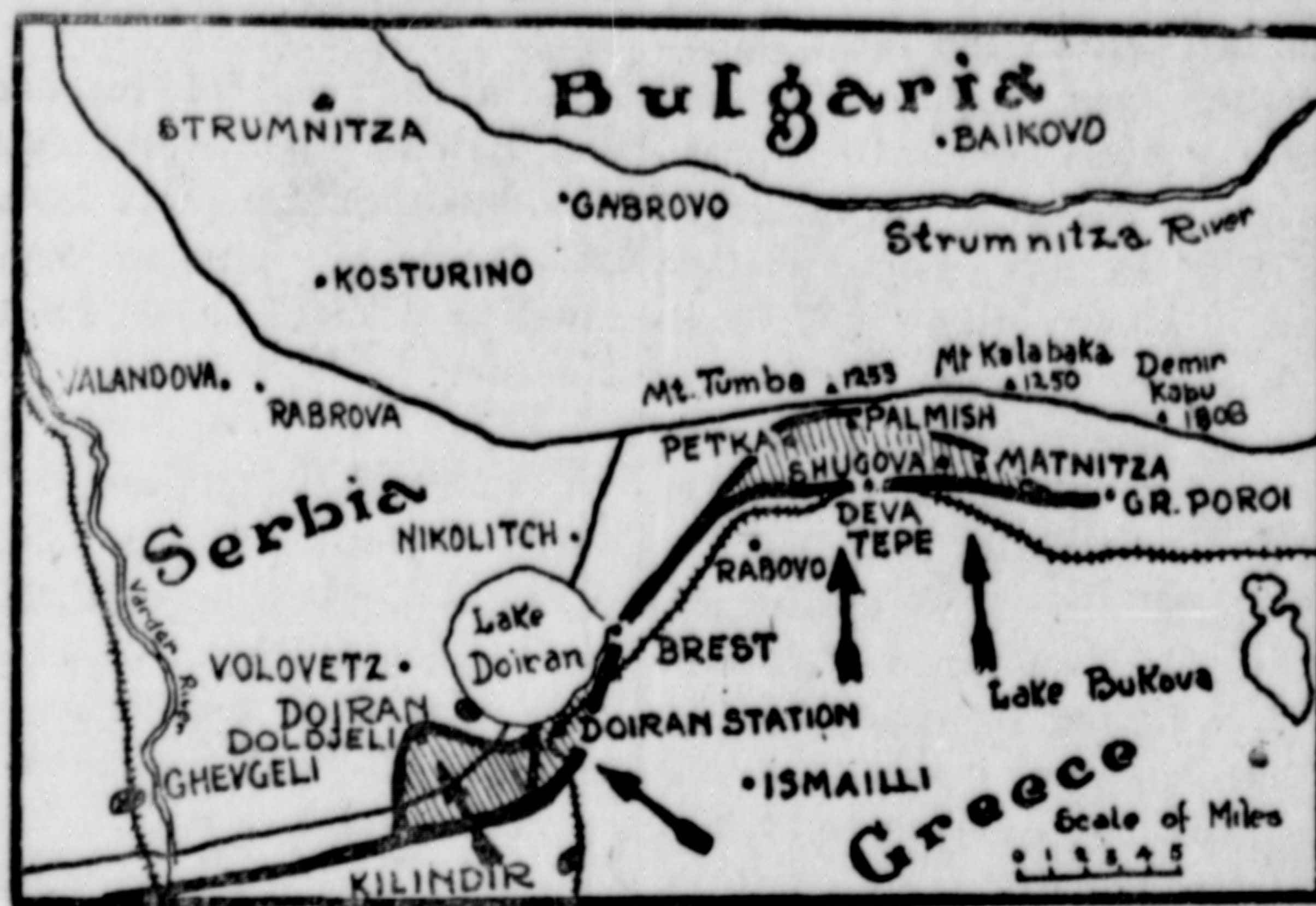
RETURNED SOLDIERS' DANCE

The dance given by the Returned Soldiers' Club in the Railwaymen's Hall last evening was one of the most successful ever held in the city. The hall was beautifully decorated with Union Jacks and Canadian flags, while Prince Rupert's Roll of Honor occupied a prominent position on the platform, and our boys who have returned from the front were there in uniform.

The music was provided by the Westholme Orchestra, assisted by J. C. Collier on the cornet, and the floor was crowded with the youth and beauty of the city at each dance. The patronesses were Mrs. Ritchie, Mrs. Clancy, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Galland and Mrs. Reilly. Dainty refreshments were served by the ladies of the Helping Hands Society.

MANITOBA CASE

Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—The ex-ministers' case has gone to the jury. The judge, in summing up, criticized Horwood's testimony and stated that there was less evidence against Sir Rodmond Roblin than the other accused.



ALLIES ENTER SERBIA

The accompanying map shows where the Allied troops have entered Serbia and have begun to drive out the invaders. They have taken four villages west of Lake Doiran and have advanced two miles in northern Greece.

HOKUTO MARU WAS 52 DAYS ON VOYAGE

The Japanese brigantine Hokuto Maru made port on Saturday evening, after having been 52 days on the voyage from Kobe. The captain expected to make the trip in 35 days and made good time until he approached this coast, when he encountered fogs and calm. He was obliged to beat around Dixon's Entrance and Brown Passage for nine days, before he spoke a halibut schooner which brought in word of him.

Captain Sumii, who is on this coast for the first time, is highly delighted with our harbor and hopes to make other trips across the Pacific, if trade warrants it. The Hokuto has been chartered by K. Ota to take a cargo of salted salmon from Jedway to Japan and will leave for the Islands in a day or two. The brigantine is of 260 tons; has a 99 1/2 foot keel and is 120 feet long. She carries a crew of eighteen besides her captain, and was built at Osaka three years ago. She is a stout little vessel, and is built of teak. Her interior fittings are of the neatest description and everything is spotlessly clean.

The captain, who speaks a little English, is a remarkably intelligent officer and has a wonderful gift of describing things to a westerner. He explained to The Daily News yesterday that one of the great dangers of such a long voyage is sickness, resulting from lack of variety of food. The chief item in a Japanese menu is rice and a long continued diet of this article is apt to bring on berri berri, a disease which has been fought by sailing ship crews the world over. Captain Sumii says that he found that a mixture of one per cent. of oatmeal in the rice given to the crew proved effective in warding off this danger and in keeping his men in good health. They are a remarkably healthy, happy crew. When visited yesterday they were sitting around a charcoal brazier, placed in a bed of Kamchatka gravel, toasting biscuits and making tea. They received their visitors with big smiles.

Former M. P. Dead.

Hanover, Sept. 5.—Mr. Miller, former Member of Parliament for South Grey, is dead, following an operation.

LABOR DAY SMOKER WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

The Labor Day smoker in the Empress Theatre last night was as usual, a thoroughly enjoyable function. In the absence of President S. D. Macdonald, W. E. Thompson occupied the chair. There was not quite such a large attendance as last year but there was lots of enthusiasm. Mr. Thompson, in introducing Ald. George Casey, the speaker of the evening, emphasized the fact that Labor Day, besides being a day for sports and the enjoyment of out of doors life, had a great educational value, as it gave them an opportunity to review the past and learn its lessons. He drew attention to the fact that Grover Cleveland, who gave them the holiday, had, in the same term of office, turned the Federal troops upon strikers, showing where his sympathies lay.

In speaking of the local labor unions, he pointed out that the Fish Packers, Carworkers, and Retail Clerks had each formed strong organizations since last year. He appealed to business men to take a broader view of organized labor and asked all who are not members of unions to recognize the value of and help along the work of organized labor.

Ald. Casey, after expressing the pleasure it gave him to address such an audience, said that (Continued on Page 4)

GREEKS THROW HUN INFLUENCE TO THE WINDS

Allied Demands Acceded to and Zaimis Supports Venizelos—Piraeus in Allied Hands.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Sept. 5.—The iron hand of the Allies has been firmly clamped on Greece and the government has acceded to the Allied demand for the entire control of the postal and telegraphic communications, only a few wireless stations remaining in Greek hands.

A landing party has been placed in charge of the Greek port of Piraeus and the Entente warships are within gunshot of Athens. The presence of the British and French fleet has simplified the situation and Premier Zaimis realizes that he has lost control of the country and has promised to support the Venizelos party. Even the opponents of Venizelos are rapidly throwing their influence against the Germans.

East Africa.

Dar-Es-Salaam, the chief town in German East Africa, has been surrendered to the British Expeditionary Force.

London Air Raid.

London, Sept. 5.—Two were killed and thirteen injured in a Zeppelin raid on the suburbs on Sunday night. One Zeppelin was destroyed by fire, its crew being burned to death.

FREIGHT RATES

Vancouver, Sept. 5.—Judge Rensberg, of the Seattle Harbor Commission, advocates that the government should take over the control of ocean freight rates, similar to the arrangement in regard to railroad transportation.

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