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## BULGARIANS REPULSED IN DESPERATE FIGHT

### GERMANS BLOW UP ROADS BETWEEN ARRAS AND LILLE--H.M.S. ARGYLE ASHORE

#### BULGARIAN ARMY REPULSED-- GERMAN BALKAN DRIVE CHECKED

**BULGARIANS DRIVEN BACK AFTER DESPERATE FIGHTING--  
ONE REGIMENT SURROUNDED--NISH RAILROAD IS  
NOW REPAIRED--GERMANS ARE BLOWING  
UP ROADS--CRUISER ASHORE**

Courtesy of Hotel Prince Rupert  
London, Oct. 28.—The Bulgarians have been repulsed by the Allied forces in the Tenk Valley, after two days of desperate fighting. One Bulgarian regiment is surrounded and must inevitably surrender.

The Germans are now checked in their Balkan drive and repairs to the Nish-Saloniki railroad have been completed. The Allies troop trains are running without interruption. The British forces at

Saloniki are not very strong in numbers.

#### Cruiser Aground.

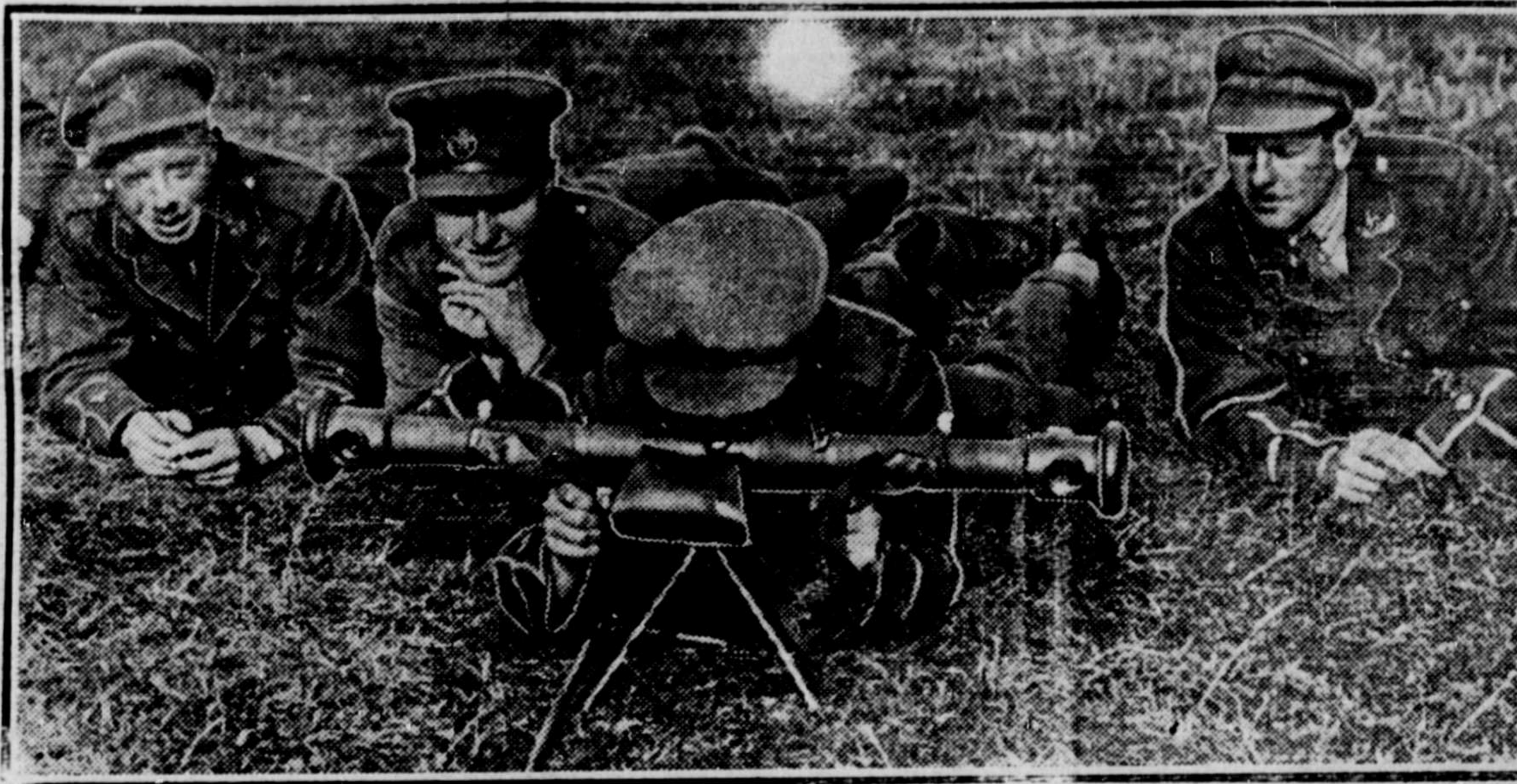
The British cruiser Argyle is aground off the coast of Scotland and may become a total wreck.

#### Western Front.

The Germans are breaking up the entrenchments and roads between Arras and Lille with powerful explosives.

#### Italian Front.

The capture of Gorizia and Riva by the Italians is considered imminent.



**ENGLISH OBSERVATION OFFICERS DETERMINING THE RANGE.**—Photo shows an observation officer with the range indicator noting an elevation at which the guns must be fired to strike the enemy's position.

#### HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR AUSTRALIA

Melbourne, Australia, Oct. 27.—Rt. Hon. Andrew Fisher, the premier, has accepted the high commissionership for Australia in London, succeeding Sir George Reid. Mr. Fisher has recommended for his successor as premier, William Morris Hughes, attorney-general in the Fisher cabinet.

The new high commissioner was born in Lanarkshire, Scotland, and in his early days worked as a miner. He was a pioneer of the Trades Union movement in Scotland and has done much to further the interests of the worker in Australia.

#### RED CROSS SALE OF HOME COOKING

Mrs. Frizzell and Mrs. Fred Henning will be the ladies in charge of the Red Cross Sale on Friday, October 29th, from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. at Mrs. Frizzell's store, 3rd Ave.

The great work of the Red Cross must be continued till such deeds of infamy as the murder of Nurse Cavell are forcibly terminated, therefore you are all requested to assist at this sale, so that our soldiers at the front and the nurses attending them may be rendered every possible assistance by those at home.

W. J. Alder, a Prince Rupert old timer and property holder, arrived from the south this morning.

#### WIRE TROUBLE

Owing to wire trouble, our usual war despatches did not get through today. We are indebted to the Hotel Prince Rupert for their service.

#### SCOTCH WEDDING OF LOCAL INTEREST

W. I. Thams, accountant with the Rorvik Fish Company, has received word of the marriage of his daughter, Maud, to Charles Hill, who is an A. E. on H. M. S. Carnarvon. The ceremony took place in West St. Giles Church, Edinburgh, Scotland, the bride being given away by her brother, Lance-corporal W. Thams, who is now at the front, "somewhere in France."

Mr. Hill took part in the historic fight off the Falkland Islands last spring, the Carnarvon being one of the ships of Admiral Sturdee's squadron, which put the finishing touch to the last of the "Kultur" carriers on the high seas. Old Bill is justly proud of his connection with the two branches of His Majesty's Service.

#### SPLENDID SHOW AT THE WESTHOLME THEATRE

"The Unafraid," the four-act Lasky drama at the Westholme, is one of the tit-bits of filmdom. The story is of an American heiress, Delight Warren, who journeys to Montenegro to marry a count. On arrival, she is kidnapped and forced to marry Count Stefan, the brother of her fiancé. In the long run, she discovers that it was the happiest event of her life, but a host of thrilling things happen in the meantime. The scenes of the Montenegrin mountains, with their stately old castles are most beautiful, while the great fight scene when Delight is rescued by her husband and his men, is intensely interesting and wonderfully realistic. Rita Jolivet, as Delight Warren, is the bright particular star of the piece, but each part is splendidly filled.

There is also a pleasing little drama entitled "The Gold Dust and the Squaw," and a screamingly funny comedy, featuring Billy Reeves. It is a splendid show right through.

Halloween supper in Baptist Church Thursday, October 28th, 6 to 8 p. m. Social following Admission 50c.

#### WAR SUPPLIES GRAFT UNEARTHED AT REGINA

Regina, Oct. 26.—Following is a synopsis of what the Davidson Commission found in Regina at the inquiry last week:

1. That twenty-three carloads of hay, purchased by one Mitchell and charged against the government as having been delivered to the remount commission's depot, were never delivered.

2. That of these, eight cars never existed in fact, and fifteen cars were diverted and resold to other points.

3. That almost criminal carelessness existed in the office of the remount commission depot, making possible forgery of weigh-bills, diversion of feed cars, padding of accounts and dealings generally incapable of explanation.

4. The appointment by J. A. Westman, Conservative candidate for this federal riding, to the responsible position of secretary and bookkeeper to the commission of a man in whom Wm. Grant, the officer commanding the mobilization station, had no confidence.

5. The knowledge possessed by J. A. Westman and Wm. Grant that something was wrong, and yet no attempt made by either of them to take steps to correct any evils that might exist beyond the writing of a letter to the minister of militia.

#### PRINCE RUPERT ARRIVES

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

W. J. Alder, B. F. Self, George Arnott, Mr. R. Thompson, Mr. G. Hamlin, Mr. Sargent, Miss Sargent, Mr. Agnew, Mrs. A. Anger, Miss Anger, W. J. West, W. J. Kenyon, Allen S. Dumbleton, H. Robinson, Mrs. Fergusson, Mrs. Keney, Miss G. Kenney, Mr. R. Fozeau, Mr. F. Wood, Mr. Weston, Mrs. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Hognewood, Mr. Mathews, Mrs. Meloth and child, N. M. Hansen, C. L. Baker, Mr. Hart.

Corporal Thomas Stewart, of Terrace, figures as wounded in the latest casualty lists. This is the second time Mr. Stewart has been wounded.

#### KING GEORGE'S APPEAL TO CANADIAN PEOPLE

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—The proclamation of King George calling upon his subjects to put forth their best efforts in support of the war has been promulgated in Canada in a special issue of the Canadian Gazette, issued at noon yesterday. It is believed that the King's appeal will meet with a generous response in all parts of the country.

#### PREMIER SAVES THE LIFE OF A WOMAN

Moncton, N.B., Oct. 26.—Sir Robert Borden saved the life of a woman who had fallen on the railway track here yesterday afternoon. Sir Robert, who was on his way from his home at Grand Pre, N.S., to Montreal, was standing on the platform when the woman was thrust on the rails by the crowd which congregated at the depot to see him. The woman was rolling under a moving train when the prime minister caught her and placed her in a position of safety.

#### GREAT PATHE FEATURE AT MAJESTIC THEATRE

"Queen and Adventurer," the four-act Pathe drama showing at the Majestic, is truthfully described as a masterpiece. It is the story of Princess Marie, the daughter of Henry VIII, and an Italian adventurer with whom she has fallen in love. The fickle adventurer has been making love elsewhere as well, and, when Marie discovers this, the trouble and intrigue begin.

The scenes of English court life in the time of the Tudors are wonderful. The piece is magnificently staged without being in the least "stagey", while the acting throughout is superb.

There is also a Pathe Gazette full of good things, the chief being a review of the 42nd Highlanders by the Duke of Connaught and a beautiful colored series showing the latest Parisian fashions. "Spitball Sadie," a baseball comedy, in which the ladies are in marked contrast to the stately dames of the historical drama, kept the audience rocking with laughter. This show is well worth seeing.

#### NEVER SHEATHE SWORD UNTIL TRIUMPHANT

The following is an extract from a stirring speech delivered by Sir Robert Borden to a large audience at Halifax on Trafalgar Day:

"My visit to Great Britain and to France was crowded with most impressive incidents, which are indelibly fixed in my memory. The ruins of towns through which invading armies have swept; the valley of the dead, upon which the hills about Ypres look down; the lines where our gallant Canadians held a Bavarian division at bay, when I saw them in July; the graves of our glorious dead; the men in hospitals, whose physical weakness and suffering had not daunted their spirit; the division at Shorncliffe, straining at the leash in their eagerness to reach the fighting lines; the fine appreciation in Great Britain and France of Canadian valor and determination—of all this I could tell you much if time permitted. When the book is closed, and the story has been told, no more glorious incidents will have been recorded than those which distinguished our men at Ypres, Festubert and Givenchy.

"In the midsummer of a year ago our Empire spared no endeavor that might promise peace. Those who compelled this war counted upon our desire to avoid it, and believed that even in face of their reckless disregard of the most sacred obligations we would never draw the sword. We drew it reluctantly, but now that it has been drawn, now that the just cause for which it has been unsheathed has been consecrated, anew by the sacrifice of the Empire's best blood, we will never sheathe it until that cause is triumphant."

#### 1916 VOTERS' LIST

The City Hall will be open from 7 to 9 each evening this week to allow of Household and Licence Holders to register. Household holders must bring their road tax receipt.

ERNEST A. WOODS, City Clerk.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church are holding their annual bazaar on November 20th.

#### NEWS OF PRINCE RUPERT BOYS AT SHORNCLIFFE

A letter has been received from W. A. Paterson, late of the Bank of Commerce staff and now at Shorncliffe with the 48th Battalion. He states that H. O. Crew is still suffering from the effects of gas and is likely to be sent back to Canada shortly. Mrs. McMordie and Mrs. Emmerson are at Shorncliffe. Mr. Emmerson's hands are still troubling him and it is unlikely that he will see further active service.

Mr. Paterson met C. H. P. Newcombe, formerly of Prince Rupert, who is now with the R. A. M. C. Denny Allen is at present acting as cyclist orderly to the general staff and is not likely to be in the trenches for some time. A. G. Vidler, formerly of the Bank of Commerce, is in England recovering from wounds, but expects to go back to the front at an early date.

#### C. P. R. STEAMER OTTER HAS BEEN FLOATED

The little C. P. R. steamer Otter, which went ashore on Sidney Island while proceeding to the help of the Mariposa, was pulled off the rocks late yesterday afternoon by the Vancouver Dredging & Salvage Co., who are working for the underwriters. The Otter was towed, bottom up, to a sheltered cove and the salvors intend to right her and then tow her to Vancouver. If things go right she will arrive here during the night.—Vancouver Province

#### NEWS OF THE 62ND.

A newsy letter from "Scotty" Dennis describes the good times boys of the 62nd had while crossing the Atlantic. The local contingent seems to have provided a fair share of the entertainment, while they also carried off many prizes in the ship-board sports. In a tug-o'-war between east and west, the Rocky Mountain boys were easy winners, with Lieut. Marshall as anchor.

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**FRIGHTFULNESS**

The brutal execution of Nurse Edith Cavell brings home more acutely to the British people the German methods of "frightfulness." This foul murder is no isolated case, as two weeks ago a French nurse was treated in exactly the same manner by the armed brutes. All over Belgium such sentences have been carried out, and in Liege alone thirty-four sentences of death on similar charges of assisting the Allies have been pronounced. Brutal though these acts appear, they are humane compared to the work carried out in the early stages of the war, when hundreds of defenceless women, guilty of no crime whatever, were foully maimed and put to death under the most brutal circumstances. The fact that they were women, which should have been their surest protection, was their undoing.

Now that a brave British girl has been foully done to death by the Prussian miscreants, Britons will more fully understand why the brave little band of Belgian soldiers made such a heroic stand against the Hun invaders. The thought of the fate of their women nerved them to fight like heroes. Today, the blood of every Britisher is boiling, and every man is thirsting to avenge the death of Edith Cavell. The shooting of this defenceless girl has stirred Britain as the killing of women and children at Scarborough, in the sinking of the Lusitania and in the repeated Zeppelin raids on civilians failed to do.

The dealing out of even-handed British justice to German offenders is in marked contrast to the methods used by the enemy. Wherever a German has been found guilty

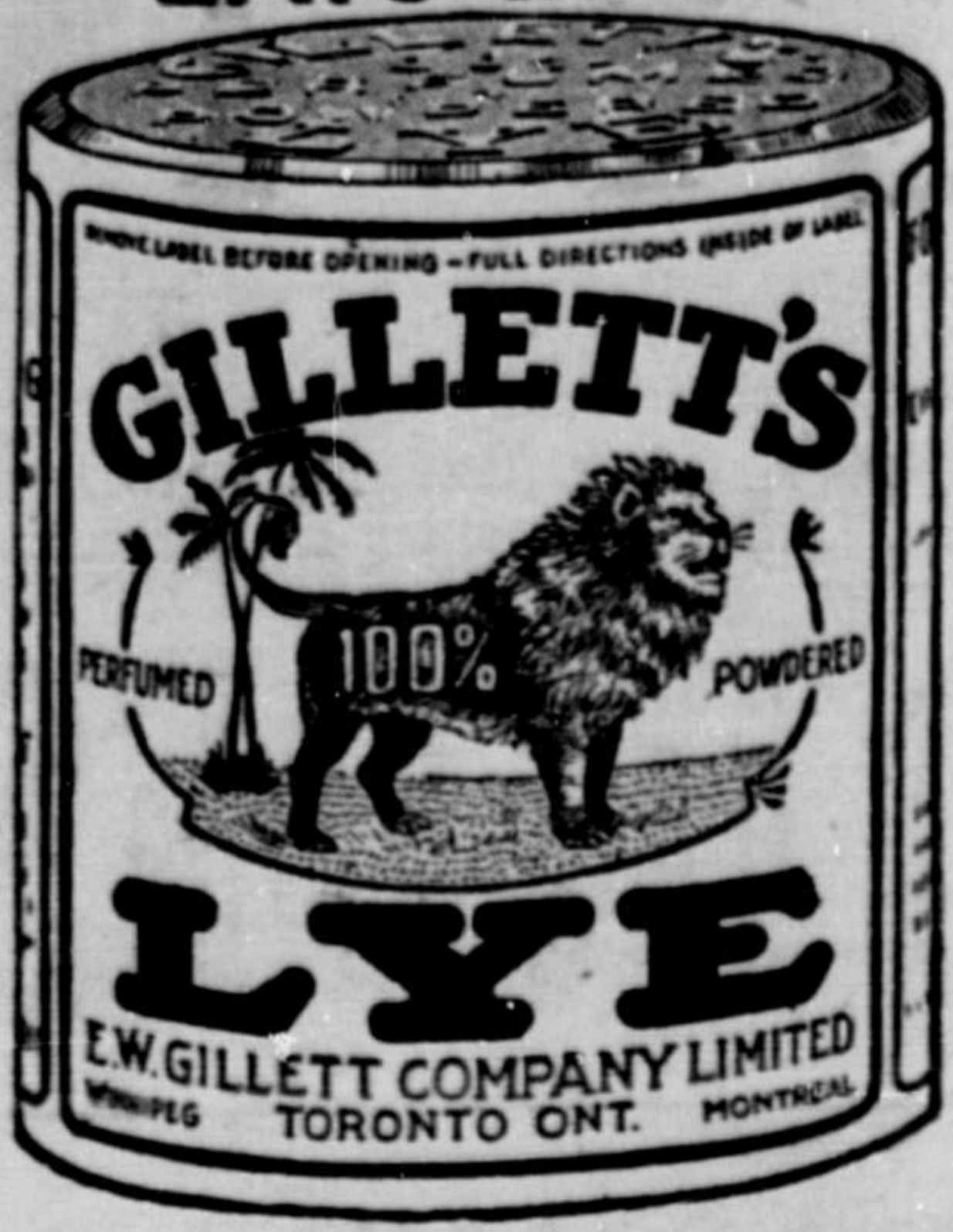
of espionage, a fair trial has been resorted to, and in no case has a woman been executed, no matter how heinous the offence. A German woman in London, found guilty of transmitting British naval secrets to the enemy was sentenced to a term of imprisonment, in which she will receive every consideration at the hands of her British jailors. We tremble to think what would have befallen a British woman in Germany charged with a similar offence. It is just possible that, to the German mind, such just methods have been mistaken for weakness. It is becoming painfully evident that treating the Prussians with the consideration due to men is equivalent to reading the riot act to a mad dog.

**TURKEY'S BLACKEST CHAPTER**

No general denials, no diplomatic evasions can offset the careful investigation made by the American Committee on Armenian atrocities. From beginning to end its report is based on the testimony of witnesses who are vouched for.

For six months the Turks have carried on a campaign of race extermination in Asia Minor. In cold blood they have plundered and murdered the Armenians, here and there offering the official pretext of "military necessity." Wherever there were Armenian populations their homes have been sacked and they have been driven into exile, helpless and starving. Mothers and infants, girls and old people, by tens of thousands have been herded like beasts, left to perish by the wayside or die of neglect after their removal from their villages. The non-Moslem men for the most part have already been impressed into the Turk-

**GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT**



ish army to fight the Russians, and by way of return their families have been scattered, their women and girls subjected to outrage and the young, sick and aged left without the means of subsistence.

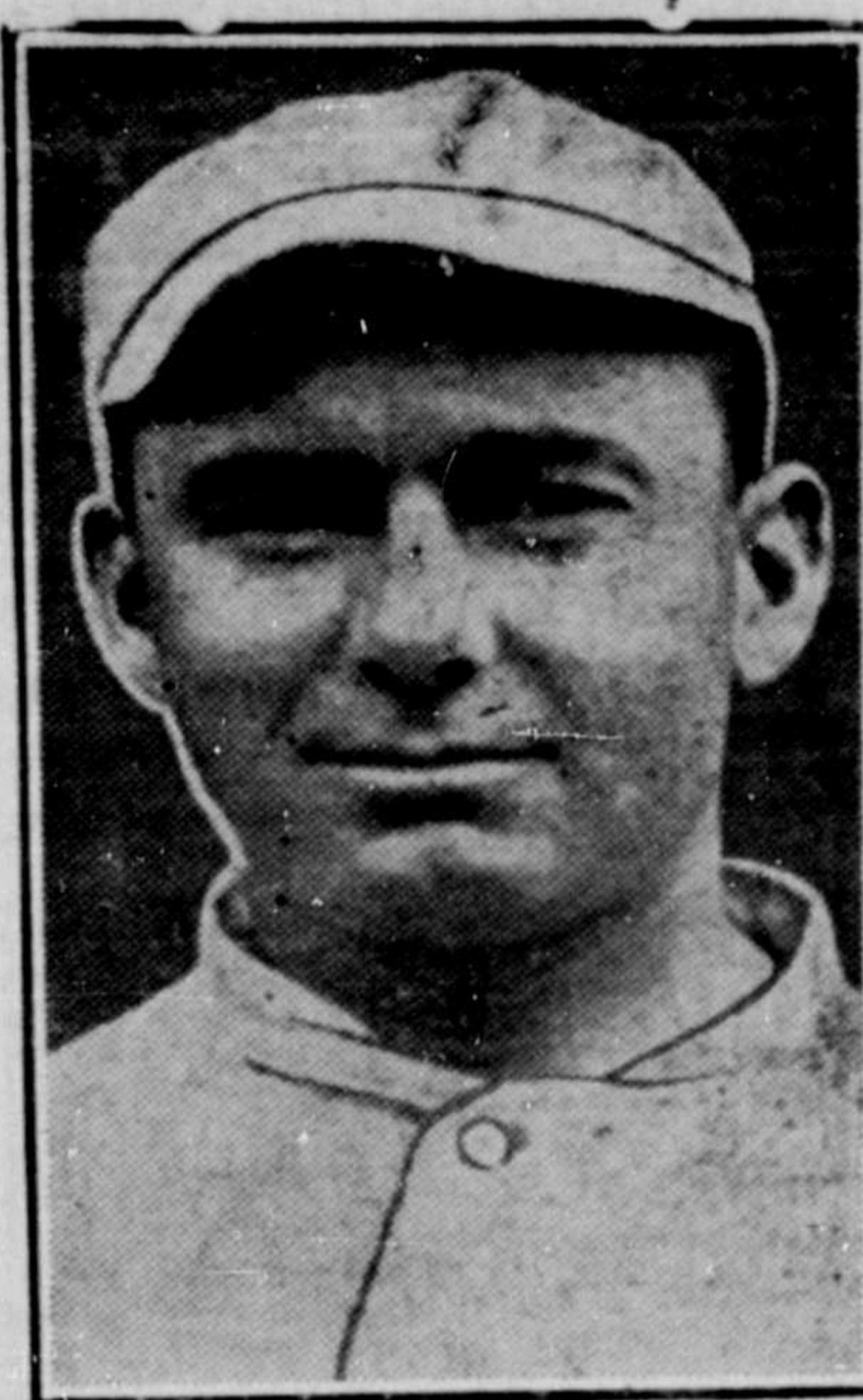
In all the history of Turkish brutality there has been no blacker chapter than the atrocities inflicted upon the Armenians since last April. Back of it all is the delicate policy of the Turkish government to wipe out a people differing in race and religion with their rulers.

The world has had frequent reminders of the fanatic cruelty of the Turk toward the Christian populations in the Ottoman Empire. But what will it say to Germany's partnership in Turkey's guilt in the present instance?—New York World.



**THE VILNA DVINSK FRONT**

Some desperate fighting has taken place in the Dvinsk Riga region where the Russians are working their way back south of Dvinsk toward Vilna and holding the Germans west of Dvinsk itself.



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but attributed his indisposition to indigestion, although Dr. Clarke informed him less than a week ago that his heart was weak. At 4 o'clock of the evening before he died he was on the street at which he informed several of his friends that he was feeling better than for several days. He retired at about 11 o'clock Wednesday night. Just before 12 Mrs. Taylor entered the room from her own and inquired as to how he was feeling and received the assurance that he was anticipating a good night's rest. Within fifteen minutes his wife heard a sort of gurgling groan and entered the room to find her husband just crossing death's threshold. Dr. Clarke and neighbors were quickly called, but could do nothing other than extend comfort to the living. The only members of the family here are Mrs. Taylor and their youngest daughter, Evelyn, the latter twelve years of age. Other members are Mrs. W. R. Hillery, of Skagway; Jack, with Borden's Battery now in France, and Wilfrid and Helen, twins and aged 18 years, both attending college in Toronto. Mrs. Hillery, accompanied by her husband, arrived from Skagway on yesterday's train. The body will be taken to Skagway today and embalmed for shipment to deceased's boyhood home, Bothwell, Ontario, next week, accompanied by Mrs. Taylor and Miss Evelyn.—Whitehorse Star.

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