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BRITISH TROOPS AGAIN SMASH GERMAN LINES

Canadians Capture Positions--- Allies Advance In Macedonia

London: Smashing the German line on a front of six miles north of the Somme river, the British troops have made another notable advance, taking three towns and two woods, and gain possession of nearly all the high ground between Combles and Pozieres.

The Germans, who are now under command of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, fought stubbornly. The British took 2300 prisoners.

Canadian infantry was engaged in the taking of positions strongly fortified above and below ground. An advance of fifteen hundred yards was gained and is being maintained. A large quantity of stores and many machine guns were captured.

The French have captured a system of trenches 500 yards deep, encircling strong positions which had been held by the enemy.

London: According to advices from Swiss sources, the Austrians have suffered another defeat west of Kapul mountain, in the Carpathians.

Paris: The Entente Allies have won a series of successes on the Macedonian front. French, British and Servian forces, operating at different points, have broken through the Bulgarian defences. The French captured positions half a mile deep on a front of a mile.

The Bulgarians have given up the town of Kastoria.

Saloniki: A Greek army corps of 25,000, which was surrounded by Bulgarians, surrendered and was marched off to Germany as prisoners of war.

Greece is ready to join the Allies when she can see the move to be to her advantage.

Petrograd: There are no new developments on the battlefield in Russia or Galicia.

On the Caucasus front there is

increased activity by hostile Kurds in the region southwest of Kighi. In the direction of Bitlis our advance guards drove the Kurds out of Tchukur and Noshen.

Frosts are being experienced in our new positions in the Priamur and Giumichkan sections, and snow is falling in some places.

Berlin: Prince William of Hesse has been killed in action.

London: Yesterday's British casualties include 100 officers, of whom twelve were killed, and 5053 men, of whom 973 were killed.

American Ambassador Page is visiting the Italian front.

Germany has demanded a billion francs from three Belgian banks.

HAZELTON WINS FROM RUPERT

The principal features of today's sports program were two ball games between Prince Rupert and Hazelton. The first game, which started at eleven this morning, was a good exhibition, though rather one-sided. Hazelton, with Donohoe pitching and Graham Rock behind the bat, got the long end of a 13-2 score.

The afternoon game was of a somewhat ragged nature, but afforded plenty of excitement. Hazelton won by 16 runs to 6.

COMEDY DREW A BIG AUDIENCE

A crowded house witnessed an excellent presentation of the comedy, "What Happened to Jones," in Assembly Hall last night. There were several changes in the cast which appeared in the performances given last year. The many amusing situations of the play were well handled by the actors, and the audience testified its approval by unstinted applause.

The Second Collapse

Quebec: The central span of the new Quebec bridge, which is to be the largest cantilever structure in the world, collapsed yesterday when being raised into position. Ten men were killed. The loss is \$600,000.

FIRST FAIR A SUCCESS

A Large Crowd Enjoys Hazelton's Big Exhibition

Favored by glorious weather, Hazelton's first annual fair opened yesterday in most auspicious fashion, with a good crowd in attendance. The directors of the association and the various working committees acting with them have done a great deal of hard work in preparation for the exhibition, but they must feel amply repaid by the success which is attending the event.

The fair was formally opened by Alex. Manson, prospective member for Omineca, who was introduced by Dr. Wrinch, president of Hazelton Agricultural and Industrial Association, in a brief address. Mr. Manson, in declaring the exhibition open, expressed great confidence in the future of the district.

Townpeople and visitors alike were pleased with the exhibits, which numbered 550. The most striking feature is, perhaps, the remarkable display of fruit and flowers, which is quite sufficient to dispel any prejudice against the climate or soil of the district. Especial mention must be made of the fine apples, cherries, bush fruits, and tomatoes. Tobacco plants grown in Hazelton are also shown.

Much attention was attracted by the mineral exhibit, which includes many varieties of ore from all parts of the district. In the press of work the directors have not been able to gather as large a display as the district should provide, but there is enough to show the richness of our mines.

There is a very good exhibit of roots, vegetables, grains, etc. and the livestock and poultry classes have not been neglected, although the unavoidable delay in issuing the premium list militated against the success of this department.

In the department of domestic science and ladies' work there is a splendid display, the fair sex showing as much interest in the exhibition as do the men. There is also a very interesting exhibit of school work.

A valuable feature of the fair is the exhibit of the Hazelton forestry office, which shows, in a nicely arranged booth, samples of the various woods produced in this district, with coast products for comparison. Forester Allen and Ranger Chettleburgh are to be congratulated on their exhibit. Excellent refreshments are

DECISIVE VICTORY FOR LIBERALS AT THE POLLS

Soldiers' Votes Not Yet In--- Suffrage and Prohibition Win

Vancouver, Sept. 15:—Yesterday's general election resulted in a sweeping victory for the Liberals, indications at present pointing to a majority of fifteen or more for the Brewster forces. In Vancouver M. A. Macdonald heads the poll, with 7126 votes. Premier Bowser polled 5463, and will lose his seat unless the soldiers' vote gives him a majority. The other ministers, excepting Hon. W. R. Ross, are defeated, on the face of the returns. As many of the majorities are small, it is

probable that the soldiers' vote, when counted, will change the decision in some constituencies, but it is not likely that the general result will be affected. The number of soldiers from B. C. who have voted is estimated at 20,000.

Woman suffrage was carried by an overwhelming majority, every constituency voting for the measure.

Prohibition also had a large majority. So far as the returns have been made public, the Drys have won by 7500 votes.

served in the Red Cross dining tent, where the ladies yesterday realized a nice sum for the society.

Stuart J. Martin, the honorary secretary of the association, spent a strenuous day yesterday. His office is located in the middle of the row of tents. The location of the exhibits is excellent, and all arrangements are so good as to elicit commendation from the department officials.

The government officials who acted as judges in the agricultural, horticultural and livestock classes were H. E. Walker, J. H. McCullough, George Hay, and A. R. Neale. Mrs. Williscroft and Mrs. Williams judged the ladies' work, domestic science and school exhibits, and J. G. Powell and E. C. Annes selected winning exhibits in the mineral section.

A list of prize-winners will be published in our next issue.

LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS PARAGRAPHS

J. J. McNeil, the Telkwa merchant, is here today.

T. J. Thorp, of Telkwa, is among the visitors to the Fair.

The financial district meeting of the Methodist Church will be held here on Tuesday afternoon. All Methodist ministers of the district will attend.

Charlie Fredrickson, Marius Pederson, and Pete Nielson, who have been prospecting for placer on the Ingeca, returned on Sunday. They report a fairly successful season.

The street lighting system installed by the Progress Club, under the direction of J. F. Maguire, attracts favorable comment, and is a splendid argument in favor of the proposed electric system.

Methodist Church

Rev. M. Pike will preach at 7:30 tomorrow evening on the subject: "God the Unwearied Guide." Special Music. All are most cordially invited.

PRINCE RUPERT MAN WINS IN OMINECA

In Omineca district Alex. Manson, the Liberal candidate, is elected. His majority, with five places to hear from, is 170, and the remaining polling places will not have that number of votes in all. Following are the unofficial returns:

	Manson	Dockrill
Hazelton	84	53
New Hazelton ..	56	11
Smithers	74	36
Telkwa	25	31
Kispiox	13	6
Skeena Crossing	3	5
Rocher de Boule	21	10
Howson Camp ..	2	2
Lake Kathlyn ..	7	8
Glentanna	18	1
Hubert	19	1
Houston	22	11
N. Bulkley	4	2
S. Bulkley	7	11
Burns Lake	8	11
Endako	16	15
N. Francois	27	12

To hear from: Babine, Manson, South Francois, Ootsa Center and Ootsa West.

An Illustrated Lecture

Rev. Dr. White, superintendent of Methodist missions for B. C. will give his illustrated lecture on the province of British Columbia at the Hospital on Monday evening at 8. The lecture will be repeated in St. Andrew's Hall on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Rev. Dr. Osterhout, president of the Conference, will probably attend. All are invited.

Rod McCrimmon returned on Tuesday from Grouse mountain. The surface showings of that section, he says, are of a remarkable nature. The Cassiar Crown tunnel, which is to be driven at least 500 feet, is now in 240 feet.

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The people of British Columbia have evidently decided to give the Liberals a chance to administer the affairs of this province, even though that party has not put forward anything that can be called a definite platform. As this is written, the returns indicate that Brewster's followers, after many years in the cold shades of opposition, are to bask in the sunshine for a time. With a fair working majority—and that is practically certain—the former opposition party will have an opportunity to put into effect its much heralded policy of abolishing party patronage. Will the Liberals do it?

And what attitude will the Brewster administration take in the matter of the famous writ? Will the new government still hold that the legislation passed after March 14 is still illegal? If so, how can the new members take their seats? The legislation under which the election was held was passed after the house, by the Brewster reckoning, was dissolved. There are other interesting questions with which the wise men of the Liberal party will have to deal, and the country will watch their movements with much interest.

The Keeping of Bees

The saying that 'the resources of Canada are inexhaustible' is true of no food products more than honey. An abundance of honey-yielding flowers, with a high average of favorable weather for the production and ingathering of the honey, makes Canada a good country for the bee-keeper. Moreover, the bulk of Canadian honey is of unsurpassed quality, and honey has become, as it deserves to be, a staple article of food in many places, selling readily at satisfactory prices when properly distributed. So states Dominion Apiarist F. W. L. Sladen, in Bulletin No. 26 (second series), just issued, that can be had free on application to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. Mr. Sladen furnishes the further information that in Ontario and Quebec and in regions in the other provinces of the Dominion, there is an increasing number of people who make bee-keeping their principal business, some of the specialists in Ontario reaping an income in excess of \$2,500 a year, while there are thousands who find it a profitable and healthful auxiliary to their annual revenue. In Ontario alone it is estimated that there are 10,000 bee-keepers. Mr. Sladen, after dealing with the advantages of bee-keeping, and extending instructions and advice to beginners, proceeds to deal with the different elements involved in bee-keeping and honey productions. In a plain concise way he

tells of the location the apiary should be given, the most desirable races, the development and handling of the bees, the diseases and enemies to which they are subject, and the attention they need at different seasons of the year. He also gives a list, with descriptive illustrations, of the principal honey-producing plants with their approximate yielding periods. In fact, it would seem that pretty well everything worth knowing about cultivation and management of the honey bee is detailed in this handy 68-page official bulletin or pamphlet published for gratuitous circulation.

From an area of 420 acres \$68,000,000 in metals has been produced in the 20 years since Rossland mines were first opened up. They are now employing 750 men.

Addressing Soldiers' Mail

In order to facilitate the handling of mail at the front and to ensure prompt delivery, it is requested that all mail be addressed as follows:

- (a) Regimental Number.
- (b) Rank.
- (c) Name.
- (d) Squadron, Battery or Company.
- (e) Battalion, Regiment (or other unit), Staff appointment or Department.
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- (g) British Expeditionary Force.
- (h) Army Post Office, LONDON England.

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to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of scrip certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, or Victoria.

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Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

Subscription Lists will close on or before 23rd September, 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, September 12th, 1916.

The World's Doings in Brief

News Notes from Many Sources

Italy has adopted the Allied blacklist.

Sir George Foster will visit B.C. this week.

Half a million Armenians have been slain by the Turks.

Lightning started nine fires in Seattle, doing much damage.

The C. P. R. steamer Queen City was burned at Victoria on Saturday.

Fifteen cases of infantile paralysis were reported in Manitoba on Saturday.

The zeppelin which was brought down in England will be placed on exhibition.

Canada's debt is now \$658,620,270. It has nearly doubled since the war began.

Ten thousand South African natives will be recruited to work on French docks.

Winnipeg will invest \$100,000 of the city's funds in the new Canadian war loan.

It is proposed to build four steel freighters, of 5000 tons each at Prince Rupert.

Further restrictions have been placed upon the admission of aliens into great Britain.

In the last year B. C. has contributed over a million to the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

A British fleet visited Portugal in recognition of that country's action in joining the Allies.

The second anniversary of the Battle of the Marne was officially celebrated in France on Sunday.

It is now stated that Britain will require the cession of Heligoland as one of the terms of peace.

The Norwegian steamers Lyderhorn and Elizabeth IV have been sunk. The crews were saved.

Government loans to farmers amounting to \$163,100 have been granted to the provincial commission.

A director of the submarine line says the gods only know when the Bremen will arrive in America.

The Danish parliament proposes to take a plebiscite on the sale of the Danish West Indies to the U.S.

General Otter is on his way west to investigate the employment of Austrians in the mines of this province.

Two small Russian arctic expeditions have not been heard from for four years, and are believed to be lost.

Canadian meat packers, in competition with Chicago firms, secured a \$3,000,000 contract from the French government.

The Japanese government has informed the U.S. that America's interests are not infringed upon by the demands on China.

New Zealand, with a white population of a million, has sent 60,000 men to the front and is providing 2400 each month.

The Allies have allowed the U. S. cruiser Des Moines, carrying medical supplies sent by American Jews to sufferers in Jerusalem, to pass the blockade.

The German archbishop Daltor has instructed his clergy to invest as much as possible of their church funds in the new German war loan.

Germany is building a great number of merchant vessels, in preparation for the trade war which the Allies are expected to inaugurate when peace is arranged.

Sir George Foster intimated on Monday that if more men were needed for the Canadian forces and could not be secured otherwise, the government would introduce conscription.

German diamond merchants are attempting to carry on business by smuggling. A very valuable consignment of jewels was found by British customs officers in a large pot of soup in the galley of a transatlantic liner.

Omineca's Minerals

An earnest of the increase in mining production that may be expected from Omineca division is seen in the fact that the value of placer gold won in 1915 was \$12,000 as compared with \$6000 in 1914; of lode gold \$32,301 against \$4,196, and of copper \$489,245, in comparison with only \$1097 for the two years 1913 and 1914 combined. Given during the remainder of this year similar production to that of the first six months, there seems to be good reason to expect a considerable increase in total value of output for 1916 as compared with \$580,502, which was the total for 1915.

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Where located:—On Babine slope, about 24 miles from Moricetown, on the Cronin Trail.

TAKE NOTICE that Dalby B. Morkill, B. C. Land Surveyor, of Hazelton, B. C., acting as agent for A. H. Morten, Free Miner's Certificate No. 95906B, and Henry Bretzins, Free Miner's Certificate, No. 95907B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. 48-5

Dated this 29th day of July, A. D. 1916. D. B. Morkill.

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NOTICE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the Administration Act and in the matter of the Estate of John J. McDiarmid, deceased, intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by an order of His Honour Judge Young, dated the sixth day of July, 1916, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of John J. McDiarmid, deceased, intestate.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby requested to forward the same, properly verified, to me before the 14th day of August, 1916, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amounts of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated 1st day of August, 1916.

STEPHEN H. HOSKINS,
Official Administrator,
Hazelton, B. C.



Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations.

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,

Deputy Minister of the Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—58782.

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THE MINER WAR BULLETINS

MONDAY, SEPT. 11

London: British troops are engaged in desperate fighting in the Somme region, along a three-and-a-half-mile front extending from High wood to Leuze wood. On a front of more than a quarter of a mile, east of High wood, the British have gained 300 yards. North of Pozieres our forces have taken 600 yards of enemy trenches. German casualties have been extremely heavy.

Paris: French troops are forcing the issue in the Verdun region, and have captured a whole sector of German trenches east of Fleury.

Petrograd: The desperate fighting which is developing around Halicz and along a 25-mile front northward as far as the source of the Zlota Lipa river represents one of the most important phases of the campaign against Lemberg. The Austrian retirement has left Halicz in a critical position. It has been saved so far only by its natural defences on the right bank of the Dniester.

Paris: The Servian forces on the Macedonian front took the offensive last night in the region of Lake Ostrovo. After a violent engagement they captured a height to the west of the lake.

Paris: The new French loan will be issued at five per cent, the same rate as for the last loan. The date of issue will probably be early in October.

Berlin: The forces of the central powers in the Carpathians, northwest of Kapul, have yielded before the pressure exerted by the Russians.

Vienna: King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, accompanied by the crown prince and the chief members of the Bulgarian cabinet, have arrived at main headquarters on the eastern front to confer with the Kaiser.

London: The Swedish steamer Gamen, of 2617 tons, has been sunk. The crew was saved.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 12

London: The British troops in Greek Macedonia have taken the offensive. Last night they crossed the Struma and gained a footing on the eastern bank, forty miles east of Saloniki. The Bulgarians are resisting desperately.

French troops are attacking the enemy from the Vardar to Lake Doiran.

London: Two attempts were made by the Germans to recapture Ginchy, on the British front in the Somme district. Both were repulsed.

Our troops entered the enemy's trenches in several places between Neuville St. Vaast and La Bassee.

Paris: Five times last night the Germans attacked the newly-won positions held by the French on the Somme front. The attacks, in which the enemy employed burning liquid, were repulsed with heavy loss to the Teutons. Some fighting occurred south of the Somme, from Berny to the region of Chaulnes.

London: The Bulgarians are evacuating Varna, the principal Bulgarian port on the Black Sea.

Two Russian cruisers and a monitor bombarded the twelve forts at Kavala, along a 16-kilometer front.

Petrograd: In the Caucasus the Russians, after an engagement with the Turks, occupied the town of Bana. Fierce fighting continued on Saturday and Sunday, the Russians pursuing the enemy. Four officers and 240 men, with a large quantity of war equipment, were taken. The enemy destroyed or threw over the cliffs many cannon.

Ottawa: Canadian troops recently drafted to the Somme front have been again in the thick of the fighting. The week-end casualty list, however, is considerably under one thousand.

Rome: A strong Austrian position in the Trentino Valley has been captured.

WEDNES., SEPT. 13

London: Resuming the offensive in the Somme region, the French again smashed the German line, capturing the front line trench and other trenches, with 1500 prisoners. The attacks were made between Combles and the Somme. East and southeast of Combles the Allies have seized additional trenches along the Bethune-Peronne road, impeding the enemy's transportation of troops and munitions.

South of the Somme the Germans attacked one of the French trenches east of Belloy, but were easily repulsed with grenades.

Everywhere on the Somme, especially along the British front, there is the usual cannonading.

Saloniki: The new offensive of the Allies on the Macedonian front has resulted in the defeat of the Bulgarians, who sustained enormous losses in a battle of thirty-six hours' duration, after which they retreated, pursued by the Allies.

French troops, co-operating with British, captured a village on the Struma front.

London: On the Doiran front our artillery carried out a systematic bombardment of the enemy trenches north of Muskukovo.

The political situation in the Near East is of no less interest than the military outlook. It is believed important changes are pending in Greece. The resignation of Premier Zaimis is reported.

Bucharest: The Austrians continue to retreat in Transylvania.

Paris: It is semi-officially stated that the Bulgarians have evacuated all the forts of the Greek seaport of Kavala.

Athens: French and Servian troops have taken the offensive on the western end of the Macedonian front.

King Constantine has expressed regret for the visitation of the French legation by ruffians who fired shots during the meeting of Entente ministers on Saturday.

Petrograd: New successes for the Russians in the Carpathians are reported. Several heights in the Bially-Cheremont region, near the Bukovina border, have been taken and held, as well as Kapul mountain to the south. One thousand prisoners were taken.

Brusiloff is concentrating forces for another drive.

Reports from the Caucasus are favorable.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 14

London: Instead of resting on the ground won in yesterday's great attack north of the Somme the French continued their thrust last night, capturing the village of Bouchavesnes and the wooded area nearby.

Bouchavesnes lies east of the Bapaume-Peronne road, cut in yesterday's drive, and its capture assures the French possession of this main highway to Peronne.

Combles is now cut off from the south in a dangerous salient, while General Foch is in a favorable position for a stroke from the north at Peronne, which appears to be seriously threatened by the new French advance. This is one of the most important advances made in any single operation since the beginning of the Somme offensive.

The British hold their lines northwest of Combles, and maintain a firm grip on Ginchy.

Paris: The French have taken by assault a wood for a distance of six hundred yards each side of the road from Plionne to Bethune.

On the Verdun front French troops made progress in the northern part of Vaux-Chapitre wood.

Numerous aerial engagements at points behind the German lines are reported on the Somme front. Our aeroplanes fought 17 engagements yesterday, during which two German machines were brought down.

London: The Entente offensive is developing along the western sector of the Macedonian front. French and Servian forces have captured the town of Sorovitz, on the left flank, and the Servians gained considerably in vicinity of Lake Ostrovo, after violent fighting.

Italians are heavily engaged on the Struma front. A lively cannonading continues, but no change in the situation is reported. In the region of Rebs mountain, in the direction of Butnova, Italian troops are also engaged.

The Allied artillery on both sides of the Vardar is bombarding the Bulgarian organizations of Makukova and Majadag.

Athens: King Constantine has accepted the resignation of Premier Zaimis. The belief is now held that a Greek cabinet crisis cannot be averted.

Vienna: General Baltin, the Austrian defender of Transylvania, has resigned.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 15

London: Beset by the British on the west and the French on the east, the town of Combles, in the Somme region, is on the verge of capture.

The French have captured La Priese farm, in the Somme. Other positions taken by the Allies have been enlarged.

The British made further progress north of Ginchy and south of the Ancre. The usual artillery action is in progress. Enemy guns are particularly active in the neighborhood of Pozieres and south of Thiepval. Some German prisoners were taken in a raid last night.

Vigorous attempts by Germans

to recapture positions taken by the French in the Somme and Verdun regions were repulsed last night.

There is hard fighting north and south of Bouchavesnes, with considerable aerial fighting. Two hostile machines were brought down in flames and another driven to the ground.

Saloniki: Bulgarian troops attacked Roumanian positions at Lipniza, but were repulsed with heavy losses. The Roumanians captured eight guns.

The Servian offensive continues along the entire west Macedonian front, with complete success.

London: At a general council of the central powers, at the Kaiser's headquarters, an offensive campaign in the Balkans was mapped out. Germany will send 200,000 men and Austria 100,000.

The Entente powers are not satisfied with the Greek program. Minor actions on the Mesopotamian front are reported.

Paris: Kavala was pillaged and civilian residents massacred by Turkish Bashi Bazouks, on the withdrawal of the Greek garrison.

Petrograd: The situation is unchanged on the Russian front.

Four Russian giant aeroplanes of the Mometz type bombarded a German aeroplane station at Lake Angen, on the Gulf of Riga, setting fire to the sheds in which seventeen enemy planes were stored.

Amsterdam: Serious food riots in Hamburg are reported. Shops were raided and many injured. Thirty-seven women were arrested.

Drastic measures have been taken at Wilhelmshaven, in anticipation of Allied air raids.

Rome: Italians have captured important positions in the Sera Valley and on Mount Lagasoni.

A squadron of Italian aeroplanes raided the Austrian arsenal and hangars near Trieste, doing much damage.

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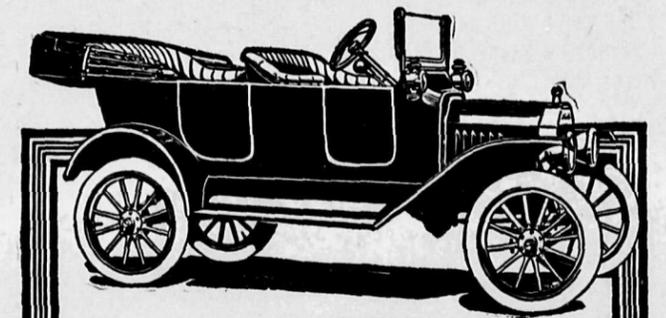
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