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## CONTINUES HEAVY FIGHTING ALONG THE ROUMANIAN FRONT

# Another Note Presented to The Greek Government

Said to be of a Grave Character and Brought King Constantine to the Capital Post Haste---French Capture Houses on the Somme Front.

LONDON, Oct. 17.-Vice-Admiral Fournet, commander of the Anglo-French fleet in the Mediterranean, has handed the Greek government a new note of an extremely grave character, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Athens, dated yesterday. Following the B. presentation of the note, King Constantine, it is added, came to the capital in haste from the royal residence at Tatoi.

PARIS, Oct. 17.—Another group of houses in the village of Sailley-Saillisel, on the Somme front, was captured last night by the French, the War Office announced. A strong German counter-attack was repulsed.

PARIS, Oct. 17.-Violent artillery fighting is in progress on the Macedonian front. In the region of the Cerna river, the War Office reports, the Serbians checked a Bulgarian counter attack.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—A court-martial will assemble at Brussels today for the trial of fourteen persons accused of conspiracy, according to news despatches from Rotterdam. The despatches say that the prisoners include Dr. Bull, a wealthy Englishman, who is charged with having provided nurse Edith Cavell with funds to assist in the escape of Belgian soldiers. Dr. Bull, who was formerly dentist to the Belgian royal family, will have the assistance of United States Minister Briand Whitlock in his defence.

#### French Bishop Gets Cross of Legion of

Honor for His Heroic Devotion to Duty

PARIS, Oct. 17.-Monsignor Emile Lobbedey, Bishop of Arras, has been decorated with the cross of the Legion of | Honor for the heroism and devotion with which he remained at his post of duty under fire.

The official decree says: "He remained at Arras amidst the front lines from October, 1914, to June, 1915, under a bom-



Mounted Rifles.

Missing. Wallace Bugley, Amherst, N. S.

and a state of the state of the

Killed in Action. Sergt. Merton Cafford, Shebapo, N.B. Louis McMurrer, Charlottetown, P. B. Babineau, Richibucto Village, N.

Corp. Stanley Otis Clark, St. John.

Wounded. Sergt. Geo. Dibblee, Moore's Mills, V. B.

Sergt. Arthur E. Gillis, Sackville, N Major Wm. J. Osborne, Fredericton

John Robichaud, Chatham, N. B. Infantry.. Wounded.

Lawrence W. W. Slack, Windsor, N Elois St. Onge, Edmundston, N. B. Wm. Terrio, Amherst, N. S. Harry York, St. John. J. McDowe, Millbank, N. B. J. E. Dureen, St. John. J. J. Little, Grand Falls, N. B. John E. McDonald, McKee's Mills, . B.

H. J. Good, Bathurst, N. B. D. Ross, Bayfield, N. B. Felix Roy, St. John. W. W. Duncan, Salisbury, N. B.

Missing. J. McDougall, Stellarton, N. S. Artillery. Seriously III.

Driver A. Bryant, Northampton, N.B. Mrs. G. W. Brown, of Fredericton, is are impossible.

isiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown, Ex



NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .he war has taken a definite turn in favor of the Allies and that their victory may be slightest degree forced by any local necessity. regarded as certain was expressed by passengers on board the vessel Lafayette, which arrived here ysterday from Bordeaux.

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Roumanian Artillery Was Outranged by The Heavy Guns of the Austro-Germans---Bucharest Despatches Are Optimistic---Invaders Gain Little.

LONDON, Oct. 17.- The latest despatches from Bucharest show that fighting of an extremely bitter character is still going on in all the Transylvanian passes.

According to news despatches, the Roumanian retreat from Transylvania was chiefly due to the heavy guns of the Austro-Germans, which outranged the Roumanian artillery. Military experts direct attention chiefly to the Preddell and Buxen passes, the former leading directly to the valuable oil fields of Prahova Valley, while the latter is the road to the important, railway junction of Buxen, connecting Bucharest with Northern Roumania and Russia. In neither of these passes have the invaders made any serious headway as yel.

Bucharest despatches generally regard the situation optimistically. They point out that it is only necessary for the Roumanian forces to hold on a short time before the cold weather sets in. The winter will enable the shifting of numerous Roumanian formations from points where winter campaigns

#### **Roumanian Troops Have Shortened**

#### Their Line by an Orderly Retirement

LONDON, Oct. 17.-The London Times correspondent with

Roumanian troops west of Brasso (Kronstadt) began an orderly retirement from their positions on the evening of Oct. 8th, passing Brasso during the night.

Today they are taking up positions on the foothill defending the entrance to the Predeal Pass. This movement represents

bardment which was sometimes very violent. He exerted him self unselfishly to the accomplishment of his ministry, visiting the soldiers, burying the dead, assisting ambulances, giving to all a magnificent example of calm, sangfroid energy and l duty fully done under the immediate menace of the enemy.

#### CABINET COUNCIL AT ATHENS.

LONDON, Oct. 17.— The railway stations of Athens and Piraeus, the city hall at the capital, and the Castalla barracks, have been occupied by French and Italian sailors to the number of 4,000, while 150 bluejackets, with two machine guns, have been stationed in the municipal theatre, according to a Reuter despatch from Athens today. The city is quiet. An urgent

#### MANY AERIAL ENCOUNTERS.

PARIS, Oct. 17 .- French and German teroplanes yesterday fought 65 engagements in the region of the river Somme, says today's French Official statement. Five German machines were brought down. The statement says: "Our aeroplanes carried out numerous flights in the region of the Somme. They fought The movement-is slow, but nevertheles scertain." 65 engagements in the course of which two enemy machines were brought down and three others came precipitately to the **Political Matters** earth within our lines.'

#### **GREEK BATTLESRIPS TAKEN OVER.**

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Entente Allies have taken over the Greek battlships Kilkis, Lmnos and Averoff, says Reuter's Athens correspondent. Allied crews were put on board the battleships, the correspondent says, and the Greek crews were landed Hon. Walter Scott from the premier- 18 years old, so nof Robert Cruse, Lib-Greek fleet except the Kilkis, Lemnos and Averoff.

#### **TEUTONIC COUNTER ATTACKS.**

PETROGRAD, Oct. 47 .--- Teutonic troops are heavily counter-atacking the Russian lines in the region southeast of Lemberg, the War Office announced today. The attacks were Premier will be Hon. J. A. Calder, who launched after bombardments of great intensity, in the direc-fion of Korytnia and near Bolshoytee. 5 miles north of Halicz formation, or William Martin, Federal fion of Korytnia and near Bolshovtee, 5 miles north of Halicz. The Russians took fifty prisoners and one machine gun during M. P. for Regina. The latter may be fighting in Turkish Armenia, in which the fighting on this front. the fighting on this front.

Samuel/S. McClure, the editorial policies of whose newspapers are generally regarded as strongly pro-German, return- sudden manoeuvres. ed home apparently convinced that the Allies will emerge from

Mr. McClure said:

Well, you have got to take into consideration the populaion of the various nations allied against the Teutons.

#### The Allies Now Have the Upper Hand.

Mr. A. P. Andrew, of the American Ambulance Corps in cabinet council has been summoned. It is officially explained, France, was another passenger. He hopes to take back with adds the despatch, that the detachments landed will assist the him fifty additional men when he returns to France two months children of happy and prosperous America to aid the million hence. He says the corps now has 112 Harvard men and that and a half unhappy children of Belgium. 54 American universities and colleges are represented in it.

wstern front," said Mr. Andrew.

"The movement of the Allied troops is like clockwork. The Commision for Relief of Belgium. officers are able to tell today just where they will be tomorrow.

### In Saskatchewan

Ottawa, Oct. 17 .- The retirement of tion that will develop from it, causes ed in action at the front. considerable interest at Ottawa. It is Hon. J. D. Hazen's son was killed

a redistribution in order to shorten the line, and is not in the

'With the long western front, which the Roumanians had to defend in the face of the increasing numbers of Teutons, it was deemed wiser not to expose the advanced positions to any

During the retirement the Germans were not even in touch the contest victorious. When questioned regarding his belief, with the Roumanian troops, and the movement has been made quiétly and entirely without panic or the smallest demoraliza-

#### The Pope Appeals to Children of America

#### To Help the Unhappy Children of Belgium

The appeal of the Pontiff is the result of a visit paid him by The Allies have the upper hand in the fighting on the George Barr Baker, of New York, who came to the Vatican at he instance of Herbert Hoover, chairman of the American

Mr. Baker told the Pope that the Belgian children were reduced below normal weight and were suffering bodily ills from under-nourishment. He said that tuberculosis was increasing and had risen from seven to over thirteen per cent.

Mr. Hoover proposes to give the children a supplemenatry laily meal of a cup of chocolate or milk and one sweetened biscuit made with lard. Experienc ehas shown that this addition to their diet will maintain their condition at normal and will restore those already weakened. The cost of this meal is three cents for each child daily, and Mr. Hoover hopes to oband sent to Athens. On Oct. 41 the Allies took over the entire ship of Saskatchewan and the situa- eral M. P. for Dauphine, has been kill- tain the assistance of the American Catholic clergy in enlisting the American children in relief work.

#### More German Brutality.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company wired the following:

Three hundred workwomen in a Ghent factory who refused to work in German munition factories in Belgium have been arrested and sent to Germany. Twelve who resisted were shot. The Germans everywhere are forcing the Belgians to work for sians, is reported by the War Office. thm, particularly on their railways.

Ottawa, Oct. 17 .- Robert Cruse, jr.,

Killed in Action

expected that if not immediately, at last spring, while several other memleast before many months a provincial bers, including Messrs. Cockshutt and genera lelection will be held. Turriff, have had sons wounded with The impression here is that the new the Canadian forces.

Son of M. P.

Petrograd, Oct. 17 .- Heavy cavalry