

RUSSIANS AFTER LEMBERG THE GALICIAN CAPITAL

The Bear Starts a New Offensive and Achieves Great Success---Ten Thousand Prisoners Captured--Village of Koniuchy Taken From the Enemy---Official Report Tells of the Great Battle.

Prisoners exceeding 10,000 and the capture of the village of Koniuchy and strongly fortified positions southwest of Brzezany are the first fruits of the new offensive movement of the Russian forces in Eastern Galicia.

North of Koniuchy the Russians have attacked and fresh battles are in progress.

The Russian artillery, long inactive

from lack of shells played an important part in the defeat of the Austro-Germans at Koniuchy. For two days a rain of iron was thrown into the German positions and Berlin says officially that they were turned into a crater field. The Russians not only carried three lines of German trenches and Koniuchy, which was strongly fortified but also advanced to the Koniuchy stream south of the village, which is on the Zlota Lipa river.

Around Brzezany the fighting was most bitter and Berlin claims that sixteen Russian divisions were thrown forward. The Russians carried the fortified Teuton positions at several points in face of a desperate resistance by Austrian, German and Turkish troops.

Most Cheerful News in West.

London, July 2. — The resumption of the Russian offensive, with the capture of the town of Koniuchy, and more than 10,000 prisoners, is the most cheerful news the British have had for some weeks. References in recent German official communications to the activity of the Russians have given hope that something really serious was about to occur, but the public was hardly prepared for such immediate and successful results, as it was thought it would take a few days for the artillery to destroy the Austro-German defenses which were under construction for so many months.

The scene of the Russian success, between the Stripa and Zlota rivers, was the battle ground of such heavy fighting after General Brusiloff's offensive of a year ago, Koniuchy being on the latter river.

Like the other demonstrations, it is in the direction of Lemberg, the capture of which would be of the greatest strategic and political importance. General Brusiloff apparently has resumed his concentric manoeuvre, which was interrupted by the advent of winter and then by the revolutions.

Official Story of Victory.

Petrograd, July 2. — The Russian official announcement today says that the Russians have advanced to the Koniuchy stream and also have captured seven heavy guns. Teuton prisoners continue to be brought in. The official announcement reads:

"Western (Russian) front: In the direction of Kovel (Volhynia) in the region of Rudkasitavichskaya our scouts under command of four officers, after destroying the wire entanglements by mines, penetrated the enemy's trenches, killed some of their occupants and captured a number of prisoners. According to the testimony of prisoners the Austrians knew of our attack from two deserters, Senior Non-commissioned Officer Qarsonkin and Private Kolotuinov. An investigation is being made by the authorities of the governments to which the soldiers named belonged.

"In the direction of Zlochoff, after two days' artillery preparation our troops attacked the Austro-German positions on the Koniuchy-Byshki

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LIBERALS WIN ANOTHER SEAT

Peace River, Alta., June 30.—W. A. Rae, Liberal, of Grand Prairie, with 26 polls out of 45 heard from, had a majority of 549 over H. Minchin, Conservative, of Grand Prairie, and L. H. Adair, independent Liberal, of Lake Saskatchewan, in the deferred election for this provincial constituency.

It is believed that when all polls are reported Mr. Rae's majority will be around 1100. Both the Conservative and independent Liberal candidates lose their deposits.

By electing their candidate, the Liberals win back the seat from the Conservatives, who carried it four years ago.

BY-ELECTIONS IN P. E. ISLAND

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 29.—The fate of the Arsenault government hangs upon two by-elections which will be held on July 25. The standing of the parties in the Legislature is now 17 to 13, and the capture of two seats by the Liberals would mean another general election. The by-election will be held for former Premier Mathieson's seat in the Georgetown district, and the new premier and Attorney General Arsenault must run an election in the Egmont Bay district.

J. D. Stewart was nominated by the Conservatives today in Georgetown. The Liberals hold their convention next week. Both districts went strongly Conservative at the last general election.

front. After a severe engagement they occupied three lines of trenches and the fortified village of Koniuchy and advanced to the Koniuchy stream to the south of the village of the same name.

"As a result of the engagement on Sunday 164 officers and 8,400 soldiers have been counted so far as prisoners. We also took seven guns and seven machine guns. Prisoners continue to come in.

"Southwest of Brzezany, after artillery preparation our troops attacked the strongly fortified positions of the enemy and after stubborn fighting occupied them at places. Germans and Trucks made counter-attacks and formidable positions changed hands constantly.

"On Sunday we captured on this front nine officers and 1,700 men. Some of our detachments sustained severe losses, especially of officers.

"Altogether on Sunday we took 173 officers and more than ten thousand soldiers. We also captured seven guns and seven machine guns."

WAR JOKES THEY PERPETRATE

The two girls were talking with a young lieutenant who had got a bullet through his arm.

"And what were your emotions during the first battle?" asked one girl. "What were my emotions?" "Yes, how did you feel?" "Oh, slightly bored."

The title of rear admiral always appears odd to the layman, but never more so than when it is worn by a naval commander who is at the front and so far as one may gather from the vague hints the cables carry, putting in good work. Commenting on this a Boston paper suggests promoting such officers to the title of "front admiral."

"Gee whiz, Hank! Your dad's a terrible strong guy, ain't he?"

"Betcha! He's gotta be one o' them double soldiers."

"What's that—a double soldier?"

"Why, pop's a home guard an' a home guardener."

Sergeant (during the rest on route march)—Pack too heavy? Why, look at Jones there, he doesn't complain.

The Wreck—Course 'e don't, it ain't nothin' fresh for 'im. 'E used to go out shoppin' wiv 'is missus.

"What's the trouble Sergeant?"

"It's the new recruit, sir. Shure I told him to mark time in the drill room till I came back, and he scratched up the face o' the clock wid a pencil."

"That new recruit must have been a bookkeeper."

"How's that?"

"I just noticed him trying to put his bayonet behind his ear."

Mistress—Didn't I tell you that this cherry brandy was for private use, Mary?

Mary (caught treating her beau)—Yes'm; Jim's a private, mum.

PRESENTATION TO MRS. MARSHALL

A Wrist Watch and Purse of Gold Given by Members of the Methodist Congregation.

A few evenings ago the ladies of the Methodist church held a largely attended entertainment in the lecture room to which a number of gentlemen were invited. The gathering seemed to be shrouded in mystery until Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson, who presided, delivered and address and invited Mrs. Marshall to the front and read to the occupant of the parsonage for the past three years a flattering and appreciative address and presented her with an elegant wrist watch and purse of gold. Although taken by surprise, she gracefully accepted this practical expression of sympathy and love.

Happy addresses followed by Rev. J. J. Colter and several of the laymen. Pastor Marshall in gallant words assured the ladies that their appreciation was not misplaced. Dainty refreshments followed.

Official Appreciation.

At last meeting of the quarterly official board Rev. Mr. Marshall was the recipient of a hearty address from the church in appreciation of the splendid service he had rendered during his pastorate.

Slants of Humor

The shades of night are falling fast
As on our favorite sheet we cast
Our eyes in fond and trusting hope,
Only to find the same old dope:

"Showers."

With dawn's first light again we squint
At our most favored morning print,
And there in that palladium
Again we find the forecast glum:

"Showers."

Some far-off day when you, old chap,
And I are dead, and when, mayhap,
A hundred years have passed away,
The weather forecasts still will say:

"Showers."

A WASTED HINT.

"I think I'll join the army," said the bashful lover.

"You certainly need instruction in the use of arms, George," she said, significantly, but George's arms still remained at his side.

SAD.

"The worst part of being a bachelor is that when I die my name dies with me."

"What is your name?"

"Smith."

CONSISTENT.

"I know a consistent woman."

"G'wan!"

"Yes; she's a divorcee and—"

"Yes?"

"She's going to buy Liberty Bonds with her alimony."



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WOMAN HAS FIVE HUSBANDS

London, Ont., June 30.—Mrs. MacHarbin, arrested here yesterday along with her husband, Sergeant MacHarbin, who recently enlisted at Windsor, admitted to Inspector Reynolds of the immigration department, Ottawa, that MacHarbin was her fifth husband, the other four now living in the United States. The pair were remanded for a week. They are charged with violating the immigration regulations.

MOTHER SHIPTON'S PROPHECY.

(Mother Shipton, 400 years ago.)
When pictures look alive, with movements free,
When ships like fishes swim beneath the sea,
When men, outstripping birds, can scorn the sky,
Then half the world, deep drenched in blood, shall die.

Potato salad is excellent made with sliced beets.

WEDDING BELLS.

Price-Folkins.

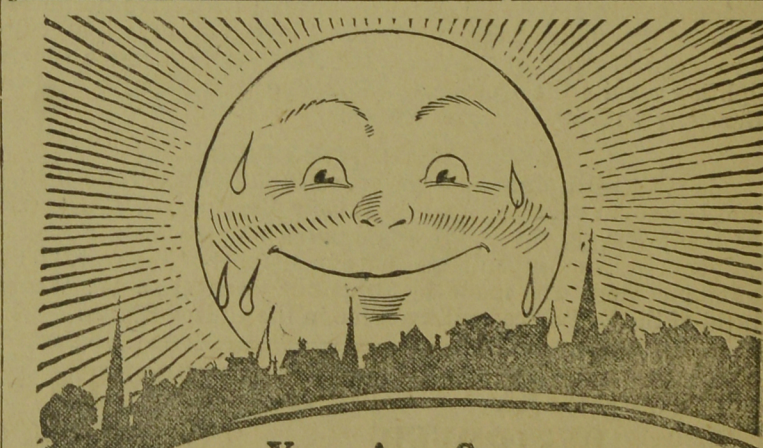
A very quiet and pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Folkins, Norton, on the evening of Wednesday, June 27th, when their daughter Elsie Marion, was united in marriage to Ora Lee Price of Midland.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. H. Stavert in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The young couple were unattended.

The bride who was given away by her father, was becomingly attired in white silk crepe faille, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The Lohengrin wedding march was well rendered by the bride's sister, Miss Winifred Folkins. After the ceremony a dainty lunch was served to which all did ample justice.

The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful and useful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Price will reside in Midland.

Fighting on the west front has developed something new in manufactured big noises when Lloyd George in England can hear the Flanders explosions 140 miles away.



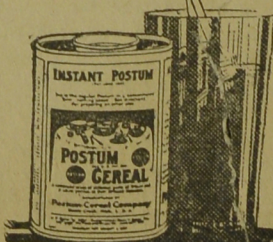
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