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GEN. JOFFRE REVIEWS WORK AGAINST GERMANS

Paris, Feb. 3.—Gen. Joffre's views of the military operations from the battle of Charleroi to the French defeat at Soissons are given in an interview printed in the Depeche de Toulouse, Saturday, Jan. 31.

"We ought to have won the battle of Charleroi," said Gen. Joffre. "Our army was in sufficient numbers. We had ten chances to one to win it. We lost it through our own faults by mistakes of our comrades."

"Long before the war broke out was aware a great number of our generals were worn out ('fatigues'). Some of them seemed to me to be unfit to fulfil their duties. Some inspired me with doubts, others even with inquietude. I had made known my intention to introduce a younger element into our superior command. Despite all comments and in face of all ill-feeling I would have pursued my task, but the war came too soon."

"There were a certain number of generals whom I trusted, but who imperfectly came up to my hopes. The fact is the real test of men, fitted for the warfare, is war itself rather than strategical colleges. The keenest intelligence the most confidence to them are not added certain plebe knowledge are of little value qualities of action."

"Such are the responsibilities of war that it is their peculiar attribute that they paralyze the rarest faculties in men of merit. That is what happened to some of my chiefs. They could not do justice to their merits."

"Observing these deficiencies, I had set about remedying them. Some of these generals were my best comrades, but, while I love my friends, I love France still more. I therefore relieved them of their commands. I removed them as I expect to be removed myself if I am found deficient. Not, indeed, as a punishment, but simply for the public weal."

"I did this with anguish in my soul, and when in solitude I wept. Asked about his retreat before you Kluck, he replied:

"The retreat was very simple. Then with numerous details he explained how von Kluck's men, casting aside their haversacks, swept like a whirlwind on Paris."

"He explained how, during the ten days the English-French retreat lasted, he, Joffre, built up in the region of Amiens, that is, on the flank of the line of invasion, an army whose existence was unknown to all, and especially to the Germans, until the day when this army of General Maunoury gave such a sudden and violent elbow blow to the Teutons that he threw them, as planned, on to our lines on the Marne."

"General Joffre explained these military events in the most indifferent tones, as though he himself had played a most secondary role, 'with the same air as an assistant military professor would explain to a class the retreat of the ten thousand,' the famous jingle about the Napoleon army that went up the hill and down again."

"However," said Joffre, "this will be written in history. My staff will write it when the war is terminated, and I will see to it that the story is well supported."

"The general was asked if he had something else up his sleeve."

"Surely, surely," he replied, "but we are really still manoeuvring. Napoleon said he won battles with his soldiers' legs. We win them with our locomotives. That's all the difference. We mustn't abuse this word of attrition too much."

"To begin with, it has enabled us

to increase our war tools, to adapt them, even create new ones. It this kind of fighting must go on we must not imagine the word attrition has no meaning."

"It is a mistake to suppose that any army that is beaten can retreat indefinitely into new trenches, an army that doesn't retain the ascendancy is very near panic. Now the ascendancy belongs to us; there isn't the slightest doubt of that."

"Under the fire of our army the Germans have lost more than one million men, yes, more than one million who will never reappear on any battlefield."

"Their famous Guard is only a collection of uniforms; their old officers' lists are only a historic memory. Their officers were gallant; they've nearly all fallen. The German troops are now so much weakened morally that their improvised officers are compelled, in order to avoid stampede, to lead them to battle in massive formation, eight men abreast. It is leading them to a hecatomb, a prey for our artillery."

"What of the French?" he was asked.

"The General rose."

"In all armies, at all times, all places, there have been deficiencies. It is possible there are some in our army too, but our heroes are numbered by the thousands, yes, by the thousands. What a great and admirable country is France! You can cry that aloud. We are living in great times. With an army like ours it would be a crime against France to despair."

"From whatever part of France they come they are worthy of the chiefs now commanding them."

SOISSONS AN EPISODE.

"Soissons was a fatality if you like, or fault if you prefer, but in any case only an episode."

"With an air of impatience, Joffre added:

"I command soldiers but not the barometer. General Chance is a great captain but not for a single instant do I doubt our final victory."

When Paris was advised The Depeche de Toulouse had appeared with this interview, the head censor telegraphed to the Toulouse authorities to seize the entire issue."

The Depeche protested the interview was published with the complete consent of General Joffre, but the censor insisted on deleting several passages, thereafter intimating the newspaper could print the remainder. The Depeche, however, refused to publish merely a portion. The censor thereupon banned republication of any portion of the interview by other newspaper in France."

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE BELGIAN FUND

Contributions received for the Belgian Relief Fund by T. G. Loggie from February 4th to 25th inclusive are as follows:

Sheriff William T. Howe	\$ 5.00
Miss Calla L. Brown, teacher	
Campbell Settlement school	
proceeds from an oyster	
supper	8.50
Miss Verna Stairs, teacher	
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awick, per Rev. J. B. H.	
Done	75.00
Collection from Nashuaak-	
sis Branch Women's Insti-	
tute, per Miss Rebecca L.	
Anderson	62.15
Mrs. R. D. Hanson	4.00
A Friend	1.00
Miss J. Blanche Ebbett, pro-	
ceeds of concert and pie	
social at Pinder, York, Co.	50.68
Miss Della J. Daley, Sussex	5.00
Proceeds of social, per Miss	
Catherine Morrissey, Tem-	
ple, N.B.	10.15
Received to date	\$3,066.89
Paid Out	1,913.93
Balance on hand	\$1,122.96

PERSONAL

Premier Clarke is on a trip to Mon-

tré and Ottawa.

Capt. H. G. DeWolf of Halifax, is

at the Barker House.

James B. Keenan of St. John, is

in the city.

W. C. Miller of Antigonish, Me., is

registered at the Barker House.

E. P. Howard of St. John, is regis-

tered at the Barker House.

E. L. Beer of Amherst, N.S., is a

guest at the Barker House.

E. G. McCollough and F. E. Garvey

of St. John, arrived in the city last

night.

Capt. A. H. Borden, R.C.R., of

Halifax, is in the city. He is at the

Queen.

F. G. Hall of Toronto, is at the

Queen.

Mrs. (Dr.) A. H. Prescott went to

St. John this week to visit her brother

of the 25th Battalion, who is

about to leave for Europe. Mrs. Pres-

cott has one brother already at the

front, who left with the first con-

tingent.—Woodstock Sentinel.

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Dollar Day

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Mon. and Tue. Episode No. 3 of

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GOOD GOVERNMENT

(Continued from page eight.)

the majority is not considered likely as all parties concerned in civic politics are desirous of avoiding an election. A third Labor candidate who was thought possible has not yet been brought out. Two men are said to be available in King's Ward as Labor Candidates but it is not likely that Ald. Reid and Ald. McKnight will be opposed. The Good Government Association will not oppose either Mr. Burnett or Mr. Baxter. The latter in fact is a member of the Association.

