

KING VISITS BRITISH TROOPS IN THE TRENCHES

RUSSIAN GENERAL RENNENKAMPF SUPERSEDED--GERMANS LOSE MANY THOUSANDS AT LODZ

DELAY OF RUSSIAN GENERAL ALLOWS GERMAN ARMY'S ESCAPE

BECAUSE OF THIS FAILURE HE WAS SUPERSEDED—CZAR IS ABOUT TO PAY A VISIT TO THE MEN AT THE FRONT.

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—The Morning Post says it understands that General Rennenkampf has been superseded because he was two days late in taking the position which the German armies in Poland would have been hemmed in. This failure robbed Grand

Duke Nicholas' scheme of its strategic scheme of its full success and entailed a week of heavy fighting.
The arrival of the Czar at the front was to have been the occasion for the declaration of the good news of the completion of the Grand Duke's strategic plans.

BATTLE IN POLAND IS STILL UNDECIDED

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—The increasing thunder of guns in the vicinity of Ypres and the arrival of the German army at Bruges leads to the conclusion that there has been greater activity in Flanders in the last few days than official reports indicate. Reports agree that the battle in northern Poland is still undecided and fiercely contested.

The Russian forces are reported to be within ten miles of Cracow while the Austrian situation in Przemyśl is desperate.

PRINCE RUPERT CLUB WON MOORE SHIELD

The last game of a six-game tournament between the Prince Rupert and the Wanderers clubs, played last night in the gymnasium of the Prince Rupert club, was the most exciting of the season, which the Prince Rupert club won and held for a year. The Wanderers shield was held by the Wanderers club.

The team representing the Prince Rupert Club were: Brandt, McMurtry, McMorris, Foster, MacKay, Wallace, Sweet, Palmer, MacGaffery and Pattullo.

For the Wanderers there were: MacKay, Howe, Melville, Hilditch, MacKay, Pettigrew, Beak, Turner and Raymond.

J. W. McKinley, of 416 Green Street, is offering the balance of his furniture for less than half its cost. Call and see them, or phone Red 337.

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PIPES TO FIT ANY FACE

KRUPP'S WORKS WERE BOMBARDED BY AVIATOR

London, Dec. 3.—Berlin reports say the Krupp's factory at Essen was bombed by an aviator yesterday. Bombs were dropped on half the buildings, and the aviator escaped unhurt. The extent of the damage is not reported.

SAME OLD STORY

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Dec. 3.—(Official.)—There was a lively artillery exchange yesterday at Nieuport and Ypres; also a violent bombardment west of Lens. The German attacks in the Argonne were repulsed.

CHIEF CENSOR WILL NOT HIDE BAD NEWS

London, Dec. 2.—In the discussion which arose in the House of Commons relative to the censorship, Sir Stanley Buckmaster, director of the Official Press Bureau of the War Office, said that the censorship should have no concern with politics and should not in any circumstances be used for coloring opinion in favor of the government. If that were done, he said, the government would abuse the confidence of the nation and be guilty of a very base action.

Sir Stanley declared that he had no sympathy with the view that bad news should be prohibited. It was possible, however, that there might be circumstances in which a full disclosure of events might not be desirable and might even prove disastrous.

The government accepted amendments to the defence of the realm bill, defining the powers of the government with regard to action that could be taken in matters relating to the publication of news.

GEN. DE WET HAS BEEN TAKEN PRISONER

London, Dec. 3.—General De Wet, the rebel general in South Africa, has been taken prisoner according to a Pretoria official communication received here today.

NAME WANTED.

For the big doll at Wallace's. Little girls, bring in suggestions and contest for the two dollars.

See ladies and Misses' Collars and Muffs at Jabour Bros.' sale next Friday. 279-81

HOW RUSSIANS WON THE VICTORY

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—A dispatch describing the recent fighting at Lodz says the town was closely besieged by the Germans on three sides when the Russians rallied from a difficult situation. The battle began on November 19 and it became evident on November 22 that the Russians had gained a victory. The Germans were outflanked and pushed from the rear but made supreme efforts to pass Lodz to the east and south. This effort cost them heavily and they lost ten thousand men.

FIRST CONTINGENT OFFICERS RETURNING

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—Sixty unattached officers of the Canadian contingent, who were not needed with the first contingent, are sailing for Canada shortly to join the second contingent. They are doing this in preference to joining Kitchener's army.

AUSTRALIANS AND NEW ZEALANDERS ARE SENT TO EGYPT

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—The Australian and New Zealand contingents have disembarked in Egypt to assist in defence and to complete their training.

Skates and Hockey Sticks at Fred Stork's Hardware. tf.

Try Stalker & Well's Famous Butter, 40c. tf.

WHY DODGERS FAIL.

Have you ever stood around in the postoffice the day after some local merchant decided to do his advertising through the mails. If you have you must have noticed how dodgers and "personal letters" strew the floors. Go a little farther and watch the dodger which is sent broadcast over the town or stuck behind the knobs of each door. Invariably this form of advertising, too, meets destruction. It is torn up or thrown to the winds. There is a reason or it. The mails are flooded with cheap circulars and the people got the habit of doing quick work with them. The newspaper, on the other hand, has a legitimate place. The people want the news and incidentally they read the advertising. Don't waste your money on dodgers. Put your advertisements in The Daily News.

KING IN THE TRENCHES

London, Dec. 3.—King George, who has been four days with the British troops, went out on the firing line today. Yesterday he spent some time in the trenches conversing freely with the men and questioning them. He found them cheerful and with a determination to stay with it until the Germans were thoroughly beaten.

WATERFRONT PROBLEM AGAIN TO BE DISCUSSED

R. H. Thompson, consulting engineer for the provincial government is here to make a report to the government on a possible settlement of the waterfront. The government holds some of the most valuable waterfront property in the city and on several occasions an attempt was made to get them to loosen up. The last attempt was made about eighteen months ago, when the Minister of Lands was here, and he agreed to attempt to solve the problem. The government, however, like some people in Prince Rupert, thought this property was going to be a mint right away and consequently wanted to hang on to it. Perhaps the present strenuous times will bring the government to its senses about their value of this property and enable the local people to get what they need without having to give all the money in the world for it.

A meeting is being held in the Board of Trade rooms at 3:30 o'clock today, being a consultation between the council of the Board of Trade and Mr. Thompson. All members of the Board are invited to be present.

BELGRADE EVACUATED ON MONDAY NIGHT

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—A dispatch in The Mail from its correspondent at Belgrade says as a result of the Serbian concentration on a new defensive line Belgrade became isolated and being ill-prepared to stand a siege was evacuated by the garrison on Monday night.

CHANCELLOR SAYS GERMANY WILL FIGHT TO LAST BREATH

MOST OF SPEECH TAKEN UP WITH ATTACK ON BRITAIN—HE SHOWS GERMANY REALLY FEELS SHE HAS ONE FOE—BRITAIN.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Speaking in the Reichstag today, Bethmann Von Holwegg, the Chancellor, said that Germany would persist to her last breath in the war which had been forced on the German nation.
He declared he had written

proof of Belgium's guilt in being willing to surrender her neutrality to France but not to Germany. Part of his speech was an indictment of the British policy being morally responsible for the war.
The Reichstag was adjourned to March 2.

SITTING OF SUPREME COURT IS RESUMED

The sitting of the Supreme court resumed this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Foreman Pattullo reported that the Grand Jury found true bills in the three cases before them:

Rex vs. May—Murder charge.

Rex vs. Morris—Attempted murder.

Rex vs. Harris—Theft.

Before making recommendations the Grand Jury wished to visit the public buildings in the city.

The court decided to hear the attempted murder case first.

The prisoner, Sam Morris, a young negro, is accused with having, on July 15 last, shot Rod McDonald, G. T. P. section foreman, near Telkwa, with intent to kill or alternatively shot with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm.

On hearing the indictment the prisoner admitted the shooting but claimed it was in self-defence. He stated he had no money to employ counsel so the Court appointed Mr. A. M. Manson to represent him.

The jury was chosen as follows: James J. Walsh, John A. Edwards, Douglas Sutherland, Philip McDonald, Arthur Spurr, Clyde Rogers, A. H. Silversides, O. J. Kirkpatrick, F. W. Renworth, Hal Peck, Lachlan McDonald and Walter Clayton.

The trouble arose out of McDonald's objection to the way the negro worked. He employed the man on his section gang, tamping ties, and noticing him doing his work badly one morning took the shovel from him and showed him how it should be done. Morris without any discussion asked for his time on the spot but agreed to work to the end of the day.

On settling up in the evening a dispute arose regarding the cost of board and was eventually compromised by Morris paying a dollar and a half. Morris was apparently still dissatisfied and, after the gang had gone to work next morning helped himself to McDonald's automatic revolver and started west with it, thinking he would be even with his board bill that way.

McDonald returned at noon and, missing the gun, set out on a handcar with his gang to inform the police at Smithers. About ten miles from camp they overtook Morris and he asked for a lift. As he jumped on the car at the rear McDonald jumped off the front and made for him, intending to take the gun from him. The negro was very much excited and, drawing the gun, warned

AUSTRIANS FAILED TO CUT OFF MONTENEGRINS

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Dec. 3.—A semi-official dispatch from Cetinje says that in the past five days the Austrians have made continuous efforts to cut off the Montenegrin army from the Servians. The Montenegrins repulsed and then took the offensive and forced the Austrians to retire. The Austrian losses were 600 killed and wounded. The Montenegrin losses were 33.

him to stand back but, almost at the same instant, fired. He claims that he fired at the ground the first time, as a warning, but that the following four shots were in self-defence. According to the evidence he was backing into the bush all the time he was firing. He was arrested the following day at Byatt's ranch, about three miles from the railroad.

Dr. Eggert gave evidence as to the serious nature of the wounds inflicted; also Dr. Wallace, of Telkwa, who first examined the injured man.

The following witnesses were examined and told practically the same story of the affair: Nick Randoumōs, D. J. Boetis and Nick Stomoulos.

Constables Fairbairn, Russell and Doolittle gave evidence regarding the arrest.

The address to the jury had not been made when the Court adjourned for luncheon.

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WANTS WHAT'S LEFT.—John Canuck (to John Bull): "Dad, will you give me the German fleet when the war is over?"