

BELGRADE IS TAKEN; ENEMY IS ADVANCING

Austrians Drive Servians Before Them, Climbing Steep Hill.

DEFENDERS MAKE RETREAT

Second Army of Invasion, at Semendria, Finds Difficult and Perilous Task.

SWIFT CURRENT IS CROSSED

Bridge Completed With Aid of Artillery on Island.

RUSSIA CLOSELY WATCHED

Vienna Believes No Power Can Stay Czar's Hand if St. Petersburg Believes Time Ripe for Her Cherished Projects.

POSITIONS OF GREAT POWERS IN EUROPEAN CRISIS. Russia—News dispatch says Germany's request to cease mobilization of army has been refused.

AUSTRIA EXPECTED TO WAR ON RUSSIA

SPREAD OF HOSTILITIES PREDICTED FOR TODAY.

Northern Country Puts Boldera Under Martial Law, Plants Mines; Dutch Called to Colors.

LONDON, July 30.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to Reuter's Telegraph Company says it is believed in St. Petersburg that Austria will declare war against Russia tomorrow.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The streets of the Russian capital are overflowing again tonight with enthusiastic subjects of the Emperor and patriotic demonstrations continue without cessation.

PARIS, July 30.—The French government has issued a decree limiting withdrawals from savings banks to 50 francs (\$10) for each depositor.

The Bank of France has decided to place in circulation 20-franc and five-franc notes for the purpose of relieving the difficulties of commerce arising through the disappearance of gold and silver.

RIGA, Russia, July 30.—Martial law was proclaimed today over Boldera and the mouth of the Dvina River and its vicinity.

THE HAGUE, Holland, July 30.—Holland today called all army reserves, frontier guards and coast guards to the colors.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Cablegrams for Austria-Hungary, Rumania, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro were accepted by telegraph companies here today, subject to indefinite delay and only at the sender's risk and increased expense.

LONDON, July 31.—An Athens dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says the Austrian garrison of Cattaro, in Dalmatia, has been occupied by the Montenegrins.

JAPAN IS BOUND TO AID BRITAIN IN EAST

Activity Depends on Naval Developments.

ALLIANCE RENEWED IN 1911

Secret Clauses Broadening Compact Are Rumored.

MANY VESSELS IN WATERS

Warships More Powerful Than Those Which Followed Dewey in Manila Bay—Americans May Help Protect Neutrals.

WATCHFUL WAITING POLICY ADOPTED BY JAPAN.

TOKYO, July 30.—Japan's attitude on the European crisis may be described as one of watchful waiting. Should British rights and interests in Eastern Asia or India be menaced or attacked, it is said that Japan, in fulfillment of her alliance with Great Britain, will assist that country.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—The possibility that Japan might become involved in a general war should her ally, England, be drawn into the threatened vortex in Europe, was discussed today in diplomatic circles here.

The existing treaty of alliance between Great Britain and Japan, signed in 1905, and renewed in 1911, provides that the two countries shall support each other in the event of an attack or aggressive action against either in Eastern Asia or India by another power.

Schoolers Clear at Toledo. TOLEDO, Or., July 31.—(Special.)—The gasoline schooner Mirena arrived in Toledo with a cargo of freight for the merchants and cleared the same day.

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CALIFORNIA TEA POSSIBLE

Plants From Ceylon for Lipton Display to Be Set Out. SAN DIEGO, July 30.—(Special.)—Tea plants, sent from Ceylon for the Thomas Lipton tea exhibit at the Exposition, arrived here from Ceylon today.

It is said this may mean the beginning of a great tea industry in Southern California, and should the tea saplings prove that this is true, thousands of plants will be shipped here next year by the Lipton Company.

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BRITISH NAVY NOW READY FOR ACTION

Land Force Being Put on War Footing.

ALL SEARCHLIGHTS MANNED

Portsmouth Harbor Closed, Suspected Spies Arrested.

IRISH ISSUE POSTPONED

All Factions on Home Rule Question Present Solid Front in Support of Government—Opposition to War Develops.

LONDON, July 30.—The war office tonight sent a request to all newspapers to refrain from publishing news of British military and naval movements.

LONDON, July 30.—The British navy is prepared for war at a moment's notice and the British army is quickly and swiftly preparing.

Nevertheless, every step necessary to place the land forces on a war footing, except the summoning of the territorial army, has been taken.

A large section of the engineers staff of the territorial army has been ordered on duty.

Every officer and private of the regular establishment on leave has been recalled, the only reason for absence accepted in serious illness.

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WAR SHOOTS SHIPS' RISK UP 2 POINTS

MARINE RATE NOW 3 PER CENT AND MARKET PANICKY.

SHIPPERS PROTECT CARGO WITH INSURANCE IN FACE OF CONFISCATION PERIL EVEN IN PACIFIC.

War risks jumped 2 per cent yesterday, being reported strong at 3 per cent, with a limited and panicky market.

It is understood that certain shippers having cargo on the Hamburg-American liner Saxonia, which sailed yesterday morning from Portland for the Orient and Hamburg via Puget Sound, covered their goods with war risks.

War risks also are taken advantage of on cargo bound this way from European ports. It is reported that German vessels carrying foodstuffs will be in danger of seizure by Russian warships.

Should Germany decide to intercept merchant vessels, some exporters say the Pacific will offer an excellent field of operation.

WAR MAY BAR SEA-FLIGHT. Airboat America's Guide Subject to Service in British Army.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Lieutenant John Cyril Porte, who was assigned to pilot Rodman Wansmaker's airboat America on the contemplated trip across the Atlantic, may be called home by the British naval authorities.

The America, which is undergoing changes, is expected to be ready for further trials in two weeks.

OHIO WOMEN DEMAND VOTE

Initiative Petition to Amend Constitution Is Filed. COLUMBUS, O., July 30.—Starting their second campaign for woman suffrage, Ohio suffragists today placed on file initiative petitions for the submission in the November election of a proposal to amend the constitution so as to give women the right to vote.

A proposed suffrage amendment was defeated in September, 1912.

HARBOR APPEAL TO CONGRESS DECISIVE

Northwest Rallies to Support of Bill.

DEFEAT HELD AS DEATH BLOW

All Ports Represented in Request for Aid.

RESOLUTIONS NOT BIASED

Thousands of Messages to Four in on Eastern Firms Asking Help in Crisis Facing Appropriations. Senators' Demand Asked.

Resolutions to be sent the Senators and Representative of the Pacific Coast states in Congress, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, urging upon them the necessity of securing the passage of the pending rivers and harbors bill.

The officers of the Portland Chamber of Commerce were instructed further to send telegrams to the leading commercial chambers in the United States, particularly in those communities mentioned in the general bill.

Delegated Idea Suggested. The suggestion that J. N. Teal be sent to Washington, D. C., to do personal work for the bill on the floor of Congress met with favor.

Resolutions Are Adopted. The text of this resolution follows: "Resolved, That the commercial organizations representing all interests and every part of the Northwest, in convention assembled, urge upon the Senators and Representatives representing these states to use every honorable means to pass the pending rivers and harbors bill."

Continuance Held Vain. "Resolved further, that by reason of the fact that the Port of Portland, Port of Astoria and the Port of Coos Bay have this year contributed directly large sums to aid in work now in progress at the mouth of the Columbia and at Coos Bay, we feel good faith on the part of the general Government requires it to continue the work which has thus been maintained by money raised by taxation by our local communities."

No Project Especially Urged. Significant of the spirit of the meeting was the insistence of the Portland representatives, led by Mr. Teal, that no special stress should be placed on the importance of early completion of the work at the mouth of the Columbia River.

"These resolutions should cover the whole Northwest," said Mr. Teal, and he was roundly cheered as he did so.

Last night's meeting was representative of virtually every port in Oregon, the whole Columbia River basin from the river's mouth to Lewiston, Idaho, and many inland Oregon towns that would only be affected indirectly by a shutdown of all river and harbor development.

The meeting was called to discuss, as outlined by A. H. Averill, president of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, who presided, was ways and means of continuing work on the unfinished

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FOUR PERSONAGES PROMINENT IN YESTERDAY'S WAR NEWS AND MAP ILLUSTRATING INVASION OF SERBIA BY AUSTRIA.

Map of the Balkans showing the invasion of Serbia by Austria-Hungary. Includes portraits of Prince Henry of Prussia, Sazonov, and other figures. The map labels Vienna, Budapest, Austria-Hungary, Bosnia, Serbia, Roumania, Bulgaria, and Montenegro. It also indicates the positions of various military units and towns involved in the conflict.

TOP, PRINCE HENRY OF PRUSSIA, WHO IS ACTIVE IN GERMAN WAR COUNSELS. MAP SHOWS TOWNS FROM WHICH AUSTRIAN INVASION OF SERBIA IS CONDUCTED, WITH RELATION TO THEIR CONTIGUITY TO BELGRADE. (NUMBER OF AUSTRIAN TROOPS AT EACH POINT IS INDICATED.) BELOW, SAZONOV, RUSSIAN WAR MINISTER, WHO INFORMS GERMANY THAT MOBILIZATION OF RUSSIAN FORCES MUST PROCEED; NIKOLAI PASITCH, SERBIAN WAR MINISTER, WHO DIRECTS MILITARY OPERATIONS AGAINST AUSTRIA; GRAND DUKE ERNST OF HESSE, SENT BY KAISER, AS ENVOY TO ST. PETERSBURG IN FINAL EFFORT TO AVERT GENERAL WAR.