

**Poincare Would Lead His Soldiers**

President of France Regrets High Office Keeps Him From Entering Field.

**DEPUTY JOINS REGIMENT**

Italians Parade Paris Streets and Cry "Down With Germany!" Mobilization Order Carries "Extreme Urgency."

PARIS, Aug. 2.—President Poincare, in talking to a friend today, said his only regret was that his high office would prevent him from leading his company of Alpine Riflemen in case France became engaged in war.

Andre Magino, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, has taken his place as a private in a regiment stationed at Bar-Le-Duc, which is in his constituency. M. Magino was formerly Under Secretary of State for War and as such had a seat in the Cabinet. He is one of a large number of members of the Chamber who have declined to avail themselves of the eight-day legal delay in obeying the order of mobilization.

Down With Germany! In Cry. The organization already has begun in Paris of battalions of foreign volunteers, notably Belgians, Slavs and Syrians. Several hundred Italians last night paraded through the downtown sections, carrying Italian and French flags, saying, "Down with Germany" and "long live the Republic."

Night Demonstration Held. There were manifestations throughout the night in almost all provincial towns and cities.

War Credit Move Next. The Ministerial Council was called last night immediately after Premier Viviani had finished his speech on Germany's declaration of war on Russia. President Poincare presided over the deliberations, but not a word as to decisions reached has been officially made known.

**AMERICANS ARE PANICKY**

Business at Antwerp Completely Paralyzed; Money Vanishes.

ANTWERP, Aug. 2.—The American tourists who are endeavoring to return home are in a panicky condition. The steamer Kroonland sailed today with a full complement of passengers, many of whom left their baggage behind rather than remain in Europe.

**LINER LURLINE HITS REEF**

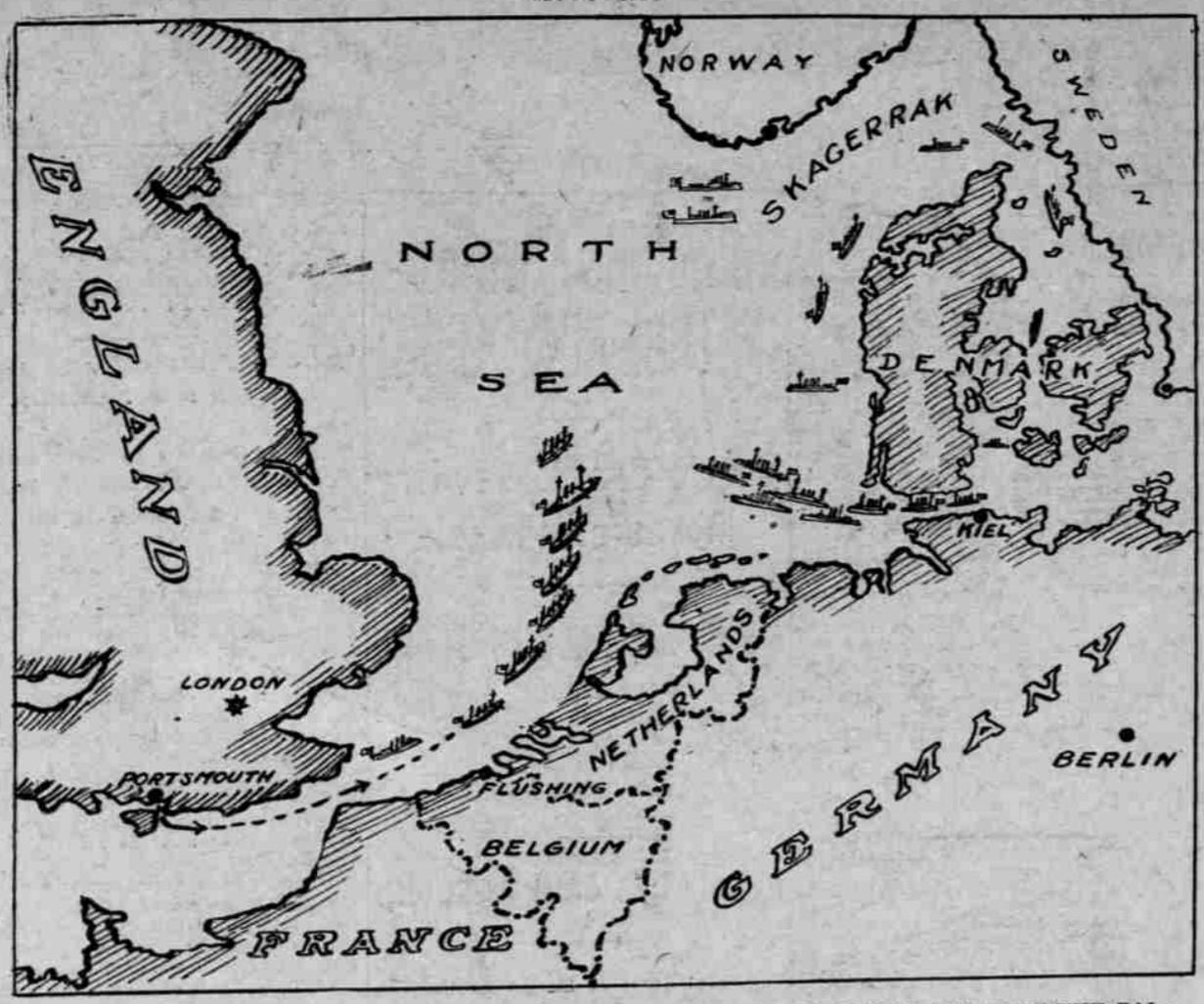
Steamer Floated After Safe Removal of Passengers at Honolulu.

HONOLULU, T. H., Aug. 2.—The liner Lurline, of the Matson Steamship Company, struck a reef off Harbor Point while entering the harbor of Honolulu from Kahului early today. The passengers were taken off by life boats.

**COSSACKS ARE ADVANCING**

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**MAP SHOWING DISPOSITION OF BRITISH AND GERMAN NORTH SEA FLEETS AT LAST ACCOUNTS.**



FLEET OF WARSHIPS LEAVING PORTSMOUTH ARE BRITISH, AS ARE THOSE SHOWN IN THE BALTIC. FLEET EMERGING FROM KIEL IS GERMAN.

**BANKS WILL FORTIFY**

Government Puts Vast Machinery in Motion.

**PAPER MONEY IS PUT OUT**

\$100,000,000 Aldrich-Vreeland Currency Sent to New York. Closed Stock Exchange Favored Until Crisis Passed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The vast machinery of the Federal Government was turned today toward the perfection of plans to fortify the American banking system so that the Nation's share in the financial burden of European war will be distributed on many shoulders and its direct effects minimized.

Country in Excellent Shape. Mr. McAdoo before he left declared that he considered the country to be in excellent shape to take care of itself and there was not the slightest reason for any feeling of alarm.

Mr. McAdoo and Mr. Williams will confer with financiers in New York as soon as possible and these conferences are expected to strengthen the spirit of co-operation between the Government and the banks.

**Government financial authority be on the ground.**

Before Mr. McAdoo left Washington the Treasury shipped out about \$100,000,000 of the Aldrich-Vreeland currency, which will be in the vaults of the sub-treasury tomorrow ready for the New York banks.

Closed Exchange Favored. It would not surprise officials in Washington if Mr. McAdoo used his influence in New York to keep the New York Stock Exchange closed for some time.

Another factor which officials think may help to allay uneasiness is the deposit of \$24,000,000 by the Treasury in National banks in the farming sections of the country to be used in moving crops.

It became plainly evident today that the first concern of the Administration is for financial institutions and that questions of foreign exchange and international finance are to be relegated to second place.

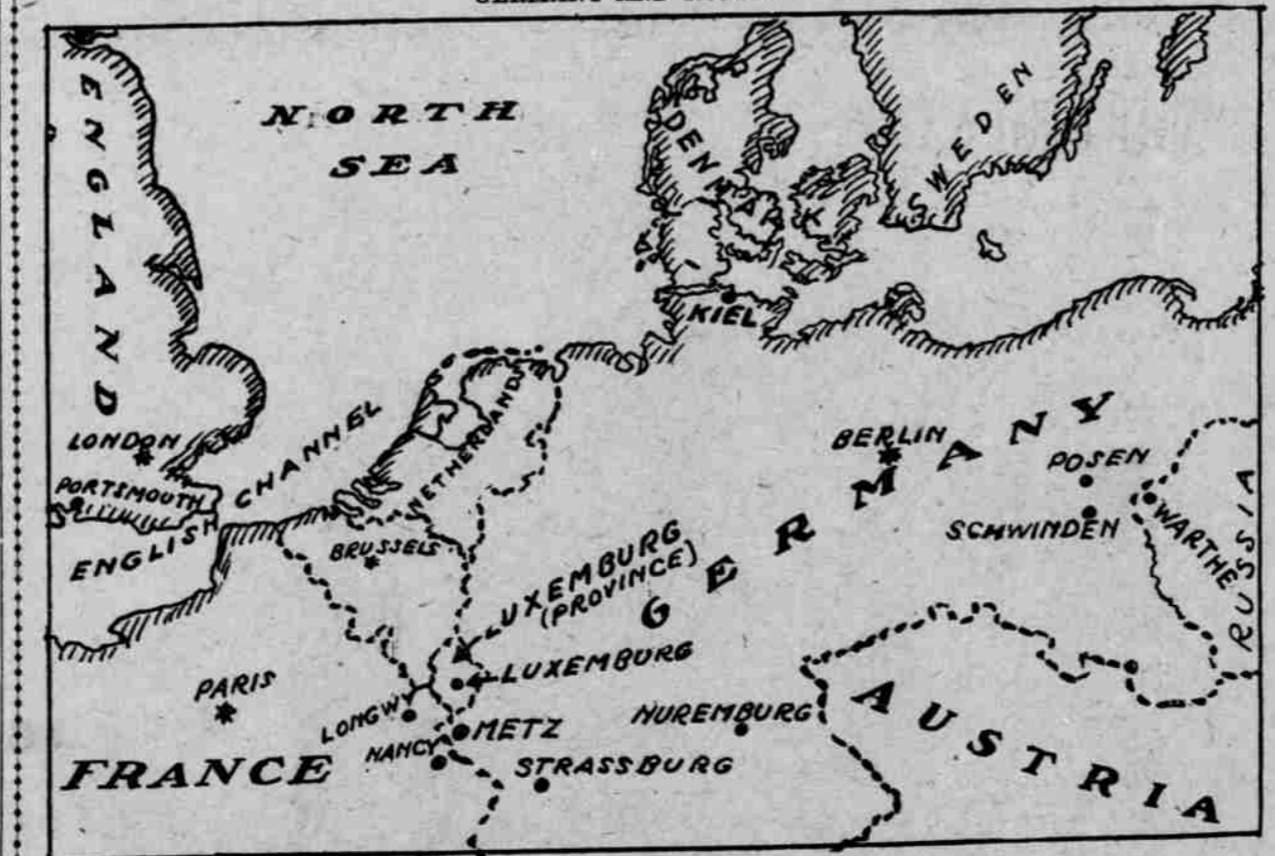
Grand Duke Heads Army. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—Grand Duke Nicholas Nikolaevich has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Russian army.

**ROYAL RESERVES CALLED**

For First Time England Draws on Trained Merchant Marines.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 2.—The Royal Naval Reserves have been called upon by the British Admiralty for service. The Royal Naval Reserves are officers and seamen of the merchant service who have taken a special course of training in the British navy.

**WAR MAP SHOWING POINTS WHICH FIGURE IN YESTERDAY'S HOSTILITIES IN FRANCE, GERMANY AND RUSSIA.**



GERMAN INVADERS OF FRANCE MARCHED DOWN METZ TO NANCY AND ARE NOW MOVING ON LONGROY, WITH PARIS AS FINAL OBJECTIVE. NUREMBERG IS WHERE A FRENCH AVIATOR IS SAID TO HAVE DROPPED BOMBS DOWN FROM AEROPLANE. NEUTRAL PROVINCE AND CAPITAL OF LUXEMBURG WERE SEIZED BY GERMANS. ON RUSSO-GERMAN BORDER ARE SHOWN THE WORTHE, SCHIRNER AND POSEN, AROUND WHICH TOWNS RUSSIAN INVADERS MADE THEIR FIRST ATTACKS.

**EMBAASSY RECALLED 'KEEPS ON DEFENSE'**

Embassy at London Gives Out Statement of Diplomatic Negotiations.

**LUXEMBURG EPISODE FIRES**

Attention of World Is Called to Fact Germany Violated Neutrality Treaty of Powers and German Officers Are Killed.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The French Embassy in London today issued the following statement: "German troops have invaded Luxembourg, violating its neutrality. This neutrality was established by a treaty negotiated in and signed in London in April, 1867. Ratifications of this treaty were exchanged in London May 20, 1867. Article 2 of it reads as follows:

"The grand duchy of Luxembourg will be a state perpetually neutral. The powers which sign the present treaty are bound to respect their neutrality, and to make it respected by others. This neutrality is placed under the guarantee of the powers which have signed this treaty."

Germany Unable to Answer. Continuing the statement the Embassy says: "The British Ambassador at Berlin after with the German Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether Germany was prepared to respect the neutrality of Belgium. The German Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs declared he was not able to answer.

**NAVAL BATTLE IS ON**

Kaiser Moves to Crush France at Outset, Is Presumption.

**BLOOD SHED ON BORDER**

Army Crosses Into Republic and Is Reported Repulsed With Heavy Losses—War Declaration Not Confirmed.

The French Embassy issued today the following statement: "French territory has been invaded at Cirey and German troops are marching on the fort at Cirey. This act has been committed without a declaration of war. The German Ambassador is at present in Paris."

General mobilization was ordered in France August 1, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The French Premier, M. Clemenceau, began August 2 at midnight.

**PREMIER'S STATEMENT GIVEN**

The French Embassy has received the following statement from M. Viviani, the French Premier: "I have just sent the following telegram to the French Minister at Luxembourg: 'I will inform the Premier that in conformity with the treaty in London of 1867 the government of the republic intends to respect the neutrality of Luxembourg as has been shown by her attitude. The violation of this neutrality by Germany is of such a nature as to obligate France to take into account the care of her defense and her interests.'"

German Reservists Called. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2.—A call to the colors for reservists of the German army and navy now residing in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Western Illinois was issued here tonight by Dr. A. F. W. Bretting, German Consul of the district. Dr. Bretting declared the reservists could not be forced to return to Germany, but their passports provided that obligation.

**'WHITE WOLF' AT LARGE**

Chinese Bandit Reported Dead Is Active Once More.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—White Wolf, the Chinese bandit leader, once reported dead, is active again and troops sent against him have been forced to retire, according to official reports to the State Department made in connection with the appeal for the arrest of the revolutionist general, Huang Hsing now in San Francisco.

**KILLING OF PRIESTS DENIED**

Carranza Informs State Department as to Zacatecas Episode.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Official dispatches to the State Department from General Carranza state that no French priests were either killed or imprisoned in Zacatecas. It has been suggested, however, that his report does not cover the question raised by the complaints of the constitutionals.

**Fair Pavilion Nearly Up.**

SALEM, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special)—The pavilion at the State Fair grounds for which the last Legislature made a \$50,000 appropriation is nearing completion. The structure, which is of brick, is ready for the roof.

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**WHAT NEURASTHENIA IS** Neurasthenia is a condition of exhaustion of the nervous system. The causes are varied. Continuous work, mental or physical, without proper vacation periods, without proper attention to diet and exercise, also worry over trifles, headache, possibly nausea. The treatment is one of nutrition of the nerve cells, requiring a non-alcoholic tonic. As the nerves get their nourishment from the blood the treatment must be directed toward building up the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act directly on the blood and with proper regulation of the diet have proved of the greatest benefit in many cases of neurasthenia. A tendency to anaemia, or bloodlessness, shown by most neurasthenic patients, is also corrected by these tonic pills. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Two useful books, "Diseases of the Nervous System" and "What to Eat and How to Eat," will be sent free by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Scarborough, N. Y., if you mention this paper.

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