

BIGGEST SIEGE GUN OF ALL PROJECTED

Report Now Credited That Krupp's Are at Work on 60-Centimeter Ordnance.

TRANSPORT IS POSSIBLE

Rumors of Intention to Bombard British Coast Not Believed—Purpose Probably Is to Arm Naval Base on English Channel.

THE HAGUE, October 10.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The rumors that the Krupp works at Essen are building a 60-centimeter gun now being added another—the assertion that the same plant is turning out 60-centimeter siege pieces. While it is hard to believe this, it must be borne in mind that a siege piece of 42 centimeters, the existence of which was doubted before the war, has become a convincing reality. It is not unreasonable to expect that a gun weighing 35 tons would offer no new transportation problems.

Existence Believed Possible. Since the increase in weight of a 60-centimeter gun would not be great, and since the increase in a 60-centimeter or 33 1/2-inch gun over a 22-inch would be an almost negligible quantity, the existence of such pieces need not be doubted in this respect. If it is possible to move over ordinary roads and across fields a 25-ton gun, it is not unreasonable to expect that a gun weighing 35 tons would offer no new transportation problems.

Krupps Employing 46,000 Men. There is an authentic report that in the Krupp establishment more than 40,000 men are working day and night turning out war material.

It is of some interest to know what the French oppose these heavy guns. According to an article in the Berliner Lokal Anzeiger of September 23, the French use a 27-centimeter mortar—smaller than the Austrian mortar—smaller than the Austrian mortar—smaller than the Austrian mortar—smaller than the Austrian mortar.

SECRET PHONE IS USED

Extended System Employed by Germans in Russian Poland.

PETROGRAD, via London, Oct. 21.—Refugees from Russian Poland have brought information concerning a secret telephone system of which the Germans have made extensive use.

They relate that when German troops enter a town in Russian Poland some officers are asked to be directed to the home of non-Polish residents.

The Russians are taking steps to destroy this system.

JAP BATTLESHIP SIGHTED

Hizen Won't Enter Port at Honolulu Where German Boat Is Repairing.

HONOLULU, T. H., Oct. 21.—The Japanese battleship Hizen, fully coalled and provisioned, appeared today off the harbor here, but will not enter.

It may be found necessary to send to the mainland for parts necessary to refit the Geier's engines, in which case the repairs will take at least a month.

ENEMY REPORTED FLEEING

(Continued From First Page.) that the Russian losses in Przemysl are about 40,000 exceeds the real losses 100 times.

German naturalists are interested in the fact that the wild rabbits of that country seem to be changing their habits, among other things building their nests above ground instead of in burrows.

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GERMAN UHLANS WHO WON IRON CROSS.

The most envied man in the famous German cavalry corps is this trooper of the Uhlans, who boasts that he has been nearer to England during the Uhlans raids in the war than any other German soldier.

INDUSTRY OR MEN?

French Report Revival as Allies Gain Ground.

RAW MATERIAL IS NEEDED

Dressmaking and Millinery Almost Restored to Normal and Some Houses Are Preparing Models for Americans.

PARIS, Oct. 16.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Business is unquestionably taking courage from the success of the allies in standing off the Germans on the Aisne. The French Chamber of Commerce announces a great improvement in transportation facilities and puts itself at the disposition of all branches of trade and commerce to secure such commodities from abroad as necessary for the moment.

COMPACT AGAIN DENIED

(Continued From First Page.) maintain the pressure of Germany and resist neutrality. They will be supported in their resistance by England, who in such case is ready to cooperate with France and Russia if such is the desire of these three governments.

RAW MATERIALS LACKING

Factories in Austria-Hungary Are Compelled to Close.

VENICE, Oct. 21, via Paris.—Shortage of raw materials, notably cotton, wool, jute and petroleum, is greatly restricting production in many branches of manufacture in Austria-Hungary, according to advices here.

OPIMUM RING SENTENCED

Government Sends Three to Jail in Effort to Break Combine.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The Government task of breaking up the so-called "million-dollar opium ring" in Chicago, was completed today when Judge Carpenter in the United States Court sentenced three of the offenders.

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CHINESE TOWNS RUINED

Loss of Life Is Large and Thousands Are Near Famine.

YOUNG TURKS CONSPIRE

ALBANIANS BEING UNITED TO FIGHT SERVANS.

FAMOUS MR. RECTOR DEAD

New York's Noted Restaurateur, 70, Heart Disease Victim.

EMDEN SINKS FIVE MORE

German Cruiser in East Indian Waters Continues to Do Damage.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Mayor Mitchell received today from the Mayor of Berlin a letter requesting him to act as news distributor for the German government in this city and to have German war dispatches "displayed in the sources of public information."

"Our German fatherland has the greatest imaginable interest that during this present struggle, in which it is constantly exposed to the attacks of the enemies of the German people, it should be able to inform the world of the truth concerning the events of the war exclusively through the press of our enemies."

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"Especially does the municipal administration of our city regard it as its patriotic duty to take official steps to make continuously accessible to the authorities and the citizens of great municipalities of neutral states the reports of the German press of the progress of the war."

"We enclose herewith some of the war dispatches of Wolff's Telegraphic Bureau for the month of August. We should like you to display these regularly."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Entire Chinese villages were swept away in the tempest which interfered with the early operations of the Japanese against the German fortifications at Kiau-Chau, it was made known today in the report of the State Department from the American Vice-Consul at Cherow, China.

Not only was there large loss of life but thousands were made homeless and left to face famine. In the last week of August there was a series of heavy rain and wind storms, which culminated on the night of September 8.

OSTEND IS UNDER HOT FIRE

(Continued From First Page.) buildings to open a way for their artillery.

On Tuesday reinforcements for the allies arrived with heavy guns and, after an all-night bombardment, the allied troops were successful.

BELGIANS FIGHTING BRAVELY

Line of Kilometers Held and Counter Attacks Made.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—The official press bureau today issued the following statement at midnight:

"Throughout yesterday the enemy made a vigorous attack against the Belgian front line, which was beaten back, suffering considerable loss.

"In regard to the above announcement by the war office, the press bureau has received from an authentic source the following description of the Belgian army's work:

"For the last four days the Belgian army has been in the trenches holding the line of some 20 kilometers (12 1/2 miles) with the greatest determination against heavy odds.

"On several occasions the Belgians have made brave and successful counter attacks against the German forces and have shown the soldier-like qualities that have distinguished the army during the long period they have been fighting against superior forces of the enemy in their country."

VIOLENT BATTLE IN PROGRESS

Paris Says Allies Continue to Hold Line on Left Wing.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—The official statement of the French War Office reports a violent battle on the left wing, with the allies' forces holding their ground everywhere.

"The enemy's left wing, from the North Sea as far as La Bassee, on the several fronts, from Neuport to Dixmude, from Tpres to Menin and from Warneton to La Bassee, a violent battle has been fought during the day.

"According to the last advices the allied forces were holding their ground everywhere.

"There is nothing to report regarding the center or the right wing."

"The early report today said: 'During the day of yesterday the attacks of the enemy were particularly violent at Neuport, Dixmude and La Bassee. They all were repulsed by the allied armies with great energy.'

"At all other points the situation is without any notable change."

BERLIN, Oct. 21 (via Amsterdam and London).—Official announcement given out by the German military headquarters today says:

"Severe fighting continues on the Yser Canal. The enemy's artillery was supported from the sea northwest of Nieuport.

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O. A. C. TEAM OFF TODAY CORVALLIS BOY ALSO HAVE SOME CRIPPLES.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 21.—(Special).—Seventeen or 18 farmers, accompanied by Coach Stewart and Manager May, will make their exit from Corvallis tomorrow for Pullman, where the Washington State eleven will be met Saturday.

Vote 329 No Vote 331 No Non-Partisan League By Geo. C. Mason, Mgr. Northwestern Bank Bldg. Portland, Oregon

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Tideland or Waterfront Bills 328-329 and 330-331 Of all the people in the state, there are not many of us who own any of the so-called tidelands, so we are apt to think we are not much interested in these bills (328-329 and 330-331), which are supposed to give back to the state the water frontage or tidelands.

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