BATTLE BEGINS IN EASTERN PRUSSIA

Many Important Captures and Heavy Losses to Germans Reported by Petrograd.

AUSTRIANS CLAIM SUCCESS

Situation at Some Points Favorable, Says Berlin-- Epidemics Break Out in Garrison of Przemysl and Bombardment Goes On.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 27 .- The following communication from the Russian general staff was issued here tonight: "Fighting has begun on the front in East Prusata. We have repulsed fierce German attacks in the region of Ba-kalarzewo. We took at Gombin, on the left bank of the Vistula, a convoy of prisoners.

The battle front October 26 extended from Koutno through Tezow. Rawa, Nowemiasto, Railozzaki and Glowaczew to the mouth of the

Hzanks.

"Among the German troops there were many new recruits.

"The fighting was especially fierce around Tezow and Rawa, where we explured portions of the enemy's po-

"We won a victory that was essen-tial toward Novo Alexandria and Zwolen. The enemy there is in retreat. We took about 50 officers and 3000 men. several machine guns and eight can

Advance Made Near Przemysl. "South of Solec our troops, after crossing the Vistula, took eight officers and 200 men and some machine guns. "Around Przemysł we have advanced as far on the railway as Staremiasto and Turka."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Official dis-patches to the French embassy from

patches to the French embassy from Bordeaux say:

"In Poland the combat has taken on the nature of a general battle, which extends from Rawa to the confluence of the Islanka and Vistula Rivers on a front of 100 kilometers. In the north of Rawa the Russians have inflicted great losses on the Germans and taken batteries and mitrallicuses and prisoners. In Galicia the Austrians are fighting with less energy. The Russian troops have progressed to the south of Sambor and Staromiastend.

Germans Repulsed in Prussia. "In East Prussia the tentative and partial offensive of the Germans has been entirely repulsed."

LONDON, Oct. 27 .- A dispatch from Petrograd says: "The Russian bombardment of the Przemysi fortress continues during the night, sided by strong searchights. Deserters say many of the forts' defenders are succumbing to epidemics and that the medicines and provisions virtually are exhausted. All the men of the garrison are obliged to work continuously on the fortifications, which the Russians are said to be fast destroying."

The Russians have been compelled to send reinforcements to meet the Austrian offensive beyond the Carpathians.

The Austrians have been successful southeast of Przemysl.

Manuel was the second son of King

Protect Town Is Reported.

Good Opportunity at Warshw Lost by Invaders, Says For.

PETROGRAD, via London, Oct. 27.—
Reliable information received here from Warsaw, giving a detailed history of the attempted German advance into Russian Poland, says that the Russian Generals are absolutely at a loss to explian what they call a German error in delaying a night attack until the opportunity was lost.

At the same time, however, the Russian Generals, who always are frank in admitting the achievements of the enemy, express admiration of General von Morgen's lightning advance of five

work of railway systems and the pre-viously constructed platforms for heavy guns pointed to the probability of a German advance from the northwest or west, or from anywhere but the south-

The Germans made a grave error, it is asserted, in not pursuing the advan-tage derived from their unexpected ad-vance, which would have enabled them to approach within eight miles of War-saw without making their presence

For unknown reasons the Germani For unknown reasons the Germans suddenly decided to delay the attack until morning, which allowed the Siberian and other Russian reinforcements to protect the city adequately. Papers found in the poasession of German officers indicate that the general plan was to attack Warsaw that night. One explanation for the change in the plan is that the Germans failed to obtain the assistance of the Polish element on which they had counted.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—American ROME, Oct. 27.—Earthquakes in Northern Italy have been extended during the last 24 hours. Seismic disturbances of more or less severity have been felt in Turin, Genoa, Florence between neutral countries.

Commerce between neutral countries.

Commerce between neutral countries will not be hindered in the least by Great Britain as long as cargoes are specifically consigned. American shippers will be supported in their claims against belligerents if American car-

WAR HEROES OF TODAY-No. 6.



-Photo by Underwood & Underwood. SENIOR LIEUTENANT WEDDIGEN.

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The most popular man in Germany with the possible exception of General Von Hindenburg, is Senior Lieutenant Otto Weddigen, commander of the submarine "U-9," which sank the three British cruisers—Cressy, Aboukir and Hogue. Emperor Franz Joseph, of Austria, has conferred on him the Knight Cross of Leopold Order. *

The Naval League of German women sent him and his crew their congratulations and a gift of \$250 for the men, while Emil Sauer, a Berlin mine owner, has donated \$1500 towards rewarding the crew for its work. The association known as the "Eldest of Merchants" sent its congratulations to Admiral Von Tirpitz in recognition of the galiant deed of the U-9, felicitating the officers and the crew of the U-9 and the navy.

EX-KING IS WARLIKE

Manuel of Portugal Offers Services to Republic.

LOYALISTS ARE ENJOINED

Former Monarch Urges Followers

defenders are succumbing to epidemics and that the mediaines and provisions virtually are exhausted. All the men of the garrison are obliged to work continuously on the fortifications, which the Russians are said to be fast destroying."

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—The position of the Austro-German forces in an almost continuous battle line from Stryj and Sambor'in Galicia to a point east of Przemysi and in a straight line to Plosek, Russian Poland, and is engasting the main Russian army.

"To the west of Augustowo the attack of the Germans is slowly proceeding. To the southwest of Warsaw, our troops have repulsed all attacks of strong Russian forces. North of Ivangorod a new Russian corps has crossed the Vistula."

Austrians Are Successful,

The Russians have been compelled to

A vigorous encounter is in progress between Warsaw and Ivangorod. The Austrians have captured \$000 Russians and 12 machine guns in this engagement.

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COOL OF CONTROL OF COOL ties the necessary preparation for the co-operation of the Portuguese forces with the allies.

PRETENDER CHAFES IN EXILE

on Morgen's lightning advance of five German army corps over the difficult awampy region approaching Warsaw from the southwest. The appearance of the Germans in this quarter was the Duke says that his regret over the most unexpected, since the German network of railway systems and the prelaw acts as a bar to his fighting for

BRITAIN TO PERMIT SHIPMENTS TO GERMANY AND AUSTRIA.

Neutrals to Prevent Conditional Contraband Re-exportation to Belligerent Nations.

ceived from Great Britain a draft of the list of articles of conditional con-traband, a revision of previous lists, but he declined to make it public until Great Britain formally proclaimed the list as in effect.

CZAR BUYS ICE BREAKERS Archangel Route to Be Kept Open for War Materials.

OTTAWA, Oct. 27.—The Canadian Governor-General received today from the Russian Minister of Commerce, M. Timashoff, a cable message expressing thanks for the ice-breaker. Earl Grey, which was bought by Russia recently. The message said:

"I beg your royal highness to accept

cepted.

Extraordinary military preparations are going on at Trent, a fortified town of Austria-Hungary in the Italian Tyrol, where the population, though intensity religious, is working Sundays constructing fortifications.

In anticipation of the calling out of youths 19 years o'd, large numbers are reported to be fleeing across the frontier.

DUTCH BUY FLOUR HEAVILY Nearly 300 Carloads, Biggest Single

Consignment, to Be Shipped.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27.—What is said by local railroad officials to be the largest consignment of flour to a single consignee from an American port is being concentrated here for the Netherlands' government. Already 144 carloads, shown on railroad way bills as 4.722,000 pounds, have arrived. An equal amount soon will be in transit, it is said.

The flour was milled in Kansas, and it is understood will be transported to Europe in vessels of the Holland-American line.

EARTHQUAKE ROCKS ITALY

Series of Disturbances Continues During 24 Hours.

specifically consigned. American shippers will be supported in their claims against beligerents if American cargoes are lost when carried in belligations of German bombs, which nover were damaging to any great extent, now has ceased, and, reassured by the presence of Russian reinforcements and the preparations being made to engage the enemy, the life of the city has become almost normal.

Mazamas to Walk by Moonlight.

The Mazamas will take a moonlight walk tomorrow night. The party will start at 81sth and Sheridan streets at 7:45 o'clock and go by the Marquam Guich and other roads to Council Crest.

AFGHANISTAN. SIGNS PACT Young Turks Bring About Alliance to the hipping situation which the State Department in diplomatic negotiations with Great Britain, whose cruisers are in practically control of trans-Atlantic commerce.

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LINES ALL WINTER

Correspondent Thinks Military Deadlock Has Been Reached Around Rheims.

ARTILLERY ALL AUSTRIAN

Lies in Superiority of Artillery and Efficiency of Spy System.

LONDON, Oct. 27 .- The correspon-dent of the Morning Post writing from a point near Rheims under date of Saturday and discussing the situation in the Eastern part of the Aisne Valley

the Eastern part of the Aisne Valley says:

"It is possible that the Germans intend to hold this line all Winter and if they fortify their positions it is quite possible that they can do so. It is said they can make no further move into French territory.

"Around Rheims there is now only one point where the Germans have heavy artillery and this consists of only one big gun and 20 pieces of smaller field artillery. These are all Austrian. This artilery is near Berriu, some distance from the city, which, however, is well within the range of the gun. This gun is a rapidly-moving piece, pulled by a motor tractor, and contents itself with a shot or two daily.

Trenches Close Together.

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"The German infantry lines, how-ever, are much farther advanced. The German trenches at Betheny run in a long unbroken line to the right by Cernay. At no point are the French trenches more than a few hundred

trenches more than a few hundred yards away.

"The Germans have lost no ground since the French captured Rheims. There is continual sniping from the trenches. The ground between the trenches is thickly covered with barbed wire entanglements.

"Four hundred German prisoners were taken Thursday and brought into Rheims. They made the customary German complaints of extreme hunger but the French are beginning to be skeptical as to these complaints for the prisoners bear no signs of famishment.

Artillery and Spies Efficient. "The German officers boast that the "The German officers boast that the German strength lies in the superiority of their artillery and the efficiency of their spy system, both of which have been only too-well proved during the campaign. The German lines show frequent signs of activity calling for constant watchfulness in this vicinity. "In the meantime the artillery duel along the Eastern part of the Alsne Valley is being continued with great violence. Although the allies seem to hold the advantage, the battle here is far from ended and the strong fortified positions held by the Germans will call for exceptional measures."

INVASION PLAN OUTLINED

GERMAN GENERAL SAYS ATTACK ON ENGLAND EASILY POSSIBLE.

Triple Mine Field, He Declares, Would Put Half of Channel in Kalser's Hands After Capture of Coast. LONDON, Oct. 27 .- The Daily Mail's

Bergen correspondent quotes the Saxon State Gazette for the following state-ment made by a general in the Adpartment at Berlin:

Failure of Vienna to Form Corps to

Protect Town Is Reported.

VENICE. Oct. 27, via Paris.—Efforts of the Vienna authorities, according to advises received here, to force students to join a corps for the protection of the rown in the event of a possible invasion have failed despite inducements.

The students in the last-year course

Partment at Berlin:

"The English watch on our naval stations in the neighborhood of Heligoland is almost impossible. It will become quite impossible when Belgium and the north coast of France to the mouth of the Seline are in German hands.

"In course of time we shall possess Calais and probably Dieppe and Havre. Our 12-inch howitzers have the large range of 14 miles and the 17-inch a still greater range. England can ex-

The students in the last-year course have received offers of diplomas and have been promised that services in the corps will count as regular army service, but only 50 out of 800 German students and not a single Italian accepted.

safety zone could be made for German ships covering more than half the navigable water.

"The French harbors will serve as bases for torpedo boats, submarines, cruisers and Zeppelins and can be made impregnable from the sea by a double or triple row of mines. If this triple field should be laid from the French coast to the English coast then Portsmouth and Plymouth would be cut off from the North Sea and connection around Scotland would be difficult.

"The possibility of laying such mines is not doubted, as they could be laid under cover of artillery. Our submarine and torpedo division also would come into action. An invasion of England would be easily possible."

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de cygne silk. -Skirt is made with new yoke top with double panel plaits in front and back extending all the way to the bottom.

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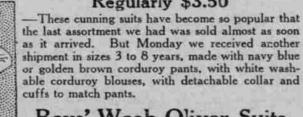
-These are individual coats which will appeal to women and girls who want something "different" from the ordinary white coats shown. Made of the finest quality of white Worumbo chinchilla, cut on new lines, and tailored in a manner usually found only in more expensive coats.

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length, flaring at the bottom. 45-Inch Model, Special \$15.00

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