HUNGARIAN CZECHS CLASH WITH POLES

Two Austro-German Regiments Almost Exterminate One Another.

FIGHT DUE TO CONFUSION

Two Forces, Finally Disentangled After Suffering Heavy Losses, Discover That They Belong to Same Side.

(By the Associated Press.)

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ITALIAN ARMY IN NORTHERN ITALY, Wednesday, Nov. 28.—Details have been officially received of one of the most sanguinary fghts in the northern zone, in which two Austro-Hungarian regiments fought until they almost exterminated each other. The fight was back of Asiago, during one of the main attacks against the Italians.

The enemy advanced from the two flanks and toward night a regiment of Hungarian Czechs became engaged with a regiment of Galician Poles, each wearing a different uniform and speaking a different dialect. The rifle fire was followed by a bayonet charge, and then a hand-to-hand struggle with grenades, lasting through the night, until the two regiments were disentangled after heavy losses, when it became known that they belonged to the same side.

The general situation has not materially changed along the northern and Piave front.

American Officer Arrives.

Brigadier-General Scriven, of the United States Army, accompanied by an aide and the American military attache at Rome, has arrived at headquarters to study the Italian situation and make a series of reports to the American Government. Major G. M. P. Murphy, head of the American Red Cross in Europe, also is here to coordinate the work of his organization. General Scriven was received by King Victor Emmanuel, who invited him to dinner, where the situation was discussed at length.

Reports from the front show that the enemy is still persistent, but that little is left of his former vigor of attack and he is resorting to the old device, cunning. The Germans have posted placards in Italian, reading:

Defense Declared Useless.

"Italians, we have crossed the defenses of the Piave. Your defense is useless. Let us pass without further bloodshed. We shall be in Vienna in three days."

In reply to this Italian soldiers posted a placard in German reading:

"You will never pass."

An eminent American military authority said:

"While the danger is not yet over, it seems to me from a military viewpoint that the enemy cannot pass, being confronted by the combined Italian, British and French forces."

His chief military reason for this view is that the enemy no longer has his lines of communication freely open to the rear, as the Winter is breaking his communications in the north and interrupting, if not destroying, them to the east."

SHELL CAUSES DISASTER

Details Given of Shot That Killed Two American Soldiers.

(By the Associated Press.)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Nov. 29.—The killing of two American soldiers and the wounding of five others several days ago, already reported, was due to a heavy German shell which hit a loaded ammunition wagon. Some of the men were on the wagon and others were nearby when the shell, which was a chance shot, struck. The wagon, with its cargo, was blown up. Some of the wounded are in a serious condition, and all of them are in hospitals.

MARRIED MEN NOT EXEMPT

Canada Expects Single Men to Make Up Next Quota.

MONTREAL, Nov. 29.—While Canada expects to draw from its single men the 100,000 soldiers required under the military service act, C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, said in an address at Verdun last night that married men will be taken if the bachelors do not supply the quota.

"I have no desire to disguise that fact," the Minister said. "I do not think the people of Canada would suggest that we should drop our military effort because we do not get them from the unmarried men."

Mr. Doherty added, however, that it was impossible to believe enough single men could not be found.

AGGIE TEAM IS VICTOR

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unsuccessful forward pass Steers made another attempt, which found Medley on the receiving end of a 10-yard pass and scored a touchdown. Steers kicked goal. Score, Aggies 14, Oregon 7.

Lodell, former Jefferson High School star, performed brilliantly for the Aggies and his 50-yard run was one of the features of the Aggies' victory. Captain Bissett, who played full in the absence of Meier Newman, carried the ball time and again for big yardage. He was temporarily relieved in the last part of the second quarter by Meier Newman, after he had been bruised about the nose. He went in again at the start of the second half and stood ably by his guns.

Ray and Rose, Aggie halfbacks, were big ground-gainers for the Aggies and Oregon's men had a hard time stopping their plunges through the line.

Steers and Medley Shine.

Bill Steers and "Doc" Medley were the big men in Oregon's offensive and defensive. That the Aggies were held to 14 points can easily be attributed to the sterling work of these two Oregon players. The lone Oregon touchdown was the result of a Steers-to-Medley combination, and it was Steer's faithful toe which booted the pigskin oval between the goal posts for the additional point.

The Aggies centered their attack on Oregon's light line. Bissett, Ray, Rose and Reardon plowed through for big gains time after time. They were always sure of yardage and worked havoc with Oregon's defense by their continual battering of its line.

Lodell twice tried to kick field goals but on each attempt he flivvered. The Aggies attempted but three forward passes during the entire game, and each was incomplete. Oregon, on the other hand, made 22 attempts via the aerial route, and 11 of the shots went true, netting Oregon 129 yards.

Steers, of Oregon, and Lodell, of the Aggies, engaged in a punting duel with Lodell the victor. The Aggie punter booted the ball four times for 172 yards, averaging 43 yards to the kick. Steers kicked eight time for 313 yards, averaging 40 yards for each attempt. It was Steers' mighty toe which helped keep the Aggies from piling up a bigger score.

The Aggies sent in five substitute players, against one for Oregon. The physical condition of both teams was excellent. Each team took time out on three occasions because of minor injuries. "King" Cole, the Aggie guard, was sent to the clubhouse with an injured ankle.

About 4000 fans viewed the game. The heavy rains of the morning kept many people away.

The efficient handling of the game by the officials was commented on by both the coaches and spectators. There was no squabbling, and the game was run off in tip-top shape. Summary:

Oregon—		Oregon Aggies.
Maison	L E	Hubbard
Macey	L T	Walker
Maddock	L G	Cole
Leslie	C	Selph
Berg	R G	Williams
Nelson	R T	Holmes
Wilson	R E	Webster
Steers	Q	Reardon
Medley	L H	Lodell
Couch	R H	Ray
Cook	F	Bissett

Score by periods:

Oregon Agricultural College	14	0	0	0	—14
University of Oregon	0	0	0	7	—7

Aggies scoring on touchdowns by Reardon; Bissett; goal kicks by Lodell, Lodell.

Oregon scoring on touchdowns by Medley; goal kicks by Steers.

Penalties as assessed—Aggies, 35 yards; Oregon, 5 yards.

Substitutions—Aggies, Newman for Bissett, Bissett for Newman, Johnston for Cole, Rose for Ray, Archibald for Williams; Oregon, Nelson for Macey.

Time of quarters, 15 minutes each.

Officials—Referee, George Varnell; umpire, Plowden Stott; head linesman, Dominic Callicrate.

Progress of the War.

The all-important inter-allied conference has begun its sessions in Paris. Fifteen nations were represented at the first meeting and much is expected from the decisions of the conference in the way of co-operation in carrying on the war against the central powers, and the pooling of the great resources of the allies.

Important meetings of the supreme war council, composed of representatives of the United States, Great Britain, France and Italy will be held shortly, at which the military operations on the entire western front will come under consideration.

There has been little change on the various war fronts, according to the meager information coming out of the capitals of the belligerent countries in the last 24 hours, but the British are pounding hard along their front in the Cambrai sector. The town of Cambrai is now directly under fire of the British cannon.

The battling of the infantry for the possession of Fontaine Notre Dame and between Moeuvres and Bourlon has ceased temporarily, but at times the artillery fire is of great intensity in these regions. Near Poelcapelle and between Becelaere and Gheluvelt and in the Arras sector the big guns of both groups of belligerents are maintaining a heavy bombardment.

Attacks on the Belgian position east of Merckem by Bavarian storming troops netted the enemy some prisoners and two machine guns, but another hostile attack on Belgian troops in the neighborhood of Aschoop was beaten off after a bitter fight.

After violent preparation, the Germans in great strength, undertook a raid north of Carnillet in the Champagne, but were beaten back by the French troops, who inflicted heavy losses on them. Two other German attacks, one near Bothincourt, on the left bank of the Meuse, and the other west of Vaux Les Damloup, on the right bank, also were repulsed, while a French raid on the German lines in the Argonne west of the Aire was carried out successfully and resulted in the taking of some German prisoners.

Along the entire Italian front the batteries of the contending armies are maintaining a violent bombardment, but no infantry actions of importance are reported. The German War Office reports that Italian attacks against the Austro-German mountain positions on the west bank of the Brenta and on Monte Tomba failed.

News from Petrograd is meager and no exact details of conditions in Russia are available.

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THREE KINGS MEET IN GRAVE COUNCIL

Monarchs of Denmark and Sweden Visit Their Neighbor, Haakon of Norway.

WAR FORCES DECISIONS

Conference Called in Consequence of Intimation From Germany That Anti-German Sentiment in Norway Causes Concern.

CHRISTIANIA, Nov. 29. —King Gustave of Sweden and King Christian of Denmark have arrived here with their respective Premiers and Foreign Ministers. The monarchs will remain in Christiania until Saturday. The city is gorgeously decorated in honor of the visit of the sovereigns.

The Scandinavian conference was opened yesterday with speeches by King Haakon of Norway and King Gustave of Sweden, after which the Ministers representing the three nations conferred for several hours.

A banquet was held last night. King Haakon, proposing a toast to the visiting monarchs, said:

"These are mournful times for Europe. Our own countries also come under their shadow, but we are fortunate in having been able to keep out of the war."

The King expressed his thanks to the Danish people for their readiness to submit to privations in order to assist the other Scandinavian countries.

Announcement was made November 16 that the Kings of Denmark and Sweden would visit King Haakon November 28.

A dispatch from Copenhagen Tuesday said the Associated Press correspondent had learned from a responsible source that the conference was arranged in consequence of an intimation from Germany that the growth of anti-German sentiment in Norway was being followed with concern by Germany and that it was feared Norway might be impelled, by public opinion or pressure on the allied side to enter the war, at least to the point of granting a naval base to England and the United States, in which event Germany would be called upon to seize a base in Denmark.

SCANDINAVIAN KINGS WHO MEET IN CONFERENCE ON WAR CRISIS.

KING HAAKON, NORWAY; KING GUSTAV, SWEDEN, AND KING CHRISTIAN, DENMARK.

TEUTONS STILL HAVE FOOD

Supplies for Coming Year Declared to Be Adequate.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 29.—Speaking in the Prussian lower house today on food conditions, Herr von Waldow, president of the German food regulation board, said the German people still would have to bear many restrictions, but that an adequate food supply for the coming year was available.

"Considerable supplies of grain for making bread have been provided by early threshing. The imperial grain bureau has already received 1,000,550 tons as compared with 890,000 tons last year. The potato crop may be regarded as satisfactory—almost as a good one—and we count upon having 34,500,000 tons. Distribution will be carried out much more efficiently than in recent years. The same quantity of sugar as formerly can be delivered."

Herr von Waldow said that bread and potatoes would form the basis of the food supply.

MR. WITHYCOMBE SPEAKER

Salem Congregation Addressed on Subject of War.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—Regardless of the fact that Russia is crushed, Italy is tottering, France is bled white, and that England is availing itself of its last resources in the war, we should be thankful that this country can carry on the burden of the world's great crisis to victory, Governor Withycombe told an audience at the Methodist Church this morning that packed the church to its doors.

"We should be thankful that in this great reconstruction period of the world we can do our share," he declared.

During the course of his talk the Governor announced that he had received a telegram today from John Hays Hammond, saying the Oregon soldiers were being entertained by the Rocky Mountain Club of New York. John W. Todd, superintendent of the city schools, and Carl Gregg Doney, president of Willamette University, also spoke at the services this morning.

SEA-GOING TUGS SCARCE

War Board Wants Craft to Move Coal to New England.

PITTSBURG Nov. 29.—To enable the moving of more coal to the New England states and to relieve the congestion on Eastern railroads, the general operating committee of the Railroad War Board today asked through General Black, chief of engineers, and Dr. H. A. Garfield, Federal Fuel Administrator, that more seagoing tugs be furnished to move boats of shallow draft from the ports of Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York to New England points.

The congestion is due, the commander believes, to the commandeering by the Navy Department of 25 per cent of the seagoing tugs.

PIONEER DIES IN IDAHO

Alfred W. Moore, Late of Albany, Leaves Widow and 4 Daughters.

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—Word has been received in Eugene of the death of Alfred William Moore, pioneer resident of Oregon, which occurred in Boise, Idaho, November 23. Mr. Moore crossed the plains with his father, James Moore, in 1853, and made his home in Lane County until 1901. He was 67 years of age at the time of his death.

Alfred Moore spent his boyhood in Lane County, and after his marriage resided here until he moved to Eastern Oregon, later going to Idaho. He is survived by his widow and four daughters—Mrs. Effie J. Johnson, of Nampa, Idaho; Mrs. Bessie L. Chandler, of Tillamook, Or.; Mrs. Pearl Edwards, of Portland, and Mrs. Clara M. Thomas, of Vicksburg, Miss.

KLAMATH MAN CONVICTED

W. Z. Moss Held by Jury on Charge of Stealing Cattle.

LAKEVIEW, Or., Nov. 29.—(Special.)—W. Z. Moss, prominent cattle owner of Lake County, who has been on trial in the Circuit Court here on one of five counts charging larceny of 70 head of cattle, was last night found guilty by a jury.

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday the court deferred passing sentence until Friday. The case probably will be appealed to the Supreme Court.

Of the many cases of alleged cattle stealing tried here, this is the first in which a conviction has been secured. The state was represented by Prosecuting Attorney McKinney, assisted by C. H. Leonard, Prosecuting Attorney of Harney County, and Judge Lionel R. Webster, of Portland, while the defense was conducted by W. Lair Thompson, of Portland, and Herbert P. Welch, of Lakeview.

LONDON STOCK TRADE QUIET

Small Demand for Securities in American Section.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—American securities were quiet on the Stock Exchange today. Closing prices were:

Atchison, 88; Baltimore & Ohio, 53; Canadian Pacific, 159; Chesapeake & Ohio, 59; Chicago & Great Western, 9; St. Paul, 44½; Denver & Rio Grande, 9½; Erie, 22½; Erie first preferred 33; Grand Trunk, 8⅞; Illinois Central, 99; Louisville, 122½; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 7; New York Central, 73; Norfolk & Western, 110½; Ontario & Western, 21; Pennsylvania, 49½; Reading, 73½; Southern Railway, 77; Southern Pacific, 87; Union Pacific, 120; United States Steel, 102; Anaconda (£10 shares), £14¼.

Bar silver, 42¾d per ounce. Money, 3¾ per cent. Discount rates, short bills, 4⅝ per cent; three months' bills, 4⅝ per cent. Gold premiums at Lisbon, 100.00.

PACKAGE FUND BOOSTED

College Students to Furnish Cheer for Nation's Fighting Men.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Nov. 29.—(Special.)—The Christmas package fund for the soldiers, being raised by the Red Cross, was given a boost last night when the entire proceeds of a concert given by Arthur Faguy-Cote, of the school of music, were turned over to the Red Cross committee.

The student body of the university has also taken up the Christmas package fund movement and the various organizations and fraternities are supporting the campaign.

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A Friday Special Seamless Sheets at 98c Ea.

For this sale we have undervalued a splendid lot of full Bleached Sheets, made of good, durable, round-thread sheeting. They come 81 by 90 inches and are neatly hemmed, ready to use. Not more than six to any one purchaser.

A Friday Special Stamp'd Ready-Made PILLOW SLIPS at 23c Ea.

In our Art Section we place on special sale a fine lot of Stamped, Ready-Made Pillow Slips. They come in several neat designs and in regulation size and are finished with wide hem. Purchase at this sale for personal use and for gift purposes.

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Special for Friday Great Special Purchase and Sale of Cotton Batts At 98c Each

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BRITONS FLY FLAGS

Thanksgiving Day Is Observed in London.

UNION SERVICES ARE HELD

Historic Church Scene of Meeting Attended by Ambassadors and Distinguished Englishmen and Americans.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Thanksgiving was observed in London by the flying of American flags, an informal dinner at the American Officers' Club and a picturesque united service on behalf of the United States and Great Britain in the historic church of St. Etheldburga. It was this church in which Henry Hudson was a parishioner and made communion before starting on his first voyage of discovery in the new world more than 300 years ago.

Ambassador Page and Consul-General Skinner were represented officially at the service, which was attended by several distinguished Englishmen and a number of American residents of London.

The quaint old church, which is one of the landmarks of the city, was decorated with American and British flags. The service included prayers for King George, President Wilson, Great Britain and the United States, and the singing of "Hail, Columbia," "The Star-Spangled Banner," "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," "God Save the King," and "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

The Rev. W. F. Cobb, the rector, in his sermon spoke of President Wilson as a worthy successor to Washington and Lincoln and as in some respects even stronger than they. No man, he said, ever so well expressed the great cause of freedom and justice for which America and Great Britain are striving, united in a bond such as now exists between the two countries; a bond of the heart, which never can be undone.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—American soldiers stationed in Paris and the suburbs, as well as those at various training camps and bases, sat down at noon today to an old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner. Specially detailed officers for the past two weeks have been buying all available turkeys in the nearby countryside, which averaged 12 pounds in weight.

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