GRAPHIC TALE TOLD OF LINER'S SINKING

British Army Officer, Prisoner, Says Captain Saw Decree of Fate.

FLYER EFFECTIVE

North German Lloyd Trans-Atlantic Craft, Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Falls Short in Shots When Met Off African Coast.

LONDON, Aug. 29, 2:30 P. M.—The Evening News publishes a dispatch from Las Palmas, Canary Islands, giv-ing an account of the sinking of the North German Lloyd transatlantic liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse off the coast of Africa by the British cruiser High Flyer, reported Thurs-

day.

Lieutenant Deane, a British army officer, taken prisoner by the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from the British ateamer Galician on the high seas, is authority of the Las Palmas correspondent, and in an interview he gives

a graphic account of how the great liner was destroyed.

Lieutenant Deane was not on board the German liner; he had been sent over to the collier Arucai, from which the liner was coaling. When it was seen that the Kaiser Wilhelm was doomed, the German captain sent his doomed, the German captain sent his sword, his dispatch box and a letter to his wife to the collier, his secretary being his messenger. Before doing this the captain of the liner had announced that he himself would blow up his command rather than surrender.

Cannonade Lasts 40 Minutes.

When the High Flyer opened fire on the liner, Lieutenant Deane continues, the collier was still fastened to her by one hawser, and owing to some decertain prisoners on board liner did not get a chance to leave the ship. The Kaiser Wilhelm was bow on to the High Flyer, and the British cruiser had some difficulty in finding her mark. She maneuvered to get broadside on and the ensuing cannonade lasted for 40 minutes. All the shots from the Kaiser Wilhelm appeared to be falling short. From the collier it was seen that she had been hit three times, and on catching fire she ceased replying to the shots from the Petitish cruiser.

the British cruiser.

When the liner had been silenced, the High Flyer also stopped firing. By this time the Arucal, which had separated from the liner, had got too far away to perceive anything more than that she was still burning. The Germans kept on board the Kai-ser Wilhelm only her officers, her gun

crews and a few engineers. The re-mainder of her men were transferred to the collier.

Three British Crews on Arucal.

The collier Arucai brought also the crews of three British vessels, Knipara, the Nyanga, steamers of 4741 and 1467 tons respectively, and a fishing boat, which were transferred off Rio de Ora, from the Kalser Wilhelm der Grosse, which had sunk these vesbefore she was attacked by the

High Flyer. It was 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon while the Kaiser Wilhelm was coaling that the High Flyer was sighted. The liner attempted to flee, but was pursued by the British ship and a running fight developed as the two boats exchanged shots. The High Flyer also disabled with a shot the collier Magdeburg, which was assisting the Arucai in coaling.

The Arucai took advantage of the

opportunity to make her escape before the result of the engagement was definitely settled and made her way to Las Palmas.

According to the captain of the fishing boat which was taken by the Kaiser Wilhelm his vessel was captured off Iceland three weeks ago.

REFUGEES PUT TO WORK

French and Belgians Sent to Factories and Farms.

PARIS, Aug. 19 .- Many more French and Belgian refugees arrived here to-day and were immediately forwarded to the central and southern departments of France. They will be employed there in fac

tories or in harvesting the crops.

FIGHT LASTS EIGHT HOURS

(Continued From First Page.) wounds. The Mainz' quartermaster, who was a septuagenarian, was badly wounded.

Ninety German prisoners from the Mainz have been landed at Leith, Eight of them are officers and one is said to be the son of Admiral Von Tirpitz. the German Minister of the Navy. Sixteen of the prisoners are suffering from wounds.

Light Cruiser Engages Four.

The British light cruiser Fearless took a prominent part in the battle. She approached within ten miles of the German coast and drew out the German cruisers which attempted to surround her. At one moment she was engaged single handed against four of them. One had come within 7000 yards when she was struck and burst into flames.

After the gunners had found the range the German marksmanship was good. The Fearless' wireless was shot away and was hit 13 times. Afterwards the Fearless stood by the disabled German, although she her-self was in great danger of being sunk. The arrival of the other British cruisers speedly decided the engage-

The British losses so far reported are one killed and 20 wounded.

Refugees Save Baggage.

All baggage must be left behind in fleeing from Paris, is one declaration in an interesting letter received in Portland by Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Moore from Mrs. M. Lyne and daughter refelice, who are now in London. The epistle tells of a hurried flight by boat to Havre, a method which saved their lugagge, and of the lonely condition of Paris, where the men are gone and where cheese and dry bread is the principal diet. The letter stated that practically all the Americans and English leaving Paris had been forced to leave baggage behind and to travelonly with what clothes they had on.

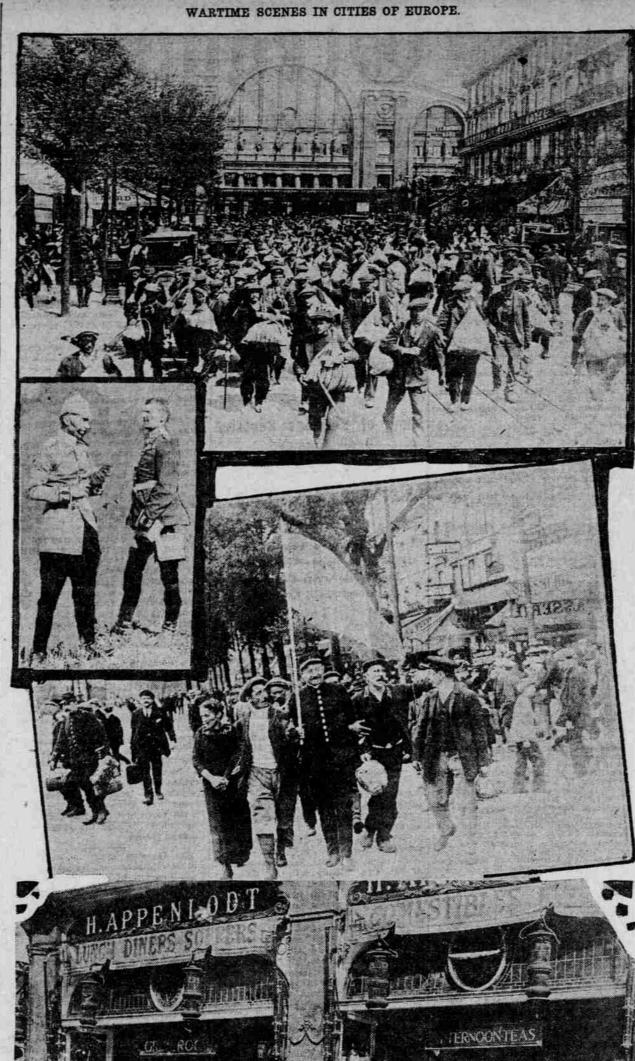
French Moratorium Relaxed.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—At a meeting of the Council of Ministers tonight, the decree for a new moratorium was signed, whereby bank depositors may draw 10 per cent of the balances credited to them for the payment of salaries or for the purchase of raw materials. The purpose of Increasing the percentage of money that may be drawn out is to encourage the resumption of commerce and industry.

WASHINGTON. Aug. 23.—With the feurn of M. Jusserand, French Ambassador and dean of the diplomatic crops, and the early re-establishment of all embassies and legations in their loops and leave applications in their laking on a social neutrality that special membrands was speaked well for the lonely conditions of Paris, where the men are gone and where cheese and dry bread in matters of official educate.

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-Photos Copyrighted, Bain News Service. TOP-BELGIAN RESERVES LEAVING GARE DU NORD. MIDDLE-LEFT, GERMAN CROWN PRINCE AFIELD; RIGHT, FRENCH RESERVISTS LEAVING TO JOIN COLORS. BELOW-GERMAN SHOP IN PARIS AFTER

Society in Washington Remains Neutral.

DIPLOMATIC CIRCLE

Entertainments in Capital City Not to Be Disturbed by War in Europe-Sympathy for King Albert of Belgium Known.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23,-With the eturn of M. Jusserand, French Am-

in the past, one of the centers of the smart world.

American Woman Popular. The new white palace of the Czar's envoy has as its chatelaine not only

an American, but a Washingtonian of the most charming type, who is one of the most popular women in resident as in official circles.

Without doing the least violence to the President's good counsel, or the newly established social neutrality, as set forth in his message "to my fellow countrymen," Washington may feel a personal sorrow for the stress and tria personal sorrow for the stress and trial now besetting Belgium and the city of Brussels. Only a little more than 15 years ago the present King of the Bel-gians, as Prince Albert, heir apparent to the throne, passed nearly a week in Washington.

Not even the visit of the late King

Edward of England when Prince of Wales, and a guest at the White House, was marked with so much ceremony and fraught with such widespread interest as this visit of the Belgian roy-elty, then a handsome young bachelor, attended by a suite of officers from the court of his uncle, King Leopold. He was guest of the Alibi Club at a not-able dinner following the reception given in the Prince's honor by the Belgiven in the Prince's honor by the Bel-

Czar Steamrolls as Others Stonewall, Says Writer.

RUSSIA TO REACH BERLIN

Allies Must Fight Back, if Need Be, to Atlantic Without Allowing Aggressive German Victory, Is Assertion.

respondent of the Times, in his account OUTSKIRTS ORDERED RAZED

"In the West our task is stone-driven off. "In the West our task is stone-walling; that of the Russians is steam-

out at the rain.

Headed for the Orient.

SEATTLE, Aug. 29 .- The German cruiser Leipsig has not been seen for nearly two weeks, and in British Co-lumbia the impression is growing that size is crossing the Pacific Ocean. She was last sighted off Cape Mendo-cino, California. Shipping men say that as the Leipsig has no coaling facilities on the Pacific Coast she could not continue the cruise.

(Continued From First Page.) on the war today, says:

"There is a great difference between the tasks of the allies in the Western of Bavaria were attacked from Nancy the tasks of the allies in the Western of the south but the enemy was and the south, but the enemy was

German Marines Engaged.

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Brussels Force Reduced.

LONDON, Aug. 29 .- One hundred an

sixty railway trains loaded with Ger-

northeast, according to an Antwerp dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Com-

the Germans are sending troops back on account of the advance of the Rus-sians. The German force at Brussels

These 160 trains, which passed through last night, the dispatch continues, are transporting one army corps with full equipment, and "it would appear that the rapid advance

of the Russians is compelling the Ger-

Couple Back From Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Evenson, of 335

Eugene street, who have just returned

to Portland from Norway, are the first

of a party of 17 persons from Portland

who went to attend the Centennial in

Christiania, and who are finding them-

selves delayed in returning by the war

conditions. Mr. and Mrs. Evenson had

their return ticket on a steamer which left August 7, which was one of the

has been reduced to a minimum

This, it is added, indicates that

sixty railway trains loaded with German troops have passed through Belgium from the southwest toward the northeast, according to an Antwerp dispatch to the Reuier Telegram Company. This it is added indicate that

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LONDON, Aug. 29 .- A Central News

The correspondent of the Express at Boulegne telegraphs that preparations

and preparations for a cavalry raid. A notice was posted in the sub-prefectures and the headquarters of the gendarmeries, saying the troops had been withdrawn and calling on the inhabitants to remain calm, preserve order and make any sacrifices necessary for the good of their country.

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"I am told the customs officials left Boulogne Friday morning, and that the

officials of the civil administration are ready to leave. Since Thursday night the town has been absolutely deserted

the town has been absolutely deserted by visitors. Some left by host and others by land in the direction of riavre and Dieppe. Some of the inhab-itants are leaving, but as yet there has been no general exodus. "The story is that Uhians, who may be the vanguard of a large body of cavairy, are within 30 miles of the town.

WANTS CORDWOOD.

I have a beautiful, nearly new, \$600 wainut player plane, with 72 music rolls, which I will trade for cordwood.

dispatch says that Boutogne has been

evacuated by the allied troops.

that only an extraordinary stroke of good fortune could give us a smashing victory and enable us to annihilate the foe. It is our business to keep our whicket up while Russia makes the runs. We must fight back, if need be, to the Atlantic ropes without allowing ourselves to be knocked out.

"Germany must have an aggressive victory to win, and it must be our endeavor to foil her in that object.

"The Russians have a most brilliant role in this war. Russia must reach contributed a special mission to Large Force, Reported Within 36 that only an extraordinary stroke of Scutari have joined the Austrian forces

role in this war. Russia must reach charged with a special mission to role in this war. Russia must reach Europe in connection with the repatriation at the end of that time our claws are tion of stranded Americans, has exstill fast in the German armies in the pressed his gratitude for the support west, and if Servia still has her teeth he has received in German and in Austria's back, then the strategic and political object of the war will be

SCREENING OF GERMAN ADVANCE CAUSED FALL, SAYS BELGIAN.

ervivor Tells of Escape After Handto-Hand Struggle While Guns Poured Shells Into Forts.

LONDON, Aug. 29 .- A dispatch to the Telegraph from Folkstone says that mans to withdraw troops from the line several Belgian cyclist soldiers who of the Meuse." have arrived there from Namur say that the fall of that city was mainly due to the presence of a heavy fog, under cover of which the Germans attacked. One of the soldiers, who wore remnants of a uniform of the Thirteenth Regiment, said:

"When the fog became very thick, enveloping all the forts of the town, the Germans began moving up under cover of a terrific bombardment which continued two days without cessation. continued two days without cessation. The enemy had sighted their guns before the fog came on and their aim was excellent. One of the first things hit was our wireless station. The noise of the cannonading was horrible and Namur soon became untenable, as it was practically demolished.

"We made a dash out and suddenly carry."

I hus stamer took more than 500 more carry. Other members of the Portland party may be delayed for many weeks Complexion perfection-Santiseptic Lotion before they can arrange to return.

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"We made a dash out and suddenly ran into a body of Germans whom we engaged hand to hand. We dispersed them, although there were only 60 in our little band, but in the fight we hearings and ground hilled. lost our bearings and groped blindly through fog and smoke for a long time

before we found our way.

"Meanwhile there was a continual boom of heavy artillery and the whistle of shells overhead. Gradually, however, the sound of the bombardment grew fainter and at dawn it had prac-

tically ceased. "The fog then lifted, and from the hills we could see the ruins of the town from whence we came. We pushed on, soon finding ourselves in France."

PRESIDENT RESTS ALL DAY

Wilson Takes Auto Ride and Naps at "Summer White House."

WINDSOR, Vt., Aug. 29. - President Wilson got a thorough rest today at the "Summer White-House." A long automobile ride in the morning and a nap in the afternoon completed the day's programme, and he planned to

The President sped in the White-House automobile to the clubhouse at Hanover, N. H., where he passed an idle half hour in the doorway looking

LEIPSIG HAS DISAPPEARED

German Cruiser Believed to Be

"The situation in the west is such "German marines returning from

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