

GERMANS MASSING AGAIN IN POLAND

Russians Believe Great Offensive, Aimed at Warsaw, Has Been Begun.

HURRIED MOVE EXPECTED

Heavy Reinforcements Assembled in Weeks of Comparative Calm for Projected Blow—Czar's Men Approaching Hungary.

PARIS, Feb. 6.—The general opinion expressed by military critics in Petrograd is that the recent German attacks along the Vistula in Russian Poland are part of a new great offensive movement, says a dispatch from the Temps correspondent in the Russian capital. The message continues: "The German General Staff has profited by the last few weeks of comparative calm to bring up heavy reinforcements. The combined Austro-German offensive then will be made hurriedly, as the Franco-Anglo-Belgian menace is constantly growing to the point where the Germans will once again be forced to strip their lines in Poland."

"Warsaw still appears to be the great objective and for its possession the Germans submit to enormous sacrifices and untold hardships. To this end seven divisions, composed of approximately 195,250 men, the Germans will once again be forced to strip their lines in Poland."

The Russian advance in the Carpathians has continued in the direction of Uznok Pass, where the Russians soon will enter Hungary. The heights of Dukla and Beskid are all fortified and it is feared that the enemy will be held there for an indeterminate length of time. Then on the Hungarian plains a wide encircling movement can be made."

RUSSIANS REPORT TRIUMPH

"Unrelenting Attacks" Declared Countered With Equal Ferocity.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 6.—Latest reports from the front in Russian Poland bring some brief details of the important Russian victory on the Buzra River.

While the Germans, with three-quarters of their forces along the Buzra, continued to hammer at the Russian line, the Russians seized this opportunity to throw their forces across the Buzra at Kamion, near the junction of the Buzra with the Vistula, and captured the German fortified position at this place. At the same time they drove the Germans across the Buzra at Pakhow, which is close to Sochaczew.

At Kamion the Russians captured a quantity of steel bullet-proof shields, which they immediately utilized in the succeeding fighting. They also took a number of quick-firing guns from the enemy and in this district and also on the Upper Buzra River, they were successful in capturing a good many German outposts.

Near Bolkow the Germans were unrelenting in their attack and the Russians countered with equal ferocity. The German forces repeatedly made use of armored motor cars, on which machine guns and quick-firing guns had been set up. A hail of shrapnel from the Russian lines, however, forced them to retire.

Russian military experts are of the opinion that the desperation evidenced by the Germans in Russian Poland is a shield for the removal of forces toward the Western front, and they compare these attacks with those delivered by General von Hindenburg in the early weeks of the war, when six corps of German soldiers were rushed toward France.

From Skiernewice southward to Radom and Kielce there have been scattering artillery engagements. Further south of this line Austro-German forces have attempted to take the offensive at Siernik, which is 15 miles to the southwest of Kielce, and also at a

point near Rembow, which is 20 miles farther south on the River Nida. At Siernik the Russians, anticipating an attack, destroyed the bridge over the Nida and shelled the enemy from the opposite bank, forcing him to retire. At Rembow, also the Russians report a victory.

In Szabno, which is just to the north of Tarnow, in Galicia, the Austrians made an attempt upon the Russian fortifications on the left bank of the Dniester. The Austrians endeavor to approach by means of an elaborate system of trenches, but were driven out from these shelters at the point of the bayonet.

In the Carpathians, from Dukla Pass to Uznok, and thence 50 miles directly south of Przemysl, the Russians report a continued advance in which they are pushing the enemy to the south. Three thousand prisoners are reported to have been taken in the actions of the past three days.

RUSSIANS HOLD PROVINCES

Determination Shown to Retain East Galicia and Bukowina.

BERLIN, Feb. 6 (by wire to Sayville, N. Y.).—Dispatches received in Berlin from Budapest, Hungary, speak of an extensive shifting of troops by the Russians in East Galicia and in Bukowina, with the evident intention of maintaining the parts of these provinces occupied by them even at the expense of giving ground elsewhere. A number of Russians captured in Bukowina said they had been sent to that region from the vicinity of the Austrian fortress of Przemysl.

Another dispatch from Ungvar, in Northeastern Hungary, tells of a severe defeat suffered by the Russians on the so-called Lurkow saddle, north of the Zemplin country. Germans and Austro-Hungarians joined in this engagement against the Russians.

A great lack of provisions prevails in Warsaw, according to advices received by the Frankfurter Zeitung. Some million rubles' worth of provisions, a message to this newspaper says, has arrived at Archangel, destined for the Polish capital, but it is impossible to say when the food can be delivered.

AUSTRIANS TAKE 3 VILLAGES

Renewed Offensive in Bukowina Announced From Vienna.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Capture of three villages in Bukowina by the Austro-Hungarian troops in a renewed offensive was announced today in a wireless message from Vienna to the embassy here. The dispatch says that in Bukowina, after a retreat of the Russian forces toward Kimpoling and Moldawa there was quiet for a short time, followed by new attacks by the Austro-Hungarian troops, which, in spite of most difficult conditions and bad weather, occupied Izwor and Moldawa and Breaus.

The Vienna press, the dispatch says, reflects a deep impression caused by the announced naval measures of Germany, and emphasizes that the steps were made not alone in self-defense, but also in the interests of all neutral states.

SCHOLARSHIP DAY IS HELD

Hood River Woman's Club Holds Big Programme.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Feb. 6.—(Special.)—The Hood River Woman's Club observed Scholarship Loan Fund day Wednesday at a public meeting. The following programme, arranged by a committee of Mrs. T. J. Kinnaird, Mrs. R. T. Gould, Mrs. George Stranahan and Mrs. A. L. Page, was rendered:

Address on the purpose of the scholarship loans by Mrs. H. F. Davidson, who is recording secretary of the State Federation of Women's Clubs; piano duet, Mrs. K. W. Sinclair and Mrs. E. D. Kanaga; recitation, Doris Gould; violin solo, Clifford Porter, accompanied by Miss Catherine Baker; reading, Mrs. W. B. Young; vocal solo, Mrs. C. H. Sletton.

The Woman's Club, with its scholarship loan fund, has assisted a number of young women in getting a higher education.

New School District Formed.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Feb. 6.—(Special.)—A new school district was created on request of residents of Upper Willanch Inlet, an arm on the east side of Coos Bay. The district is largely inhabited by homesteaders, some of whom live five miles from the nearest schoolhouse, that at Cooston. There are 15 families in the district and 18 children of school age. A building will be erected immediately.

Chesterfield Garments at prices that will appeal to well-dressed men. You will appreciate this offering of the clothing that has become famous because of its fit, its individual styles and the hand work of master tailors, and because of its lasting economy and low first cost. Balmacaans made from imported tweeds and chevots in the wantable shades—the recent production of one of the foremost wholesale fashion tailors. Style and quality marked these \$25.00, but the desire to attract your attention quickly to these prompts the price of \$11.75. Wilson Shirts for particular men. New arrivals just in by express... \$1.00. Stevens Building Washington at West Park New Location. R. M. GRAY Clothier to Men and Women.

ROSE CITY COMES ANEW

DIG THREE STEAMER MAKES FIRST RUN AFTER OVERHAULING.

Bad Weather in California Is Report, and Crew Back in Oregon Sunshine for Change.

Looking the same as when she left here December 27, the liner Rose City, of the "Big Three" banner, steamed into her berth at Alinsworth dock at 4:20 o'clock yesterday fresh from drydock and a month spent in overhauling. During the run up the river from Astoria the sun made its appearance and remained in operation until dark, and Captain Rankin declared it was the first view of Old Sol the Rose City's family had had for more than 90 days, contrary to the assumption that traveling any part of a degree south of the Oregon line brought one into the perpetual sunshine belt. Incidentally, because J. Pluvius has such sway at San Francisco and the storm king hurled the elements against the Bear State with such vigor, it was found impossible to carry out plans for giving the Rose City a new coat of paint. However, that will be attended to during her layover at different ports.

POSTAL MERIT WANTED

ABOLISHMENT OF POSTMASTERS IN BIG OFFICES ASKED.

Senator Poindexter Would Have Superintendents From Ranks—Coast Appropriations Recommended.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 6.—Senator Poindexter today proposed an amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill abolishing all first and second-class postmaster-ships and providing that hereafter all postoffices of the first and second classes shall be in charge of "superintendents," who shall be civil service appointees, selected on merit and, if possible, by promotion from the postoffice service. The amendment provides that postmasters now in office shall be permitted to serve out their four-year terms. It makes no change in third and fourth-class offices.

Physician's Skin Remedy

Dr. Holmes, the well-known skin specialist, writes: "I am convinced that the D. D. D. Prescription is as much a specific for Eczema as quinine for malaria. I have been prescribing the D. D. D. remedy for years. This soothing compound of oil of wintergreen and other healing ingredients gives instant relief the moment it is applied. It sinks through the pores, kills and throws off the gnawing disease germs and quickly heals the inflamed tissues. All cases of skin disease, mild or violent, yield to this soothing liquid wash, the D. D. D. Prescription. All druggists sell D. D. D. 50c and \$1.00. A generous trial bottle for only 25c. Cannot be had in this country. Write for our money-back guarantee that D. D. D. will do what is claimed. You will be the judge. Ask about D. D. D. Soap. Six steaming hot towels the skin always healthy. Healthy Skin Co., Washington at Fourth—Adv.

Violin Found Thought Stradivarius.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Feb. 6.—(Special.)—Charles M. Clarke, a local dentist, while engaged in removing his

place of the late William F. Matlock, yesterday filed an answer in the Circuit Court to a complaint recently made by Dyer to prevent Kirkpatrick from occupying the office. The answer holds that Dyer cannot legally transfer the city's business. Edward Kirkpatrick, who was slain by Richard Burke, an Indian lad, now on trial here on a second-degree murder charge, was a brother of Robert Kirkpatrick.

Portland Man to Speak at Whitman.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., Feb. 6.—(Special.)—W. H. Galvani, of Portland, general manager of the Pacific Light & Power Company, will speak in Whitman Chapel on February 15, Pioneer's Day at Whitman, on the subject of International Peace. The address is one of a course on the Peace League, which will be given here. Mr. Galvani is a Russian, known as an engineer and a lecturer.

Pendleton Majority Fight Goes On.

PENDELTON, Or., Feb. 6.—(Special.)—Admitting that he is trying to oust acting Mayor Dyer from office, but declaring that he has the right to oust him, Robert F. Kirkpatrick, recently elected by the City Council to the Mayoralty of Pendleton to take the

Dandruff Heads Become Hairless

If you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff for it will starve your hair and which it if you don't. It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this get about four ounces of Ordinary Liquid Arrow and apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Be morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it. You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arrow at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

—Adv.

"77" For Colds, Influenza, Coughs, Sore Throat, GRIP. 25c. We Sell Hair, Hair, Hair... Good for 5c on.

REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF GERMANS CHARGING FRENCH POSITION ACROSS AN OPEN BATTLEFIELD.



This picture, taken at the risk of the photographer's life, gives a glimpse of warfare as it is. The photograph was snapped from the crest of a German trench at the moment when a German regiment was charging across an open field through a shower of French shrapnel and bullets. The photographer was partially protected by a steel cage which he had especially constructed for such purpose. This striking picture disproves the statement often made that the Germans invariably charge in solid formation.