

THE WARRIOR SEAMAN
SINKS THE SCHEMANT

French Naval Captain, However, Denies Rumor Set Afloat by His Orderly.

REPORT IS SPREAD WIDELY

Arrival of Armored Cruiser Amiral Aube Followed by Circulation of Story of Disaster to German U-Boat Carrier.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Aug. 12.—An

orderly of Captain Leskivik, commanding the French armored cruiser Amiral Aube, declared here today that last Tuesday, August 8, the cruiser received a wireless message from a British patrol boat in the Atlantic saying she had sunk the German submarine Deutschland that morning.

Captain Leskivik himself, while at first declining comment on the report, late tonight denied the rumor after it had been given wide circulation. The captain asserted he had received no information whatever about the Deutschland.

Boat Sighted at Night.

According to the orderly, the submarine was sighted while running on the surface at night, and was seen to the bottom just as she attempted to submerge at daybreak.

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Captain Leskivik said his ship would leave tomorrow morning at 9:30. "We need no repairs," he said, "everyone is in good health and we have plenty of coal. Our stay here has been pleasant. The men have enjoyed the brief shore leave which they badly needed."

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Warship After Documents. Captain Leskivik informed the Collector of the Port that he had come solely to get some important documents from the collector's office.

Parts Being Examined. "The French Consul has some very important papers which I desired," said Captain Leskivik, "I came up from Martinique, and inasmuch as I had been cruising in the Gulf for the past ten days, I decided to come into Pensacola and get them."

George W. Howe, French consul general here, told the collector the story of the Deutschland was entirely without foundation.

Some shipping men believe the warship is on patrol duty off the Gulf Coast and has been examining harbor entrances to ascertain if a German submarine could be seen from the ports. For the past 10 days the crews of German and Austrian merchant ships have been seen in the Gulf.

Contents Not Known. French Consul Howe spent a few minutes aboard the cruiser soon after she arrived and returned to the city. Half an hour later he returned, presumably to deliver the documents to the French officer.

Peace Talk Ban Irskome. German Socialists Prepare to Circulate Petition for Terms.

BERLIN, via London, Aug. 12.—The Socialist anti-war committee today issued an address asserting that the committee has renewed its appeal to any of the German-Hollander, the Imperial Chancellor, to lift the embargo of discussion of terms of peace. The Chancellor declares the German people are fighting a defensive war forced on them by their enemies, fighting and suffering for the security of their country, political independence and the economic right to exist.

The committee asks Socialist organizations to prepare to circulate a petition demanding a peace that will secure the friendship of neighboring nations, Germany's territorial integrity and the development of economic freedom.

Russians Capture Line. Front in this region, shorten their lines and mass their men and guns for sharp thrusts at almost any part of the ring of Lemberg defenses.

Halicz always has been regarded as the key to Lemberg. Once the Russians are in possession of that town they will have before them no natural obstacles, and will have plenty of good roads to Lemberg.

The capture of Monasteryska, 10 miles north of the Dniester, by General Scherbatchoff, who threw his troops across the Zlota Lipa to cooperate with the forces of General Letchitsky on the right bank of the Dniester, south of Mariampol, broadens the line of attack upon Halicz.

Flence battles are progressing along the S'okhod with varying success. The counter offensive attempted by the Germans north of the Kovel-Sarny Railway appears to have been stopped by the Russians, who in turn have assumed the offensive in the vicinity of Lubachev, 48 miles south of Pinsk.

OFFICIAL WAR REPORTS

French. PARIS, via London, Aug. 12.—The text of the official French War Office statement tonight reads: "North of the Somme, after preparatory fighting yesterday and last night, our troops today attacked the third German position extending from east of Hardecourt to the Somme, opposite Buscourt. On this front of six and one-half kilometers, our infantry, while maintaining a dash, captured all the trenches and strongly fortified works on a depth of from 600 to 1000 meters.

"We penetrated the village of Maurepas, of which the southern part and the cemetery are in our possession. We carried our new line on the southern slopes of Hill 109, along the road from Maurepas to Clerly and on to the saddle west of Clerly.

"The number of unwounded prisoners taken by us and counted up to the present is 1090, while 30 machine guns were captured. "A German counter-attack between Clerly and Maurepas failed under our fire.

"South of the Somme we carried out numerous destructive bombardments on the enemy organizations in the region of Denicourt.

"On the Verdun front there was an intense artillery duel in the region of Fleury and Vaux-Chapitre. The day was comparatively quiet on the rest of the front."

Italian. ROME, via London, Aug. 12.—Italian troops are advancing on the Carso plateau in the direction of the Trieste front. The Austrians are still holding out in the hills east of Gorizia.

"The Italians have occupied the town of Oppacchiasella on the Carso plateau. The town of Oppacchiasella is about one mile from the Italian front. The Austrians were reported by the Italians yesterday to have taken up after the capture of the Dobordo plateau by the Italians. This indicates that the Italians have succeeded in pushing back the Austrians a substantial distance further, after clearing the Dobordo plateau. Oppacchiasella is six miles southwest of Gorizia.

Turkish. CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 11, via London, Aug. 12.—The Russian forces in the Turkish sector of the Caucasus have been driven back further by the Turks, the War Office announced today in the following statement: "The Russian forces, which, owing to bad roads and the difficulties created for us by the weather, established itself on the Bittis-Mush line, has been compelled gradually to retreat, leaving guns, rifles and prisoners in our hands. The Russian retreat was caused by our heavy advance on the Bittis-Mush line, the right wing on the steep chasms and heights. Our advance continues toward the passes north of Bittis and Mush.

"Persia our troops are continuing the pursuit of the enemy in the vicinity of Hamadan."

Russian. PETROGRAD, Aug. 12, via London.—Russian troops in Galicia have crossed the River Koropice and captured two villages, it was announced today by the War Office.

The whole region of the main enemy Winter positions here, Tarnopol and Bucacz has fallen into the possession of the Russians.

The statement follows: "In the region of the Middle Sereth our troops, pursuing the enemy as he retreats from his fortified positions, continue to advance on Weerna, in the vicinity of Bucacz, to the north of this town, our troops are continuing their advance. They have crossed the River Kuropec at some places by the middle stream and captured the villages of Slobodkarcyna and Polvark. In the direction of Monasteryska we captured the railway line running between Monasteryska and Czorkoff and the ground between the Zlota Lipa and the Novoranka, from the village of Krasczew up to the village of Usielonka.

"The region of Stanislau our troops continue to cross the rivers Bystrizza, Nadvornaskol and Bystrizza-Solovina to the south. Before evacuating Stanislau the enemy blew up railroad junctions and switches. Otherwise the town was quite undamaged and in perfect order."

"On the Caucasian front, west of Gumlachan, the Turks several times resumed the offensive, being repelled on each occasion by our fire. Cartridges with filed points were found in possession of captured Askaris. According to their statements, the commander of their regiment issued an order six weeks ago that every Askari was to prepare 100 such cartridges. For this purpose special files were distributed. North of Bittis obstinate fighting continues. In Persia, in the region of Bokkara, our troops are pursuing the Turks, who are retreating hurriedly to Sakki."

German. BERLIN, via London, Aug. 12.—Attacks by British and French forces at various points both north and south of the Somme, Northern France, have been repulsed by German counter attacks and artillery fire, says the official statement given out by the War Office today. A French infantry attack against the Thiaumont work, Verdun region, was thrown back with severe loss to the attackers, the statement adds.

British. LONDON, Aug. 12.—The official communication issued today by the British War Office shortly before midnight follows: "Between the Amre and the Somme there is no change. There has been intermittent shelling on the whole front. After a heavy bombardment of our trenches southeast of the Ypres this morning the enemy's infantry, of a newly arrived corps, attempted to leave the trenches and attack. The attempt was defeated. Everything now is reported quiet."

Saturday's War Moves. FRENCH and Russian forces have gained important successes over the armies of the central powers in Northern France and Galicia, respectively.

A sustained attack over a front of three and three-quarter miles by the French against the third German line north of the Somme resulted in the capture of all the trenches to a depth of from a third to two-thirds of the line. The line of the victorious French advance extends from Hardecourt to the Somme River at Buscourt.

The village of Maurepas, which has been the center of much severe fighting during the last few weeks, was partly occupied by the French in the same assault. The number of prisoners taken was 1000 and 30 machine guns were captured.

On the Eastern front the Austro-Germans have been forced to give up the entire Stripa line from Tarnopol to Bucacz, which they had held since last winter. The capture of our line by the Russians followed the taking of several towns in the region of Tarnopol.

The Russian success comes closely on their turning of the flanks of the Stripa position in the north by the capture of Brody, and in the south by the taking of Stanislau.

The advance of General Letchitsky continues south of Stanislau.

SYRIA LAND OF HORROR. Typhus Rages and More Than 60,000 Die of Starvation.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—A Times correspondent, back from Syria, writes concerning conditions there, says: "The state of the people of Syria is past all description. It is estimated that from 50,000 to 60,000 persons have died from starvation. The Turks are removing large sections of the population and in some villages there are no Arab-speaking Christians left."

The epidemic of typhus is gaining everywhere, and a great many Turkish army doctors have succumbed. Many civilian prisoners, mostly British, also have contracted typhus. There is a great scarcity of drugs and antiseptics. The Germans have taken careful precautions, but the disease is gaining."

Lad Accused of Auto Theft. George Thomas, aged 18 years, was arrested by Special Officer Potter last night and charged with the larceny of an automobile owned by Larry Talbot.

NAVAL BASE FAVORED. MR. DANIELS SAYS HE WANTS TO HAVE COLUMBIA STATION.

Letter Is Disappointing Because He Asks Congress to Go Even Further Than Bill Provides.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Aug. 12.—In response to the plea of the three Oregon Representatives that he write a letter to Congress or to Chairman Padgett, of the House naval committee, urging retention of the Columbia River submarine base, Secretary Daniels today sent the following letter to the Oregon members:

"I have earnestly recommended to the naval committee of both Houses of Congress the provision for a submarine base on the Pacific Coast, one to be at the mouth of the Columbia River, and I sincerely hope that Congress will provide for these bases."

This is the true measure of Mr. Daniels' stand on the Columbia River base. The naval bill as passed by the Senate committee, urging retention of the Columbia River submarine base in the entire United States; the original House bill authorized none. In recommending two bases on the Pacific Coast, Mr. Daniels is recommending something not in the bill, and the bill having passed both Houses there is no way to provide a second.

Secretary Daniels' letter is a deep disappointment to the Oregon Representatives, who regard it as merely a technical compliance with his supposed promise to Secretary Lane and not at all in line with his last talk with them. They believe the letter will accomplish no good and do not hesitate to say that it is an evasion, so worded as to be more harmful than helpful.

Irregular Marriage Questioned. Informal methods of marriage in Russia are again in question before the Municipal Court today. Jacob Holzman and Jacob Holzman were arrested last night by Patrolman Powell, Richards, Schum and Eubanks and charged with living together with intent to be married, although they are said to be married according to the rites practiced in certain parts of Russia. The police say that the woman complained of the irregularity of the marriage after a quarrel with Holzman.

Major Winn Dies at Border. EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—Major Robert N. Winn, U. S. chief hospital surgeon with National Guardsmen here, died today after a few days' illness of pneumonia. The body will be taken to his home in Kentucky.

KASEI JUDGE BEST
RATIFIERS

Emperor Reviews Hastily Improvised Parade on Somme Front.

RULER IS TRIM BUT WEARY

Men Pledge Selves to Continue War as Long as Needed. Appearance of Troops Brings Smiles to Wilhelm's Face.

WITH THE GERMAN ARMY IN FRANCE

Undated, via Berlin to London, Aug. 12.—East of the Somme, with the French guns roaring a morning salute and the German cannon thundering their reply, the German Emperor unexpectedly appeared today in a little village just behind the front and reviewed a hastily improvised parade and escorted a number of officers and soldiers. He crossed the line of the front and was then whisked on to the most advanced position.

The Emperor's visit was known only to a few officers the previous evening and came as a surprise to the troops, who were obviously overjoyed that the Emperor should have passed in their midst. The visit in addition surprised a small group of correspondents who had just returned from an inspection of the advanced positions and who had an opportunity to see the Emperor at Novogeorgievsk, a few miles northwest of Warsaw, almost precisely a year ago.

Visit Brilliant and Dramatic. Notwithstanding the heavy fog that generally prevails in the early morning in this section, the Emperor's visit had something brilliant and dramatic in it.

Upon a broad, level plain, flanked by a picturesque French chateau, all the troops in the immediate neighborhood had collected. The uniforms were of field gray, but the attire of officers and men was, nevertheless, so far as possible, gala, and the more striking as a contrast to the drab uniforms of their own steel helmets. The officers had discarded their monotonous fatigue caps and had donned peace-time headgear. The picturesque uniforms of the Hussars contrasted with the helmets of the cuirassiers and the mortarboard caps worn by the Uhlans.

The Emperor arrived at 8:30 o'clock, his suite including Prince Eitel, one notable admiral and several Generals. The troops had been drawn up in hollow square formation and his majesty, looking trim and fit, though perhaps somewhat weary, quickly passed in review, shaking hands here and there with officers he knew personally and repeatedly saluting the soldiers who stood at present arms as they marched correctly as in any parade in Berlin.

"Hoeh" Resounds Afar. The officer in command of the regiments, inspected by the Emperor, then delivered a brief address in which he assured his majesty that the troops that all were prepared to fight on indefinitely for the Emperor and the country's sake. "Hoeh," that must have been heard in French lines went up before the Emperor could answer. Then he spoke in a clear, Arabo-sounding German, in which he front trenches while the regiments, many of whom were composed of new troops, marched by in the famous singing of this area. The Emperor, only a few yards distant and was able to note the seemingly remarkable physical condition of the Emperor, who he stood at present arms, more erect and stiffer than the youngest subaltern, and with a glance of approval or displeasure. To the credit of the troops, it should be said, he smiled most of the time. The Emperor then moved forward on an hour to review the troops and take a trifle of refreshment, and was then whisked away toward the front lines as suddenly as he had come.

DEMOCRAT ASPIRANTS FEW. Clarke County Assured of Strong Republican Administration.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Eleven candidates joined in a last-day rush to file their declarations of candidacy today. The total number of candidates whose names will appear on the official Clarke County ballot will be 51, as this was the total number who had filed when the office closed.

But three were Democrats, the offices of Sheriff and two Commissioners being the only ones contested by Democrats. As a result, the big campaign of this year will be for the primaries, practically an entire Republican administration being assured.

Eight of the eleven who filed today were candidates for Justice of the Peace and Constable in the two Camas precincts.

Admiral Boush on Retired List. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Rear-Admiral Clifford Joseph Boush, commandant of the Hawaiian naval station, will be placed upon the retired list tomorrow on account of age. He was born in Virginia and has had about 23 years' sea service.

Gresham to Have Street Dance. A street carnival to be held in Gresham Tuesday evening, August 22, will feature a street dance.

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No. 153—"The Outing" —18-inch. Catalogue price \$14.00. Best grade genuine Alberta calfskin, heavy leather lining, 3 pockets. On Monday and Tuesday \$11.00 at only. Sale quantity limited to four bags.

No. 203—"Country Club" —18-inch. Catalogue price, \$24.00. Extra heavy hand-boarded black cowhide, large and roomy. Serge lining. Toilet article pockets rubber lined. Double handles, hand-sewed frame. Monday and Tuesday at \$19.50. Sale quantity limited to 3 bags.

No. 396 —16-inch. Catalogue price, \$6.50. Best quality black seal grain roan-skin, leather lined. Monday and Tuesday. Sale quantity limited to ten bags.

No. 968—"Country Club" —18-inch. Catalogue price, \$11.25. Walrus grain goat of heavy stock, exceptionally strong, hand-sewed frame, rubber-lined toilet article pockets. Monday and Tuesday. Sale quantity limited to four bags.

No. 155—"The Outing" —18-inch. Catalogue price \$16.75. Best moose grain walrus. Double handles, leather lined, 3 pockets, hand-sewed frame. Monday and Tuesday \$13.00. Sale quantity limited to five bags.

No. 121—"The Runabout" Steamer Wardrobe Trunk Catalogue price, \$22.50. Capacity five suits. Adjustable for lady or gentleman. Monday and Tuesday only \$17.50. Sale quantity limited to four trunks.

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TURKS ADMIT LOSS. Defeat Near Suez Canal Ascribed to Sand Storm.

ENEMY ATTACK SURPRISE. Constantinople Claims Early Success in Battle, but Says Troops Fell Back After Repulsing Heavy British Attack.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The admission is made in a telegram received here today from Constantinople that the Turks were compelled to fall back after the recent battles with the British east of the Suez Canal.

Turkish forces which advanced for reconnaissance made attacks on strongly consolidated positions of the enemy. The dispatch says they occupied the first line of trenches and toward evening reached the barbed-wire obstacles of the enemy's main position.

"Meanwhile a gigantic sandstorm came up and impeded our left wing, preventing prosecution of the reconnaissance of this area. The enemy, assisted by detachments of troops with camels and by reinforcements drawn from the district of Katia, took advantage of this situation.

"He made a surprise attack on the rear of our left wing, part of which, after long fighting, fell into his hands. We left in the position some machine guns which he had rendered useless by blowing to this incident we withdrew our troops in the direction of Katia. On August 6 the enemy with all his forces attacked our troops camped in the district of Katia, but was repulsed with severe loss in a counter attack. We withdrew that night to a line east of Katia."

These Pictures Tell the Story. Pretty young girl meets with an accident and knocks her teeth out. She was heartbroken over it. Can you blame her? She had such beautiful teeth and always took such pride in displaying them when smiling.

AFTER THE ACCIDENT. NATURE'S SMILE RESTORED. She says: "What will I do? Where will I go and get them put back and have them look as natural as my own?" She wanted her attractive, success-bringing smile back.

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The map illustrates the danger in which General Count von Bothmer, commanding the Austrian army for the defense of Lemberg, finds himself as the result of General Brusiloff's strategy. The arrow marked A shows the direction of the pressure exerted by General Kaledine, whose forces crossed the Stokhod and are now within 10 miles of Kovel, the evacuation of which by the Germans is said to be under way. General Sakharoff—not only has taken Brody, but has cut the railroad between General von Bothmer and Lemberg by a daring Cossack raid. General Letchitsky—arrow C—has taken Stanislau, having cut the Delatyn-Jabonitsa railway. The Russians are threatening Von Bothmer with envelopment and they have made great progress toward Lemberg. The Russian drive represented by arrow B is believed to have cut the Austrians off from the Germans under General von Linsinger, who is in command along the Stokhod.