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REPORT GERMANS AND AUSTRIANS LOST HEAVILY IN LODZ BATTLES

Dispatch From Lemberg Announces Upwards of 33,000 Lost in Three Days' Fight

MUCH ARTILLERY AND MACHINE GUNS TAKEN

Russian Military Observers Claim German Campaign a Failure and Disaster Likely

LEMBERG, Galicia, via Petrograd, Nov. 28.—In operations lasting three days in the vicinity of Strykow, fifteen miles northeast of Lodz and Tughin, an equal distance south of this city, the Germans lost upwards of 37,000 men, a heavy battery of artillery and 28 machine guns. In the same fighting the Austrians lost 16,000 men and 20 machine guns. The German operations in this locality are declared by Russian military observers to be an absolute failure and the chances of escaping further disaster are regarded as slight.

CLAIMS ARREST IS COUNTER MOVE

Bonds Release Men on Kidnaping Charge—Preliminary Examination Next Week

Bonds of \$1500 each were put up with Judge Shuster last evening in North Bend for the instant release from custody of Detective W. J. Mitchell and B. T. Nosler, who were arrested in Salem late Thursday on the charge of kidnaping Lolita and Ruby Simpson. The men were released at Roseburg and together with Joe Coach and John Herron are slated to appear before Judge Shuster next Friday afternoon for preliminary examination to determine whether or not the four men can be bound over to the grand jury the following Monday on the charge of kidnaping.

Lee J. Cary, brother-in-law of Joe Coach and secretary and treasurer of the Coach Lumber Company, put up the bonds for all of the party with the exception of the Joe Coach bond which was put up by Hugh Seddon.

Wanted Immediate Trial. Goss and Kendall, with F. J. Feeley of Bandon, have been retained as counsel for the defense on the kidnaping charge which is understood to be but the opening wedge for disclosures that are to follow on both sides.

The attorneys for the defense yesterday afternoon demanded instant trial at North Bend, declaring they were ready and in a hurry to clear their clients of the charge. Attorney George Watkins, representing Prosecutor Liljeqvist, who was just starting to Salem on a case, disputed the right of Judge Shuster to allow bonds to be issued in North Bend for the release of Mitchell and Nosler in Roseburg. His objection was overruled. Mr. Watkins declared he was not ready to have the case come to trial and examination was set forward until December 4 when Mr. Liljeqvist will be present.

Can Not Hold Girls. As there are no warrants out for the arrest or the holding of the Simpson girls nothing can be done to hold them and it was stated here today that they are at liberty to do as they please. They are not named as witnesses in the kidnaping charge against the four men. The persons who are so named are Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Simpson, the parents and Mae Simpson, a daughter.

Joe Coach today declared that he is innocent of the charge laid against him and that yesterday he came over on the train not knowing that a warrant had been issued for his arrest and he gave hints of deeper charges that will be filed and are to be heard at the grand jury investigation.

Classes Arrest Malignant. His arrest and that of the other three men he classed as the first move made by G. T. Treadgold, city attorney at Bandon, to "get the jump on Joe Coach" in incriminating him with the Simpson girls. The origin of the entire case is declared to hark back to the time of the Bandon diamond theft when

ARMY WINS FROM NAVY 20 TO 0

Government Officials and Military Officers Witness Great Game in Philadelphia

SCORES TODAY. At New York—Washington and Jefferson 20; Rutgers 13. At Boston—All Stars 13; Carleton 6.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—The Army defeated the Navy in a spectacular football clash today, 20 to 0. Three touchdowns and a safety gave the Army its scores. The Navy was unable to break up the Army's open formations. The forward pass was twice responsible for touchdowns. The Navy was unable to pierce the Army line for consistent gains.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 28.—Eastern football closed today with the eyes of gridiron followers turned toward Philadelphia, where on the Franklin field and with many prominent government officials among the spectators, the Army and Navy eleven held their annual clash. The soldiers entered the game a slight favorite. 35,000 persons saw the game.

Special trains carrying thousands came rolling in from New York and Washington. The Washington contingent was unusually large, several members of President Wilson's cabinet being included in the crowd. Most of the general staff of the Army and virtually all the ranking officers of the Navy were present. The day was ideal.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The football season in New York ended with one of the most important games of the year—the specially arranged match which brought together Washington and Jefferson, the conquerors of Yale and Rutgers. At Boston the Carlisle Indians played an eleven composed of Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Dartmouth and Williams players. The funds from this contest are to be devoted to charity.

Ruby Simpson, the older of the two girls was accused of taking jewelry of a friend while at a party. The girl was later cleared of the charge by Treadgold and the defendants now claim that the attorney thus secured his first acquaintance with the girls and the defendants claim they have evidence to prove he later used them in charges against prominent Bandon men and it was intimated today that Treadgold might be arrested before the meeting of the grand jury on a serious charge in this connection.

M. A. Simpson, the father of the girls, left yesterday morning for his home in Bandon. It is not believed that the girls will return to their parents for while here they were asked by Constable Cox why they would not return to their home to this Lolita, the youngest and to Ruby, the oldest, and further declared that the physical condition of Ruby, the older daughter, precluded any chance of their return home. Mr. Simpson praised the efficient work of Constable Cox on the case.

Because of the alleged attempt of G. T. Treadgold's agents to change with the girls in efforts to change the gist of what their testimony is expected to be before the grand jury is the reason given by the defendants for the detectives taking the Simpson girls from this section. This was not kidnaping, point out the attorneys, for both of them were going voluntarily and also that Portland and not a point outside the state was their destination.

ED HANSON, chief engineer on the tug Gleaner, and daughter, Miss Edna Hanson, of Gardiner, spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends on the Bay.

England Rushes Million Men To Fight Germans In France

ENG. FLEET SAILS NEAR SO. AMERICA

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 28.—A dispatch from Montevideo says a squadron of ten British warships was sighted 100 miles from Montevideo. The direction in which the ships continued was not given.

WARSHIPS SAIL NORTH. LIMA, Peru, Nov. 28.—A telegram from Iquique, Chile, says four warships, nationality unknown, were seen off the Chilean coast steaming north.

GERMAN CRUISERS PACIFIC CHANGE

Jap Steamer Reports at Tacoma That Base is Now Aleutian Islands

TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 28.—News that three German cruisers are unexpectedly changing their base from the west coast of South America to the Aleutian Islands and are lurking in the trade route between Puget Sound and the Orient, is brought by the Japanese steamer Tacoma Maru, in port from Yokohama. The Tacoma Maru received the information in a wireless from the Chicago Maru. The Chicago Maru altered her course to avoid capture. The Tacoma Maru ran for three nights without lights.

TURK ARMY MOVES AGAINST ENGLISH

Force of 76,000 Starts March Toward Suez Canal District

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 28.—Berlin messages to the Telegram report 76,000 Turkish troops under Ismet Pasha marching against the Suez Canal. The army includes 10,000 Bedouins with 500 camels. The road to the canal is barricaded by the British with a line of trenches.

NO OUTRAGES IN MEXICO REPORTED

Zapata Troops Said to Be Maintaining Order in Mexico City

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.—No mention of outrages upon Spaniards in Mexico City by Zapata troops, such as was reported to the Spanish ambassador here, were made in the dispatches today from the Brazilian minister there. He reported the Zapata forces keeping good order and made no reference to the position of Villa or his troops.

MORE MONEY IN BANKS. Federal Reserve Resources Increase \$23,000,000 This Week

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—A statement of the condition of twelve Federal reserve banks was issued today, showing the operations up to the close of business yesterday, disclosing that the resources of the banks increased in one week \$23,000,000.

Lord Kitchener Says He Has 1,250,000 Additional Troops Ready for Field

STATEMENT MADE AT LORD MAYOR'S BANQUET

Hundreds of Ships and Transports Rushing Territorial Forces Into Havre

WINNIPEG, Can., Nov. 28.—A cablegram received by relatives here from an officer with the Canadian contingent at Salisbury plain contained the statement that the Canadian troops are going to Egypt almost immediately.

HAVRE, Nov. 28.—Directly following Lord Kitchener's speech at the Lord Mayor's banquet in London, in which he said he had 1,250,000 men ready to land in France, there has been a steady stream of transports from England to Havre. As many as one hundred ships have been lying outside the harbor at one time. The troops are mostly territorials.

RUSSIANS CLAIM GREAT VICTORIES

Report Defeat of Austrians 30 Miles from Cracow—Take Many Prisoners

PETROGRAD, Nov. 28.—The official communication says: "Our troops have won important successes along the Prosechovitsa Hrzsko Bochna Vientich front (in Galicia) and from thirty to sixty miles southeast of Cracow. In this locality on November 26 we routed the Austrian army, taking more than 7000 prisoners, 30 cannon, ten of which were outfitted with horses and more than 20 machine guns."

GERMAN DEAL WITH IRISH NATIONALISTS

English Press Puzzled by Report Negotiations Which May Result in a Revolt

LONDON, Nov. 28.—The visit of Sir Roger Casement who became famous as the investigator of Putnam's rubber atrocities, to the Berlin foreign office is being prominently featured by the London papers. Comment, however, is rather reserved. On the whole the press seems frankly puzzled by the episode, which indicates that direct negotiations between Germans and extreme section of the Irish Nationalists have been going on.

RUMOR BATTLE NEAR ZEEBRUGGE

Heavy Firing Heard in That Vicinity and Allies' Aviators and Navy Are Active

LONDON, Nov. 28.—A newspaper dispatch from Rotterdam, dated yesterday says "Heavy firing was heard this afternoon in the direction of Zebrugge and allies' aeroplanes were seen circling over Flanders. The British destroyers continue scouting off the coast."

PRESIDENT WILSON HOME. WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—President Wilson returned today from Williamstown, Mass., where he spent Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. Sayre.

GERMANS SAY LITTLE NEW IN SITUATION

BERLIN, Nov. 28.—An official statement this afternoon says: "In the western arena, the situation today is unchanged. French attacks in the Argonne forests have been repulsed. In the forests northwest of Apremont and in Vosges, we occupied some French trenches after obstinate resistance. Only unimportant engagements are reported from East Prussia. At Lowicz our troops have recommenced attacks and fighting still continues. Heavy Russian attacks west of Mowo and Radom were repulsed. In South Poland there has been no change."

PROPOSED ROAD OPENS COUNTRY

Line Through Boise and Lakeview Could Be Swung to Coos Bay, Belief

Back from Boise, Idaho, where he went to qualify as executor in the Guy C. Barnum estate, Claude Nasburg declares that while there he inspected in detail maps and drawings of plans for a long proposed railroad through from Butte, Mont., to Boise and from there southwest to Lakeview, in Lake County and thence to San Francisco. Though the road has been proposed for several years Mr. Nasburg states that Engineer Leonard declares now the necessary capital has been secured for, going ahead with the work.

With such a road tapping Lakeview it was pointed out that a much quicker route to the coast could be reached by way of Coos Bay. To extend the line to Grants Pass and thence west to strike the Smith-Powers logging road on the Rogue River and then through Myrtle Point to Coos Bay.

That in this untouched country there are millions of dollars of valuable minerals now worthless for mining because of no existing way of getting the ore to refineries is the statement of the engineers who have made their survey and are ready to start the work.

TO WITHDRAW TROOPS. Gov. Ammons of Colorado Wants U. S. Soldiers to Leave.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—A request from Governor Ammons of Colorado that Federal troops be withdrawn from some of the coal strike districts was received today by President Wilson and referred to Secretary Garrison who will discuss the question with the President next week.

SITUATION IN POLAND CONTINUES MYSTERIOUS DESPITE REPORTS TODAY

GERMAN AIRSHIP SHOT DOWN TODAY

French Report Indicates Few Vital Developments in Campaign—Artillery Duels

PARIS, Nov. 28.—An official communication this afternoon says: "In Belgium the artillery exchanges continued without particular incident. There was but one attack of infantry, to the south of Ypres, which was repulsed by our troops. "Our artillery brought down a German biplane, carrying three aviators. One of the men was killed and the other two were made prisoners. In Champagne, our heavy artillery inflicted serious losses on the enemy's artillery."

GERMAN WARSHIP IS REPORTED SUNK

Russian Dispatch Claims Big Vessel Was Sunk in Baltic by Mine

PARIS, Nov. 28.—A dispatch to Le Matin from Petrograd states it is reported there that the German battleship Wilhelm der Grosse struck a mine and sank in the Baltic, but adds there is no official confirmation of the rumor. She was built in 1901, of 10,790 tons displacement and carries a crew of 658.

URGE VOTE FOR CHARTER CHANGE

At the city election to be held on December 1st the voters of Marshfield will vote on an amendment to the City Charter.

The amendment submitted is substantially the one prepared by a committee of the Chamber of Commerce composed of Dr. E. E. Straw, W. U. Douglas, Senator I. S. Smith and Arno Meehan. The proposed amendment was passed by the unanimous vote of the city council.

The amendment is made necessary by certain defects in the present city charter in the sections governing street paving. The present charter states that the Council shall declare the kind of paving it purposes doing when calling for bids. This of course limits competition to the makers of the one kind of pavement stipulated.

If the proposed amendment is adopted by vote of the citizens of Marshfield, it will not be necessary to resort to the tentative bidding of Marshfield; a better method will be provided. Under the plan provided by the amendment the council can call for bids on several kinds of satisfactory pavements for any single contract, thus getting the maximum competition.

Private Dispatches From Petrograd Tell of Russian Victories But Not Confirmed

DECISIVE BLOW IS NOT CLAIMED

Continued Calm in Western Fields Except for Bombardment by English Navy

PRZEMYSL SAFE. VIENNA, Nov. 28.—A carrier pigeon yesterday brought the following message from the besieged city of Przemysl, Galicia: "We are doing very well. Do not be disquieted."

LONDON, Nov. 27.—The situation in Rucalan Poland is as much of a mystery as ever. Private dispatches from Petrograd make further statements that Russia has overwhelmed the Germans, but these are not confirmed officially. Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander, reported successes in several engagements, but says that nothing like a decisive blow has been struck. On the western battlefields there was a continued calm. The British fleet is said to have resumed the bombardment of German positions on the Belgian coast. Along the front the fighting is apparently limited to small skirmishes. An official communication from the Russian army of the Caucasus tells of further heavy fighting by the Russian forces which invaded Turkey, but gives no information of the outcome.

STOCK EXCHANGE RESUMES BUSINESS

Trading Restricted to Bonds With Minimum Prices Fixed—Exclude Foreign Selling

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The New York Stock Exchange resumed operations this morning in a tentative way for the first time since July 30, when the foreign situation, already tense, caused a cessation of business in all the leading financial markets of the world. Trading was restricted to bonds for which in all instances minimum prices were established. All transactions were for cash and every effort was made to exclude foreign selling.

RUMOR WILSON TO DISCUSS PEACE

Report Dr. Van Dyke Will Take Question up With President Next Wednesday

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.—Henry Van Dyke, minister to the Netherlands, will see President Wilson next Wednesday. It has been said that Van Dyke will discuss European peace with the President, but there is no confirmation in official circles to support this view.

HERRICK QUITS PARIS. Returning American Ambassador Goes to London Today.

PARIS, Nov. 28.—Myron T. Herrick, retiring American Ambassador to France, accompanied by Mrs. Herrick and members of the family, left Paris for New York this morning. Among those who accompanied them to the railway station was William Graves Sharp, who succeeds Herrick, factory and can levy the assessment in accordance with this figure, thus leaving no residue or deficit to be handled by a rebate or an extra assessment as under the present charter. Vote 300 X Yes. MARSHFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. (Paid Adv.)