

ALLIES TRY TO TURN THE RIGHT WING

British War Office Admits Move Is Undertaken but Says It Is Too Early to Prophecy Possible Results of Battle Near Seacoast.

FLEET BRINGS DOWN ZEPPELIN AND PLANE

Shots From British Warships Said to Have Nabbed German Aircraft; Six German Coast Batteries Put Out of Commission by Fleet.

London, Oct. 21.—The development of a turning movement by the allies against the Germans' extreme right, in northern France and Belgium, was admitted today by the war office here.

It was generally believed the Franco-Anglo-Belgian forces hoped to dislodge the kaiser's troops from the vicinities of Neuport and Ostend.

The British fleet was said to be participating in the operation by bombarding the enemy from the sea and a naval brigade, disembarked for the purpose, was understood to be cooperating with the Belgians on land.

Firing with their aeroguns, off the Belgian coast, in cooperation with the allies' marksmen on shore, British warships were reported here tonight to have brought down a Zeppelin and an armored taube aeroplane in last Sunday's fighting.

It was not stated whether the aerial craft were captured or destroyed.

From the same source came news that British warships and a naval brigade on shore had put six German coast batteries out of commission, the Germans losing 1600 artillery men.

The official war information bureau permitted publication of the reports but did not guarantee their accuracy.

A report was current that the allies' right flank had been expected, and were taking full advantage of their discovery.

War office officials declared that it was too soon to make a forecast of the outcome of pending operations, despite their admission that there was no reason to doubt that the allies were on the offensive.

Unofficially, however, with inside information declared, however, that the presence of heavy artillery on the Germans' extreme right unquestionably meant a covering movement was in progress.

Their view was that the kaiser certainly was withdrawing at least part of his infantry from the Neuport-Dunkirk line to hold his positions in the vicinity of Lille.

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OFFICIAL GERMAN.

Issued by the War Office at Berlin this afternoon.

"The Germans are gradually gaining in the general direction of Dunkirk."

"The right wing is advancing from Lille. Piercing fighting marks its progress."

"A severe engagement is also in progress along the Yser river, as yet with no decisive result."

"The assault on Verdun continues. Fresh artillery was sent forward to the German position opposite this fortress."

"In the eastern theatre of war a Russian cavalry raid upon the German lines was repulsed with heavy loss. Another body of Russians was trapped in a wooded section in the same district by a combined German and Austrian cavalry force and badly beaten."

"Vienna advises that the Austrians are repelling the Russian invaders in Galicia in many places."

FRENCH.

Announced by the War Office at Bordeaux this afternoon.

"Throughout Tuesday the enemy's attacks were particularly violent at Neuport, Dixmude and La Bassée, but all were repulsed with great energy by the allies. Elsewhere the general situation along the front is unchanged."

BRITISH.

Dispatch Passed by London Censors.

London, Oct. 21.—Confidence that the kaiser's attempt to break into France along the line of the north coast has been effectually blocked was expressed today by the war office here.

It was admitted that hard fighting was expected in this direction, but at the moment it was said the same thing was happening in the north that happened farther to the south—both sides were engaged, so as to make progress for one another as difficult and costly as possible.

The Germans were reported bringing heavy artillery to the north and the war office stated that they planned to use it in attempting a slow advance, entrenching line after line as they proceeded.

This, of course, was assumed to be a delaying tactic, making any progress, which the British military experts declared themselves sure would not happen.

WAR SUMMARY BY J. W. T. MASON

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New York, Oct. 21.—The allies were succeeding today in bending their battle line toward the main German defenses in Northern France and Belgium.

The towns now mentioned in the official reports as the present centers of conflict are slightly east of a line drawn direct to the northward from Arras. This latter city is the natural pivot, because of its railroad and highway connections, for an eastward swing by the allies against Germany's northern lines of communication.

Two weeks ago it marked the time of the allies' counter climb out of France into Belgium.

The allies' efforts to swing to the eastward from Arras reveal the fundamental basis of their northern strategy. They were under the necessity of aiding the escape of the Anglo-Belgian forces from Belgium caused a diversion, and the Germans' counter offensive against Dunkirk and other French coast towns further delayed the development of the eastward movement.

Allies Maintain Formation.

Owing to these considerations, the allies were compelled to swing, not to the eastward, but to the westward, away from the German lines.

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Along the line from Armentieres to Railluel, in France, and thence east to the frontier to Poperinghe, in Holland, the allies were also strongly attacked, but repulsed the invaders in each case.

MAID TESTIFIES MISTRESS SAID "SHOT HIM!"

Colored Servant in Carman Household Said Mrs. Carman Rushed Into Kitchen Immediately After Shooting

ADMITS PERJURY WAS COMMITTED IN INQUEST

She Says She Signed Statement Absolving Doctor's Wife at Her Request.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Mineola, L. I., Oct. 21.—Damaging testimony against Mrs. Florence Carman, on trial here for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, was offered at today's session by Celia Coleman, her own negro maid.

"On the night of the murder," the maid testified, "Mrs. Carman came downstairs and walked out of the house through the kitchen. A minute or two later I heard the sound of breaking glass and the report of a revolver. In less than a minute the defendant entered the kitchen and said: 'I shot him.'"

The witness was questioned closely by District Attorney Lewis Smith.

"Did Mrs. Carman have anything in her hand?" he asked.

"Yes," she answered. "She had a long live revolver. I was standing near the pantry door when she came over to me. I touched her on the arm and said: 'What are you going to do now?'"

Body Lay in Doctor's Office.

"She answered, 'I am not going to do anything.'"

"Then I went into Dr. Carman's office and she followed me in. The body of a woman was lying on the floor near the operating table. I stayed in the room for about a minute and a half and then returned to the kitchen."

"Where did the defendant go?" she asked.

"I don't know," she answered. "She came to my room before it was time for me to get up and said she hoped God would forgive her. She said she would care for my little boy as long as he lived if anything ever happened to me. Then she asked me to say nothing of what had happened the night before."

The expression of Mrs. Carman's face never changed once during the Coleman testimony, and she kept her lips drawn tight as she sat, with head erect, facing the witness. She kept her eyes fastened on the witness, but the latter never looked in her direction.

"Mr. Levy," continued the negress, "now one of the defense attorneys, came to see me in the kitchen the next morning. He asked me if I saw anyone pass through the kitchen the night before. I said I had not. On Thursday he returned and again I told him I saw no one in the kitchen before I heard the shot. Later Mrs. Carman wrote a statement to the effect that she had never seen anyone in the kitchen the night before."

All Teutons In England Arrested

Government Orders for Assembling of Germans and Austrians Between 17 and 50 Are Announced.

London, Oct. 21.—Government orders for the assembling of all German and Austrian residents of Great Britain between the ages of 17 and 50 were announced by the Star here this afternoon, the plan being to send all the men to concentration camps as prisoners of war.

This action was said to have resulted from discovery of the fact that spies have kept the German informed of all British troop and ship movements.

Hitherto non-combatant Teutons have been allowed their liberty, though closely watched.

Submarine Attempt Off Rugen Island

Copenhagen Reports Efforts of British to Sink German Destroyers; Details are Wholly Lacking.

Copenhagen, Oct. 21.—An attempt by British submarines to sink several German destroyers off Rugen Island was reported here today. Details were wholly lacking.

That British submarines should be operating so far from their base seems highly unlikely. If the Copenhagen report is true, however, it is probable that the submarines are accompanied by a British fleet of sufficient strength to engage the German naval force in the Baltic.

The Journal Will Report West-Booth Debate

Governor West has accepted the proposal to meet R. A. Booth next Friday evening to discuss the question "Where Did Mr. Booth Get His Timber?"

The Journal will publish Sunday morning a full and accurate report of both speeches.

MAKING THE SLATE!



USE OF CHRISTMAS SHIP BAGGAGE CAR GIVEN BY O. W. R. R.

Presents Will Be Carried Free From Northwest to Brooklyn by the Company.

The railroads have been the newest recruits to the ranks of the donors to the Christmas ship. And they are making one of the most appreciated contributions of all.

The O. W. R. & N. company has offered the free use of a baggage car on a through passenger train to carry the portion of the cargo that is being assembled in the Pacific northwest.

This means that the hundreds of packages of warm clothing and shoes and foodstuffs and toys that are being poured in upon the Journal daily will be transported to the ship in Brooklyn on a passenger train and by courtesy of the following railroads over whose lines the car will be routed: The O. W. R. & N., the Oregon Short Line, the Union Pacific, the Chicago-Northwestern and the Erie.

The Journal will receive all contributions up to and including Friday of this week. After being carefully packed and marked the goods will be delivered to the O. W. R. & N., and by November 15 will be aboard the navy department's collier Jason in Brooklyn ready for the voyage to the war zone.

Points Out Evil of Perkins' Proposal

W. C. Van Antwerp, One of Governors of N. Y. Stock Exchange, Says Incorporation, Federal Control Dangerous.

New York, Oct. 21.—Direct issue with yesterday's statement by George W. Perkins, former partner of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, that the New York stock exchange should be placed under government control, was taken here today by William C. Van Antwerp, one of the governors of the exchange.

"Had the exchange been incorporated when the war commenced," said Van Antwerp, "anyone with an ulterior motive could have sought an injunction. Even the granting of a preliminary injunction, which would have kept the exchange open for the shortest time in which such injunctions are dissoluble, would have precipitated an economic tragedy in this country. Hundreds of thousands of innocent persons would have been ruined."

Inspector Killed By Vengeful Hindu

Immigration Official at Vancouver, B. C., Who Helped Bar Shipload of Hindus, Is Shot Down in Court.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 21.—Dominion immigration inspector W. C. Hopkinson, while acting as interpreter in court, was shot and instantly killed here this morning by Mowla Singh, a Hindu.

Hopkinson, who was one of the best known of the Dominion immigration officers, had been a marked man ever since he conducted the examination of the Hindus aboard the steamship Komagata Maru last August.

Hopkinson was in attendance as interpreter in court this morning when Mowla Singh drew a revolver from his pocket, aiming it at him, and fired, killing him instantly.

This is the twenty-fourth violent death as a result of the Komagata Maru incident.

Allies' Cruisers Are Off California

French, British and Japanese Warships Gather Several Hundred Miles South of San Francisco.

San Francisco, Oct. 21.—Verification of reports that British, French and Japanese warships were concentrating off the coast of Southern California was brought here today by the steamships Coronado and Newport. It was said that the French cruiser Montcalm had joined the Japanese cruiser Izuma, and the Canadian cruiser Rainbow several hundred miles south of San Francisco.

Royalist Uprising Starts in Portugal

Colonel Boco, Who Leads Revolt, Is Reported Arrested With Most of His Followers; Several Bombs Thrown.

London, Oct. 21.—That a royalist revolution has been started in Portugal was asserted today in a dispatch received by the Exchange Telegraph company from Lisbon. Rumors have been current here for some time that Ex-King Manuel's friends had promised to finance an uprising in his interest.

The republican authorities of Portugal have vigorously suppressed the uprising, and several later News Agency dispatches received from Lisbon this afternoon.

Adriano Boco, an ex-colonel, who started the revolt, was said to have been arrested with most of his followers, and it was declared that quiet had been restored.

The Lisbon message attributed the trouble to German meddling, asserting that agents from Berlin had been assuring royalists that the kaiser would restore the monarchy if he would.

According to the Exchange Telegraph there were disorders in Lisbon as well as at Braganza and Mafra, several bombs being thrown and considerable damage done.

Chamberlain Well Received in South

Senator Greeted at Ashland This Afternoon and Is Scheduled for an Address at Medford Tonight.

Ashland, Or., Oct. 21.—Making a long jump, Senator George E. Chamberlain reached this city early this afternoon from Salem. Following his speech here, he will return to Medford where a record audience of the campaign is promised for tonight.

The senator was welcomed all along the line this morning at the stations from Grants Pass to Medford, delirious of Gold Hill people getting on the train there and journeying with him to the Jackson county metropolis.

Former Mayor J. H. Beeman was at the head of the crowd.

At the Medford depot the senator was met by a score of well known citizens, including United States Attorney Reardon, George Putnam, W. H. Canon, state committee man; Mose Barkdull, county chairman, and others.

The trip from Medford to Ashland was made by auto, brief stops being made en route in the towns of Phoenix and Talent. Senator Chamberlain will speak in Jacksonville tomorrow morning, Gold Hill tonight, and Grants Pass in the evening.

Armies Are Using Interurban Lines

Trolley Lines in Southern Belgium and Northern France Are Found Useful by the Combating Forces.

London, Oct. 21.—Warfare by street-car was one of the features of today's operations between the allied forces and the Germans along the northern Franco-Belgian frontier.

The German army, it is learned, were making good use of a trolley line connecting Ostend and Bruges directly with the front and of another one running back from the fighting line to the railroad center of Neuhke.

The allies were finding the interurban lines in northern France equally serviceable.

Red Cross Corn for Starving Mexicans

Naval Collier Hero Takes Corn and Beans to West Coast, Where Mexicans Are Said to Be in Want.

San Francisco, Oct. 21.—The naval collier Hero will leave late today or early tomorrow for Acapulco, Mexico, with 18 tons of corn and beans. The supplies will follow until the situation is completely relieved.

Conferees Agree to Reduce Tax on Beer

Washington, Oct. 21.—House and senate war tax conferees virtually agreed this afternoon to reduce the tax on beer from 17 1/2 to 15 1/2 per cent to eliminate the additional tax imposed by the senate on rectified spirits and to eliminate the tax on gasoline imposed by the house bill.

Late News Bulletins

CHARGES AGAINST HART. Mary Maguigan of 778 Oberlin street, a primary election clerk of precinct No. 292, filed an affidavit with the county clerk today making charges against County Commissioner D. V. Hart in relation to the attempt of Commissioner Hart to remove J. M. Leever as an election official of the same precinct.

U. S. TO STOP SEIZURES. Washington, Oct. 21.—Official indications today were that England and America are approaching a showdown on the question of British seizure of American vessels.

The administration feels that the seizure of the Standard Oil tanker from D. Rockefeller was a needless provocation of the dock warships and may lead to a protest against the seizure of the Brindley also was contemplated.

President Wilson conferred at length here today with Acting Secretary of State Lansing.

PROTESTS AGAINST SWIFING. Berlin, by Wireless via Bayville, Oct. 21.—Germany has protested formally, the war office here announced today, both direct to France and to the various neutral powers, against the alleged swifing of its troops from French irregulars, and also against violations of the rules of war which have been charged against the regular Gallic troops.

SALEM TURNS OUT TO HEAR CHAMBERLAIN

Crowded Opera House Rings With Enthusiastic Welcome Home to Senator by His Former Townsmen.

APPLAUSE PUNCTUATES VERY TELLING SPEECH

Tribute Paid President Wilson and Smith, Candidate for Governor.

(Staff Correspondence.) Salem, Or., Oct. 21.—Never was a former fellow townsman accorded a more rousing reception than was given Senator George E. Chamberlain here last night.

Escorted by a band from the Marion hotel to the opera house at 8 o'clock he addressed one of the largest audiences of the present campaign and scores were turned away unable to get into the building.

Salem's playhouse was crowded to suffocation. The orchestra, the boxes, the balcony, the gallery and every inch of standing space was taken. And when R. A. Booth, his Republican opponent, spoke here a short time since, the audience had to be invited to move toward the front of the house to fill the empty seats.

Speaks With Great Effect.

Senator Chamberlain was in fine fettle and spoke with an abundance of humor and great effect. His audience was in an appreciative mood and readily applauded his mention of President Wilson and his policies, and Governor West.

The stars were decked by a dozen or more of the leading citizens of Salem. P. L. Frazier, chairman of the Marion county Democratic central committee, presiding. A large American flag hung at the rear of the stage, bearing a streamer with the words "Fried and True."

As the curtains slowly lifted and the audience saw Senator Chamberlain seated in the middle of those on the stage and beheld his campaign slogan in print before them, a mighty volume of spontaneous applause shook the building.

Fires Campaign Song.

The meeting was opened by the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," by Mr. Frazier. Senator Chamberlain has sung at every campaign meeting held for Senator Chamberlain in Salem.

Transsiberian Line Crowded by Troops

Russia Is Withdrawing Most of Her First-Line Regiments From Siberia and Manchuria to Fight Germans.

Peking, Oct. 21.—Russia is withdrawing practically all of its first-line troops from Manchuria and Siberia to hurl them against the Germans on its western frontier. The places of the departing forces are being taken by reservists.

As a result of these military movements in both directions, the railroad is greatly congested, ordinary train schedules being upset completely.

The Chinese are reported to be extraordinarily stubborn. The possession of the territory about the fortifications is said to be mined and the besiegers are losing heavily.

Servians Surround City of Serajevo

Rome, Oct. 21.—A combined Serbian and Montenegrin force had Serajevo completely surrounded today and were making strenuous efforts to break through the city lines to rescue Gavrio Princip, Archduke Francis Ferdinand's assassin, and his accused conspirators, now on trial there, according to cables from Belgrade. The Cettin message intimated that they were meeting with a stubborn resistance.

Governor West to Address Meetings

Inside Facts Regarding Workings of Legislature Will Be Presented in Two Meetings Tomorrow.

Governor Oswald West will be the speaker at two mass meetings tomorrow. One will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in Greber's hall, in Montavilla, and the other will be held in the city hall at St. Johns at 8 o'clock in the evening.

The afternoon meeting has been arranged especially to give the women voters an opportunity to hear the chief executive. The women are invited to all of the meetings, but they are particularly invited to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the afternoon meeting.

Drawing from facts which have come within his personal knowledge since he has been in public office in the state, the governor has a story of great interest to tell the voters. He gives an intimate view of the inside workings of the legislature, where special interests are often served much more zealously than the interest of the people. He points out clearly and forcibly how, in his opinion, the interests of the people may be best safeguarded in the present campaign.

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