

# HAIG'S MEN SWEEP FOE BACK ON TEN-MILE DRIVE TOWARD CITY OF BAPAUME

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## Predict Offensives Will Continue All Winter in France

Washington, Aug. 21.—(I. N. S.)—That the present American-British-French alternate offensives along the western battlefield will continue throughout the coming winter was the opinion of allied military experts here today.

They based this belief on their interpretation of the reported interview between United States Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois and Premier Clemenceau of France. The latter, according to Lewis, told him that the war will have ended within another year. This means, the military men say, that the various offensives will continue and many look for a heavy blow being struck early in September, possibly at a point that heretofore has been comparatively immune.

The London that the anticipated American naval bombardment of German submarine bases has commenced is highly significant. The navy has been massing its bombing planes and its highly trained aviators in France and England and it is only fair to assume that the bombing of the bases in Flanders is preliminary to a general and continued endeavor to destroy these bases from the air.

## LUDENDORFF ISSUES AN ORDER EXPLAINING WHY BOCHES RETREAT

### Retirement Made Because of "Strategic Necessity"; Says Allies Falling Apart.

Paris, Aug. 21.—(I. N. S.)—General Ludendorff in an order of the day of August 4, styles the steady German withdrawal a "strategic necessity" and attributes the allied success to the "surprise" in the attacks beginning July 18.

The order, which was captured by the allied forces recently, says only the surprise of July 18 gave the allies any particular advantage, the attacks "breaking down bloodily." The German retirement was due to the needs of rear liaison, the order said.

"The Franco-British infantry generally operated circumspectively, Americans fighting vigorously but less skilfully," the order related.

The whole order apparently was connected in an effort to buck up the waning spirit of the German people. It continued:

"All sides have been heavily reinforced, but I have a feeling that from all sides the attack is viewed with some apprehension. Nothing justifies apprehension if our troops are vigilant and do their duty."

The order said the tanks won the initial successes for the allies, but maintained that they would be useless if the infantry did not let them overtake them. General Ludendorff said he welcomed the offensive which "will only serve to disintegrate the enemy's forces."

The defense was held to be a more severe test on the morale of the men than the offense. The order directed that it be read to all troops every day.

## ENLISTMENT IN U. O. STUDENTS' TRAINING CORPS TO START SOON

### Russian Army Rifles Arrive and Details of Organization Are Being Marked Out.

Eugene, Or., Aug. 21.—Announcement that enlistment in and induction into the students' army training corps would probably begin in the near future was made at the University of Oregon today following the receipt of advices from the educational director of the committee on education and special training of the war department, and from Edward C. Elliott, chancellor of the University of Montana and regional director of the S. A. T. C. in this district.

Arrangements are now being made for provisional enlistment in the corps by the war department and provision for inducting men directly into this branch of the service by local draft boards are being worked out.

The university will commence enlisting men in its unit as soon as the forms, which are expected within a few days, arrive. High school graduates, who can qualify for entrance into the university and who expect to enter college this fall, as well as men already in college, will be taken into the corps, Karl W. Onthank, university adviser, announced today.

The men not registered in the draft will be enlisted upon application, but those of draft age must go through the same induction process as though they were entering any other branch of the service.

Further details regarding the organization and working of the student army training corps are to be explained at the conference of officers of the western colleges now organizing units of the corps, at the Presidio, August 23 and 24. Colonel William H. C. Bowen, professor of military science and tactics at the university, and Dean Eric W. Allen of the school of journalism, who is training in the present S. A. T. C. at the Presidio, are to be Oregon's delegates to the conference.

Further details of the establishment of the unit here are being completed each day and all will be in readiness for the opening of the college year, October 1. Two hundred rifles of the Russian army model have been received this week along with 10,000 rounds of ammunition, and 300 more have been requisitioned for and recommended by the army inspecting officer.

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London Runs Trains Despite the Strike

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## Militants to Hold "Orderly" Meetings

Washington, Aug. 21.—(I. N. S.)—Peace has been declared between the district officials and the National Woman's party. The militants, who have been arrested five times within the past few weeks for holding demonstrations in a public park without a permit, today were given a permit to hold future meetings provided "good order must prevail." The demonstrations will be continued, it was announced, as soon as the suffragists have "recovered from the effects of their terms in the district jail."

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