

BERLIN GAY AS KAISER'S HORDE MARCH ON PARIS

BERLIN, Sept. 4, by wireless via Sayville, L. I.—Berlin is prominently decked with flags. Confidence prevails that nothing can stay the victorious advance of the western armies. Major Morant, the military expert of the Tageblatt, expects that the armies of Duke Albrecht and the crown prince will soon reach Chalons and Verdun, which can be easily masked without delaying the advance.

These towns have lost their strategic importance. Toulard Epinal, capital of the department of Vosges, may delay the armies of Prince Rupprecht and General Von Heeringer, but this is unimportant. Raids in Upper Alsace are to be expected while Belfort is in the hands of the French, but this is without significance so far as the general result is concerned. The Lokal Anzeiger points out that the taking by the Germans of Lafere and Laon almost without a blow means the capture of a position on the line where the population had been reassured and which line the latest English papers received here asserted would hold out long against the Germans.

It is now revealed that Austrian motor batteries, each consisting of two twelve-inch guns mounted in automobiles, have been co-operating with the German heavy artillery in the reduction of northern fortresses. The manning and accuracy of the fire of these batteries is highly praised by headquarters and the special correspondents.

The decoration of the Order of the Iron Cross has been conferred on Aviator Lieutenants Zahn and Rheinhardt. The aerial arm of the German forces probably will receive many such distinctions, as their achievements under a heavy fire have been remarkable.

BRITISH WAR PRIZE COURT IN SESSION

LONDON, Sept. 4, 6 a. m.—A list of 12 ships was placed for disposal today before the first prize court held in this country since the Crimean War. The list included four steamships and eight sailing vessels. Others will be disposed of at later sessions of the court.

Most of today's cases were undefended. The first case called was that of the Chilo, which is a 2000 ton bark.

The court is presided over by Sir Samuel Evans, president of the admiralty division.

KITCHENER ASKS AID FOR SOLDIERS' FAMILIES

LONDON, Sept. 4, 1:45 a. m.—Field Marshal Kitchener, through the press bureau, expresses his thanks for the numerous offers of assistance received by the war office in the national crisis. He invites similar offers so as to be enabled to provide adequately for the wives and children of the expeditionary forces.

BELGIUM CASH TRIBUTE EXACTED EAST PRUSSIA

COPENHAGEN, via London, Sept. 4, 12:26 a. m.—The emperor of Russia in a letter to a relative in this city says that all the money that Belgium has been made to pay to Germany, the latter country will be forced to repay with interest in East Prussia.

GERMAN AEROPLANES OVER PARIS FELLED

LONDON, Sept. 4, 2:03 a. m.—A Paris dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that two German aeroplanes which flew over Paris Wednesday were brought down, one at Chelles and the other at Champigny. The occupants were killed in the fall.

Honnenkampff Honored
PARIS, Sept. 4, 4:40 a. m.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Petrograd says the emperor has conferred the Order of St. Vladimir on General Honnenkampff for deeds of bravery.

SOCIALISTS OF GERMANY GIVEN ITALIAN REBUFF

LONDON, Sept. 4, 5 a. m.—A Rome dispatch to the Times, says the German Socialist delegation, which came to Rome to explain to the Italian socialists their attitude regarding the present war, were received in a lukewarm manner. The Rome socialists adopted a motion protesting against the delegation, whose mission they consider an insidious intrigue. The motion says:

"We hope peace shall be soon restored without conquerors or conquered. If this hope be defeated then let the war end in a victory for France where real socialism prevails and for England, where a most loyal liberalism flourishes."

Della Seta, a prominent socialist, says the Times dispatch, replied to the address of the German delegation as follows:

"The German motto is 'Germany above all,' and German socialism has failed to oppose it. Socialism must wage a war against what represents the most terrible backward step in civilization, namely, the violation of the neutrality of Belgium, against which German socialism failed to protest. After peace we shall convene the international congress."

TURKS DENY PASSAGE TO U. S. RELIEF SHIP

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Turkey's denial of the American government's request for permission to send the cruiser North Carolina through the Dardanelles to Constantinople to deliver relief money was before administration officials today. They were informed that the straits had been mined and that it would be unsafe for a vessel of the size of the North Carolina to attempt the passage. The Turkish grand vizier also took the stand that it might set up a precedent for the passage of other warships.

ANTWERP SHIVERS AS ZEPPELIN FLIES ABOVE

ANTWERP, Sept. 4, 3 p. m.—A Zeppelin airship appeared over the city at 2:55 o'clock this morning. It was greeted with a fusillade from the forts but it is not known what damage was inflicted.

IT THEATER FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIAL

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ENGLISH CONVEY 80,000 RUSSIANS TO FRENCH SOIL

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Reports reached London from Liverpool that England has placed more than 80,000 Russian troops in France by means of transports sent north of the Scandinavian Peninsula to Finland, where the Cossacks embarked and were safely landed at French ports.

Because of the mines in the Baltic and North Seas and presence of the German fleet it has been regarded as impossible for Russia to reach France except by marching through Germany. A constant stream of empty ships has been moving south from Liverpool ever since the declaration of war but there has been no observation of ships northward bound and the rumor that England has helped Russians into France has given rise to much speculation as to where the ships sailed from.

According to stories told by passengers who returned from England on the Mauretania, September 3, this reported movement of Russian troops to France was made by way of the Scotch coast.

Kiel Canal Reopened

COPENHAGEN, via London, Sept. 3, 9:45 p. m. (delayed in transmission).—Shipowners have been informed that the Kiel canal has been reopened to traffic, but that only a limited number of ships would be allowed to traverse.

DESPAIR RULES BUDAPEST AFTER SERB SUCCESSES

LONDON, Sept. 4, 4:30 a. m.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from Osnest says:

"A tourist which has just arrived here from Buda Pest after nearly a week's trip, said: 'There is a feeling of complete despair in Buda Pest. This is caused mainly by the practical abandonment of the campaign against Serbia, which had the whole-souled support of the populace who believed that only one sharp stroke was needed to demolish Serbia. Yet at the end of a month not a single Austrian soldier is on Serbian soil.'"

"The position of the dual monarchy is serious if it is compelled to make peace with Serbia on account of the chronic difficulties with the Slav population. The people in Buda Pest believe that the breaking up of the whole Austriann-Hungarian structure is impending."

"The failure of the army sent against the Russians is also disheartening to the Austro-Hungarians. The newspaper censorship in Buda Pest is so rigid that the people practically have ceased reading the newspapers."

Thirty-two Food Price Indictments

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Thirty-two indictments were returned here today by a federal grand jury after an investigation to determine whether food prices had been artificially increased here on pretext of having been caused by the European war.

AUSTRIANS FLEE AFTER FAILURE OF FLANK MOVEMENT

LONDON, Sept. 4, 1:15 a. m.—The Russian official communication issued on Thursday and carried here in a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Petrograd (St. Petersburg) says:

"On September 1 the Austrian troops tried to break through the Russian center between Lublin and Kholm, but failed. They were forced to beat a hasty retreat, the Russians capturing one ensign, eight Maxims and 1000 prisoners."

"On the following day hard fighting was resumed with renewed energy. Prisoners taken by us report that the second Austrian army, constituting the covering force to the east of Lemberg, is panic-stricken."

"In the neighborhood of Lemberg on September 2 twenty more guns were captured by the Russians, making a total of 170."

"On this front the Russian advance continues uninterrupted."

GERMANS RUSH AID TO HELP SAVE AUSTRIA

ROME, Sept. 4, 4:35 a. m., via Paris, 1:47 p. m.—News is received from Vienna that a German army corps was hurriedly transported to Galicia to aid the Austrians against the Russian attack before Lemberg.

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