

# Germany Preparing for Another Assault

## BELIEVED KAISER IS TRYING TO SPLIT THE ALLIED FORCES

United Press Service  
 PARIS, Aug. 29.—Germany is evidently gathering her complete military strength for another titanic effort to penetrate the allies' lines. Fresh troops are now replacing the exhausted German infantry, who have been attacking heretofore, and the former attacking force has been put in the reserve position.

The gaps in the ranks of the allies have been filled by Belgian troops. The Belgians, highly enraged at the destruction of Louvain, have left Antwerp for Brussels.

Some of this Belgian reinforcement will cooperate with the English force at Ostend in an attack upon the German flank.

United Press Service  
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—Military experts say that the movement against Belgium prove not only that the allies are greatly outnumbered by the Germans, but also that the Kaiser has thrown the flower of his army into the two hundred miles of battle front.

The experts say it is evidently the plan of the German staff to split the allied forces, and then crush them between opposing armies, before the British reinforcements arrive.

### Surprise Japs by Show of Strength

United Press Service  
 PEKIN, Aug. 29.—Advices from Kiao Chau are to the effect that when the Japs attempted to land on the southern coast of Kiao Chau the fire from the smaller forts was so severe that they were compelled to withdraw.

It was a complete surprise to the Japs, who expected no resistance from the outlying forts.

The main defense is by far the strongest.

### Kaiser Sank Three Before She Got It

United Press Service  
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—It was learned today that the palatial steamer, Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse sank the British steamers Tubiacin, Kapara and Nyansa before she was sunk by the British cruiser High Flyer.

Fitted up as an armed destroyer of commerce, the Kaiser Wilhelm was raising havoc with British commercial ships off the west coast of Africa until the High Flyer went after her.

### Britons Say the Russians Invade

United Press Service  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 29.—The British foreign office cabled the following to Sir Spring-Rice, ambassador to America:

"At last Prussia is being rapidly overrun by the Russian army. A great part of that region is now in the hands of the czar's forces."

### German War Cost 25 Millions a Day

United Press Service  
 NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—J. Borden Harriman, who has been touring in Europe this summer, reached here today with other refugees. He says the war is costing Germany \$25,000,000 a day, and that the nation will soon be bankrupt.

## Interior China Scene of Awful Bloodshed

United Press Service  
 SHANGHAI, Aug. 29.—Conditions of disorder in interior China such as did not characterize even in the revolutionary period preceding the Manchu overthrow two and a half years ago were reported today by foreigners who arrived here from Hankow and other up-country points.

Throughout Honan, Hupeh, Shansi, Szechuan and Anhwei provinces, they said brigandage is rampant on such a scale that cities of even 200,000 and 300,000 population are unsafe from attack. Scores of smaller towns have been sacked. Frightful massacres have been perpetrated, and loot worth millions have been carried off.

Bodies of troops aggregating 20,000 or 25,000 in number are in the field against the outlaws, and there

have been dozens of skirmishes and a few tolerably respectable battles, in which the bandits have held their own as often as they have been beaten. No quarter is shown on either side, the victors invariably beheading the prisoners, and in some cases torturing before killing them.

Opponents of the President Yuan Chikai government are said unquestionably to be encouraging the bandits' activity, to be supplying quantities of arms and ammunition, and to be doing their utmost to weld the numerous bands into a single force for another revolution.

In Southern China revolutionary agents are busy in the vicinity of Canton and piracy on the West River has reached such proportions that even foreign shipping is endangered.

## French Soldiers, Eager for the Fray, About to Leave



No soldiers of Europe showed more enthusiasm than the French when the call to arms came. Paris not only was a scene of marching civilians and men who were anxious to show their loyalty and their hatred of Germany, but the troops themselves cheered as loudly as the men who didn't have to go to war. French soldiers are shown about to board a train for the front.

### Forts at Namur Abandoned 23rd

United Press Service  
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—The war bureau today announced that the forts around Namur were abandoned by the British forces at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The defenders were then unable to support their positions in the face of the concentrated German artillery fire.

### Horses Fighting the Bicyclists

United Press Service  
 PARIS, Aug. 29.—The war office today bulletins the routing of three squadrons of Prussian bicycle corps by Russian cavalry near Petropof.

### General Battle On in Galicia

United Press Service  
 PARIS, Aug. 29.—The war office admits that a general battle is progressing in Galicia, with the Russian central attack directed at Lemberg.

### Neutrality for Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Aug. 29.—At a conference of the foreign consuls it was agreed that the chairman of the consular union should issue a proclamation of strict neutrality to be observed by all nations engaging in commerce at this port.

The business of Shanghai is divided among the Americans, British, German, Japanese, French and Russians, who now express themselves as sincere in their support of the consular union's action. The market is greatly affected by the European war and the business is temporarily disorganized.

Here From Agency.  
 Miss Edna Miller, who is a teacher in the Agency schools, is a Klamath Falls visitor, on her way back to work after the vacation period.

## McREYNOLDS IS TO BE JUSTICE

SENATE ALMOST UNANIMOUS IN CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL TO HIGHER PLACE

United Press Service  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 29.—The Senate today by an overwhelming vote, confirmed President Wilson's nomination of Attorney General James McReynolds as a justice of the supreme court.

Immediately afterward the nomination of Thomas W. Gregory as attorney general was confirmed. Gregory, who is a Texan, has established a reputation as a "trust buster," and handled the New Haven case for the government.

## FORT NEWS NOW OWNED BY WOMAN

The latest newspaper change to be made in Klamath county is the purchasing of the Fort Klamath News by Catherine Prehm, editor and proprietor of the Merrill Record. The deal has just been closed.

Announcement is made by Miss Prehm in a letter to the Chamber of Commerce, in which she withdraws her application for the position of secretary. This does not give any of her plans as to the merging of the two papers or the operating of the plants separately.

Jeffrey Speaks Tonight.  
 John A. Jeffrey, a Portland attorney, who is the democratic candidate for attorney general, will address the voters at the opera house tonight. This is not his first trip into this section, as he was prosecuting attorney for this district about fifteen years ago. During his stay here, he has found many old friends among our residents.

## HUNSAKER CASE MOST PECULIAR

LOCAL MAN FOUND THIRTY FEET FROM AUTOMOBILE BELOW HOT SPRINGS—BELIEVED TO HAVE HAD A FIT

Instead of being fatally injured by dashing his auto into a tree or over Topay grade, as rumors had it, Jess Hunsaker is at the Shovel Creek resort recovering from what is believed to have been an epileptic stroke, or something of that nature. This is the tidings brought back by his brother, Ray Hunsaker.

According to Ray, Jess was found about seven miles below Klamath Hot Springs, about thirty feet from his auto. The car was against a tree, and was not injured in any way, neither was Hunsaker bruised a particle.

It is believed that he was stricken, and fell from the car into the road, and that the unguided car went into the tree and stopped. When Ray left late in the forenoon, Jess had not recovered consciousness.

## CROOKED WORK AT ONE THEATER

ARCH TINDALL'S SUNDAY AND MONDAY PROGRAMS WILL DEAL WITH THE LIFE OF THE UNDERWORLD

"In the Hands of London Crooks" sounds thrilling enough, doesn't it? This is to be the offering at the Orpheus theater Sunday and Monday.

The film is a five reel feature, considered the best ever released by the Universal people, and cost a small fortune in the making. It has just finished a phenomenal run at the Tivoli theater in San Francisco.

## WANT TO BE AN EDITOR?—WELL

CONFLICTING DISPATCHES FROM THE FRONT ARE ONLY ONE OF THE LITTLE PLEASURES DURING THESE DAYS

Did the Germans defeat the Russians at Allenstein, or did the Russians take the city? Here's all the dispatches sent out regarding it, and figure it out according to the way you sympathize. In either case, you can take the dispatch from the country you are supporting:

BERLIN, (via Amsterdam), Aug. 29.—The war office announces that the Germans defeated the Russian forces near Allenstein. It says the German defense on the Prussian frontier is increasing, and that the Russian movement has been checked.

ST. PETERSBURG, (via Rome), Aug. 29.—Minister Sazanoff today officially announced that the Russians have occupied Allenstein.

## London Paper Sees Retreat

United Press Service  
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—The Express insists that the British are being forced back to a new line, and that the Germans now hold Cambrai. It declares that the Germans threaten to raid all of Northern France.

## Italy Is Getting Nearer to War

United Press Service  
 ROME, Aug. 29.—Frequent cabinet conferences are being held. The pressure is slowly bending the government toward war.

The Italians are angered at reports of Austrian mobilization on the Italian frontier.

## City of Boulogne Is Evacuated

United Press Service  
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—A Central News dispatch from Boulogne says that the French report that city evacuated by the allies.

The war bureau said it has no information confirming this.

## Yep, Selling Oil.

Johann Durst, who represents the Rockefeller interests in this section, is in from Marysville, calling on the trade.

## To Sell Some Timber in Crater National

The forest service is offering for sale 26,650,000 board feet of timber on the Crater National forest, and the thirty-day advertisement for sealed competitive bids has just begun.

The timber is situated on a tract of approximately 3,740 acres in township 36 south, range 6 east, Willamette Meridian, on the watershed of Odessa Creek, which is just south of Pelican Bay on Klamath Lake, and thirty miles from Klamath Falls.

The timber consists of 24,000,000 board feet of western yellow pine and sugar pine, 2,000,000 board feet of Douglas fir and 650,000 board feet of

## FRENCH WIRE OF HEAVY LOSS FOR KAISER IN EAST

DEAD BRESTREW THE BATTLE FIELD

Battalion Withstands Twenty-Four Day Siege Near Longwy, But Finally Surrenders to Enemy—The French Take Offensive, and Now Claim to Have Complete Control of Several Important Passes.

United Press Service  
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 29.—The French embassy's latest cable from Paris says:

"The French have again taken the offensive in the fighting near the Vosges Pass.

"In the region between the Vosges and Nancy, where the fighting has been uninterrupted for five days, the German loss was considerable. The French found on a front of three kilometers near Nancy 2,000 dead.

"Near Vitrimont, on a front of forty kilometers the German dead numbered 4,500.

"One battalion near Longwy, which had held its garrison through a stage of twenty-four days' duration, capitulated."

## Cheer Beatty for Sinking Germans

United Press Service  
 LONDON, Aug. 29.—The admiralty's announcement of the sinking of two German cruisers and two German torpedo boats caused a big sensation here.

Indications are that the victory is due to Commodore Beatty's daring raid, in penetrating the Bight of Heligoland to engage the Germans. No dreadnaughts participated.

## Adriatic, Bearing Refugees, Docked

United Press Service  
 NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The Spanish steamer Adriatic, chartered by the government to bring home American tourists, docked here today with 1,787 passengers, all glad to get back to the Land of the Free.