

TEUTONIC ARMS WIN IMPORTANT POSITIONS FROM SERBIAN FORCES

Teutons Gain Over Troops of King Peter in North, While in Center of State Bulgars Continue To Advance Their Front

LATTER INVADERS IN RETREAT FROM CERNA

Bulgarian Army Sent To Check Anglo-French Expedition Meet Disastrous Defeat and Entire Line Falls Back From River

(Special Cablegram to Hawaii Shipto.)

LONDON, November 17.—Reports from Berlin state that the Austro-Germans have met with important successes against the North Serbian army and that the Bulgarians have gained ground in the center, northwest of Uskub, where, these despatches state, the Serbians have been forced out of the Babuna pass, allowing the Bulgarian advance to get within six miles of Priboj, on the east, taking Krashevo. In the southern fighting, however, the Allies again have defeated the Bulgarians, who had been reinforced in an effort to check the Anglo-French advance at the Cerna river.

Despatches last night from General Sarraill in command of the Serbian expedition, received via Salonika, report the Bulgarian army in full retreat along the entire Cerna river front. With an army of thirty thousand, the Bulgarians faced the Allies, in prepared positions, against which the Anglo-French troops carried on an uninterrupted assault for thirty-six hours. Finally the Bulgarian line was pierced and the defense collapsed, the Bulgarians withdrawing in partial confusion leaving some guns and much supplies in their abandoned positions.

Austro-Germans Outwitted

General Sarraill also reports the failure of the Austro-German attempt to envelope the North Serbian army. In this phase of the fighting the Serbians succeeded in extricating themselves from a serious situation, breaking through the ring of enemies and reaching new offensive lines.

The Berlin reports concerning the fighting against the Austro-German efforts to surround the Serbians was only a partial success, although the Austro-German cut off and captured ten thousand prisoners on Monday and took two machine guns and three cannons. The Teutons are pursuing the Serbian army.

Bulgars Are Reinforced

Early reports of the reinforcements received by the Bulgarians in Central Serbia were confirmed last night, when the reports of the attempted flanking movements against the Serbs holding the Babuna pass were received. These reports state that the menace against Priboj and Monastir, in Serbian Macedonia, is increasing.

The decisive repulse of the Bulgarians along the Cerna river, however, and the capture of Gradsko by the French, is believed to open the way for the advance of the Allies for the relief of the Central Serbians and the clearing of the country west of Uskub. Teutons Are Harassed.

JAPANESE SHIP HELD BY FRENCH CRUISER

Suspected of Carrying Arms To Mutineers in India

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) PEKING, November 16.—A French cruiser has captured the Japanese steamer Ito and taken it to Saigon Bay, French Indo-China. The Japanese vessel is suspected of carrying arms to mutineers in India. The possible existence of a Japanese-German plot is hinted at in the report that a man aboard the steamer, a Caucasian without passports, first claimed that he was an American and later said that he was a German subject. He is believed to have been a former German consul in China. When the cruiser approached, the Ito threw overboard two heavy boxes which sank in the sea.

THOUSANDS WILL SEE YALE-HARVARD GAME

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) CAMBRIDGE, Massachusetts, November 16.—More than 100,000 applicants have been received from foot ball fans who wish to get tickets to the Yale-Harvard game at Cambridge next Saturday.

SILENCE AT ATHENS ANNOYING TO ALLIES

Time For Greece To Define Position Is Growing Short

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDON, November 17.—The attitude of silence maintained by Premier Skouloudis of Greece in regard to the position the Greek government proposes to take towards the Allies and Serbia is increasing the general uneasiness over the political situation in the Far East. The time during which Greece is expected to define its position is growing short.

To crystallize the entire Balkan situation, the British war officials have a plan of sending more troops and establishing a new front in the Balkans, which will then become a permanent arena of major operations.

Greece has announced that she will treat the Serbians on the same terms as the Allies but further definition of her attitude is asked.

PRESIDENT DISCUSSES MESSAGE WITH CABINET

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) WASHINGTON, November 16.—President Wilson's message to the coming congress was the subject of discussion at a cabinet meeting today. The President intends to veto the message himself, doing his own typewriting. Attorney-General Gregory is considering a plan to recommend amendments to the Sherman Anti-trust Law, which will enable the government better to proceed against plots to hamper munitions sales and to blow up ships. It is now difficult to find laws covering the subject.

PATRIOTIC MEETING OF WOMEN NOT HELD

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDON, November 16.—A patriotic meeting organized by the Women's Social-Political Union was canceled by the authorities when it was discovered in the afternoon of a letter from Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragette, which read: "The betrayal of Serbia is the final tragic proof that neither the honor nor the interests of the nation are safe in the hands of the present government." Particularly the prime minister and Sir Edward Grey are unfit for their positions.

MORGAN TAKES CONTROL OF AUTO CORPORATION

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) CLEVELAND, Ohio, November 17.—Announcement was made yesterday that J. P. Morgan & Co., American fiscal agents of the Entente Powers, has taken over the plant and business of the White Automobile Company. A new corporation, capitalized at a hundred million dollars, is being formed for the purpose of absorbing the White corporation.

ROSEBERRY REGRETS WILSON'S NAVAL PLAN

Means That Other Nations Cannot Reduce Their Armament

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDON, November 17.—Lord Roseberry, former premier, now lord rector of the Glasgow University, in an address at the University of London yesterday, on the question of general disarmament after the war, said: "I know nothing more disheartening to those who are hoping that the war now being fought ultimately will result in the lessening of the burden of armament upon the peoples of the world than the announcement that the United States of America is about to embark upon the building of a great armada, equal to or only second to that of Great Britain.

Woman Needs All Her Strength

The woman who has a bad back is a constant pain, for her work must be attended to just the same. Any other member of the family would have prompt and loving care, but the mother is inclined to neglect her own ill.

So, many a woman who needs all her health and strength to stand the work and worry of keeping house becomes a chronic kidney sufferer. Don't neglect a backache, lame back, disordered action of kidneys, dizziness, headache and blue or nervous spells. Probably it's all the result of kidney weakness. Women all over the world recommend Doan's Backache Kidney Pills for just these troubles, and weak, delicate women can take them freely. For Doan's contains no harmful, poisonous or habit-forming drugs. They act quickly and do lasting good.

"When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name." Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Backache Kidney Pills and take no other. Doan's Backache Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists and storekeepers at 50c a box (six boxes \$2.50), or will be mailed on receipt of price by the Hollister Drug Co., or Benson, Smith & Co., agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

SAILOR WHO BOASTED OF SMUGGLING CAUSES SEARCH OF CRUISER

Member of San Diego Crew Wanted To Impress Girl Friends That He Was a Real Daredevil

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) SAN FRANCISCO, November 17.—The alleged crew of one of the members of the crew of the cruiser San Diego, a seaman, to impress his girl friends with the fact that he was a dare devil smuggler of opium, resented yesterday in a search of the cruiser by customs officers and in the detention in the brig for further investigation of the smuggler hold.

Since the return of the cruiser from Mexican waters there have been reports in circulation that some members of the crew were involved in an opium smuggling venture. The rumors were that a number of the sailors had shabbled together for the purchase of a quantity of the forbidden drug in Mexico, with the object of selling it in California at a large profit.

The customs authorities traced the reports down to one man and learned sufficient of his disclosures to justify a search of the quarters of the crew yesterday. The customs men found no opium and nothing whatever to justify the reports, while the seaman who had talked, when faced with the officers, confessed that he had bragged of his opium exploits and his wonderful profits in order to impress the girls with whom he had been associating ashore. He was placed in the brig until his explanation can be substantiated.

The customs officers have a report extonerating the other members of the crew of any connection with opium smuggling.

THIRTY-ONE MINERS KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Thirty-Three Others Are Injured and Some of Them Will Succumb

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) SEATTLE, November 17.—A dust explosion in the fifteen hundred foot level of one of the coal mines thirty-five miles southeast of here has killed thirty-one of the miners at work in the gallery and injured thirty three others, some of whom will die from the effects of their injuries and the result of the noxious gases to which they were exposed.

The explosion also set fire to the mine, the fire driving out the rescuing parties after they had brought out the thirty-three injured men and recovered the bodies of three of the dead. It is not thought that the bodies of the others will ever be recovered in recognizable condition.

All the dead miners, with the exception of seven, are married and the scenes at the pit mouth, when the efforts at rescue were under way, were agonizing, the women and children hysterically calling upon the men to bring back husbands and fathers alive out of the burning gallery.

FORMER UNITED STATES SENATOR BURROWS DEAD

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) KALAMAZOO, Michigan, November 17.—Former United States Senator Julius C. Burrows died at his home here last night. Senator Burrows was seventy-eight years old, a native of Pennsylvania. He served as an officer of volunteers during the Civil War, looting in this city after peace had been restored. He was admitted to the bar in 1861. He was elected to congress five times, twice serving as speaker pro tem. He sat in the senate for one unexpired term and twice for full terms, occupying some important committee chairmanships.

ADMIRAL LORD FISHER REPLIES TO CHURCHILL

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDON, November 16.—Admiral Lord Fisher, former first sea lord of the admiralty, today replied to the criticisms and explanations of Winston Churchill. "It is unfitting," he said "to make personal explanations of matters affecting the national interests when the country is in the midst of a great war."

ANOTHER 'WAR PLOT' FIRE TAKES PLACE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) MOBILE, Alabama, November 17.—Another apparent "war plot" fire yesterday destroyed the works of the Hall Manufacturing Company here, the loss being \$30,000. The plant was working on an order for the British war office, having taken a contract to supply the British trenches with pit props.

DETAILS OF ANCONA WANTED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) WASHINGTON, November 16.—The state department has cabled Ambassador Frederik Courland, Stockholm, at Vienna, a request that he secure from the Austro-Hungarian government full details of the sinking of the Ancona.

CHILEAN ENVOY DROPS DEAD

(Special Cable Shipto.) KYOTO, November 17.—Don Francisco Herberho, who has been here as the official representative of the Republic of Chile at the coronation ceremonies dropped dead yesterday.

RENEWED ACTIVITIES ON WEST FRONT DUE

Cold Weather Hardens Ground So Infantry Can Operate

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) PARIS, November 17.—The rain of the past several weeks, which has made the ground along the western front too soft for an extensive operations on the part of either the Allies or the Germans has now stopped and the cold weather is hardening the ground. If the expectations are fulfilled, there will be much more activity on the part of the infantry in the west during the next three weeks than has been the case since the September offensive.

During this week the artillery has been very active on both sides and the mining of trenches has been also largely resorted to.

Reports from Galicia announced that the Russians are renewing their efforts to gain the crossings of the Strv River to continue their advances against the Austrians along the Bukovina borders.

COAST PAPER REPLIES TO BARON SHIBUSAWA

Ridicules Japanese Nobleman Because He Will Not Talk

(Special Cablegram to Hawaii Shipto.) SAN FRANCISCO, November 17.—The Examiner yesterday ridiculed the position taken by Baron Shibusawa that he would not be interviewed because if Examiner could not be trusted to quote him correctly or use any information given in a legitimate way.

The Examiner states that the Baron, when he arrived on the coast, announced that he was going to discuss all matters frankly, but that since he has been ashore, he has suddenly changed his mind.

It is probable that the Japanese Garden at the Exposition will be destroyed after the closing of the fair. The Japanese government offered to present the United States with the garden and the buildings on it, the offer being at first accepted, but the war department objected, however, because the Japanese concession is on land belonging to the President.

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BRITISH GENERAL STAFF IN FRANCE IS ATTACKED

Men in High Places Incompetent and Neglect Duties

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDON, November 17.—Baron St Davids, Lord Lieutenant of Pembroke, has a harsh criticism of the methods of the British general staff in France in the course of an address on the war in the house of lords yesterday. He charged the members of the staff with incompetency and will neglect of their duties.

On many occasions, he declared, the British troops had broken through the German lines, but that, owing to the judgment and ignorance on the part of the staff, the whole good work of the men had fallen through. Many lives have been sacrificed, declared the baron to the muddling of those in high places.

SNOW IN MIDDLE WEST

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) CHICAGO, November 17.—Twelve inches of snow fell here yesterday and the Middle West is now white in the first snowstorm of the season.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure blind, bleeding, itching or protruding PILES in 6 to 14 days on money refunded. Manufactured by the PARIS MEDICINE CO., St. Louis, U. S. A.

SECRETARY LANE FAVORS CUSTOMS FUND FOR HAWAII

Interior Department Chief Intimated To Governor Islands Should Have Revenues

MR. PINKHAM WILL SEEK FULFILLMENT

Government of Philippines Benefits From All Import and Internal Revenue Taxes

Though Governor Pinkham has received no permission from the department of the interior to leave the scene of his multifarious duties, a leave of absence which it is very necessary to obtain, he is going right ahead with his plans for the contemplated call on Secretary Franklin K. Lane and President Wilson. This is indicated by the departure today of Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, who, with the Governor, will present a mass of data to the interior department and make requests for some larger appropriations for the Territory.

Just why Superintendent Forbes is going to the mainland at the present time is not generally known yesterday. The Governor does not expect to sail until early in December and it is thought unlikely that the superintendent alone will present the request for federal appropriations of \$1,400,000 for harbor and other improvements.

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PHILIPPINES GET REVENUES

At the present time, or in fact ever since the insurrections in the Philippines were subdued, the government of those islands has enjoyed the use of all customs receipts gathered at Manila and other parts of entry. Hawaii does not get directly any of the customs receipts collected in the Islands.

DIVORCED COUPLE MAKE UP AND MARRY AGAIN

As the result of a reconciliation between James E. Thompson, of 1423 Young street, and Mrs. Isabelle Thompson, his divorced wife, the couple were remarried yesterday. Rev. Henry H. Parker, pastor of the Kawaianoa church, performing the ceremony. Mrs. Thompson arrived in the Lurline yesterday morning from San Francisco. She was accompanied by Miss Juanita Thompson and Lionel Thompson. The Thompsons were divorced in Honolulu by Judge Whitney a few months ago.

ARTIST KILLED IN BATTLE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) PARIS, November 16.—Eugene Bonneton, the painter, whose work was exhibited at the exposition in San Francisco, was killed on the western front. He was fighting with the French forces in the Argonne district and succumbed to the effects of German asphyxiating gas.

CONSCRIPTION IN REPOSE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) LONDON, November 16.—The government is taking no steps to bring conscription nearer. Premier Asquith is known to be hopeful that voluntary recruiting will succeed in bringing to the colors enough men to fill the steady vacancies created at the front.

ADVANCE ON VILLA ORDERED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) DOUGLAS, Arizona, November 16.—It was announced today at the headquarters of General Cates, the Carranza general at Agua Prieta, that General Boregard ordered an advance against the Villa forces tonight.

CHICAGO DEFEATS MANILANS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.) MANILA, November 17.—The University of Chicago baseball team yesterday defeated the Manila American by the score of three to one.

KAISER RECALLS VON HINDENBURG FROM COMMAND ON RUSS FRONT AND SENDS HIM TO WESTERN ZONE WHERE HE MAY DIRECT GREAT DRIVE

Reports From Eastern Battleline Indicate To London That Germans In Courland Are Preparing For General Retreat, Being Unable Longer To Hold Their Positions

TEUTON CAMPAIGN PROVES FAILURE

LONDON, November 17.—A despatch to the Morning Post from Berlin states that von Hindenburg, the German commander of the army which attempted to seize Riga and Dvinsk, has been recalled from that command by the Kaiser and is being sent to the western front.

Whether this means that his tendered resignation to the Kaiser, when ordered to carry through a task he termed an impossibility, has been accepted and that he is being given an inferior command, or whether it presages another grand German offensive on the west is not known. The official Petrograd despatches continue to report successes for the Russians against the positions occupied by the von Hindenburg troops, however, and the Petrograd reports receive confirmation in the brief German despatches which admit that the Russians are generally on the offensive in Courland.

General Retreat Expected

It is believed here that the Germans are preparing for a general retreat of their Russian northern army, where the Russians, after making a magnificent defense for weeks of the Dvina River crossings, have for the past ten days pierced the German center. General Ruzsky, the Russian commander, who defeated the Austrians at the beginning of the war, has proved too much for Field Marshal von Hindenburg, and ever using infinite patience has first held the Germans at along the Riga-Dvinsk line, and now throws them back.

Further news from this front is being awaited with impatience here. It is recognized that the final German efforts were of the most desperate character. Time after time the Germans advanced to the attack along this hundred and forty mile line. The banks of the Dvina are literally carpeted, with their dead. With the utmost courage and endurance the German troops have hurled themselves on the bridge heads at Jacobstadt, Friedrichstadt, Hultsk, and on two occasions have succeeded in actually crossing the river, only to find themselves cut off on the northern bank.

Time after time von Hindenburg was reinforced. Munitions and men have been pouring in from the coast cities of Windau and Libau, both of which were used as bases for the campaign. Documents found on the captured officers proved that the Kaiser appealed again and again to his troops to establish themselves in Riga or Dvinsk, so as to be able to winter along that line.

REPUBLICAN SWEEP IN 1916 INDICATED

Frank E. Thompson Says Middle West Favors Associate Justice Hughes For Presidency

Attorney Frank E. Thompson returned from a short pleasure trip in the Lurline yesterday. He and Mrs. Thompson enjoyed a long motor trip in California after returning from Chicago, where they went for the purpose of putting their son in school. During his stay in the Middle West Mr. Thompson was impressed with the slowness of business except in such industries as were affected by the unusual orders for goods made necessary by the war.

"All through the Middle West," said Mr. Thompson, "the impression seems to prevail that the coming presidential election is to be a Republican sweep. Especially in Chicago the politicians are grooming themselves for a victory of the G. O. P., and indications are that Justice of the Supreme Court Hughes will be the standard-bearer of the party if the wishes of the Westerners are observed. Senator Weeks is also getting a dash of the political spotlight now and then. Elihu Root seems out of the running entirely as a presidential possibility."

Mrs. Thompson did not return with her husband, who hurried home to attend to pressing business affairs of his firm.

While in Southern California Mr. and Mrs. Thompson were the guests of Congressman Kitterer, who has worked with Senator Broussard of Louisiana on the sugar tariff and who fought the reformer fight through Mr. Thompson says in Congressman Kitterer Hawaii has a powerful and useful friend. Representative Kitterer was one of the delegation of congressmen here early this year.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

When you have a bad cold you want a remedy that will not only give relief, but effect a prompt and permanent cure. Remember that it is pleasant to take a remedy that contains nothing poisonous. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the sore throat, and restores the system to a healthy condition. This remedy has a good wide sale and one of the largest is depended upon. For sale by J. Deal & Co., Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii.