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RUSSIANS PUT IN REPRISAL CAMP

Germany Begins Retaliation on Czar's Naval Officers and Sailors.

Berlin, Aug. 31.—"Officers and sailors of the Russian navy who are prisoners in Germany," says the Overseas News Agency, "have been brought into a reprisal camp, because for more than a year German naval officers and men in Siberia have been treated by the Russians not as members of the navy but as common criminals."

"The Russian officers and sailors will be treated exactly as are the German prisoners in Russia."

The Russian actions are said to have been caused by the friendly attitude of the British government towards the Russian navy, which has been a constant cause of irritation to the German government.

RUSSIANS PUT DOWN ATTACK IN VOLHYNIA

Germans Wing Four Aeroplanes on East Front.

London, Aug. 31.—The repulse of a German attack on Russian positions in Volhynia, northeast of Kovel, with severe losses, is recorded in today's official report from Petrograd. Three Russian aeroplanes were brought down in this region and a fourth on the Berezina, according to Berlin. The Russian report reads:

"On Wednesday morning, after a short artillery preparation, the enemy attacked our positions north of the village of Helin, on the western bank of the Stokhod River, thirty-four miles northeast of Kovel. The attacks were repulsed with severe losses to the enemy."

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FRENCH ADVANCE NEAR ESTREES

Local Operations Win Ground South of Somme.

GREAT OFFENSIVE HAS COST 220,000 MEN

London, Aug. 31.—Local operations south of the Somme to-day won for the French troops advances south of Estrees and southwest of Soyecourt Wood. Surprise attacks by reconnoitering detachments from the British trenches in the Armentieres sector were repulsed by the Germans, who in turn failed in assaults on the Allied positions at Maresmes Wood.

The British official statement announces that in the successful operations south of Martinpuich yesterday two Teuton officers and 124 soldiers of a Bavarian regiment surrendered instead of returning to their lines.

It was officially announced to-day that the British casualties, killed, wounded and missing, on all the fighting fronts in the month of August totalled 4,711 officers and 123,234 men. The losses on all fronts for July, the first month of the Somme offensive, were 159,575, a total of 282,000 casualties on all fronts since the drive began. As Britain had been losing previously about 20,000 men a month, the cost of the Somme offensive to date is about 220,000 men.

RUMANIA PUTS BAN ON ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS

Follows Lead of Russia, Britain and France.

Bucharest, Aug. 31.—The police commissioners have forbidden the sale and consumption of alcoholic liquors in all establishments throughout Rumania under penalty of severe punishment.

MOTOR FLOTILLA WILL CLOSE TO-DAY

Harbor Exercises Will Be Explained To-night.

To-day is the last day for enrolments for the training cruise of power boats which will begin on September 5. Three of the latest boats to be entered are the Priscilla, owned by F. S. Fisher, of White Plains; the Louise, belonging to C. B. Parker, of Brooklyn; and the Narda II, owned by H. H. Gordon, Jr., of Huntington.

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JUSTIFY ATTACK ON U. S. VESSEL

German Government Insists the Owego Paid No Heed to Warning.

CLAIM AT VARIANCE WITH OTHER REPORTS

Washington, Aug. 31.—Another German U-boat commander's explanation that is totally at variance with the facts as understood by this government was received to-day at the State Department and has made a distinctly unfavorable impression. A note from the Foreign Office answering Secretary Lansing's inquiry concerning the attack on the American steamer Owego declared that the behavior of the steamer was "not in accordance with international law" and that the captain would have had "ought himself to be in a position to avoid the vessel."

This last phrase, which is the closing thrust of the document, is understood to mean that if the Owego had been torpedoed without warning, the German government would have disclaimed responsibility.

The Owego was shelled by a German submarine on August 3, according to reports received at the State Department. The circumstances that indicated a violation of the assurances given by the German government after President Wilson's ultimatum.

The German explanation follows: "The German submarine, the Admiralty staff of the Imperial German navy, a German submarine at 2:40, afternoon of August 3, with very clear weather and smooth sea, sighted a slow moving steamer of the type and speed by which at a distance of 6,000 metres the submarine made the steamer a signal to stop and gave two warning shots. As nothing happened on the steamer, the flag was not recognizable, but which nevertheless continued to proceed on her way, three further warning shots were fired."

LITTLE GIRL'S PLEA WINS A BABY BROTHER

Adoption Kept Secret from Soldier Brother at Border.

Madeline Serie, thirteen years old, of 101 Suydam Street, Brooklyn, wanted a baby brother. A few days ago she ran to her mother, Mrs. Marie Serie, with an advertisement which had found in a newspaper. It stated that Mrs. Catherine Kirschner, of 1052 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn, wished to give her eight-months-old baby boy, Philip, for adoption.

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Germans Have Plenty to Eat, Minister Says

Head of Interior Department Insists That Crops Are Ample and That the Empire Is Now Self-Sustaining.

Berlin, Aug. 30 (via London, Aug. 31).—The outlook for the food supply and the general economic situation in Germany is highly satisfactory at the present, and there are no indications that these considerations will assume at any time an aspect which will influence the military plans and operations of the empire, said Dr. Karl Helfferich, Secretary of the Interior, to-day.

"England made a mistake in her hunger war on Germany," he declared, "acting on the basis that Germany was as much dependent on imports as England herself, whose economic structure really rests on commerce with foreign countries. Believing this to be true also of Germany, England thought she could annihilate this country by compelling to starvation the entire German people, enforcing measures calculated to effect this with ruthless disregard of international law and of the protests of small nations. Germany has given ample proof during the course of the war that England's calculations are absolutely wrong."

Says Germany Is Sound.

"Severance from the outside world may for the time being prevent further increase of our wealth and may also force great hardships, but it can be met by the foreign feed market undoubtedly has rendered difficult the keeping of livestock, resulting in limitation of meat and milk products. This limitation is felt, of course, but it is not fatal."

Shortage of Fodder.

"It cannot be denied that in the matter of animal feedstuffs we are situated less favorably since our imports were cut off. However, this year's crop is good. Furthermore, substitutes have been raised to better this condition materially. For 1917 we have in view from 750,000 to 800,000 tons of artificial fodder."

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Prosecutor Seeks 15 Witnesses Driven from City, He Says, by Police.

Berlin, Aug. 31 (by wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.).—The German steamship Marie, which reached the Dutch harbor of Batavia, in Java, on May 13, successfully ran three British blockades, it was learned to-day. The vessel left Germany in January with a cargo of supplies for the German forces fighting in East Africa.

JEWIS ARE URGED TO END FIGHTING

Herman Bernstein, Editor, Pleads for Unity to Aid in Race Emancipation.

Urging peace and unity in the ranks of the Jews of this country over the Congress question, Herman Bernstein, editor of "The American Hebrew," in today's issue of that weekly, says:

"As soon as the war broke out in Europe the Jews of America, especially the great mass of Russian Rumanian and Austrian Jews, in face of the awful calamity that has come upon the Jewish people, wanted extraordinary measures to be taken to cope with the unprecedented crisis in Jewish life."

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RUSSIANS CONTINUE ADVANCE IN ARMENIA

Forced to Retreat Before Turkish Right Wing. However.

London, Aug. 31.—The Russians have continued their advance in the direction of Diarbekr in the Caucasus, but are being forced to retreat before the Turkish right wing, according to official reports issued to-day. The Russian statement says:

40 GIRLS IN PANIC AS BOMB EXPLODES

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