mans apparently are waiting before Liege for reinforcements with which to flank the Belgian position, probably toward Huy, southeast of Liege, on the route to Namur. Huy is defended by a single well-armed fort, situated on a spur of rock detached from Mount Picard, on the right bank of the River Meuse. The fort dominates the town of Huy and the bridge and the roads to Namur and Liege.

ALLIES HAVE EFFECTED JUNCTION OF TROOPS

Brussels, August 9.—Belgian official reports received by the War Office record the important fact that a junction has been effected by Belgian, British and French troops across the line of the German advance through Belgium. The location of the three armies was not revealed, but it is understood they will act together.

At Liege, where the Belgian garrison has presented a stubborn front to the German attackers, fighting has ceased since early yesterday morning, and the Belgian troops and citizens have strengthened the city's defenses. Between the forts lines of earthworks have been thrown up by men who have worked without cessation night and day.

Reports reached here by way of London that, according to announcement in Berlin, Liege had fallen into the hands of German troops.

The sighting of a German cavalry patrol to the south of Namur to-day is evidence of the activity of the German forces in Luxemburg, showing they were reconoitring to discover the position of the defending armies. The retirement of German troops out of range of the guns of the forts of Liege is construed to indicate they were concentrating and waiting for reinforcements to renew the attack. In the meantime French troops, who have crossed the frontiers of Belgium, continue to advance, and their advance strengthens the Belgian army. When a French officer arrived at Namur in an automobile to-day citizens hoisted him on their shoulders and carried him through the streets.

It was reported to-day that the greater part of Luxemburg, which had been occupied by Germans, had been cleared of invaders by the French army.

In the Belgian capital patriotic sentiment is increasing and men of all classes are volunteering. A number of troop trains filled with French soldiers passed around Brussels during the night on the way to the front.

Two Belgian officers charged with important missions passed through the advanced lines of the Germans uninjured, although they drew the German fire.

The Belgian aviator, Alfred Lanser, was arrested to-day on suspicion of being a spy.

In Flanders groups of women gathered all day in front of the chapels praying for the success of the allies.

It was reported here to-day that German commanders hitherto have pushed to the front the regiments from Hanover and Mecklenburg, keeping the Prussian regiments in reserve as they did in the war of 1870.

At Antwerp four German officers wearing Belgian uniforms were arrested to-day.

It is reported Germany has sent a new and threatening message to Belgium.

Patriotism reigns among all classes, and many volunteers have joined the young recruits called to the colors. All troops sent to the front have displayed excellent spirit, while many soldiers wounded at Liege have asked to be sent to rejoin their regiments as soon as their wounds are healed.

A German officer and a number of German soldiers who surrendered to the Belgians at Liege declared they had done so because they were Socialists. They condemned the war as unjust.

The newspaper Le Soir says the Belgian town of Verviers, fourteen miles east of Liege, has been completely Germanized. A German burgomaster has replaced the Belgian official, who was arrested.

REPORT CITY INVESTED, BUT FORTS HOLDING OUT

LONDON, August 10, 3.05 A. M.—Telegraphing from Brussels, the correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says of the fighting at Liege:

"The Germans tried to overpower the forts by flinging immense bodies of men against them in mass formation. The last Prussian assault on Boncelles reminded one o fthe days of old.

"The infantry melted away before the machine guns of the defenders. The morale of the Prussians was entirely broken toward the end of the general attack. The casualties among the German officers were considerable. The attackers ran short of rifle ammunition. Wounded Germans declared they have had no food for two days."

A dispatch to the Chronicle from Brussels says Liege is invested, and all communication cut off, but the forts are intact, and can hold out for months. Brussels, the dispatch adds, has been turned into a vast hospital, hotels, private houses and public buildings having been given over to the Red Cross.

The Daily Mail's correspondent says the city of Liege to some extent is invested by the Germans, but that the forts are holding out, and will not surrender, as the garrisons will blow them up when resistance is no longer possible. The correspondent also says the bombardment Saturday was only intermittent, supposedly because the ammunition of the Germans was nearly exhausted.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Margaret E. Russell.

Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Russell, wife of Walter E. Russell, died at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, after a brief illness at the Stuart Circle Hospital.

Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 4 o'clock from her late residence, 2117 Floyd Avenue, by Rev. James Y. Fair, D. D., of Westminster Presbyterian Church. Interment will be made in Hollywood Cemetery. Besides her husband, Mrs. Russell leaves one daughter, Mrs. Eugene E. Peters, of this city, and a niece, Mrs. Neville B. Craig, of Germantown, Pa., six brothers—Charles, Frank, Ludlow, Henry, Thomas and Allen Dickson, of Covington, Va., four sisters, Mrs. C. Fredericks, of Hinton, W. Va.; Mrs. Mary Tignett, of Callaway, Va., Mrs. Ellen Hall and Miss Becky Dickson, of Covington, Va.

Mrs. Russell was an active member of Westminster Presbyterian Church, and always took great interest in all church work.

W. B. Smith.

W. B. Smith, of 608 North Twenty-third Street, died at Grace Hospital yesterday afternoon at 2:10 o'clock. He is survived by his wife and three children, Lillian and Misses Elise and Lottie Alexander Smith; R. C. Smith, of Richmond, and two sisters, Mrs. Belle Newton and Miss Nannie Smith, of Caroline County.

The funeral will take place from Venable Street Baptist Church to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The interment will be made in Oakwood Cemetery.

Aubrey F. Cosby.

Aubrey F. Cosby, twenty-six years old, assistant paymaster of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, died at 10:45 o'clock Saturday morning in the home of his father, R. F. Cosby, 1413 Hanover Avenue, after a brief illness from typhoid fever. He is survived by his widow, father, one brother, Ernest H. Cosby, and one sister, Mrs. Samuel Moore.

Mrs. Ella Copenhaver.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, VA., August 9.—Mrs. Ella Copenhaver, wife of Henry P. Copenhaver, a prominent resident of Smyth County, died at the family home near Marion this afternoon. She had been in poor health for many months. She was formerly Miss Ella Goode, of Roanoke.

Funeral of Mrs. Krise.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., August 9.—The funeral of Mrs. Virginia Davis Krise, wife of P. N. Krise, a prominent local republican, took place this afternoon from her late residence in Rivermont, being conducted by Rev. J. N. Latham, D. D., pastor of Court Street Methodist Church. The interment was at Presbyterian Cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. A. M. Howard.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BEDFORD, VA., August 9.—The funeral of Mrs. A. M. Howard, who died on Thursday night at her residence, at Newbury Courthouse, took place on Saturday, at 11:30 A. M. at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Rev. Mr. Chockley, the rector, and Rev. J. W. Reynolds officiating. The pallbearers were: Active, M. P. Scott, W. T. Rudd, Dr. R. Tucker, A. W. Tucker, Va. W. E. Maxy and J. T. Wright. Honorary—Dr. Benjamin E. Vaughan, J. H. Hunter, Jr., A. T. Hill, Jr., Captain Joseph Hobson, H. W. Goode, J. W. Pierce and T. P. Clements.

DEATHS

COSBY—Died, Saturday, 10 A. M., at the residence of his father, R. F. Cosby, 1413 Hanover Avenue, AUBREY F. COSBY, in the twenty-sixth year of his age. He is survived by his father, mother, wife, a brother, Ernest H. Cosby, and sister, Mrs. Samuel Moore. Funeral from the residence MONDAY MORNING at 11 o'clock.

GRAY—Died, Sunday, August 9, 1914, at Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., WILLIAM FREDERICK GRAY, in the ninety-second year of his age. Funeral TUESDAY, August 11, at 10:30 A. M. from St. James Protestant Episcopal Church, corner Birch and Franklin Streets.

RUSSELL—Died, at Stuart Circle Hospital, Sunday, morning at 4:30 o'clock, MRS. MARGARET ELIZABETH RUSSELL, wife of Walter E. Russell. Funeral from her late residence, 2117 Floyd Avenue, 5 P. M. MONDAY. Interment in Hollywood Cemetery. Covington papers please copy.

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JAPAN BELIEVED READY TO TAKE SHARE IN WAR

"An Ultimatum Has Been Issued," But Remainder of Message Is Deleted by Censor.

(Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.)

LONDON, August 10.—A Tokyo dispatch to the Daily Mail says:

"It is generally believed that Japan intends to take an active part in the war. A government pronouncement is expected hourly."

A Tokyo dispatch to the News and Leader says:

"An ultimatum has been issued in conformity with ——"

The remainder of the message evidently was deleted by the censor. It is suggested that the deleted portion had reference to the treaty between Great Britain and Japan.

Squadrons Put to Sea.

TOKYO, August 9.—The first and second squadrons of the Japanese fleet put out to sea this morning. Admiral Dewa is in command. The destination of the fleet is kept secret. There have been reports that a German squadron was threatening British shipping in Eastern waters.

FRENCH RECKLESS IN THEIR ENTHUSIASM

LONDON, August 10.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Telegraph has sent the following dispatch to his paper:

"All reports agree on the intense enthusiasm of the troops, who hurled themselves recklessly on the enemy with bayonets in the battles at Altkirch and Muelhausen.

"A big cavalry encounter has occurred on the plateau east of the Meuse, probably at Woevre, in the Departments of Meuse and Meurthe-et-Moselle. It is reported that the fight resulted favorably for our allies.

"The net result of the operations so far as known is that the German advance has been stopped on the line of the Meuse and they have been outflanked in Belgium by the advancing French masses. Similarly, the German advance strategically outflanked by the French advance into Alsace. Thus the hostile flanks are menaced and their front is seriously contracted.

"The arrival of the British troops is anxiously awaited by France, as it is expected a contact with the main German advance will occur shortly."

MANY BAVARIANS DESERTING THE COLORS

LONDON, August 10—Telegraphing from Brussels, the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says:

"The Belgians have blown up the old disused fortress at Liege to prevent the Germans availing themselves of its use.

"It is reported here that many Bavarians are deserting or refusing to join their colors, the idea of fighting the peaceable Belgians, whose Queen is a beloved Bavarian princess, being very unpopular with them."

TOWN IN POLAND TAKEN BY AUSTRIAN FORCES

ST. PETERSBURG (via London), August 10, 2.35 A. M.—The town of Andrejew, Russian Poland, and the customs station at Radzivilow, in the province of Volhynia, near the Austrian frontier, have been occupied by Austrians. A detachment of Austrian troops was repulsed from the village of Leshnioff. According to news reaching here, the German warships Goeben and Breslau have passed Greece, apparently going toward the Dardanelles.

GERMANS ARE ENGAGED BY RUSSIAN INFANTRY

(Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.)

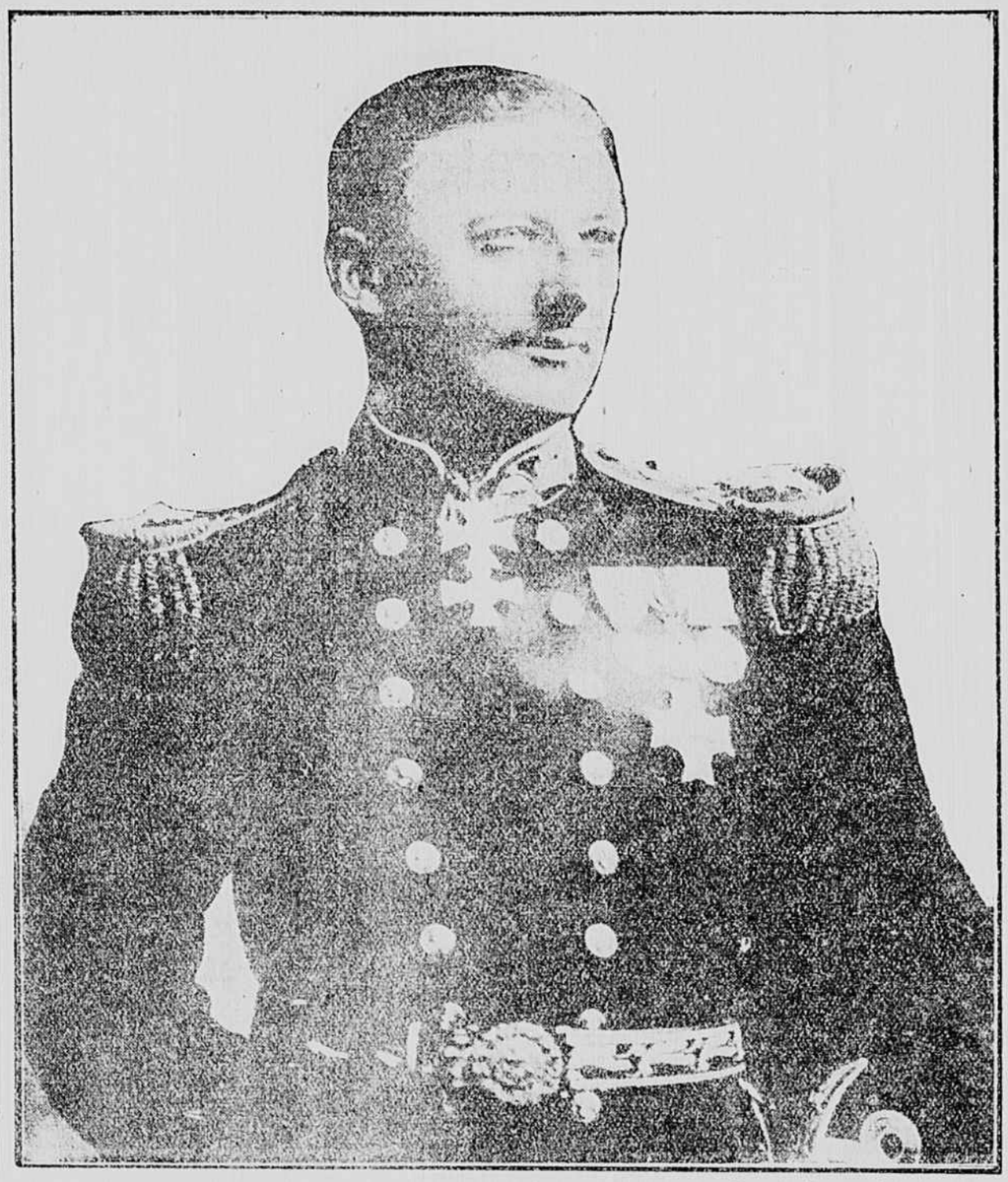
ST. PETERSBURG, August 9.—A telegram from Vienna states that in fighting in which Russian infantry engaged from August 4 to August 6, near Vershbelove, in the government of Suawalki, on the German border, the Russians lost about sixty men killed and wounded, and the Germans 100 killed. The wounded exceed those killed.

German private correspondence was captured by the Russians.

GERMAN INVADING ARMY IS SHORT OF PROVISIONS

PARIS, August 9 (via London).—An official announcement to-day says confirmation has been received that the Germans invading Belgium lack provisions, having undertaken to force their way into the country without adequate preparation.

SECOND IN COMMAND OF THE BRITISH NAVY



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Admiral of the Fleet Sir William Henry May, formerly naval attache for Europe, who is second in command of Great Britain's fighting forces of the navy.

GERMAN CRUISER COALING AT SAN JUAN

Expects to Be Attacked by French and English Vessels Waiting Outside.

SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO, August 9.—The German cruiser Karlsruhe arrived here to-day, supposedly from Haitian waters. She called for supplies, including coal. The French and English consuls protested to Governor Arthur Yager that the cruiser had no right to coal.

The captain of the cruiser claimed the right under the proclamation of President Wilson to take enough coal to enable his ship to make the nearest home port, which is Hamburg. The Governor declined to interfere, and the cruiser is coaling, and will leave within twenty-four hours.

The captain of the cruiser expects an attack in the waters by the English and French cruisers, which are waiting outside.

Belgium Will Cover Risks.

New York, August 9.—Belgium will cover war risks on shipments of American wheat for Belgian ports, Pierre Malh, Belgian consul in New York, announced to-day.

NO GAIETY OR WAR FEVER; PEOPLE CALM AND STERN

London Is in Midst of Real War Times, and Realizes Gravity of Situation.

CHURCHES ARE THRONGED

Enrollment Proceeds at Rate of Many Thousands a Day, and Hundreds Volunteer as Nurses—Americans Offer Services.

(Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.)

LONDON, August 9.—London is in the midst of war times. Newspapers issued extra editions hourly to-day, even the London Times and the Daily Telegraph issuing four-page war Sunday extras.

Immense congregations filled the churches. The attitude of the people is calm, stern and serious. There is no gaiety of war fever anywhere. Everybody from hotel porters to peers, from street loungers to noble lords, Irishmen and Englishmen alike, is absolutely of one mind about the war.

Posters appear on the walls everywhere calling for volunteers. They are signed "Kitchener." Enrollment is proceeding at the rate of many thousands a day. Women are volunteering as nurses by the hundreds.

The Prince of Wales, now a second lieutenant of the Grenadier Guards, is personally indorsing checks, however small, received for the relief of the widows and orphans. Headquarters for the fund are at St. James's Palace, which is open to everybody and visitors at any time can see what subscriptions have been received.

The King's second son is serving as an ensign on the Collingwood, which presumably is with the North Sea fleet.

Other posters, requiring every German in London to register at the nearest police station, prescribe a penalty of $500 for failure to comply.

England's entire grain crops were harvested just before mobilization began. The entire wheat crop is sufficient for only ten weeks' supply.

Restaurant prices have not advanced yet. Every kind of food is abundant, and the newspapers are urging all householders not to embarrass the tradesmen by ordering unusual supplies.

Inquiries of the leading retailers show the following advances of prices on Saturday, compared with two weeks ago:

Bacon, from 19 cents to 33 cents; steaks, prime, 27 cents to 39 cents; cheese, no change; eggs, new laid, 40 cents to 62 cents a dozen; eggs, imported, 33 cents to 50 cents; hams, cooked, 27 cents to 62 cents; flour, per seven-pound bags, 21 cents to 28 cents; flour, American, per seven-pound bags, 25 cents to 31 cents; sausages, pork, 21 cents to 23 cents; sausages, beef, 12 cents to 14 cents; lard, 16 cents to 18 cents; American lard, 14 cents to 16 cents; loaf sugar, 9 cents to 10 cents a pound; granulated sugar, 5 cents to 6 cents; Barbadoes sugar, 4 cents to 5 cents.

Cakes, biscuits, jams, syrups, sweets, chocolate, all cereals and rice have advanced 2 cents each shilling.

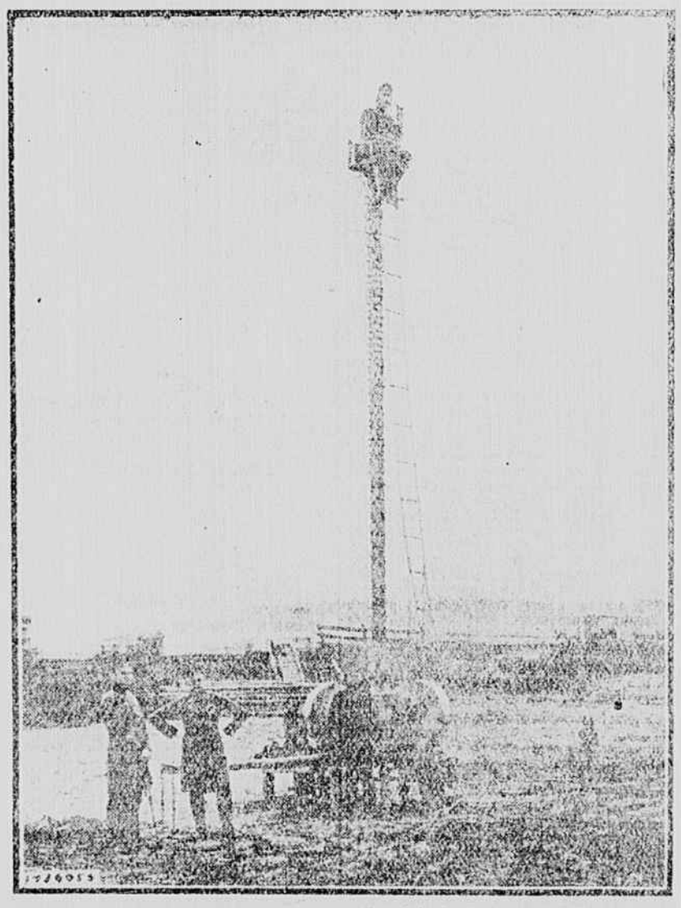
At the various recruiting stations it is reported that there are applications from numerous Americans, who are anxious to join the colors, and in nearly every instance the applicant begs to be attached to the expeditionary forces.

One lucky man is Jackson Stone, a New Yorker, who has lived in London several years, and is married to the daughter of the late Daniel O'Day, the Standard Oil man. Stone immediately offered the War Office the use of his fast automobile, and as some little return, and through the use of influence, he has been appointed on Lord Kitchener's staff. His duties principally will be those of dispatch rider and messenger, for he is an expert driver. Stone is one of the proudest and happiest men in London, and the envy of many of his friends.

Russian Troops Advancing.

ST. PETERSBURG (via London), August 9.—Russian troops have penetrated through the Valley of the River Stye, which rises in Austrian Galicia and flows into Russia, and have entered Austrian territory, driving the Austrian advance posts before them.

Portable Observation Tower Used by German Army



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The portable and collapsible tower which is being used with great success by the German army for taking observations and locating the position of the enemy. The tower is mounted on a track, and when not in use, collapses.

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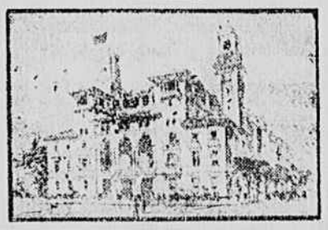

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