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Paris Reports Considerable Progress on Monday—Austrian Corps Defeated in Galicia Trying to Re-form Near Przemy-syl.

Paris, Oct. 13.—The following announcement was given out in Paris this afternoon:

"On our left wing our forces have resumed the offensive in the regions of Harebrouck and of Bethune against detachments of the enemy composed in large part of cavalry coming from the front along Bellou, Estaires and La Bassée.

"The town of Lille, held by a territorial detachment, has been occupied by a German army corps.

"Between Arras and Albert we have made notable progress.

"On the centre also we have made progress, in the region of Berry-au-Bac, and we have advanced toward Souain in the west of the Argonne and north of Malancourt.

"Between the Argonne and the Meuse, on the right bank of the Meuse, our troops who hold the heights of the Meuse to the east of Verdun, have advanced.

"To the south of the road from Verdun to Metz, in the region of Apremont, we have gained a little territory on our right, and repulsed a German attack on our left.

"On our right wing, Voeges and Alsace, there has been no change.

"To sum up, yesterday was marked by perceptible progress on the part of our forces in various points on the field of battle.

"In Galicia the Austrian corps defeated in Galicia are endeavoring to reform at a point four kilometres west of Przemyśl.

Petrograd, Oct. 13.—Prince Oleg, son of Grand Duke Constantin, died yesterday of wounds received in action.

An official despatch from Petrograd on Oct. 11, said Prince Oleg had been wounded during a cavalry engagement at the front. He was carrying a Russian standard at the time he was shot.

The Hague, Oct. 13, via London.—The American hospital ship Red Cross, which arrived at Rotterdam last Tuesday, sailed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for New York with 150 refugees aboard.

London, Oct. 13.—The Kaiser Wilhelm canal, telegraphs the Amsterdam correspondent of the Reuters, between the Baltic and the North Sea, has been closed to ordinary traffic for the duration of the war.

Tokio, Oct. 13.—Japanese and German have ceased fighting temporarily at Tsing Tau while dead and wounded are removed.

New York, Oct. 13.—The military expert of the New York Times, who is an associate editor of the Army and Navy Journal, says this morning:

"The advantage of Ostend to the German cause would lie in furnishing a harbor of refuge for their submarines in case they should attempt a raid from Emden or Heligoland against the English and freighters that are maintaining the British communications for their troops on the continent. Such a raid, if successful, might cause great loss of life, and might have important influence in handicapping the British plan of operations. In any case, it would have an appreciable moral effect.

"It may be taken as certain that Great Britain is now rushing to Ostend every volunteer and every marine from home who is considered fit for service in the field. Just as Great Britain's naval defence consists in seeking the enemy's ships in their home waters, so does her land defence depend upon the fighting on the continent. She has nothing to fear from invasion by airships; these may, however, succeed in bombarding various English towns.

"After ten weeks of war the allies in the field have proved that they can withstand the German attacks. Their present superiority in numerical strength will steadily grow, and it may be that in equipment and mounts they will steadily make a relative gain. They have survived the maximum development of the German strength without suffering any decisive defeat, and hereafter matters should be more and more in their favor.

The Belgian government, not finding on its own territory the freedom necessary for the exercise of its authority, has asked hospitality of the French government and permission to establish its government at Havre. The French government has replied promptly, setting forth that it would be pleased to receive King Albert and the Belgian government at Havre, and guarantee them the full exercise of their authority.

"The French minister of marine, M. Augagneur, has gone to Havre to receive the Belgian government, which should reach there today."

A despatch from Havre says that posters were put up around the city, bearing the signature of the mayor, announcing the arrival of the members of the Belgian government, and calling on the citizens to receive them appropriately.

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BELGIUM MAY BE THEATRE OF NEXT GREAT STRUGGLE

Gen. D'Amande Sending Reinforcements to Belgian Territory Allies Said to Hold Good Positions There —Amsterdam Report Says German Bombarding Bruges, 14 Miles from Ostend.

The Hague, Oct. 13.—According to a special despatch to the Cologne Gazette, from Zurich, Switzerland, a large number of civilians who arrived in Zurich from Belgium reported that an artillery duel was progressing in the direction of Belfort, when they departed.

A special despatch to the Avond-post, says 1,500 German wounded have passed through Liege for Aix-la-Chapelle, to which place within the past two weeks, 20,000 wounded have been transported.

The Hague, via London, Oct. 13.—The total number of interned Belgian soldiers en route to Northern Holland is estimated at 20,000, exclusive of the wounded who are being treated there and in cities near the Belgian border. The number of wounded has not yet been ascertained. Other soldiers have been interned but their number is still unreported. The English soldiers have been provided with a special depot at Groningen.

London, Oct. 13.—A despatch to the Times from Ostend says that a German aviator dropped two bombs on Ostend on Monday. Neither of the bombs exploded.

The correspondent adds that the Germans occupied Ghent at 7 o'clock Monday morning, and that refugees from that city are coming into Ostend.

Paris, Oct. 13.—General D'Amande, commanding the French forces on the extreme left, has been sent reinforcements in the belief that the next big general conflict of the war will be staged on Belgian soil. The allied forces in this theatre of the war are said to be well situated.

Cavalry encounters continue without cessation. The rehabilitated French aeronautical division is showing unusual activity in aerial patrol work in guarding against repetitions of the German bombardment over Paris.

Amsterdam, Oct. 13.—The Germans today opened a bombardment on Bruges, 14 miles from Ostend, according to an unconfirmed report received here.

Paris, Oct. 13.—A despatch to the Havas News Agency from Troyes gives extracts from an official report which relates that Metz, Charleroi and Douai suffered little during the German occupation. Sedan and Vouziers were unharmed. In the Meuse valley Haybes and Fumay were devastated. Bethel was burned of 12,000 buildings; 900, including the city hall, the schools and the markets were destroyed.

London, Oct. 13.—The correspondent at Amsterdam of the Central News quotes the newspaper Het Volk to the effect that the Argentine consul at Antwerp, M. Lemaire, was killed during the bombardment by a shrapnel shell. This missile struck the roof of the consulate and penetrated through the ceiling to the cellar, where the consul was sleeping.

Belgian Gov't HAS ARRIVED AT HAVRE

Believed in Petrograd that One of German Torpedo Boats Which Attacked Russian Cruisers Was Sunk.

Petrograd, Oct. 13.—The belief persisted in official circles today that at least one of the raiding German submarines responsible for the sinking on Sunday of the Russian cruiser Pallada had been disabled. The naval office had only bare details of the Pallada's torpedoing. The exact location was not announced. At least 570 men, all aboard the Pallada, went down with the ship.

The cruiser Bayana, scouting with the Pallada at the time, is believed to have hit one of the submarines. Bordeaux, Oct. 13.—It has been decided to transfer the Belgian government to France, in order that it may have full liberty of action.

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Getting Ready. A visit to the schoolroom of St. Paul's church, yesterday afternoon, showed that very great interest is being taken in the direction of aiding the forlorn Belgians. Packing cases, ready for a host of clothing, food and other necessities, were much in evidence, under the efficient control of a willing staff of ladies. The goods will be ready for shipment this evening.

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Attack on Russian Princess Described

New York, Oct. 12.—An attack on the Princess Marie of Russia, a close relative of Tsar Nicholas, in the streets of Coburg, Germany, during which practically all her clothing was torn and her face and hands were severely bruised and scratched, was described by Mrs. L. V. Cazlar, the wife of Brigadier General L. V. Cazlar, retired, of the United States Army, who, with the General and their daughter, was a passenger on board the Ryndam, of the Holland-America line, which arrived last week from Rotterdam.

General and Mrs. Cazlar have spent the greater part of the last fifteen years at Coburg, Germany, and of late have been tenants of the Princess Marie in a chateau near the palace where she lives. They declared the attack on the Princess, with whom they are personally acquainted, was an outrage which caused all Germany to blush with shame, particularly because it occurred in the city of Coburg, where she has lived for more than thirty years and which has been due to a great extent through her philanthropy.

"The Princess was en route in an automobile from the palace, about eight miles from Coburg, where she lives part of the time, to her home near the edge of the city," said Mrs. Cazlar. "The car was stopped by ropes which had been placed across the road and a crowd of ruffians dragged her from the tonneau, beating her until she fell fainting to the ground. Her clothes were torn to shreds and her face was scratched and bruised until she was unrecognizable."

"Pedestrians who witnessed the attack from a distance probably saved their lives by dispersing. The assailants were found to be of the lowest class of hoodlums and were probably excited to their deed in the belief that the Princess was antagonistic toward Germany's interests, although she is strongly in sympathy with the country and had shown as much by word and action, despite her connection with the Russian royal family."

The newspapers of Germany are held down with an iron hand by the military authorities and are not allowed to publish anything unless it is favorable to the German interests, according to General Cazlar, who said that the populace was unaware of the German reverses at Meulhausen when he left Coburg, three weeks ago. The newspapers are filled with stock pictures purporting to show British soldiers in a wild retreat before German bayonet charges, he said, and the people, who must depend solely for their information on the newspapers, believe confidently that the German troops are carrying everything before them.

A picture post card in wide favor in Germany and which has been enlarged and displayed in all public places, said Mrs. Cazlar, is one depicting an English soldier with both arms shot off and minus a leg. The picture bears the caption "Made in Germany."

Dr. Karl Muck, director of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, who was a passenger on board the Ryndam, was detained four weeks in Berlin, where he was compelled to perform clerical work in the War Office. He denied the reports of German atrocities, and asserted that evidence is now in the War Office to show that acts of barbarism were committed by Belgians on wounded German soldiers which far outdo anything that has been charged to the Germans.

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