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Germans in Third Trial Fail To Recapture Position Near Epehy

Repulsed Completely This Morning—Haig's Troops Improve Positions Near Ypres-Menine Road

London, Aug. 21.—The Germans this morning made a third attempt to recapture positions near Epehy recently taken by the British. The war office announces that they were repulsed completely.

Paris, Aug. 21.—Counter attacks of extreme violence were made by the Germans last night in an effort to recapture positions taken in the French offensive on the Verdun front.

Rome, Aug. 21.—More than 10,000 prisoners had been taken by the Italians in their new offensive up to last evening. The war office so announces.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The French official statement follows: "On the Cerny plateau, the Germans made attacks at three points. On two occasions our fire broke up the assaulting waves which were thrown back, greatly weakened, to the German lines."

Amsterdam, Aug. 21.—A frontier telegram to the Echo Belge says numerous troops are arriving in Flanders from Ghent.

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—British Admiral Jellicoe's fleet is making vigorous attacks on the southern Rumanian front.

Orran Howland, Wassis Farmer, Dies Suddenly

Frederickton, N. B., Aug. 21.—Orran A. Howland, farmer, of Wassis, died suddenly at his home yesterday.

Nest of Spies in Petrograd Found

Private Hospital Proves Headquarters of German Agents

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—A private hospital in the centre of the city, which was raided today by order of the military authorities, proved to be the headquarters of a German espionage organization.

Two Good Branches

WIFE-SLAYER ALSO IS DEAD

Leon Folsom, Who Killed Girl Wife in Maine BUT BRIEF TIME CONSCIOUS

It is Believed He Was Jealous of Her and Also Feared That if She Left Him He Would Have to go to the War

Bangor, Me., Aug. 21.—Death has claimed its second victim of Saturday morning's tragedy on the Blaisdell farm on the Corinna road.

Deputy Sheriff Lyndon Ticom of Corinna stood guard over the door to keep the over-curious out. On the floor at the front of the bed with his bare feet toward the wall lay Folsom.

Just how the tragedy occurred was a matter of speculation. That Folsom must have shot his wife as she lay asleep seems probable.

Shot While Asleep

It was only last week that Mrs. Folsom visited her mother, Mrs. Mabel Stevens, in Waterville, and also her father, Mr. Folsom, at home.

London, Aug. 21.—The "unwritten law" whereby a man may kill his wife's seducer was recognized by an English jury yesterday.

New York, Aug. 21.—Calmy protesting his innocence, Joseph Cohen, a poultry merchant, who was convicted of the murder of Barnett November 24, 1914, was sentenced to the electric chair in the week of Oct. 1.

Paris, Aug. 21.—Miguel Almeréyda, editor of the Bonnet Rouge, who has been arrested on a charge of sedition, committed suicide, according to the report of three medical experts which was sent yesterday to René Viviani, minister of justice.

Editor of Bonnet Rouge Was Charged With Sedition—Prison Officials in Trouble

Amsterdam, Aug. 21.—The Wolf Bureau, the semi-official German news agency, in a dispatch from Budapest announces that Dr. Alexander Wekerle has been appointed premier of Hungary in succession to Count Moritz Esterházy.

Almeréyda was found dead in prison on last Wednesday. His friends at first refused to admit the hypothesis of suicide, but it gradually became evident that he had strangled himself with a pair of shoe laces.



THE SILENT PARTNER.—New York Times.

UNWRITTEN LAW RECOGNIZED BY ENGLISH JURY

Lieutenant Killed Foreigner Found With His Wife

Douglas Malcolm Shoots Anton Baumberg After Latter Refuse Duel—Dead Man Had Been Listed by Police as Spy

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Justifiable homicide in self defence was the verdict rendered by a London coroner's jury in the case of Lieutenant Douglas Malcolm, who shot and killed the foreigner, Anton Baumberg, yesterday.

Phelps and Pleasindon WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service

Synopsis—A fairly important area of high pressure now covers the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Valley.

Fair and Cooler

EXAMINED IN BENEVOLENT AND SERIOUS SPIRIT

Britain's Reply to Pope's Note Handed to Cardinal Gaspari

Rome, Aug. 21.—The reply of the British government to the peace note of Pope Benedict was handed to Cardinal Gaspari, the papal secretary of state, by the British minister on Monday.

Copenhagen, Aug. 21.—At the meeting of the main committee of the Reichstag, called for today, Chancellor Michaelis was expected to declare the Pope's peace note in general accord with the German government's peace proposals.

WIN'S THREE MEDALS

Further Word of Success of Miss Marion Thompson Received

Miss Marion Thompson of this city, who led the St. John students in the university matriculation examinations, winning the corporation gold medal, has also been awarded two other medals for leading individual subjects.

In the mathematics competition, Miss Helen Smith, who was third in the standing, came second with a mark of 226.

VACCINATION

Brings Cheery Word Home From Russia

American Red Cross Doctor Sees Hope That Kerensky Government Will Succeed in Its Work

Petrograd, Aug. 21.—The new government is facing the present crisis with clearness of vision and sincerity of purpose which, since the formation of the Russian ministry less than two weeks ago, has not failed of confidence.

Further Move in Coal Situation in United States

Wilson Appoints Coal Traffic Head—The British Government and the C. P. R.

New York, Aug. 21.—President appoints Chairman Lovett of Union Pacific coal traffic head. Carriers ordered to give preference to coal moving to northwest by way of Great Lakes.

Germany's Reception of It

Michaelis Expected to Declare it, Today, in General Accord With Berlin Proposals of Last December

There is a strong outside demand developing for International Mercantile Marine Pfd. whenever the market becomes reactionary.

Another Wash-out

Montreal Train, Due in the City at Noon Today, is Running Seven or Eight Hours Late

Call for Draft From THE FORESTRY COMPANY

The No. 2 Forestry Company, under command of Major Lionel Hanington, has been asked to supply a draft of seventy-five men, to act some time as an escort for several hundred troops which are to proceed overseas.

Airmen Bomb Enemy Works Again

London, Aug. 21.—Another of the series of aerial raids over Belgium which have been made at frequent intervals for some time, was carried out on Sunday night.