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mans to Retrieve Fortunes

in West-Bringing up

London, Nov. 7 .- The French of-

Paris this afternoon says that yesterday passed without any perceptible modification on the front. Fighting

between Dixmude and the Lys con-

tinued without any marked advance or

with the same characteristics as

North of Arras and also directed up-

on Arras without result for the en-

The German effort in Belgium and

n the North of France continues. The Germans seem to have undertaken

Fresh Troops

Strain of the War and Disappointment Over Failure of His Plans Telling on

Landon, Nov. 7 .- The correspondof The Express on the Belgian front under date of Friday telegraphs

The Kaiser himself is close to the front in Flanders making efforts to inspire his troops to gain Calais.

A party of refugees saw the Kaiser

rigidity of features were very mark-He sat like a statue wrapped in of a passing officer. At the end he saluted but without

soldier chaffeur to go ahead quickly. mers took place yesterday afternoon.

BIG RUSSIAN VICTORY IN EAST PRUSSIA DESPERATE London, Nov. 6.—The Russian Commander-

sian troops have gained a great victory in East Prussia today. Washington, Nov. 6.—A despatch to Earl troops along the whole front in Galicia. Kitchener from the Grand Duke Nicholas was received at the British Embassy here today. It is crowned by what is incontestably the greatest the Austrian fortress of Przemysl.

to General Joffre. The Grand Duke refers to the greatest victory since war began in Galicia.

The Embassy statement, quoting the tele-RUSSIANS RECAPTURE GALICIAN in-Chief has wired General Joffre that the Rus- gram from the Grand Duke, is as follows:

"Following our successes upon the Vistula, a complete victory has just been gained by our captured the Galician town of Jaroslaw, and have Now Being Made by Ger-

"Our strategical movements have thus been almost identical to that sent by the Grand Duke success, gained on our side, since the beginning of the war.

entire accomplishment of our common task."

TOWN OF JAROSLAW

Petrograd, Nov. 7.—The Russians have retaken 5,000 Austrian prisoners.

Jaroslaw is seventeen miles North West of

The Austrian attempts to cut off the Russian attackers, the messages say, have finally been "I am most confident of the most speedy and broken, and the Austrians are now in full retreat ficial announcement given out in along the River San.

# 'Gneisenau' And 'Scharnhorst' Captured

NEW YORK, Nov. 7==A special cable to The New York Herald from London today says it is lows: There was no perceptible modification during the day of yesterday announced from Tokio that the German cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau have been captured anywhere on the front. Fighting continued between Dixmude and the Lys while coaling.

previously and without any marked These two German warships took part in Sunday's naval fight off the Coast of Chili. They advance or retirement at any point There was violent cannonading to the a gray coat and listened to the report are both 11,400 tons.

smile and then nodded silently to the Funeral of the late Mr. W. Sum-

## Admiralty Announces 'Good Hope' Foundered After The Naval Fight the Allies have been raised and the

### Monmouth Reported Run Ashore Antwerp government has invited bids Glasgow Reaches Port Safely--Big Naval Battle in Progress off Coast of Peru

London, Nov. 6.—It is officially announced by the Admiralty, that the British cruiser Good Hope took fire during an engagement with Germans off the coast of Chili last Sunday, and foundered.

The Admiralty statement says, it is believed that the British cruiser Monmouth, which the Germans reported to have been sunk, was run ashore. The cruiser Canopus, it adds, was not present at the time of the fight.

The Admiralty has received trustworthy information about the action on the Chilian Coast. During Sunday, November 1st, the Good Hope, Monmouth and Glasgow, came up with the Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and

Both squadrons were steaming South in a strong wind and considerable sea. The German squadron declined action until sunset, when the light gave it an important advantage. The action lasted an hour.

Early in the action both the Good Hope and the Monmouth took fire, but fought until nearly dark, when a serious explosion occurred on the Good Hope, and she found-

The Monmouth hauled off at dark, making water badly, and appeared unable to steam away. She was accompanied by the Glasgow, which had meanwhile during the whole action fought the Leipzig and Dresden.

mouth, the Glasgow, which also was under fire from one of given out Tuesday, Nov. 3rd by the less than that from the Aisne to the on our part was the evacuation of the the armored cruisers, drew off.

The enemy then attacked the Monmouth again, but of Oct. 26th and reads as follows: with what result is not known.

few casualties. Neither the Ontranto nor the Canopus sequent to Oct. 20th is continued, a my along the Aisne will be appreciat- bridges-which were mostly command

Reports received by the Foreign Office from Valparaiso ment of a certain fraction of our we were then situated are recalled. climb up to the top of the plateau on state that a belligerent warship is ashore on the Chilian north and east of Paris to the present yords apart, and for us no movement "The rest of the movement was a coast, and it is possible that it may be the Monmouth. En- position facing east, in the north-east was possible during the daylight. | complicated feat of transportation, ergetic measures are being taken on this assumption, rescue the survivors.

The action appears to the Admiralty to have been most with a growing line of reinforcements. British will now be able to join hands had to sit all day long under the traof the various difficulties the whole with a growing line of reinforcements. gallantly contested, but in the absence of the Canopus, the This now an accomplished fact as it earth which stretch like partitions at large numbers of troops from the enemy's preponderance in force was considerable.

### CRUISER GLASGOW SAFE AT CHILIAN PORT

from Lina, Peru, says the British cruiser Glasgow, which quarter of the theatre of war, which hind our firing line, any attempt was tions had, up till then, been of a prewas in battle with the Germans off Coronel, Chili, last Sun- recently has come into such promin- met by fierce bursts of machine gun paratory nature and that the Germans the early battles have been brought day, has arrived at Puerto Monte, Chili.

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Private advices today to prom- markable. It can but be compared ried out gradually upnder cover of inent British agents here from their correspondents in Valparaiso, report that an engagement is taking place off Yan- Oku withdrew a portion of his forces ed fire upon them while so engaged, corps formed of volunteers and other "Our line in the trenches was very thin but our shooting was accurate" yers (? Huaura) Peru, between British, German and Jap- from his front northwards behind the was due to the care with which has not yet been thin, but our shooting was accurate," anese warships.

naval battle are confirmed in messages.

## WILL RAISE SHIPS

Amsterdam, via London, Nov. 2 .-According to an Antwerp telegram to the Rhenanian Transport Company at Mannheim, some of thes hips sunk in the port of Antwerp by the troops of river Scheldt is again navigable.

An inventory of the goods in the raised vessels is being made. The for the raising of the remainder of the sunken ships.

Strenuous Attempt of the Germans Brought Naught by Cool Bravery of British in Belgium

London, Nov. 7.- A Daily Mail cor- man infantry approached they met respondent in Northern France writ- them with volley after volley of rifle ing under date of Friday says: The fire. The barqt. Gaspe arrived at Per- big contest for Ypres which raged all The Germans staggered forward

iers had not been shaken as the Ger- under cover of darkness, leaving

By British Forces on the Aisne

A Considerable Number of British Troops Were

Moved From the Trenches to the Northeast of

France and Their Places Taken by French

And the Germans Were Kept, in Com-

Brilliant Maneouvre Executed

Magistrate at Twillingate today:

"Yesterday at Herring Neck, a boat to drowned. Bodies recovered." swamped. Two men Cassell's and one Richmond - all the crew - were drowned. Bodies recovered."

nambuco yesterday after a passage of last Sunday culminated Monday after- falling by dozens under the withering now state they will mount 52-centi-The Germans advanced all along for ninety minutes determined to win Schr. J. R. Bradley is loading her- the line cannonading the British posi- through if at all possible; then findring at Bonne Bay for the Gorton Pew tions but the entrenched British sold- ing all attempts vain they withdrew

Railway communication with Lille has not been re-established. The Germans evacuated city five days ago. Deputy Minister of Justice Hutch- The wells and cisterns were full of nge had the following wire from the dead and there was not a drop of wa-

coming from Dildo with wood was the granting of permission to the in- flicted upon them.

# ANOTHER GERMAN

thousands of their wounded behind on

changes in the composition of their forces which are operating in this region and are reinforcing their reserve corps with active troops, with

and between the Oise and the Meuse

hail of bullets. They held on bravely metre guns on Cape Gris Nez and near Berry au Bac, we have retaken the neighborhood of Liege on the way

surprise for Britain." and about which drove the Germans.

the idea of undertaking news offensive movement or at least to mitigate the Rigorous sanitation will precede bloody checks which have been in-

### there have been minor actions We have consolidated our advance on the village of Andrehy to the West of Roye. A column of German waggons has been destroyed by the fire of our artillery at long range in the

Between the Somme and the Oise

bombard Dover and Folkstone. Three the village of Sapigneul which had

by the enemy has been repulsed.

### German Port In China Within 100 Yards of Germans Surrenders To Allies After Long Defence

### Garrison of Kiao Chau Lay Down Their Arms After a Three Months' Siege--Loss a Big Blow To Germany

London, Nov. 7.—Tsing Tau, the German-Chinese stronghold, surrendered to the attacking Japanese and British forces today.

### Is a Big Loss to the Germans

Tokio, Nov. 7.—The capture of Tsing Tau loses to Germany her last foot of possessions on the Asiatic Mainland tive of the progress of the fighting "What was implied in the actual retirement to the river below—on as well as her last strategic position outside German Empire

For nearly three months the German garrison of 7,000 has held out against land and sea attacks of Japs and of certain British detachments of both White and Indian troops that found themselves in China at the outbreak of the war.

What the losses of the garrison have been are not the trenches which which cut across some of the lines of known, but the official Japanese and British reports have indicated that Tsing Tau has been taken at a heavy cost of men on the part of the Allies.

Press despatches telling of a previous German-British armies.

plete Ignorance of the Movement.

Swinton, of the intelligence depart- vere, was much smaller than ours

"Oct. 26th, 1914.—Before the narra- ours moved by rail and motor. description will be given of a move- ed when the conditions under which ed by the enemy's guns-and troops from the former line facing The two lines were not one hundred the south side.

is generally known and can, there- intervals across a trench, so as to give Aisne was carried out without loss fore, be explained in some detail with- protection from lateral fire.

with the action of the Japanese dur- darkness.

ONDON, Nov. 6.—Another eye- in scope or possible results, owing to in the firing line and by the hum of witness account from the battle the coast line being reached by the supply trains below, that they were front in France and Belgium, allies, this parallel is complete. written as previously by Col. E. D. "The Japanese force concerned, how ing place

On the enemy again approaching the wounded Mon-ment of the British general staff, was and the distance covered by it was "What the operation amounted to official press bureau. It bears the date Franco-Belgian frontier. Genl. Oku's trenches under carefully made artroops, moreover, marched whereas rangements with the French, who had The Glasgow is not extensively damaged and has very near the Franco-Belgian frontier sub- withdrawal from contact with the en-e roadways of floating or repaired in Europe.

"By this movement a portion of the were under an enfilade fire, our men communication of our allies. In spite

Long Hours on Duty. "As regards the change in the na-"Mention will also be made of the "Even when there was cover such ture of the fighting in which we re-London, Nov. 7.—A despatch to The Central News gradual development up to Oct. 20th as that offered by depressions or sunk cently have been engaged, it already ence. In its broad lines, the transfer and shell fire. The men in the firing were obviously seeking to delay us by to Sheffield and they have interesting of strength by one combatant during line were on duty for twenty-four advanced troops, while their heavier stories to tell. A big, bluff sergeant BIG NAVAL BATTLE RAGING OFF COAST OF PERU the course of a battle which has just hours at a time. A preliminary retire- forces were being got ready and in an Irish regiment gave an account of the wanderings of 200 British soldbeen accomplished, is somewhat re- ment of the units was, therefore, car- brought up.

The German Armp Corps. ing the battle of Mukden, when Genl. "That the Germans only once open- ing a new army corps, consisting of a pursuit line and threw it into the fight against operation was conducted and also drawn upon and that part of it would be said. "Our fellows were very rool the extreme left of the Japanese probably to the fact that the enemy in all probability be sent to the west- and you would have thought they were was so accustomed to the recurrence ern theatre, either to cover the troops on parade by the way they laughed "In a general direction, though not of sounds made my the reliefs of men (Continued on page 2.)

## **MAIN RATIONS** Many of the soldiers wounded in

of the wanderings of 200 British soldiers for three days and three nights "It was known that they were rais- with a great force of Germans in hot

ter that we got lost from the main body. For three days and nights we down the Germans came hopping after us and we had to move. We just managed to live on apples and pears until finally we fell in with a large French cavalry force and they shared their rations with us."

# WEATHER REPORT

Toronto (noon)—Wind becoming variable, fair and cool today. Showery by Sunday night.