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BRITISH FORCES SUSTAIN ADVANCE AT ANCRE

Hungarian Diplomat Looks For Proposals of Peace Before Next Spring

AUSTRO-GERMAN ACT PROTESTED

Russia Denounces Establishment of Independent Polish Kingdom.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, Nov. 15 .- The diplomatic representatives of Russia, wires Renter's Petrograd correspondent, have been instructed to hand to the governments to which they are accredit ed the following protest against the Austro-German proclamation estab-lishing the Polish kingdom:

"In defiance of the laws of na-tions, the German and Austro- Hungarian military authorities at War-saw and at Lublin have proclaimed the Russian provinces of Poland henceforth to form a separate state. "The Imperial Russian Government protests against this act as a resh violation of an international convention solemnly sworn to by Austro-Hungary and Germany and

declares it null and void. It reaffirms that the provinces of the kingdom of Poland have not ceased to form an integral part of the Russian empire and that their inhabitants will be bound by the oath of fidelity, which they took to the emperor, my august

BRITISH VESSEL

Bombarded; Crew

Rescued.

Paris, Nov. 14-(Delayed)

The British steamer Sarah Rad-

cliffe, of 3,333 tons gross, has

been sunk, by a hostile subma-

rine which torpedoed and bom-

barded her, according to a semi-

The steamer sank after twelve

shots had been fired at her, ac-

cording to this account, her crew of 28 men being rescued

by the Norwegian steamer Hu-

The sloop St. Nicholas, of

Granville, was sunk on Monday

by a submarine, the announce-

ment adds. Her crew of nine

After Being Torpedoed and Is To Be Commanded

Hun Attempt to Promote

Allies and Make a Separate Peace.

signs of the success of the movement.

London, Nov. 14.—German propagandists are making every ef-

fort possible all over Russia, to stir up dissension among the Allies

and influence Russia to consider a separate peace, but there are no

writer, who has just returned here from a trip through Russia and

Roumania. Mr. Ruhl added that there was no expectation in Rus-

sia of the end of the war for another year, at least. The recent references to peace statements of the belligerent nations have a-

roused in the Scandinavian people the belief that it is not far off.

However, according to the impression gained by Mr. Ruhl, the Rus-

sians were looking forword to the spring campaign, he said, expect-

ing to accumulate vast quantities of guns and ammunition during

supply of soldiers seems inexhaustible. The prices in Petrograd,

Mr. Ruhl found were extremely high, but Southern Russia was far-

Though their losses have been exceptionally high this year, the

This was the statement made to me by Arthur Ruhl, American

Officer of Liverpool

Regiment.

London, Nov. 15 .- The official London Gazette announces that Lieut.-Col. B. C. Fairfax, of the Liv-

erpool regiment, has been appointed

CORRECTING A RUMOR

corps in the British army.

BRITISH SCORE MOST IMPORTANT HUNS LAUNCH

Offensive Upon Ancre River Means Much to the Forces of Haig and the Entente Generally - Prisoners Taken in Latest Drive Number Over 5000

London, Nov. 15 .- The battle of the Ancre continues with the British wave still beating eastward toward Bapaume. Beaucourt, another bastion on a hill, was captured yesterday, and the total of prisoners brought in total more than 5,000.

"Our tenacious defence caused us considerable losses," says the German official statement, admitting the loss of Beaumont-Hamel and Divion. And the sanginuary struggle continues with the defenders paying a heavier price than Haig's troops. HIRAUMONT NEXT OBJECTIVE.

The British are battering their way steadily toward Miraumont. The capture of Beaucourt gives them a position on which they can pivot their flank to the north and sweep beyond the Beaumont-Serre line until Mirau mont, an important railway station is practically pocketed.

Two important results have already accrued from this new offensive. German defences of surpassing strength have been smashed and a large number of prisoners have been taken. The British haul of prisoners exceeds the best of any previous two days in the Somme fighting. Adding casualties, the German losses in yesterday's grapple probably equal two divisions.
(Continued on page 6)

NEW OFFENSIVE

Against French Forces On Somme Front; Attacks Repulsed.

By Courier Leasest Wire.
Paris, Nov. 15.—Noon—An important German counter offensive began at six o'clock this morning against French posi-tions south of the Somme be-tween Ablaincourt and Chaul-nes Woods after three days of intense preparation. The Germans attacked desperately, the war office announces, using burning liquid. The official announcement says the Germans were repulsed everywhere excepting east of Pressoire, where they reached a group of ruined

ROYAL WEDDING

London, Nov. 15.—Prince George of Battenberg was married to-day to Countes Nadejda De Torby, daughter of Grand Duke Michael Michaelovitch of Russia. The marriage was witnessed by King George, Queen Mary, Queen Mother Alexandra and other members of the royal family. The ceremony was celebrated in Russian and English churches.

When a Candidate Feels Secure and Rests, Another Crosses 'the Wire First - Use a Little System Now

the command of the Chinese labor corps. This is the first announcement of the organization of Chinese For several months a large numper of Chinese and Indo-Chinese 1aborers have been employed in France. Some reports have placed

police on Saturday night. This is absolutely untrue, which will be vouched for by the Chief and members of the Use a Little System Don't forget to call on the party a subscription to the barry a subscription to the beginning told you to call if they felt sure that in so doing he who at the beginning told you to call if they felt sure that in so doing he and the beginning told you to call if they felt sure that in so doing he are some later date. Impress upon would make the candidate the winforce. A. H. Tremaine, 50 Market St. show the results you have for your effort; explain to him how the very goal of success is within reach of you if your friends give you a little vote offer closes November 18th.

In the necessity of his help and ner of the grand prize.

Remember the old motto: "It is moned compulsorily to do work of national importance. A bill authorizing their enlistment is to be presented shortly at a special session of the date." Discord Among the Allies help now when you need it at the date there will be six the Reichstag. The Lokal Anzeiger days of just regular votes, which is explains that the bill probably will not provide for an extension of the Hun Eminaries Strive to Create Friction in Russia, Hoping to Induce That Country to Break With Her

ize your time, candidates; don't let a ed, and how near success he really is, moment go by that is not put to the give two years instead of one year urday evening. It is far better for cost you anything to try, and suppos ou to have too many subscriptions you are successful-look what it A rumor is in circulation, that my store was searched for liquor by the have the proper qualities to conquer. Will mean to you and your friends. It is safe to say that there is not a and to have your friends see that you will mean to you and your friends person in this city, stranger or friend, but would give any candidate Don't forget to call on the party a subscription to the Daily Courier

at some later date. Impress upon would make the candidate the win-him the necessity of his help and ner of the grand prize.

The successful candidates will realize that this offer may be the means of them winning the grand prize, which some one will have for his own in the next few days. Utilize your time, candidates; don't let a moment go by the time.

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All Able Bodied Germans To subscription. Try this little sugtion possible between now and Satisfic the subscription out, candidates. It will not Re Civen Labor of Manager as 100,000. tional Importance.

By Courier Leased Wire.

Sun cable)—A despatch from Amsterdam says that The Berlin Lokal citizens in good health are to be sun the person that promised to help you paper. The campaign will close at if you show the proper effort be- 8 p.m. Saturday, November 25th, all citizens who are physically fit to comes the most enthusiastic support- 1916. take service in ammunition factories and such other work of national importance as is directed. Berim newspapers published an urgent official appeal to the women to apply at the war factories for work. War brides are accused of leaving factories on their marriage and taking separation allowances and refusing to ration allowances and refusing to

A proclamation by the general ommanding the Munich district, hreatens that selfish idle persons. who refuse to take work and forego musements, will be forced to do s

Mr. H. A. Richards, 276. Brock Street, received the following telegram from the Militia Department Ottawa, this morning:-

Pte. Richards, who worked at the Ham and Nott Company, joined the 84th while that Battalion was in this city . After arrival in the Old Country, he was transferred to the 75th

Hungarian Ex-Premier Looks For Peace Proposals During the Coming Winter-Twenty-Five Years of Peace Should Follow the Present War

Berlin, Nov. 13, via London, Nov. 15-(Delayed)-The opening of peace negotiations may perhaps be expected with fair prospects of success in the course of the coming winter, according to Count Albert Apponyi, veteran Hungarian leader, and former Hungarian premier. Count Apponyi, who is visiting Germany to deliver two addresses on Hungarian history, expressed his views in an interview given to a correspondent of The Associated Press, in which he discussed the general European situation

"We cannot expect," he said, " to see peace negotiations opened within the next few weeks, while the Roumanian campaign is still undecided. However, I regard our chances for success there as excellent and once Roumania is crushed I think the Entente powers will be willing to consider the question of peace. Roumania was the Entente's last card, and is proving a losing one. We are massing a big army against the Roumanians, and I think that the end will come shortly. Of course our progress on the Transylvania front is slow, owing to the great difficulties of the country and particularly to the deficiency in rearward communications. These communications are far poorer than in the west or even in Galicia and Russia. However, the entry of Roumania into the war has in many respects been really advantageous to us."

To illustrate what he regards as the improving chances for peace negotiations, Count Apponyi referred to recent speeches of statesmen in the opposing camps. Not Lloyd George, of course," he interpreted parenthically, but such as Lord Grey and Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg for example." He suggested a comparison between the utterances of these leaders a year ago and at present. "Then," he said, "their respective standpoints were as far apart as the poles, but now, although there are still wide differences; between them, they have most appreciably drawn nearer. The references to crushing Germany have been eliminated from the British pronouncements and the agitation for annexation is dwindling in

ed us civilly, and that he has departout even though one does not like a and prevention of the disease.

Will Treat German Officers Captured as Huns Do the

London, Nov. 15 .- A communication from the Russian war office as forwarded by Reuter's Petrograd correspondent, states that measures of reprisal are to be enforced against captured German officers. The communication says the German Governnent transferred a large number of Russian officers to a special concenration camp and subjected them to particularly severe treatment, owing to alleged ill-treatment of German prisoners in Russia. The Russian Government drew Germany's attention to what it characterized as the njustice of this measure, adding that f by November 14 this severe treatment was not done away with, all German officers held prisoner in Russia, would be subjected to a sim-

No reply having been received, the Russian war minister has ordered that all German prisoners of war, who have been treated as officers be placed in camps allotted to the ordinary was referred. dinary war prisoners. They will be deprived of all postal communica-tion with their country and of the services of their orderlies and allowed only the regulation rations of common soldiers.

To Educate Public to Dangers of Tuberculosis and Benefits of Sanitarium.

"Chancellor Von Bethmann-Holling in weg," he went on, "has pointed out in his latest speech that he has never demanded the annexation of Belgium. Such instances as these show, in my opinion, that there are no really insuperable obstacles to the opening of a discussion on future

A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Brant Sanitarium was held yesterday afternoon in the office of Secretary A. K. Bunnell. The principal matter discussed was the further subdivision of the malu building to provide more privacy for the patients than is now the case.

It was decided to communicate ally insuperable obstacles to the opening of a discussion on future peace. Of course, the kingdom of Poland must stand, but I believe poland must stand, but I believe body the advisability of instituting a body the advisability of instituting a

Russia can be brought to reconcile publicity campaign, in order that the "We feel, of course," he said, that President Wilson has not treated us civilly, and that he has departvantage might be taken of sanitarii ed from the way of strict neutrality, treatment in regard to the arrest person, that is no reason for rejecting his services when these may be useful."

"Once this war is finished" he "Once this war is finished," he said, "Europe will probably have st least twenty-five or thirty years of peace, until the generation which

departed from the stage. This should give time and opportunity to a wise and far-seeing diplomacy by which turbing element in the east."

Reply of Viscount Grey to American Blacklist Note

Gives Assurance That No Designs Against Neutral Trade Are Harbored, But Expresses Britain's Intention To Stand Firmly on Her Rights.

London, Nov. 15 .- The morning papers generally give no particular prominence to Viscount Grey's reply to the American blacklist note. The Daily Telegraph, however, comments editorially on the reply and says of the American note:

"We wonder whether a more striking example could be found of a manner in which interest and suspicion can cause reasonable persons to be blind to a plain consideration of principle and right. "The blacklist is based on a clear principle of national sover-

eignty. No fair minded American can dispute the justice of this assertion. But the Americans have not regarded the situation from this standpoint. Their eyes have been fixed on the principle that neutrals have the right to trade with any and all the belligerents, and they have not perceived that this right might necessarily be modified if a belligerent exercises his undoubted right to forbid his own nationals to trade with neutral firms.

"As to the American suspicion that the blacklist conceals a design to forward British trade at the expense of neutral commerce, we trust that Viscount Grey's strongly reiterated renunciation of any such design may quiet the suspicion.

"The reply is an expression of this country's intention to stand firmly upon rights which have always been recognized."

The Times sars: "The reasoning of this convinc document must satisfy the government and people of the United States that they have misunder stood the measure against which they thought it right to protest. Their note declared that these measures were inconsistent with the rights of neutrals. Viscount Grey joins issue upon this contention and proves that they do not impair neutral rights as the statute is a piece of purely municipal legislation. We have too high an opinion of American sense of Justice and law to suppose that our right, legal and moral, to adopt these measures can seriously be disputed once their true character is understood."

Britain Has Still Over 3,000,000 Civilians

Comparisons Drawn Between Resources of Entente and Central Powers-Germany Has Accomplished Wonders in Keeping Her Ar mies Re-inforced With Men.

favor of the Teutons. Then the Rou- ation of the interests of the indivitayor of the Teutons. Then the Rodanian machine speeded up.

to "Though Bucharest is a volatile city." said Mr. Ruhl, "it has now city." said Mr. Ruhl, "it has now compared system of substitutions of the interests of the individual to those of the state. The mili-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the quantity joung man and celebrated his nine-increases and improves the provi

off the Florida coast. While pressure remains very high in the Pacific. Snow has been general in the Maritime provinces, while it has occurred in Ontario and Quebec.

Jeff the Florida coast, while it has occurred favor of the Teutons. Then the Rou-favor of the Teutons and on farms, the forced labor of the population of the occupied territorsics and finally the trap she has bated to catch the Poles, all enable her to counting men over 41. We are in far a better position than Germany would have thought possible.

These successes are due to national discipline and complete subordination of the interests of the indivi-

Young Man of 84th Battalion Makes the Supreme Sacrifice.

Henry Richards, infantry, officially reported killed in action, Nov. 2,



Weather. 15 .- A depress-TO CHURCH TOMORROW!

ing better though transportation was continuing a difficult prob-Speaking of his Roumanian trip, Mr. Ruhl said that until recently Bucharest had been bombarded ev-Bucharest had been bombarded or high proportion of the German wound produce. Zeppelins, the city being poorly sup-led with anti-aircraft defences and on farms, the forced labor of the this effort, and to overmatch Ger-

lows on the question of the man safely credited with less than 4,500,-power of the allies and the Central 000 men in her field armies. On Germany's wise economy of her sures Germany is taking, she canno young contingents and her constant even now be reckoned to have less re-examination of the medically unfit and the refusal to consider the claims of the 'conscientious object-

success in restoring to the colors a and shell that all the countries car

course of taking a third from the London, Nov. 15.—(New York Sun cable)—The military correspondent of The Times writes as fell-field divisions and cannot now be ondent of The Times writes as fel- field divisions and cannot now be lines of communication, guards and reserves generally owing to the mea-

ors' and also of the civil service, her the field next year every man, gun.

"Zimmie" fresh north to west winds, light west winds, light local snow falls or flurries, but mostly fair and cold to-day and on Thurst day.

"Zimmie" fresh north to city." said Mr. Ruhl, "it has now sents a remarkable achievement. By a well organized system of substitution Germany is already able to take for her armies two batches of half a million men each and is in the beating against the country on all a million men each and is in the field with relatively slight losses. In their great loss.