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CABLE NEWS.

LOYD GEORGE PRAISES FOCH.
 LONDON, Aug. 7.

General Foch, by his counter-
 stroke, had driven the enemy back,
 and although the danger was not over,
 he would be a sanguine man on the
 German General Staff who would not
 predict that Germany could obtain a
 military victory, said Premier Lloyd
 George to-day. The Premier charac-
 terized General Foch's counter offen-
 sive as "the most brilliant in the
 war." The Germans, declared the
 Premier, had attempted their land of-
 fensive because the submarine offen-
 sive had failed. Mr. Lloyd George
 stated that during the month of July
 300,000 American troops had been
 brought over, 185,000 of them in
 British ships. Since August, 1914,
 including those already with the colors,
 Great Britain alone, said the Premier,
 had raised for the army and navy
 6,250,000, for the most part volunta-
 rily. The Dominions had contributed
 1,000,000 men, and India 1,250,000 men.
 One hundred and fifty German sub-
 marines had been destroyed, Mr.
 Lloyd George announced, more than
 half of them in the last year. The
 Premier was speaking in the House of
 Commons, making a statement on the
 war situation. Until the Allies were
 defeated at sea, Mr. Lloyd George de-
 clared, Germany could never triumph.
 Mr. Lloyd George, in alluding to the
 subject of peace, said that the people
 who had made the war were still in
 evidence, and they could not have
 peace so long as they were predom-
 inant in the councils of the enemy.
 Everyone wanted peace, the Premier
 added, but it must be a peace that was
 just and durable, one with power be-
 hind it. In a further reference to the
 fighting in France, the Premier de-
 clared it was too early to say the Ger-
 man effort has been exhausted. The
 Germans still had powerful forces in
 reserve, he pointed out, but it was
 not too early to say that the chance
 which they had had on March 21st
 would not again present itself. The
 American army, said the Premier,
 would soon be not far short of the
 German army itself. The House will
 adjourn to-morrow until October 15.

FRENCH GAINS.
 PARIS, Aug. 7. (Official.)

In the course of the fighting near
 the Vesle the French occupied the sta-
 tion of Ciry Salengny, just to the
 west of the head of the Vesle where
 it turns northward to join the Aisne.

REGAIN GROUND.
 LONDON, Aug. 7.

In an attack carried out this morn-
 ing southwest of Morlaucourt, the
 British regained the ground taken
 from them by the Germans yesterday
 along the Braycorbe road, north of
 the Somme.

CAPTURES OF MATERIAL.
 WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN
 FRANCE, Aug. 7. (By the A.P.)—

The army of General Barthelot, whose
 operations had a marked effect in
 bringing about the retreat of the
 Crown Prince across the Vesle by
 breaking down the eastern pivot of
 his line southwest of Rheims, effected
 heavy captures of material during the
 fighting in one wood alone three
 hundred thousand shells of heavy
 calibre were taken, in addition to im-
 mense quantities of other material.
 This army also captured several bat-
 teries of heavy and field guns, which
 are now being used against the en-
 emy. It's booty comprises likewise in
 addition to 373 machine guns, hun-
 dreds of light trench mortars. The
 army's bag of prisoners exceeded 2,000.

**GERMANS WILL NOT REMAIN ON
 THE DEFENSIVE.**
 AMSTERDAM, Aug. 7.

While the Germans have suffered
 an unpleasant interruption, they will
 not for long remain on the defensive,
 says General Von Ardenne, the mili-
 tary critic of the Berlin Tagblatt. A
 contributing factor in the revival of
 the offensive, he says, is that the ar-
 mies between the Aisne and the
 Marne were able to carry out their
 operations with their own reserves,
 without being obliged to draw upon
 the other reserves, the unrestricted
 possession of which secures the initia-
 tive to the German Supreme Command.
 Capt. Von Salzman, the military critic
 of the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin,
 takes the view that German opera-
 tions south of the Aisne are approach-
 ing a termination, and the great ad-
 vance on the Marne has come defini-
 tely to an end. He pictures the Ger-
 man forces as retiring into a strong-
 hold, whose gates are slowly closing.
 The new front upon which Capt. Von
 Salzman expects the Germans to stand
 and which he believes will be shortly
 held, runs from southwest of Rheims
 along the Vesle River, past Conde,
 and joining the old German front line
 north of the Aisne.

LAND AT VLADIVOSTOK.
 SHANGHAI, Aug. 3.

British troops landed at Vladiv-
 ostok at dawn to-day, says a despatch
 from that city. They received a
 friendly reception.

AMERICAN LIGHTSHIP SUNK.
 WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.

The Diamond Shoal Lightship off
 Cape Hatteras, was shelled and sunk
 by an enemy submarine late yester-
 day, the Navy Department was to-
 day informed. The crew, who took to
 their boats, have reached shore safely.
 The submarine came within half a
 mile of shore, according to the brief
 report which reached the State De-
 partment. The Diamond Shoal Light
 Station is one of the most famous
 guides to navigation in the world, and
 has been the subject of many a story
 in verse and prose. Such vessels usu-
 ally are manned by greybeards and
 are of such a type as to be utterly
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GERMAN SAILORS REVOLT.
 LONDON, Aug. 7.

Rumors of a revolt by German
 sailors at Wilhelmshaven, in protest
 against continuation of submarine
 warfare, are in circulation, according
 to a despatch to the Express from
 Amsterdam. It is reported that pro-
 pagandists among the men, incited
 sailors about to leave on submarine
 cruises to attack their officers and
 surrender to sink them and get them-
 selves interned in neutral ports. More
 than fifty submarines are said to have
 disappeared. Twenty-three leaders
 of the revolt are reported to have
 been arrested and sentenced to death.
 Many others have been arrested at
 Kiel and elsewhere, it is added. The
 correspondent who sent the report ad-
 mits the stories are conflicting and
 the facts difficult to ascertain. The
 account state, are revolutionary sailors,
 who for some time past have been
 conducting a propaganda with the
 object of stopping the submarine war
 because of the increased danger. The
 recent resignation of Admiral Von
 Holtzendorff as Chief of the Naval
 Staff, is declared to have been con-
 nected with the scandal. Emperor
 William, it is added, has abandoned
 an intended visit to the fleet at Wil-
 helmshaven this week, because of the
 ferment there.

DISASTROUS HURRICANE.
 LAFAYETTE, La., Aug. 7.

A telephone message received here
 early to-day, from Lake Charles, La.,

RUSSIAN FORCES MOVING.
 HARBIN, Manchuria, Saturday,

Aug. 3. (By the A.P.)—General Sem-
 enoff, leader of the anti-Bolshevik
 forces in Siberia, has withdrawn some-
 what on the trans-Siberian line to-
 wards Vladivostok, his corps now
 being between Krailar and Manchur-
 ia station in Manchuria, near the
 trans-Baltic border. They are await-
 ing the arrival of the Czechoslo-
 vaks, who appear to be making great satis-
 faction with the co-operation of General
 Semenov and that of General Kal-
 ninnoff, which they believe gives as-
 surance of large Cossack reinforce-
 ments when once an advance is be-
 gun. Austro-German reinforcements
 are reported arriving on the Manchur-
 ian and Nikolai fronts. Magyar cav-
 alry is especially active, but the pros-
 pects of active co-operation against
 the Germans is uniting the Russians.

WANTS ECONOMIC PEACE.
 ZURICH, Aug. 7.

(Havas Agency)—Albert Ballu
 and Herr Holzendorff, directors of the
 Hamburg-American steamship line,
 have resigned as members of the Ger-
 man economic council, says a des-
 patch received here from Hamburg.
 At a meeting held in Berlin on July
 26th, leading members of the German
 economic council proposed that there
 should be co-operation in the re-
 establishment of commerce. It was
 declared also that Germany should
 enforce an economic peace in Europe.
 The council, it was proposed, would
 drop politics in trade. It was re-
 ported that Herr Ballu had been made
 a member of the preliminary commit-
 tee.

DYNAMITE FACTORY BLOWN UP.
 ALTON, Ill., Aug. 7.

The Gratton dynamite factory blew
 up this morning, and at least three
 men are dead.

NEW APPOINTMENT.
 WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.

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- Heinz's Tomato Soup.
- McCormick's Biscuits.
- Shelled Walnuts—fresh.
- McLaren's Cheese.
- Bacon in Glass.
- Black Cherries in tins
- (Libby's).
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- CALIFORNIA ORANGES,
- 216's and 176's.
- Tomatoes, 3 lb. tin... 30c.
- Roll'd Oats... 8c. lb.
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- 5 cs. Fresh Country Eggs.
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said that the loss in that city from a
 hurricane last night will exceed a mil-
 lion dollars. The wind velocity reach-
 ed 150 miles an hour, and continued
 for nearly fifteen minutes at that
 speed. A message received from De
 Quincy, sixty miles north of Lake
 Charles, says six persons have been
 killed in the storm.

BRITISH CASUALTIES.
 LONDON, Aug. 7.

The British casualties reported in
 the week ended to-day totalled 8,886,
 compared with an aggregate of 13,
 833 reported in the previous week.
 These are divided as follows: Killed
 or died of wounds, officers 106, men
 1,609, wounded or missing, officers
 374, men 7,778.

CROSS THE VESLE.
 PARIS, Aug. 7.

American and French troops have
 crossed the Vesle, east of Braine, and
 held their positions, notwithstanding
 furious counter attacks by the Ger-
 mans, says the French official com-
 munication issued to-night. North of
 Rheims the French have pushed back
 the German line more than 400 yards.

SAYS GERMANS MISINFORMED.
 AMSTERDAM, Aug. 7.

In the August issue of the Prus-
 sian Jahrbuch, Professor Delbrueck
 utters another of his periodical gentle
 complaints that the German people
 are being sadly misinformed on the
 intrinsic truth about America's part-
 icipation in the war. He goes so far
 as to say that the German people are
 being led by the nose, and willingly
 so, by a large section of the press,
 which is continually hammering on
 the fallacies that America entered the
 war to save her investments, or to
 arm against Japan, or merely be-
 cause "blood is thicker than water."
 Professor Delbrueck argues that Amer-
 ica and Germany are virtually
 agreed on one of the most important
 issues in the war, namely, the free-
 dom of the seas, as shown by Imperial
 Chancellor Hertling's acceptance of
 February 25, of President Wilson's
 "four principles" enunciated on Feb-
 ruary 11th. "Why, then," he asks, "do we
 not have peace negotiations begun?"
 He supplies the answer by saying,
 "because the others do not want
 peace." True, but why don't they?
 America is far on the road toward an
 agreement on peace with us, and
 England realizes that even if the for-
 tunes of war turn in her favor, the
 pre-eminant sea power for which
 she is fighting is dwindling away. He
 suggests somewhat timidly, "Are the
 others alone to blame, or is not our
 own policy somewhat at fault for the
 fact that we cannot get together to
 talk about peace?"

**FIELD, CREW SUNK BY SUB, AND
 SCHW BOBBED.**

A CANADIAN ATLANTIC PORT,
 Aug. 6.—The Nfld. two-masted schr.
 Gladys J. Hollett was sunk by an en-
 emy submarine fifteen miles south-
 east of Ironbound Island, LaHave. The
 crew landed at LaHave, N.S.

**PREMONT, CALIF., HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO
 COMMAND AMERICAN TROOPS ORDERED TO
 SIBERIA, GENERAL MARCH, CHIEF OF STAFF,
 ANNOUNCED TO-DAY. NO COMMANDER FOR
 THE JOINT ALLIED FORCES IN SIBERIA, HAS
 AS YET BEEN ELECTED, GENERAL MARCH
 SAID, NOR THE NECESSARY AGREEMENT FOR
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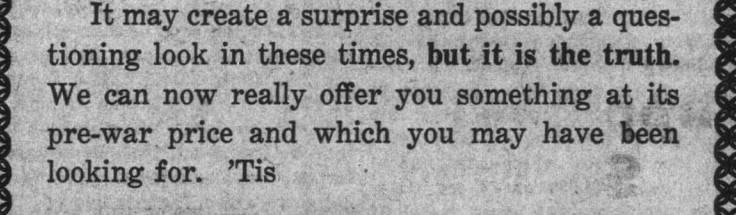
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