

FOE RETREAT STILL CONTINUES

Nature of Ground Favors German Forces in Retirement Allies Maintain Forward Pressure Everywhere

Enemy Resistance is Still Determined, but Irresistible Pressure of Allied Forces is Unchecked Along Entire Front; Fere-en-Tardenois is in Allied Hands

By Courier Leased Wire.

LONDON, July 29.—The German retreat is being conducted skillfully, the ground has favored them, and the dense woods have enabled them to hold up many thousands of advancing troops with a few small groups of machine guns, says the Reuter correspondent with the American troops in France.

CONTINUED ON SUNDAY

With the French Army in France, July 29.—By The Associated Press.—Morning.—The forward pressure of the Allies was continued interruptedly throughout Sunday. On Saturday the progress of the Allied forces was extremely rapid with slight opposition from the retreating enemy, but yesterday the Germans everywhere demonstrated that their power of determined resistance was still very strong.

SEVERE STREET FIGHTING

In the streets of Fere-en-Tardenois, there was very severe hand-to-hand fighting, but the Allies eventually obtained the upper hand.

Late last night, fighting was still in progress for the mastery of Hill En-Tardenois, the Germans strong point on the southeasterly side of the salient, but the Allies were gradually gaining the ascendancy here. They are established in the southern portion of the town, having beaten off all efforts of the Germans to dislodge them.

LINE IS STRAIGHT

With the American Army on the Marne-Aisne Front, July 29.—From Rheims, the line now extends almost straight southwest of Oilly-et-Violaine. The forest of Ris is now behind the Allies, and they are holding Champvost, to the northeast of the Forest. In this region the Germans have the higher ground, and have some advantage in the artillery duel.

AUSTRALIANS ACTIVE

LONDON, July 29.—Two lines of German trenches on a two-mile front astride the Bray-Corbic road, east of Amiens, have been captured by Australian troops, the War Office announced today.

The Australians took 100 prisoners. FRENCH OFFICIAL.

Paris, July 29.—In the fighting north of the Marne yesterday 400 prisoners were captured, says the official statement from the War Office today. There was no change in the situation during the night.

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BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, July 28.—"On the British front there is nothing of special interest to report," says the official statement from the British War Office tonight.

AIR OPERATIONS.

LONDON, July 28.—The official statement on air operations issued to-night reads: "On the 26th and 27th low clouds and rain prevented flying by day. During the night bombs were dropped on hostile billets in the vicinity of Bapaume."

LONDON, July 29.—Since yesterday the Allies have advanced between two and three miles on a twenty mile front. The enemy has definitely abandoned the line of the Ourcq and there is little doubt now that he will go back beyond the Vesle to the line thirty miles long between Soissons and Rheims, which is probably well entrenched and has good lines of communication.

The German retirement has been quite orderly and deliberate. Washington, July 29.—The crossing of the Ourcq by the Americans in their continued pursuit of the enemy north of the Marne was reported in General Pershing's communication for yesterday, received to-day.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, July 29.—Since Saturday morning, rain has fallen heavily over Saskatchewan and Manitoba, and locally in southern Alberta, while thunderstorms have occurred very locally from Ontario to Maritime provinces.

ROBBERIES IN MONTREAL.

By Courier Leased Wire. Montreal July 28.—The limit in Friday daylight robbery was reached during afternoon, when a horse and wagon belonging to the Canadian Northern Express Company with \$500 worth of freight aboard, was stolen within a few feet of the traffic policeman at the corner of Bleury and Craig Streets.

GRAIN HARVEST GOOD.

By Courier Leased Wire. Newmarket July 28.—The harvest of barley and Fall wheat started in this section during the latter part of last week, and though the straw yield is light grain is well filled and a good yield per acre is looked for.

MUST PROVE HE IS MARRIED.

Stratford, July 28.—Failure to carry the necessary papers to prove that he was not liable for service within Class A of the M.S.A. brought William L. Orr, a traveller from Toronto, a \$10 fine in the Police Court this morning. He carried a registration certificate. He told the court that he was a married man and was 33 years of age. He will have until Monday to procure satisfactory proof to the court that such is the case.

NINE VIOLENT DEATHS.

Montreal, July 29.—Nine violent deaths were reported in Montreal district over the week-end, including a double drowning, 3 other bathing fatalities and 5 victims of an auto smash-up.

CHOLERA IN PETROGRAD.

By Courier Leased Wire. London, July 28.—In the past 24 hours 111 cases and 33 suspected cases of Asiatic cholera have been officially reported in Petrograd, says a Russian Government wireless despatch.

MORE THAN HALF OF POCKET BETWEEN MARNE AND VESLE CLEARED OF GERMANS

CALL ON PUBLIC TO CLOTHE ARMY Every German Citizen Must Surrender at Least One Suit

By Courier Leased Wire. Amsterdam, July 29.—The German government has given final notice to the public to give up voluntarily at least one suit of clothes each to the war workers and the army. Failure to meet the demand will result in forcible requisition and delinquents will be liable to imprisonment for one year and a fine not exceeding 10,000 marks.

With very few exceptions none of the German communities has yielded its assessment of worn clothes to meet up the aggregate of the one million suits required.

BATTLE OF THE WOOD ENDS IN ALLIED FAVOR

Enemy Has Been Swept From Forest of Fare and Risis

FIGHTING CONTINUES Germans Concealed Boats Beneath Surface of Marne

With the American Army on the Aisne-Marne Front, July 29.—(By The Associated Press.)—The battle of the woods has ended, and the Germans have been swept from the forest of Fere and Risis.

The edge of the German salient to the southeast of Fere-en-Tardenois was broken down by the Allied troops and dented to such an extent that German weakness was indicated at many points.

In the battle of the woods, the stiff kind of resistance was encountered. Here the Franco-American troops were compelled to contend constantly with a rear guard action, consisting of machine guns, most of whom, dressed in green, hid in the forest.

As the situation now stands the Germans must be considered to have suffered defeat north of the Marne but it is not a Sedan.

While the Germans have been busy getting their forces back out of the bag between Soissons and Rheims, their forces further north have been attacked by the British once more. Australian troops, attacking on each side of the Bray-Corbic road, East of Amiens and north of the Somme river, took two lines of German trenches over a two mile front, capturing 100 prisoners.

Canadian troops also took prisoners in two successful raids last night south and north of Cavrelle.

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A disease of potato leaves is in evidence in some fields in the district its effect being the curling of the leaves and their turning black in some instances. The farmers are spraying with bordeaux mixture with the hope of controlling the disease.

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And Allies are Driving Enemy Still Further North; Important Gains Made by French, Americans and British Forces on South and East

By The Associated Press.

More than half of the pocket between the Marne and Vesle rivers has been cleared of Germans, and the Allies are driving the enemy still farther north.

Important gains are being made by the French and Americans on the south, and the French and British on the east. The German retirement which, covered by heavy rear guard actions, has been well conducted. Pressure on the western and eastern sides south of Soissons, and southwest of Rheims, respectively, has been withstood, and the mouth of the pocket is still large enough to enable the greater part of the enemy force to reach the Vesle.

Fere-en-Tardenois, the great German base, has fallen, and Ville-en-Tardenois, east of Fere, is within the grasp of the advancing Allies. Almost all of the Dormans-Rheims road again is in Allied hands, and the Germans apparently are preparing to fall back to the Vesle if not to the Aisne.

No great captures of prisoners have been reported. The Germans are using artillery and machine guns to stay the Allies. As the French and Americans, who have advanced most rapidly, press northward, the German resistance has become stiffer. The enemy also is making great use of his artillery on the heights north of Soissons and Rheims, and is subjecting the sides of the pocket to a great degree.

North of Oulchy and north of Bligny; the Germans have maintained their positions stoutly. Sergy, held by the Americans, represents an advance of 18 miles from Chateau-Thierry in ten days.

While the enemy loss in men may not be great, the Allies probably will capture many guns and machine guns in addition to supplies and munitions which the Germans have been unable to destroy or move away. Allied losses have been kept at a minimum by the most extensive use of tanks. Cavalry again has taken a hand in the pursuit and low flying airplanes have been harassing the retreating Germans unceasingly.

Berlin speaks of "new positions" but does not indicate where they are. The German command may elect to make a stand on strongly prepared positions south of the Vesle. Observers think the Vesle will mark the retirement northward, but the river is shallow and runs northwest. The Aisne, however, runs east and west between Soissons and Rheims and with the heights of the Chemin-Des-Dames behind it would offer just as strong a defensive position.

In its statement, Berlin makes no admission of Allied advances. Reporting on Sunday's operations it says that the day was quiet except for fighting on the Ourcq.

There has been heavy local fighting in the Heiligt region between Rheims and Soissons, east of the Marne battlefield, but General Gouraud has held to his recent gains, smashed German attacks. Prisoners captured here by the French are reported unofficially to total 1,500.

Raids have taken place on the British front, the British being the successful aggressors. Two lines of German trenches on a two-mile front on the Bray-Corbic road, east of Amiens, have been taken by Australian troops, along with 100 prisoners.

Official denial is made that Field Marshal von Hindenburg either is dead or in poor health. His health is reported to be excellent.

RETREAT CONTINUING ALONG ENTIRE FRONT

Allies Close in Pursuit in Soissons-Rheims Salient—The French Progress is Impeded But Not Stopped

By Courier Leased Wire.

Paris, July 29.—Under the irresistible pressure of the Allied troops the enemy's retreat continued yesterday at the front. The average advance of the Allies during the day was from three to five kilometers. It is as yet impossible to determine the limit of the retreat.

On the left of the Allied line the Germans made great efforts to hold up the army under General deGoutte, blowing up bridges and foot-bridges leading to Fere-en-Tardenois and contending for every foot of territory. The enemy's stubbornness was useless and the Allies entered the town by the west and south and are holding their positions.

Further toward Rheims the Allies continued to advance toward Ville-en-Tardenois, into which their vanguards have now penetrated.

By Courier Leased Wire.

LONDON, July 29.—The German retreat is continuing along the whole line, the Allies slowly in pursuit, according to news from the fighting area in the Soissons-Rheims salient received up to noon.

The Germans have succeeded in checking to a certain extent, but not in stopping, the French advance.

DEMAND PEACE WITHOUT ANY ANNEXATION

Resolution Favoring Immediate Peace Offered in Austrian Lower House

FROM CZECH LEAGUE

Continuation of War Declared Useless From Any Standpoint

By Courier Leased Wire.

Amsterdam, July 29.—A resolution declaring in favor of an immediate peace without annexations was offered in the Austrian Lower House Saturday by Deputy Stasek on behalf of the Czech League. The resolution declared a continuation of the war "indefinite from the standpoint of both humanity and political utility. It asserted that all peoples should have the right to self-determination and asked that it demand that Austria-Hungary should find some means of gaining peace."

Deputy Stasek said the Czech people would become great and strong despite the persecutions of a narrow minded Government. Czechs never before were so united. They are united in firm will, he added, and never again will have a foreign yoke. The Czechoslovak state was a fact which could not be averted.

WORK IS RESUMED

Strike of Munition Makers Ends in Coventry and Birmingham

TROUBLE IS AVERTED

By Courier Leased Wire. Coventry, July 29.—At a mass meeting to-day the strikers in the munition plants decided to resume work immediately.

The meeting passed a resolution accepting the Government's offer of a committee of inquiry and agreeing "to resume work forthwith that the committee will sit immediately and will include representatives of their union; also that the Government will withhold its threatened action regarding calling up notices and that no victimization of individuals takes place."

Birmingham, July 29.—Acting on a resolution passed by their colleagues yesterday, the strikers in munition works here resumed this morning to their employment. Although their hostility to the embargo is unabated they returned to work. It is expected the action taken by the workers in Coventry and Birmingham will have a soothing effect in other districts where the men have been threatening to lay down their tools.

1,250,000 BUDDIES OVER

By Courier Leased Wire. Washington, July 28.—The number of American soldiers transported overseas during July is expected to reach a record of 300,000. Secretary of War Baker and General March, chief of staff, told the members of the Senate Military Committee with the shipment of men last week the total number of American troops embarking for France was 1,250,000.

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