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BRITISH

London, Sept. 29.—General French reports severe fighting around and north of Loos, and further progress south of Loos.

BRITISH PURSUE FLEEING TURKS IN MESOPOTAMIA

Two Brigades Cross the Tigris and Fall on Turks AT DEAD OF NIGHT

Carrying the Whole Position—Turkish Losses Very Great—British Casualties Under Five Hundred

ITALIAN

Rome (Official)—In Tolmino zone the enemy pressed harder and harder on Santa Marie heights, attempted during the night of the 27, and 28, and during the night of 28 and 29, surging his attack on our positions but was repulsed on each occasion.

Emperor William On Western Front

New York, Sept. 29.—A special cable to the New York World from Paris says:—The Kaiser reached the Western front, coming through Luxembourg at breakfast speed in a special train, on Monday afternoon, and has been in continuous consultation with the Crown Prince and other generals.

The New Loan Half a Million Making Progress

New York, Sept. 29.—Representatives of many banking and investment houses met to-day at the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co., to formulate a definite programme for placing on the American market the five hundred million joint Anglo-French five-year bonds soon to be issued to secure a credit loan for Britain and France.

Currants Excluded From the Operation Of New Tariff

London, Sept. 29.—The Commons approved to-day the resolutions fixing import duties on tea, coffee, cocoa, sugar and dried fruits. The higher rates proposed in the Budget by Chancellor McKenna, on currants, are excluded from the dried fruit schedule, the Government having discovered the existence of a treaty with Greece, which necessitates that a year's notice must be given before the duty can be increased.

French Continue Fierce Assaults Against the Germans

Paris, Sept. 29.—Continuous fighting has been in progress all day between Souchez and Vimy, where the Allied forces have maintained all their positions, according to an official communication issued by the French War Office to-night.

HEAVIEST FIGHT OF CAMPAIGN NOW BEING WAGED BY BRITISH FORCES ATTACKING 3RD LINE GER. DEFENSES

Enemy Bringing Up Large Reinforcements from Eastern Front to Check the Onslaught—French Forces Reach Hill 140 Dominating German Line Communications—Field-Marshal Von Hindenburg is Striking Hard at Russian Positions, Delivering Heavy Attacks Against Dvinsk—Austro-German Army 300,000 Strong Assembling for Move Against Serbia.

London, Sept. 30.—The Allies' great offensive in Artois and Champagne is still being persevered in, according to French accounts, which, however, are contradicted by German official reports. In the Artois, the French claim to have reached Hill No. 140, which lies directly east of Vimy, which is the culminating point of the crests named after that town.

Recruiting Officers Are Busy Among American Sailors

London, Sept. 29.—There have been so many cases of recruiting sergeants inducing American members of the crews of cattle boats and other craft to join the British Army, that Robert Skinner, the American Consul General, has effected arrangements with the Board of Trade, by which such men, who report of their enlistment, shall be promptly released. The American Embassy, of late, has turned all cases over to Consul General Skinner, who now has a number of them under consideration. The facts in all the cases are similar. The men, arriving in England, are met on board ship by recruiting agents. The British Government does not favor the practice, and is doing all it can to break it up.

British Officer Reported as Making Significant Statement

Athens, Sept. 29.—"I believe we are on the eve of the most important operations of the war, namely, the landing of troops in Macedonia to begin a march, not so much on Constantinople as on Berlin," said an officer attached to the General Staff of the British Army on the Gallipoli Peninsula, who has come to Athens from the Dardanelles front. "The two offensive forces are gradually closing in. The Mesopotamia expedition is approaching nearer to Bagdad, and the Suvla Bay-Gaba Tepe line, an attack on Constantinople may begin at any moment."

Budapest Reports Landing of Troops Near Salonika

Berlin, Sept. 29.—British and French troops, intended for service in Serbia, have been landed at Port Katherine, near Salonika, Greece, according to reports from Budapest.

Expected Bulgaria Will Soon Attack Serbian Neighbor

Paris, Sept. 29.—The Athens correspondent of the Havas Agency says that it is now expected that Bulgaria will begin an attack on Serbia within fifteen days.

NOTHING COULD CHECK IMPETUOUS CHARGE OF NEW BATTALIONS

Correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Sends Particulars OF BIG FIGHT

Which he Says is Most Glorious Page in all England's Martial History

London, Sept. 30.—The correspondent of Reuter's Telegram sends the following despatch from British headquarters under date of Tuesday describing the fighting during the great offensive of the allies on the Western front.

Serbia Is Soon To Be Theatre Of Terrible Struggle

Paris, Sept. 30.—Diplomatic information received from Vienna says a despatch to the Havas Agency from Athens is to the effect that French and German troops are being hurried to the Serbian frontier. General Von Falkenhayn, Chief of Staff of the German army has visited the front.

Says Bulgaria May Enter the War Middle of October

Paris, Sept. 29.—Bulgaria and the Central Powers have concluded a precise agreement, according to information, says a correspondent in Salonika, Greece, of the Temps. Under this agreement Bulgaria will enter the war on October 15th.

Bulgarian Students Leaving Berlin

Berlin, Sept. 29.—A special train filled with Bulgarian students, left Berlin yesterday, to join the Bulgarian army. The Premier's son will leave to-night.

Tornado Sweeps Over New Orleans And Gulf Ports

House Swept Away and Many Lives Have Been Lost in Greatest Storm

Mobile Alabama, Sept. 30.—New Orleans, Mississippi Gulf coast to-night is swept by a tropical hurricane. Demoralized communication has led to the fears of heavy loss of life and property. The Mississippi River at Leveas, below New Orleans, has broken its banks, houses have been washed away and lives have been lost in that section.

Captain Barbour Gets Ship

We learn by the Prospero that Capt Baxter Barbour has recently been appointed to the command of a large ship, which arrived at Sydney from the Great Lakes last week. She is a vessel of over 2000 tons and goes to England soon. Capt. Barbour who only got a master's certificate at Halifax a few days ago arrived here today to get a crew and engineers. We congratulate him.

Authorities Hold American Cargoes In British Ports

London, Sept. 29.—The Danish steamer California, from New York on August 31st for Christiania, with general cargo, has been detained by the British authorities at Leith. The Swedish steamer Helsingborg, from Port Arthur, Texas, on Aug. 28, for Denmark with a cargo of cotton, has been detained at Kirkwall.

Police Court News

Judge Morris presided to-day. An Australian stoker, a Scotch seaman and a "bushborn," all drunk, were discharged. A professional man was summoned for having no tail light on his auto. The case was withdrawn for want of evidence. Two boys who were up for indecent exposure were each fined \$1 or 3 days.

Here From Iceland

The Danish tern schr. Julianna, Capt. Christensen, arrived here today for orders after a run of 43 days from Iceland. She is in ballast and had W. and N.W. winds with very stormy weather since leaving. The vessel came out to Iceland coal laden from Scotland.

"Prospero" Here

The S. S. Prospero arrived here from Sydney to-day with bunker coal. She arrived there Sunday night and had a terrible time of it in the storm of that day. A N.W. hurricane blew with a very high sea, and she was 54 hours on the run from St. John's to Sydney. She left at 5 p.m. Tuesday and made the run here in 33 hours.

German Offensive Against the Russians Regarded Seriously

London, Sept. 30.—Reviewing the situation the Petrograd correspondent of the "Times" says:—"According to the prevailing opinion in Russian military circles, Field Marshal von Hindenburg, regarding the menace to Germany's Western front, has brought up fresh forces at Osmania and is preparing another blow at the Russian right wing in order to clear the route of relief for the Muscovite Baronvitschi army. For this reason the correspondent says the General Staff emphasizes the importance of the line drawn from Vileika to Inverets, thirty-five miles from Minsk, as Von Hindenburg's real objective.

Proclamation Has Had a Decided Effect

Petrograd, Sept. 30.—A proclamation issued by the Perfect of Moscow expects the inhabitants of that city to avoid a repetition of the regrettable incidents of the last two days, when five persons were killed and a number wounded as a result of unwarranted interference with the police. The Perfect also requests the people not to gather in crowds, saying that Russians await opportunities to begin disorders wherever people assemble, however casually. The Proclamation has had the desired effect. It is universally admitted the disorders began without the police in any way being to blame, also there was no political design connected with them.

Man Severely Hurt

Last evening while an up-town teamster was putting some of the heavy pipe, being used by the Council in the streets, on his car he gave himself a very bad strain. Coming to Mr. W. F. Wadden's pharmacy, he bled copiously from the head, and after a short while fell to the floor from weakness. He was given restoratives, but as the blood flow did not cease he was taken to Dr. O'Connell's surgery for treatment. The strain of lifting injured some of the blood vessels and the man lost a deal of the life current.

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