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GREAT PROGRESS LAST NIGHT BY BELGIANS AND BRITISH.

London, Oct. 1. Continued progress along the whole front in Belgium yesterday is recorded. The statement says that two strong towns have been carried and Belgian troops have crossed the Zaren-Roulers and the Roulers, Menin roads at several points. British last night continued their reports closing in movement of Cambrai. They captured Proviville to the west of the city and Tilly close by on the north west, Field Marshal Haig, announced in his official report today.

AMERICANS IN A HOT BATTLE WITH FRESH GERMAN DIVISIONS.

London, Oct. 1. German Reserves are being rushed into the battle between the Argonne forest and the Meuse river where the Americans are engaged. A new German Division, has been identified the fighting and the enemy is offering the fiercest resistance. He apparently decided to make a stand on the Kriem Hill line. At the moment the telegram was written the Americans were fighting what almost resembled a pitched battle amid the ravine woods and heights along that sector of the front.

WHISTLING TO KEEP UP HIS COURAGE.

London, Sept. 20. Emperor William according to report has sent the following telegram to the Westphalian Patriotic Secretary: "Germany is decided to utilize all force to fight this enforced defensive war until a victorious end is secured and the Fatherland protected for all time against foreign opposition. A glance at the magnificent successes of our heroic sons and their general leaders ought to protect the German people, and even in changeable fortunes of war against unworthy discouragement and unwarranted doubt."

PUT FERDINAND OFF THE BULGARIAN THRONE.

London, Sept. 30. London Times, says Allies must watch Ferdinand of Bulgaria; and he must be sternly dealt with, as he is not to be trusted. He personally is responsible for plunging Bulgaria into this war. He is the embodiment of all that is bad in militarism and autocracy.

ST. QUENTIN IN FLAMES.

Paris, Oct. 2. St. Quentin is burning at several points, according to Premier Clemenceau, and French aviators have great difficulty in flying over this territory because of the smoke rising from it.

BRITISH CLOSE IN ON CAMBRAI

Paris, Oct. 2. Cambrai has been mined, but the British forces have fought around the town and thus have foiled the plans of the enemy. The Germans decided on September 1st to burn Cambrai and to force the civilian population to leave.

AMERICANS AND AUSTRIANS IN HOT QUARTERS NEAR ST. QUENTIN.

Paris, Oct. 1. With the American Army St. Quentin, Oct. 1. Some hundreds of Americans, in an advanced position, between Cambrai and St. Quentin, which they held last Sunday were holding out gallantly against superior enemy numbers, according to latest reports which were received yesterday. The Austrians made heroic attempts to assist them, but so far as can be learned, are still keeping up these efforts, the result of which is not known. Furious fighting continues here.

GREKS WERE STILL FIGHTING WHEN "CASE FIRE" SOUND-ED

Saloniki, Oct. 1. The following statement was issued by the Greek headquarters here last night: "Greek troops have continued their advance in pursuit of the enemy. In the region to the north of Veles they have occupied the heights of the slopes dominating the city."

Allied headquarters the following statement was issued, "By the agreement of the convention signed at Venos, on Sept. 28, hostilities against the Bulgarians ceased at noon."

HUNS BATTLE TACTICS DEFEATED BY YANKEE BOYS.

With the American Army North west of Verdun, Oct. 1. The enemy is organizing an increasing bitter defence, utilizing every available means to hold back the American troops. North and northeast of the village shell holes have been fortified for a distance of nearly a mile. On the left a new enemy Division has been thrown into the fighting and heavy counter-attack followed its appearance, which could not be checked for several hours. When the check did come it was disastrous for the enemy for he had pushed forward this Division rather than those adjoining and it was soon annihilated.

WHOLE GERMAN SYSTEM OF DEFENCE IN THE WEST IS SHAKEN—LILLE WILL BE ABANDONED.

Paris, Oct. 2. St. Quentin, is taken and the corner stone of the Hindenburg system has fallen. Thanks to the prodigious and unrelenting efforts of the armies of General Debeny and General Rawlinson, under the general direction of General Fayolle, the fine soldier who commands the group of armies in that sector, it is a most resounding triumph. But is not the only place where victory smiled upon the Allied arms.

Belgian forces, strongly opposed, are making headway toward Roulers, and Menin. The Germans are preparing to evacuate the Lille region.

British armies around Cambrai are successfully fighting one of the fiercest battles of the war. General Berthelot is driving the enemy back between Rheims and the Aisne, and General Gouraud has reached Charlerange, the important railway centre at the western opening of Grand Pre Gap.

St. Quentin's fall shakes the whole German system. Its effect will be widespread.

ANOTHER HUN MINISTER RESIGNS.

London, Sept. 30. Friedrich Von Payer, German Imperial Vice-Chancellor, has resigned according to an Associated Press dispatch from the Central News.

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