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WITHDRAWING TROOPS FROM WEST TO EAST

This is General Interpretation of Important Movement of Troops in Last few Days
COSSACKS ARE NOW AT GATE

BETTER FOR UNITED STATES IF ALLIES ARE VICTORIOUS

Prof. Roland G. Usher, Author of Pan-Germanism, Thinks There is Less Chance of Britain Interfering With U. S. Trade Than There is of German Hostility.

COMMUNICATION LINES CONTROLLED BY LILLE

While not Direct Object of Allies' Attacks Menaced by Success at La Basse
THIS THE WEAKEST POINT

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WAR SUMMARY
Russian cavalry forces have crossed frontier of Poland into Germany near Pleasenon.

WAGGON UPSETS, GIN IS DUMPED IN ST. LAWRENCE

Two Horses Were so Seriously Injured They Had to be Shot and Many Cases of Gin Wreck Dumped in the River, When Horses Took Flight.

Times Expert Says Germans are Straining Every Nerve to Secure Decision in West, Which is no Longer Within Range of Possibility - German Losses Out of Proportion to Those of Allies.

St. Louis, November 8. - Prof. Roland G. Usher, author of "Pan-Germanism," says that it is in the interest of the United States that the allies win in the present European war.

Lille Represents the Apex of the Triangle, Two Sides of Which are Formed by the Enemy Forces - Naval Assistance Less Effective Now.

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ST. REGIS IN LIQUIDATION. The St. Regis Hotel Company, Limited, has assigned. This action was taken this morning on the demand of Messrs. Boivin, Wilson and Co.

The Times' military expert, in emphasizing the importance of the progress of the Russians, says: "The Cossack is at least at the gate of Silesia, and it is straining German resources to the breaking point to continue the pretence of seeking in the west for a decision that is no longer within reasonable hope."

Either England or Germany, whichever wins the war, can do this. But England, which already controls the ocean, and which could have stopped our South American trade in the past, has not done so, affording a presumption that she will not do so in the future.

From the Alsace to the Belgian border their communications run in a slightly northerly direction; passing round Mons they turn off abruptly to the east, almost at right angles, across Belgium to the German frontier.

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WHITBY DEBENTURE ISSUE. Whitby, Ont., November 8. - The issue of \$80,000 six per cent. debentures on account of this season's sewer construction has been authorized by the Whitby Council.

Important engagements are being fought on the Plains of Lens in Artois, Pas De Calais, the Germans especially attacking the village of Cambirin. The village is on the road from La Basse to Bethune.

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BATTling in the Fog. Paris, November 9. - The official statement says: "On our left wing the Germans have taken a new offensive against Dixmude and in the direction of Ypres particularly to the southeast of the latter town. Their attacks were repulsed everywhere by the end of the day."

OLD DOMINION COPPER. Boston, November 8. - The Old Dominion Copper Company in October produced 1,616,000 pounds of copper. Compared with 2,037,000 in October, 1913. For ten months, 26,814,000 against 26,030,000 a year ago.

Close Pursuing the retreating Germans, Russian troops have invaded Germany. Along the entire line from Galicia to East Prussia the Russians report important successes, which have assumed the proportions of disasters to the Germans.

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PROTESTS COPPER EMBARGO. Butte, Mont., November 8. - Chambers of Commerce of Butte and Anaconda have united with western mining interests to memorialize President Wilson and Congress to prevent an embargo on American copper, and oppose England's action in declaring copper contraband.

A strong offensive campaign in East Prussian territory is now believed to be the plan of the Russians. It is believed here that Chief Duke Nicholas, the Russian Commander-in-Chief, intends to push right ahead with Cracow, Breslau, Posen and Berlin as his objectives.

TERRIFIC ARTILLERY DUEL ALONG CANAL. Paris, November 8. - An increase in the activities of the Germans in the Northern Sphere is reported. Three violent night attacks were made by the invaders against the Allies' lines at Arras, all of which were repulsed. A series of artillery duels are in progress on the Belgian frontier to Arras.

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TURKISH FORTS CRUMBLING. Athens, November 8. - Turkish forts at Sedil Bahr and Koumoukale at western end of the Darfenehles are slowly crumbling beneath the bombardment of British and French warships, according to wireless message received here.

MONEY MARKET QUIET. New York, November 8. - The local money market is quiet but this is not unusual for first day of the week. The situation so far as rates are concerned remains unchanged.

REPORTS UNCONFIRMED. Valparaiso, Chile, November 8. - Reports that a Japanese fleet searching for German warships which defeated the British squadron of Admiral Craddock had been observed off the coast still remains without confirmation. Confirmation is also lacking in respect to the reports received here that several battles had occurred off the coast of Peru and off Coquimbo, Chile. No credence is placed in the reports.

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M. K. T. LOSS LAND CASE. Washington, November 8. - Claim of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway for 4,500,000 acres of land in the former Indian Territory, valued at about \$60,000,000, has been decided against the road by the Supreme Court. There were no further decisions by the Supreme Court. The Court announced a recess from November 16th to 30th.

LAUTERBACH PLEADS NOT GUILTY. New York, November 8. - Edward Lauterbach, who was indicted with David Lamar for conspiracy to defraud was arraigned before Judge Rudkin in the criminal branch of the United States District Court and pleaded not guilty to the indictments. Lauterbach was held in \$25,000 bail and was given ten days within which to demur to the indictment or alter his plea to one of guilty.

TO ATTACK U. S. TROOPS. El Paso, Texas, November 7. - Private despatches from Mexico City state there is powerful faction there at work stirring up anti-American feeling. Leaders of this hostile party are openly circulating reports that Federal soldiers under General Candido Aguilar, are preparing to attack United States troops under General Funston in Vera Cruz.

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WILLYS WILD LAND TAX... In the session which closed, passed an act which stamps the most progressive in Canada...

RESTATION OF JAVA... The German, French and British armies have been in the service for years...

DIAMOND IS UNDERTAKING REVALUATION OF PROPERTY

Diamond Drilling is to be Started Along Whole Ore Body Measuring 1,700 feet Long, by 400 feet Wide... (Special Correspondence)

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET... Chicago, November 9.—Wheat movements to-day were irregular, though for the greater part of the season the undertone of the market was steady...

HEAVY LOSSES IN GRAIN BY FIRE... New York, November 9.—Dow's stores here have been put out of commission by fire... N. Y. METAL EXCHANGE OPENS

COFFEE SHIPMENTS ARRIVE IN N. Y... New York, November 9.—The steamer Welch Prince and Wascanda have arrived at New York bringing 86,549 bags coffee from South America...

NEW HAVEN MEETING NOVEMBER 19th... New York, November 9.—The next meeting of the New Haven directors will be held November 19...

GOLD FOR CANADA... New York, November 9.—There has been withdrawn \$7,409,000 gold coin from Sub-Treasury...



A. E. HOLT, Manager Royal Trust Co. The annual meeting takes place to-morrow.

COTTON TRADE NEWS... NEW YORK COTTON TAX... New York, November 9.—The following notice has been posted in the New York Cotton Exchange:

COTTON COMMITTEE TO MEET SECRETARY OF TREASURY... New York, November 9.—A New York Cotton Exchange Committee, including President E. K. Cone...

NEW COTTON RECORD... New York, November 9.—Government's cotton ginning operations up to November 8th, totalling \$828,659 bales...

COTTON GINNING... Washington, November 9.—Cotton ginned to November 1st, totalling 8,828,659 bales...

LOCAL STOCKS IN STORE... The following table shows the stocks of grain and flour in store in Montreal on the dates mentioned...

LOCAL EXPORTS OF EGGS... The following table shows the exports of eggs from the port of Montreal for the week ending November 7th, 1914...

FOREIGN EXCHANGE... New York, November 9.—Foreign exchange at the opening exhibited a firm tone, but later reacted slightly...

QUIET SPOT DEMAND BETTER NEWS FROM ARGENTINE

Total Shipments of Wheat From North America During Past Week 6,747,000 Bushels... Shearson, Hamill & Co. received the following from Broomhall:

THE STEEL SITUATION... New York, November 9.—For the first time since hostilities began in Europe, steel manufacturers are able to report some improvement in steel...

S. P. ANNUAL... New York, November 9.—Annual report of the Southern Pacific shows 1.5 per cent. earned for stock, compared with 5.33 per cent. previous year...

WILL PERMIT TRADING IN ADDITIONAL BONDS... Chicago, Ill., November 8.—Bankers Committee notified the Stock Exchange that the Clearing House Committee will permit trading in nine additional listed bonds...

LONDON METAL EXCHANGE... New York, November 9.—Metal Exchange has received following cable from London: London Metal Exchange will open November 9th for one hour from 12 to 1 o'clock...

NEW SECRETARY APPOINTED... Mr. H. Manaton has been appointed secretary of the Peterson Lake Mining Company, succeeding Mr. Gordon Morrison...

CANADIAN VISIBLE SWEAT... New York, November 9.—Visible supply of Canadian wheat decreased 1,660,000 bushels; oats increase 244,000 bushels...

SOUGHT TO CONTROL COLORADO MINERS

Coal Strike Not Result of Differences Between Workingmen and Employers... LABOR LEADERS ACTIVE

President Welborn, of Colorado Fuel and Iron, Makes Statement to Shareholders Regarding Trouble With United Mine Workers... J. F. Welborn, president of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company, issued the following statement to the stockholders at the annual meeting of the company...

OUR former employees have been very anxious to secure work again at our mines, and we have quite willingly taken back such as we had reason to believe were not connected with the violence...

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BANK OF MONTREAL NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of TWO-AND-ONE-HALF PER CENT. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the three months ending 31st October, 1914...





