

The German Advance Near Lille is Repulsed.

Paris Repor's Violent Action on Both Flanks.

The battle line in the western war zone is now practically continuous from upper Alsace to Antwerp.

French bulletins report that cavalry of the allies is engaged as far north as Armentieres, on the Belgian border, and violent fighting is reported in west and east Flanders.

The great gap between the forces operating on the Somme and Aisne and those at Antwerp has thus been closed, and the two campaigns become practically one; the defeat of the Germans in northern France will mean the relief of Antwerp, while a German victory at Antwerp would be likely to influence greatly the battle in northern France.

An official bulletin issued in London states that hard fighting is in progress north of the river Oise and at Lens, twenty miles south of the Belgian border. A night bulletin from the Paris war office adds that German attacks have been repulsed on the right and left wings and that ground previously lost between Chaumes and Roye has been regained. An advance in the center is also announced.

Berlin states officially that the fighting of the German army on its right wing has been successful, but that no decision has been reached in the counter attacks along the line of Arras, Albert and Roye.

The bulletins follow:

LONDON.
"North of the Oise and at Lens, nine miles northeast of Arras, there is hard fighting.

"Elsewhere a slight advance or retreat varies. Throughout the line the reports are generally satisfactory.

"The French army is fighting with the greatest dash and bravery."

PARIS.
"Except on the two wings where the German attacks have been repulsed there has been nearly complete calm along the front.

"On our left wing the German cavalry has been held in check; to the north of Lille it has been driven back.

"Between Chaumes (midway between St. Quentin and Amiens) and Roye the ground previously ceded has been retaken.

"On the center we have made an advance on certain points.

"There is nothing to report on our right wing."

"On our left wing the battle still continues with great violence. The opposing fronts extend into the region between Lens (nine miles northeast of Arras) and La Bassée (thirteen miles southwest of Lille) and are being lengthened by masses of cavalry which are in grips as far as the vicinity of Armentieres (nine miles northwest of Lille and virtually on the Belgian frontier).

"On the front extending from the Somme to the Meuse there is nothing to report.

"In the Woerwe district the enemy made a new effort to stop our progress, but his attacks again failed."

BERLIN.
The German general staff, in its report on the situation in the western arena of the war said the fighting on the German right wing in France had been successful.

A communication says:
"Continuous French outflanking movements against our right wing have extended the battle front until it is now north of Arras, west of Lille and west of Lens (nine miles northeast of Arras). Our advance guards are in touch with the enemy's cavalry.

"No decision yet has been reached in our counter attacks along the line between Arras, Albert and Roye.

"The situation remains unchanged along the battle front between the Oise and the Meuse in the vicinity of Verdun and in Alsace-Lorraine."

Half a million men are engaged in the great double flanking movement in northeastern France, with the Germans pressing forward in an effort to cut off and surround the French troops near Arras and Douai. This enterprise, which began last week, is being pushed with the utmost vigor by the invaders. The allies were evidently taken by surprise, because they thought the Germans did not have enough reserve troops for such an audacious attempt.

The new German army, which has been pushed northward from Belgium, holds a strong position northwest of Lille. A part of the advanced lines stretches as far as Ypres, which is only a little more than twenty miles from the coast of the English channel.

The end of the great battle of the Aisne, which has been raging for the past twenty-five days, is not yet at hand. Despite the constant fighting and shifting of activities, the main lines of both armies are still intact and the doughty German commander on the German right, General Von Kluck, seems absolutely determined to follow the instructions of the Kaiser "to win or die trying."

Attacks and counter attacks are still in progress along the heights of the Meuse, where both French and Germans have claimed successes. However, nothing decisive has developed in that quarter. In the center there has been a lull. Although the German army of General Von Buelow has been weakened to strengthen the right flank, the position of the invaders in that region is too strong to permit of a general assault by the French.

The British are fighting gallantly against the Germans north of Soissons, and it has been mainly through their courage and fighting ability that the Germans lost good positions.

Large numbers of British wounded have been brought to Paris since Sunday. The English soldiers were exposed to a deadly rifle and machine gun fire when they moved forward to storm the German redoubts. Within the past twenty-four hours two English generals were brought from the front seriously wounded.

Kills Neighbor For Bear.
Mistaken for a bear, Prince Lilly, a young farmer, was shot and almost instantly killed with a shotgun loaded with large buckshot, by David Reid, a neighbor and aged Confederate veteran, on Richland mountain, near Winchester, Va.

Lilly was in a tree, shaking down chestnuts. He wore a long coat, colored like bearskin. Taking deliberate aim from thirty yards away, Reid fired, the entire load going clear through Lilly's body. He uttered an agonizing cry, fell and died in twenty minutes.

In his remorse Reid endeavored to shoot himself, but was prevented by a relative of Lilly, who came upon the scene just in time. The aged veteran has since collapsed. Both men were in the mountains for chestnuts and neither knew of the other's presence.

Blinded by Belgian Girl.
"A German officer whose eyes had been gouged out told me that a Belgian girl, not more than eighteen years old, had committed the deed while he lay helplessly wounded on the battlefield," declared Dr. Yoshikazu Matsuda, a Japanese physician who arrived in New York on the liner Vaterland, from Munich, where he had worked in the hospitals caring for many of the German wounded.

"Another of the wounded German officers told me that of 1254 men under his command before Liege, 930 were killed outright in the first assault," added Dr. Matsuda.

Four Slain at Crossing.
Four persons were instantly killed at Singery station when a Baltimore & Ohio train struck an automobile driven by Haines Harlan, of Providence, Md.

The dead are: Mrs. Thille Harlan, two children of Mrs. Harlan; Lizzie Stewart, nineteen years old, a servant of the family.

Harlan, the husband and father, was taken to the hospital in Elkton by Dr. Canoe, of Cherry Hill. His condition is critical.

The car, driven by Harlan, ran on the track in front of the train, which threw it in front of the eastbound extra freight. The car was demolished, and Mrs. Harlan and her children and the servant were killed instantly.

Six Months' War, \$17,500,000,000.
That the European war will cost the world \$17,500,000,000 if it lasts six months is the declaration of Yves Guyot, economist and former cabinet minister, in the Paris Figaro.

Paul Leroy Beaulieu, another French economist, says public loans that will be necessary after the war will amount to \$8,000,000,000. Europe will look to the United States to provide it with money.

"Germany will probably have to pay an indemnity of \$4,000,000,000 to \$5,000,000,000, says M. Beaulieu. This she could do merely by taxing alcohol and tobacco."

Monticello's Price \$500,000.
Representative Levy, of New York, notified Secretary of State Bryan that he would sell Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson, to the government for \$500,000.

"I feel that I am forced to yield to public sentiment in this matter," Mr. Levy told the secretary. "and I will consent to part with the property for \$500,000, despite the fact that I have spent over a million dollars in improvements upon it. The only conditions I have to make is that Monticello be known and used as the 'Virginia Home of the Presidents.'"

Kills Two Little Girls.
While they were sleeping, Mary Lentz, eight years old, and Beulah Lentz, four years old, were shot to death by their father, James F. Lentz, at their home in Baltimore. Lentz then shot and killed himself.

The mother and the three remaining children escaped in their night clothes. Mrs. Lentz said that her husband had been very quarrelsome for several months and had frequently threatened to kill the entire family.

Lawyer Leaps to Death.
Philip K. Walcott, junior member of the prominent law firm of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, in New York, jumped to his death from a window of the firm's office on the fourteenth floor of a downtown skyscraper.

British Railroad Men For France.
The British war office has issued a call for 1000 expert railroad men to assist in the operation of the French railways.

Midvale Low Bidder.
The Bethlehem, Pa., Steel company was the lowest bidder for 22,122 tons of side armor for three new United States battleships. Their bid was for \$435 a ton. The Midvale Steel company, of Philadelphia, made the lowest bid for turret armor, \$486.

Fall on Walk Kills Boy.
While at play with companions in Reading, Pa., William Huber, Jr., five years old, fell on a cement walk and died almost instantly from concussion of the brain.

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Armies Clash in Russian Poland.

German Forces Reinforced Austrian Army and Engaged Russians at Opatow, Near Cracow.

General Von Hindenberg, the German strategist, who formerly commanded the German forces in the North Prussian campaign, is directing the Austro-German forces in a big battle believed to be in progress near Opatow, Russian Poland.

Opatow is about seventy-five miles northeast of Cracow, and the news of this engagement substantiates previous reports that the Dual Alliance had sent an army into Russian Poland to meet the Russian army which has for its objective the invasion of Germany.

The Austrians fought the first stages of the battle at Opatow alone but they were hard pressed and General Von Hindenberg hastened to their aid with heavy reinforcements. The opposing armies are drawn up on the spurs of the Lysagory mountains, and it is at this point that the decisive battle of the eastern campaign of the war will probably be fought.

The Russians are throwing large detachments of their central army in to the breach at Opatow. This central army is composed of the flower of the czar's fighting forces and numbers more than a million men.

Opatow is less than 125 miles from Sedletz, where the czar is reported to be in command of the field operations of his army.

The German forces on the frontier of East Prussia have assumed a strategic defensive movement. They have abandoned the bombardment of Osowetz fortress, in Russian Poland after setting the city of Osowetz on fire with their shells.

They were able to retire with their siege guns and a pontoon train. They destroyed the railroad on the frontier and now are holding in check superior forces from heavily entrenched positions near Drostken.

The fighting at Augustowo and Suwalki was most sanguinary. The German machine guns finally turned the scale of battle in favor of the Germans, but the slaughter of the German artillerymen was terrific. One German battery lost all its men, and cavalrymen had to be drafted to serve the guns.

Russian troops have captured several of the German positions between Lyck and Wirballen at the point of the bayonet, it was announced at the war office in Petrograd, but the Germans, heavily reinforced, are fighting stubbornly at Bakalarzew, just east of the Russian frontier.

The Germans have mounted artillery on the heights forming the west bank of the Rospuda river, and they are fighting to hold this position as a defense for Margobowa, East Prussia, which is an important point in the Mazurian line of fortifications.

MONDAY.
Germany's harassed right wing army in France advanced in a series of massed attacks against the French and British north of the River Oise.

General Von Kluck's forces assaulted the allies in new counter attacks from some positions by the fury of the German onslaught.

British troops are now fighting side by side with the Belgians in the defense of Antwerp. The British heavy artillery has been of great help to the Belgians.

Czar Nicholas arrived at the battle front to inspire his first line soldiers in the onslaught on Cracow, capital of ancient Poland, where a huge Austro-German army has been assembled to contest the Russian invasion of Germany. It is estimated that 3,000,000 troops will engage in the battle now opening.

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