

GERMANS, IN FLIGHT AT WARSAW, LEAVE WOUNDED ON FIELD

Advance Against Polish Capital Turned Into Disorderly Retreat, While Southern Armies Are Also Repulsed.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 23. The German advance in Poland has been transformed into a hasty and in some parts a disorderly retreat, it is officially announced today. Russian cavalry is pursuing the retreating Germans. The Russians have also been successful on the San River north of Przemysl, where the heights of Radymno were captured. The Austrians were put to flight. The Grand Equerry of the King of Saxony was captured near Przemysl while riding toward the front in the royal automobile.

According to all reports, the battle along the Vistula, for the vastness of the opposing armies and the destruction of life, will be the fiercest of the war. The magnitude of the Russian victory increases as each additional report filters in.

Emperor William and his General Staff have hastily left Czestochow, according to the Petrograd correspondent of the London Daily News. Early in the week the Kaiser was reported to have taken personal direction of the attack against Warsaw, with headquarters at Czestochow, a town of southwestern Poland, near the German base at Kielce. The official statement gives the following details:

The German advance in Poland has been transformed into a hasty and in some parts a disorderly retreat. This retreat was primarily caused by a Russian cavalry force from Novo Gorlick, which crossed the Vistula and turned the enemy's left flank. The retreat of the German left wing was forced by the operations around Konin and Iwaniagrod, to retreat also, as well as the army in the vicinity of Sandomir and to the southward.

In their retreat the Germans have abandoned arms, ammunition and provisions, and are leaving behind many wounded. They have taken many prisoners, but no attempt has been made to estimate their number.

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German Cruiser Ravages Shipping Off South American Coast—Fast Warship Dispatched to Engage Elusive Foe.

LONDON, Oct. 23. The report sent here by the Tenerife correspondent of the Daily Mail of the activity of the German cruiser Karlsruhe, which has sunk 15 British steamers and sailing craft on the main trade route from South America, has caused much severe criticism of the failure to run down this commerce destroyer.

It is believed that a fast cruiser squadron is now seeking the German craft which is variously reported as having base in the Gulf of Mexico and somewhere near the Cuban coast.

The Admiralty has no confirmation of the list of ships reported by the Mail as having been sunk, but permits publication without comment. The vessels named are the Stratroye, Maplebranch, Highland Hope, Indra, Rio Iguaçu, Farn, Mari, Micto, Laramia, Cervantes, Cornish City, Prith, Condor and Lynnowan. Their crews were sent into Tenerife on the German steamer Creel, according to the report reaching here.

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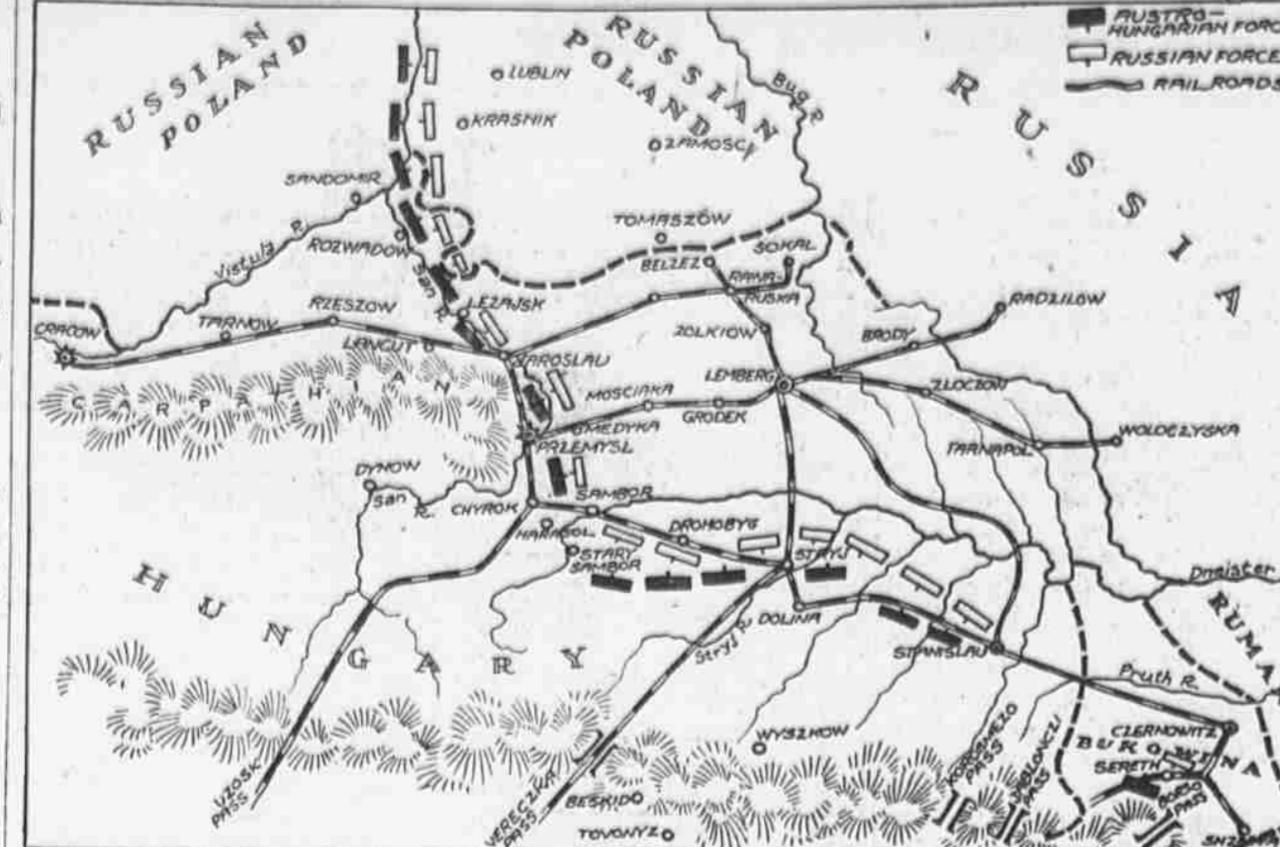
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THE AUSTRO-RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN IN GALICIA



This map, prepared by the local Austro-Hungarian Consul, gives the Vienna viewpoint of the situation in Galicia, Hungary and Bukowina. Austrian advances have driven the Russians across the San River, lifted the siege of Przemysl, recaptured important posts in eastern Galicia and Bukowina and expelled the Russians from the Carpathian passes. The Czar's forces are being slowly but surely forced back to their own frontier.

AUSTRIANS SWEEP ENEMY TOWARD RUSSIAN FRONTIER

Austro-Hungarian Consul in Review for Evening Ledger Discusses Retreat of Czar's Forces in Galicia and Expulsion From Hungary.

By GEORGE VON GRIVICIC
Austro-Hungarian Consul General, Philadelphia, and Lieutenant Colonel of the Austro-Hungarian Army.

The report published during last week as to the operations of the Austro-Hungarian and Russian forces in Galicia, particularly our news announcing that the siege of the fortress of Przemysl had been lifted by the advance of the Austro-Hungarian army, and the Russian news reached the reader in left doubt as to what actually happened. For one who is not familiar with the various places in Galicia, where fighting is going on at present, it will be rather difficult to gain a clear idea as to the battle line. Therefore, it seems desirable to review the engagements during the last week in order clearly to define the present strategic positions of the fighting armies.

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Philipine Troops Being Prepared to Maintain Neutrality Agreement, Protecting Pekin-Mukden Line.

From a Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The first suggestion that armed forces of the United States might be required to guard American interests which are threatened by the worldwide conflict now raging came from the War Department today.

It is now evident that Japanese operations around Kiau-Chau will involve considerable danger to the Manchurian Railroad, whose neutralization was urged by ex-Secretary of State Knox four years ago. The Pekin to Mukden line, under an international agreement, is protected in case of danger by joint patrol of the English, French and American Governments, and it is probable that the major burden of the patrol will fall upon the United States in the near future.

The danger of complications arising from the situation is evident. Clashes between the American marines and soldiers, from the Philippines, who will constitute the patrol, and Japanese soldiers, might come at any moment, particularly as the Japanese Government has already violated Chinese neutrality in its movements to capture the German stronghold.

The reports of the demoralization of the Austro-Hungarian army, which repeatedly had been declared defeated and routed, and had been represented as a beaten army, however, accomplished nothing fully its task by making impossible a Russian advance through Russian Poland to German Silesia and Posen. It thereby enabled concentration of the German and Austrian forces in southeastern Poland and their advance to the Vistula River.

The Russians, though they hold a part, but by no means seven-eighths, of the kingdom of Galicia, as they assert, are farther from Berlin and Vienna than at the beginning of the war.

Even in the occupied parts of eastern Przemysl, the Russian administration is not confident that it will hold, as official news has reached this consulate that effect that all official buildings in Lemberg had been undermined with the intent of blowing up in case of evacuation of the city, and that the famous Polish library in the Ossolinsky Institute in Lemberg had been sent to Petrograd.

Another dispatch says that the only Russian force which still offers stubborn resistance to the Austro-Hungarian advance movement are those east of the Przemysl in the Medyka region. The fact that the township of Medyka is situated ten miles east of the fortress of Przemysl, on the eastern bank of the San River, has been probably taken as a reason for the repeated Russian claim that the Russians will not stop before the fortress of Przemysl, as it is not impossible to continue a bombardment of the eastern outer forts from that place. The

British Submarine Sunk BY GERMANS IN NORTH SEA

Admiralty Confirms Loss of Overdue E-3.

LONDON, Oct. 23.

The British Admiralty confirms the sinking of the British submarine E-3 by Germans in the North Sea. It has been overdue for several days.

A radiogram from Berlin stated that she was sunk by a German cruiser last Sunday.

It is reported that the British torpedo gunboat Dryad is ashore at Kirkwall, in the Orkney Islands, off the coast of Scotland, and was forced to retreat in a westerly direction. The Austro-Hungarian army, however, accomplished nothing fully its task by making impossible a Russian advance through Russian Poland to German Silesia and Posen. It thereby enabled concentration of the German and Austrian forces in southeastern Poland and their advance to the Vistula River.

The Dryad, which was built in 1883, is 250 feet long and has a speed of 18.5 knots an hour. She has been attached to the Navigation School at Portsmouth.

Kaiser's CHIEF OF STAFF DYING, IS LONDON REPORT

Check in German Advance Ascribed to Von Moltke's Illness.

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A private letter received in Philadelphia from a high official in Berlin says Lieutenant General Count Helmuth von Moltke, Chief of the German General Staff, is dying, according to the Exchange Telegraph's Amsterdam correspondent.

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ROMANCE, COMEDY, TRAGEDY FROM THE GREAT WAR DRAMA

In the trenches last week were two Tommies. A few yards away a French soldier was in difficulties, owing to his own trench not being deep enough. At risk of death from flying bullets, one of the English crawled forward, and with his bayonet proceeded calmly to deepen the Frenchman's little trench.

There has been a great deal of talk lately about the British troops which are being sent to the front, having been provided with German razors, a correspondent writes. A number of dealers who are well known in the cutlery trade said that there was a large demand for German razors generally. In isolated cases a few German-made razors may have been served out in a hurry, they say, but only a very few. There is no necessity to provide the British soldiers with any foreign-made cutlery, because the dealers have a good stock, more than sufficient for immediate purposes.

One effect of the war has been a sudden shrinkage in the number of applications for patents in England. Normally the Patent Office deals with 100 a day, but only 20 applications were registered the other week. Germany before the war supplied a good proportion of applications and completed 300 specifications annually.

All Belgium is being "Germanized" as rapidly as possible, says a correspondent of the Daily Mail, who has just returned from Belgium.

"A fortnight ago," says this writer,

"hundreds of Belgian postal clerks went

into style, refusing to work under German regulations. On the same day all the letter boxes were placarded with German posters, telling the people to call for their letters. Hundreds of Germans are being imported to take the places of the strikers."

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