

GERMANS REPULSE FRENCH ADVANCES TOWARD METZ

Continued from Page One. A grand assault on Tsing-Tao. The German leashed city is under heavy bombardment from the water side and

from hills commanding the land works. One of the cutting forces has been captured and the town is reported in flames at several points.

ALLIES LOSE TO SOUTH OF YPRES; GAIN ON EAST

PARIS, Oct. 31. Despite the heavy losses they have suffered, the Germans are taking a sharp offensive along the battle front from the coast to Arras, according to an official statement issued here this afternoon. The Allies have lost some ground south of Ypres, but have advanced to the east of there.

of Ypres. There has been an advance in the region of Souain. A violent conflict has taken place in the Argonne. In the Woëvre region we have noted a slight advance on the forest of Le Prieux.

The official communique follows: Yesterday was marked by a general offensive on the part of the Germans along the entire front from Neuport to Arras and by violent attacks at other points on the line of battle from Neuport to the Canal de La Bassée. There were alternative advances and retreats.

Unofficial reports say the Germans have evacuated Lincel, Turcoing, both of which have been occupied by the Allies. These reports had not been confirmed, however, at the hour when this dispatch was written.

South of Neuport, the Germans, who have taken Temercapelle, have been driven back by a counter-attack.

It is also reported from a Dutch source that the Germans have evacuated Ostend, leaving hundreds of wounded soldiers behind.

To the south of Ypres we have lost some points of support, Hellebecq and Sandwede, and we have advanced to the east of Ypres to the Paschendale forest.

President Poincaré, who went to the front from Paris, is reported to have been personally informed by General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French army, that the Allies are in no danger at any point in the northern sector.

GERMANS TAKE MAIN POSTS NEAR TOUL, BERLIN SAYS

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—It is announced that the Germans have captured the main positions of the French forces operating from Toul. Attacks by the French from Pont-a-Mousson have been repulsed.

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Military experts here and the Berlin newspapers place the utmost importance on the developments around Verdun. It is stated that the Germans are making material progress toward all of the forts in the Toul-Verdun line, despite the efforts of the strongly reinforced French.

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The Germans have extended their operations north and south from St. Mihiel, captured late in September.

In the region of the Meuse valley to the west of the front, the Germans have lost close to 10,000 men in battle and wounded on the Toul-Verdun line in the last five days.

KAISER'S FORCES EVACUATE OSTEND, LONDON IS TOLD

LONDON, Oct. 31. The Germans are establishing a naval base at Zebrugge, the port of Bruges on the North Sea, for their proposed attack against England. Reports to this effect, which have been current for several days, were contained today in the following Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam:

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"Yesterday (Friday) the heavy guns were again thundering along the Belgian coast. Obstinate fighting is developing. Thearrison at Zebrugge is being reinforced. Eleven hundred German machines have occupied IJzendoorn, near Heyt, whose guns command the forts at Zebrugge."

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Trenches are being dug along the coast and batteries of heavy German guns mounted among the sand dunes, their muzzles pointing to sea.

Another Amsterdam dispatch states that two Dutch newspapers, the Handelsblad and Telegraaf, both say the Germans have evacuated Ostend and are moving heavy bodies of men northward along the coast in the direction of Blankenborch.

BRITISH AND BOERS CAUGHT IN A TRAP MAKE HEROIC FIGHT

German Commander Praises Their Gallant Stand and Buries Their Dead With Honors of War.

CAPE TOWN, Oct. 31. Reuter's special correspondent with the Namaqualand field force sends details of the fighting which led to the surrender of the survivors of two squadrons of the First South African Mounted Rifles and a section of the Transvaal Horse Artillery. He says:

"A small watering and grazing station, of importance as being on our line of advance, was occupied by a squadron, the enemy having apparently retired and showing no signs until night of being in force or making any counter-move. A section of the Transvaal Horse Artillery and another squadron of mounted rifles were sent forward to reinforce the little garrison."

"The position taken was obviously dangerous to any small force, but water was essential to our advance. The water hole is surrounded by kopjes (hills), and the advance to it is through a narrow defile. It is clear that the enemy, realizing this, left the trap empty and retired. No sooner had two guns outspanned than the enemy's attack began, one gun coming into position on a height dominating the water-hole basin in which the water hole is situated."

"Our guns instantly replied, silencing the enemy for the moment, but the German attack developed rapidly. The shells commencing the road to the station was set and no fewer than ten guns were brought into action by the boogies."

"Shelled from every point, our gunners behaved with conspicuous gallantry. Every man of both gun crews was either killed or wounded, only the officer in command, Lieutenant Adler, escaping."

"Midday was approaching and determined attempts were being made to penetrate the little defile. But the enemy, who numbered some 200, were disposed so effectively to permit of any advance being made to the relief."

"Shortly after noon our gunners, their ammunition exhausted and their position untenable, set about rendering their guns useless under an increasing fire, as the German gunners grasped their intentions. Our riflemen tried to keep down the enemy's fire while everything that might be useful to the enemy was being destroyed. When at last all hope of rescue was abandoned the gallant little body raised the white flag."

"So impressed were the Germans and so heavy were their losses that the German general commanding complimented the British colonel on the gallant stand."

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COSSACKS, ON FLANK, HARASS RETREAT OF GERMANS IN POLAND

Bayonet Charges Drive Kaiser's Force From New Positions—Crown Prince Reported Leader of Beaten Vistula Army.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 31. The Army Messenger announced today that the positions taken by the Germans on the heights between the Pilia and Radomka Rivers had been captured by the Russians and that the German forces were once more in full retreat toward the southwest with Cossacks attacking their flanks. The German trenches were captured by bayonet charges made in a blinding snowstorm.

The Warsaw correspondent of the Novoye Vremya telegraphs that Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany had charge of the operations along the Vistula that resulted so disastrously for the Germans. The same correspondent recently had the Kaiser directing the operations.

"The best troops of Prussia were given to the Crown Prince," the correspondent says. "These occupied the center and were supported by heavy artillery and Austrian cavalry. The Bavarian forces on the left wing were commanded by General von Hindenburg, while the Austrians held the right wing."

"The German center aimed its attack at Ivanograd, but the Prussians suffered such a severe repulse that the Crown Prince's troops were crumpled up and retreated. They were compelled to abandon 36 heavy guns in the mud."

"The Austrian cavalry was unable to protect the retreat and the Germans fell back in disorder to Radom, where the Crown Prince had his headquarters. Another attack resulted in the retreat of the German center, and the town was occupied by the Russians."

Though the correspondent ridicules the fighting qualities of the Germans, he praises their conduct in the districts from which the Russians have driven them. The civilian inhabitants suffered no mistreatment, and the Germans paid for everything they took.

TSING-TAO IN HAIL OF SHELLS AS GRAND ASSAULT BEGINS

Another Outlying Fort Reported Captured.

TOKIO, Oct. 31. The Japanese-British-Indian troops who are attempting the reduction of the German concession at Kiao-chau are reported to have captured another outlying fort near Tsing-Tao.

They are receiving assistance from the Japanese fleet, which is steaming close in shore and bombarding the positions with its heavy guns. Every effort is being made to take the city, and advances received today say that already a good portion of it has been destroyed by fire set by exploding shells.

REFUGEE SHIP TORPEDOED

Sinking of Ganteums Reveals German Submarine in Dover Straits.

BOURDEAUX, Oct. 31. According to an official statement issued by the Ministry of Marine today, the refugee ship Admiral Ganteums, recently sunk off Boulogne, was torpedoed by a German submarine. Every effort is being made to take the city, and advances received today say that already a good portion of it has been destroyed by fire set by exploding shells.

GERMANS BUY CHINESE PAPER

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—The Pekin Gazette has been bought by German interests, and after today no British paper will be published here. The nearest will be those in Tien-Tsin. English residents here declare that Germans are assuming the financial obligations of the native press and now control three important Chinese papers here.

RACE-HORSE KILLED IN BATTLE

LONDON, Oct. 31.—It is announced that the race horse Lord Loris, on which Jockey Alex Carter, who was himself killed at the front, won the last grand steeplechase at Paris, has been killed. It was serving as an officer's mount.

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WAR MOVES SHOW STROKE FOR GERMAN DIPLOMACY

Turkey's Plunge Into War Means Material Aid Against Russia and Powerful Lever in Peace Conference. Kaiser's Failure in Poland.

By J. W. T. MASON

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Turkey's participation in the pan-European war represents the first diplomatic success by Germany since the crisis of civilization began. Germany's military victories apparently have been cleverly used by its diplomats in Constantinople to persuade the Young Turks that the Allies would be defeated at the end of the war, leaving Germany and its friends masters of the destinies of Europe.

From the standpoint of Turkish statesmanship, the chance Turkey is taking represents, it is true, a gambler's throw; but that is the only remaining way for the Turks to rehabilitate themselves. If the Allies win the war the Turkish Empire now will be thrust back into Asia Minor, while if the German armies are successful Turkey will be itself again.

To gain the alliance of the Turks Germany has had to persuade Constantinople that there is a fair chance for ultimate German victory.

at the raid of the Turkish destroyers and the former German cruiser, Goeben and Breslau, attributing the acts to the German officers and crews manning them. But Russia unofficially has declared that the bombardment is a casus belli.

Judged exclusively in the light of German interests, the Ottoman rush into the war is a double triumph. It gives half a million reinforcements to the German armies, making possible a strong offensive against Russia. More useful to Germany even than the Turkish armies in the field will be Turkish territory in the peace conference after the war.

The news from Athens that Greece entered Albania with the consent of the Triple Entente puzzles Washington officials. It has been predicted that Italy would side with the Triple Entente if Turkey declared war on Russia.

Rumania has indicated officially that it will ally itself with Italy in whatever course the latter takes. The Bulgarian Government is understood to be friendly to Turkey and Austria, though recent reports have spoken of the wavering attitude of the Government at Bucharest, because of popular demonstrations in behalf of Russia.

Italy, to remain neutral, must eventually reach some understanding with the Triple Entente concerning the partition of Albania or the activities of Greece in that country.

It is believed, will likely be the first State now neutral to throw its weight against the Ottoman army. Bulgaria holds a remarkable position. It is bound to Russia by racial ties and to Great Britain by obligations for diplomatic support in the last war. But its interests and sentiments are violently hostile to Turkey and to Greece.

An invasion of the Caucasus on one side and Egypt on the other is the program military men think the Turkish army will endeavor to carry out. Turkish forces have been gathering recently in Syria and Palestine, but a march across the Sinai Peninsula will be a hard one, because the country is virtually a desert.

The English papers are confident that the protection of the Suez Canal against a raid and of Egypt against invasion are well provided for. They recognize that the addition of Turkey to the belligerent forces probably will prolong the war and increase its horrors. They say this means that Great Britain must raise more men.

Persons familiar with the geographical conditions about the idea of Turkish invasion of Egypt. The Turkish army could not be transported by water to Egypt in the face of the allied fleets, and the hot deserts, peopled by hostile Arabs, would make it almost impossible to march an army overland.

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LADY, ALLEGED AMERICAN, FACES DEATH IN LONDON

Accused as Spy, Admits He Is German Lieutenant.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Carl Hans Lody, who is being tried on charges that he served Germany as a spy while he posed as an American citizen under the name of Charles A. Inglis, confessed today that he was a senior lieutenant in the German naval reserve, which he entered in 1904.

AUSTRIANS CHECK DASH OF RUSSIANS ACROSS RIVER SAN

Advance at Nisko Repulsed and Heights of Turka Retaken—73,000 Prisoners Interned in Austria, Vienna Says.

VIENNA, Oct. 31. Official announcement was made today that up to October 28 the Austrians had taken 73,000 prisoners. These include Russians, Servians and Montenegrins.

It is stated that the Austrians have captured from the Russians the heights near Turka, in southeastern Galicia. Russian attacks have been repulsed at other Galician points.

The official statement follows: "There was no fighting yesterday in Russian Poland. On the lower San (Galicia) strong hostile forces which crossed the river south of Nisko were repulsed after severe fighting. Near Stary and Sambor our artillery has blown up a Russian ammunition depot. All hostile attacks on the heights west of Stary and Sambor have been repulsed. In the district northeast of Turka our attacking troops occupied several important positions on the heights which the enemy was forced to evacuate precipitately. Our landsturm captured numerous prisoners in the engagements."

GERMAN ADVANCE IN POLAND DELAYED TILL CALAIS FALLS

General Staff Credited With "Watchful Waiting" Policy.

LONDON, Oct. 31. A dispatch from Berlin to the Daily Mail says the German General Staff has decided that the German army in Poland must fall back to the Silesian frontier and remain there until Calais has been taken.

FIFTY BOER REBELS TAKEN

Colonel Maritz's Forces Reported Cut Off in Africa.

JOHANNESBURG, Oct. 31.—Fifty more of the rebel force under Lieutenant Colonel Maritz has been captured by the loyal troops in pursuit, under command of Colonel Brits.

CANDY STORE REFITTED

Montagu & Co. have reopened their store at South Broad street. It has been refitted completely and now has one of the finest soda fountains in the city. The lunch room and the candy departments have been remodeled. The store extends from Broad street west, with an entrance at 9 South 15th street.

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