# **ALLIES AND FOE GRAPPLE** IN BLOODY FIGHT ON LYS

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Russians have occupied the territory from Lodz west of Warsaw, thence to Kielce, in the south, and thence east to Sandomir, thus gaining control of southwestern Poland rection of Cracow. and protecting further operations in Galicia. The Germans have stopped their retreat on the west bank of the | far from regaining lost ground in the Warthe River, not many miles from | new move against Cracow.

their frontier, and are attempting a any movement toward the strong- re-formation of the lines. The Petrograd War Office expects a last stand to be made here.

> Austrian retreat is reported in Galicia, where the Russians are pushing heavy columns in the general di-

Vienna announces repulse of the Russian advance across the San, which would mean that the Czar is

## **GERMANS REINFORCING FOR** NEW DRIVE, PARIS SAYS

The bloody battle between the Germany and the Allies in the region between Dixmude and the River Lys is still undecided, according to the official announcement this afterneon. Neither of the contestants has been able to break the dead-

The Germans are now resorting extensively to artillery, and are shelling Arras, as well as the lines of the Allies north of that town.

The official statement, devoted particu-larly to the operations of Wednesday,

was as follows: There was no appreciable change yesterday. On the whole front the combat continues, with the same compat continues, with the same character as that on preceding days between Dixmude and the Lys, with neither advance nor marked retreat at any one point. Violent cannorading took place at the north of Arras and on that town without any result in

favor of the enemy. The German effort in Belgium and in the north of France continues. The Germans seem to be making changes in the composition of their forces which are operating in that region and to be reinforcing their newly formed remerve corps, which have been se-verely tried, by veteran troops to at-tempt a new offensive, or at least to palliate the bloody repulses inflicted upon them.

Between the Somme and the Olse and between the Oise and the Meuse there have been minor engagements. We have concentrated our advance on the village of Andechy. To the west of Roye a German

wagon train has been destroyed by our artillery fire at long range.

In the region of Nampeel, to the northeast of the forest of Algle and near Herry-Au-Bac, we have retaken the village of Sapigneul, which the Germans captured after a terrific struggle.

In the Argonno, where our troops rolled back the Germans by bayonet charges, and in the Woevre, new at-tacks by the enemy have been repulsed. To the northeast and to the east

of the Grand Couronne of Nancy, in the region of the forest of Perroy and between Baccarat and Blamont our advance posts have been attacked by mixed forces, whose movements have been wholly checked. A great Russian victory in Galleia officially announced."

The objective of the German forces orth of Arras is believed to be Noyelles some other place in the immediate cinity. The distance in a direct line

vicinity. from Arras to Noyelles is loss than 50 miles. Noyelles is about 10 miles northcast of Abbeville and lies upon the main ratiway line over which the supplies of the Allied army of the north are transported. If the line could be cut in the vicinity of Noyelles, it would leave the French, British and Belgians stationed morth and ensit of that point without means of getting provisions and ammuni-

That the Germans are staking a great deal on the movement above Arras is shown by the heavy amount of bigcalibre ordnance which they have massed in that vicinity. If they were compelled to retreat suddenly by a superior force of the enemy, much of this heavy ar-Ullery would inevitably fail into the hands of the French and British because it could not be moved quickly,

NIEUPORT SALLY HURLED BACK, BERLIN REPORTS

ing the reported wounding of the Crown Into the Yaer territory and the Germana Prince and of other members of the imperial family, an official statement was issued today denying them. It was asserted that all its members are in the best of health and that the Crown Prince is with his army at the front.

Although almost continually close to or on the firing line, it is declared he or on the firing line, it is declared he is uninjured and his general health is excellent. excellent.

The official report of the War Office dealing with the situation in the West declares that the Belglan-English assault by way of Nieuport between the sea and inundated territory was repulsed with enormous losses. The Allies had the sup-port of warships, it is stated, but were progressing satisfactorily, with severe

to violate the military principle of inun-dation as a means of safety. Strategic has again become an artillery duel with plans provide for a depth which will both armies sticking close to the trenches.

BERLIN, Nov. 6. | make it impossible to move artillery Because of the many rumors regard-and yet not deep enough to use boats. The Belgians turned too much water will endeavor to benefit thereby. Mean will endeavor to benefit thereby. Mean-while the fighting in that section has settled down into an artillery duel in which the Germans have the better of it because of the weight of their artillery.

On the other portions of the line the fighting continues unchecked. In the vicinity of Ypres the battle is of the across a ten-mile stretch of territory simply littered with dead and wounded of both armies.

The fighting between Lille and Armen tieres and in the vicinity of Arras is also warmly contested.

The German general advance toward the Belgian-French coast is said to be unable to gain ground and were finally driven back in confusion, leaving many dead and wounded on the field. Inghting reported from Lille. Ypres and Arras. The fighting in the Vosges is stated to be progressing in deep snow, dead and wounded on the field. Ignorance of the exact openings of the dykes caused the Belgians unintentionally

**TEUTONS TURN FIRE** ON COMRADES, SAY BRITISH OFFICIALS

Bullets in Back Penalty for Failure to Win Through Allies' Lines, Charge in "Eyewitness" Report.

LONDON, Nov. 6. That German soldiers fighting in northern France were fired upon by fellow. troops when they gave way before the attacks of the Allies is the information secured from a wounded German prisoner, according to an official statement from the Government press bureau today. The statement is the latest of the series of "eyewitness" narratives written by a member of the staff of Field Marshal Sir John French and deals with the operations of the British expeditionary force.

That section of the statement dealing with the shooting of Germans by their own men fellows:

"A wounded prisoner gave the attending surgeon the following information

relative to German methods of warfare: On October 20 my section was ordered forward for an attack. Our officers warned us that, if we gave way, we would be fired upon from behind. This

threat was actually carried into effect when our terrible losses compelled us to retire. My wound was inflicted by a German bullet." The same prisoner told his captors that to had received no regular distribution

of food since he entered France." The "eye-witness' statement continues: "In spite of the great losses which they suffered in their attacks last week, the Germans have continued their offensive oward the west almost continuously during the five days from the 26th to the 30th of October. Opposite us it has gradually grown in intensity and in extent of application as more men and guns have been brought up and pushed into their right, and it has developed into the most bitterly contested battle which

has been fought in the western theatre of the war.

NEW GERMAN CORPS APPEARS. "Forces have been massed from the south, while another of the new army corps has definitely made its debut before us, and though attempts to hack, or rather to blast and hack, a way through us have been made in other directions, they have for the last few days been most

seriously concentrated upon the neighbor hood of Ypres. "Whether the motive inspiring the pres

ent action of the Germans against that place is an ambition to win through to the port of Calais, as is to be gathered from articles in their newspapers, or whether the operation is due to a desire to drive the allied forces out of the whole of Belgium in order to complete the con-

quest of that country with a view to its annexation and to gain prestige with neu-trais, is immaterial.

'What concerns us more closely is that they have been making and are still pressing a desperate attempt to gain the town. to offer battle.

An attack began on Monday against Neuvechappelle, a village held by the Allies, and ground was gained by the

cused their principal attention on our right centre and right, and most des-perate fighting took place for posses-sion of Neuvechappelle. In spite of re-peated counter-attacks by our troops, the enemy during the day managed to hold on to the porthern part of the village enemy. troops continues successfully. The Aus-trians are retreating." Along the left bank of the Vistula the 1 to the northern part of the village.

which he had gained the day before. "Toward evening we had gradually regained part of the place by step-bystep fighting, when fresh hostile rein-forcements were brought up, and the enre village was captured by the enemy

### TURKS, IN ROUT, FLEE COSSACK RUSH

Continued from Page One the suddenness of the Russian attack which disarranged all of the army council's strategic plans. The Turks had expected the Russians would be caught short of troops in Caucasia and had prepared several columns with which to

Emperor's Journey Through strike. Instead, however, the Russians, without waiting for formal declarations of war threw four flying columns across the bor-Poland a Triumph-Gerler into Armenia. mans Reported Retreating

der into Armenia. Today the strongest of these, after de-cisively defeating the Turkish border guard, is pushing rapidly forward toward Erzerum. A second column which took Fort Bayazet after three hours of fight-

ing is also moving into the interior. Turkish troops, reduced to the neces-sity of fighting a defensive campaign, are now reorganizing their line and are diverting troops originally intended for operations against the British in Egypt toward Armenia. The Turkish army, concentrated at Karakillsse, Giadin and Arsab, has moved back from those posttions to others, the location of which is not revealed. The bombardment of the Dardanelles

forts by the Angle-French fleet at long range continues. While one small maga sine is understood to have been exploded the damage up to the present has not been great. The Turks are reserving their fire and have responded with only a few shots.

the ruler and the Russian armies. Immediately after arriving at Warsaw, WAR RULES APPLIED the Czar reviewed the Siberian corps that TO TURKS IN CANADA had repulsed and driven back the German army. The Warsaw correspondent

Ottoman Subjects Placed Under Strict Surveillance.

OTTAWA, Nov. 6. Great Britain having declared war on Turkey, the Canadlan Government has declded, it was announced tonight, that ber your valor forever, and when the hisresidents of Canada who were born in the Ottoman Empire shall receive the same treatment the Dominion accords tory of the war is written it will be made giorious by the record of the Siberian Cermans and Austrians. Turks, Armenians and Syrians will be re-juired to register and to take out resistruck the first blow has been made com-plete by the help of God. The enemy is dential certificates; and where registration officers deem it advisable they will be detained in internment camps as prisoners of war. It is expected that this will Polish fronts continues, and that the heavy pressure of the pursuing Russians has prevented the Germans making a

add very largely to the number of pris-oners who will be placed under guard in Conada.

**GERMANS CONFRONT** here today. It was pointed out when the war began by the military experts that the Austrian General Staff would refuse **RUSSIAN PURSUERS** IN NEW BATTLE LINE was among the German prisoners taken in the fighting about Lodz. He has died from wounds that he received.

Re-form Front Along Banks BOMBS KILLED KAISER'S of Worthe River to Oppose

Russian Advance Across Silesian Frontier.

FLUSHING, Holland, Nov. 6 .- The two German officers killed at Thielt when British aviators dropped six bombs on the building which Emperor William had left only a few minutes before wers mem-bers of the Kaiser's personal staff, ac-PETROGRAD, Nov. 6. The Russian plan of campaign, out-

lined and partly carried out before the wave of German soldiers poured over the border to the very gates of Waraaw, is under way again. Chief resistance is on the Warthe, near the Sliestan border, where the German lines have re-formed to offer heithe cording to reports received here today. It is said the Emperor bitterly re-proached the commander of the German aerial corps because his men had failed to intercept the British aeroplanes, and as a result three of the corps were denoted and arrested. Today's official statement is as follows: "On the left bank of the Vistula the Russian army is continuing a vigorous

troops.

stand

### FIVE GERMAN BOATS SUNK IN HARBOR OF TSING-TAO

CZAR, AT WARSAW,

PRAISES SIBERIANS

All Along Battle Line.

Emperor Nicholas has arrived at War-

aw and has personally congratulated the

Siberian troops for their victory over the

German forces that attempted to take

the Polish capital. The Czar and Min-

ister of War Soukhomlinoff were received

with enthusiasm at Warsaw, to which

hundreds of residents who fied when the

Germans approached are now returning.

The journey of the Emperor and his

party through Poland was one of tri-

umph. At every point on the railroad

great crowds assembled and cheered for

of the Novoe Vreyma says that he made

"Your valor won for the Russian arms

one of the greatest victories that has ever

been achieved. The nation will remem-

"The victory for which my Siberians

being driven from our hely soil." It is officially announced here that the German retreat on both East Prussia and

Unofficial reports that dissension has broken out among the Germans and Aus-

trian commanders caused little surprise

to accept the domination of the Ger-

mans. Count Schwerin, a cousin of the Kalser.

of German Airmen.

the following address to the troops:

PETROGRAD, Nov. 6.

FOR NOBLE VICTORY

### Fierce Bombardment of German Forts Continues.

Rusalan advance is pushing forward to the border. The army, which was rein-forced when Ivangorod and Warsaw were TOKIO, Nov. 8. It is officially announced that the Japa-nese and British forces are closing in for threatened, is operating toward the southwest, and has occupied the territory from Lodz to Kielce and east to Sandomir. the final assault on the German strong-

wounded.

Islands also are mined.

Coast Zones.

sone from 58 degrees 50 minutes north latitude to cast of the 21st meridian has

Entrance to the Gulfs of Riga and Fisland and the vicinity of the Aland

THE SULTAN'S AGE

Since His Majesty, Sultan Mehemed V, Reshad, was born on the 20th of Shewwal, 1250, and hast Saturday was the 20th of Shewwal, 1332, it follows that

JEWELS

GIANT ZEPPELIN BUILDING FOR RAID ON ENGLAND

Dirigible to Carry Several Pieces of Artillery, Is Report. LONDON, Nov. 5 .- The Daily Chronicle's correspondent of Lake Constance, Ger-

many, sends the following dispatch: "Airships frequently cross the lake. Friederichahaton is the scene of tremendous activity. Count Zeppelin pays the dirigible balloon factory a flying visit twice weekly.

"An immense super-Zeppelin dirigible is being rushed to completion in a floating shed for a raid on Lodon before the end of November. This will be the largest Zeppelin yet constructed. It will mount several pieces of artifiery and have an unprecedented steaming radius.

correspondent of the Daily Express on "A sister airahip is being constructed the Belgian frontier, telegraphs under in a hangar on shore. No visitors are allowed within several hundred yards of the factory or the floating shed. At least Wednesday's date: the factory or the floating shed. At least six other Zeppelins are being built at Dusseldorf, Potsdam and Hamburg." "A new concentration on the enemy's front in western Flanders yesterday leads to the belief in Bruges and other points

# HOSTS OF RUSSIANS DASH INTO PRUSSIA AS GERMANS FLEE

the frontier at Sluis yesterday from Kaiser's Forces, Harassed by Forward-Sweeping Foe, in Precipitate Retirement to Second Defense Line.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 6. The War Office declares that the Germans are retreating precipitately into East Prussia with the Russian armies harassing them at every point. The cold weather has apparently demoralized the Germans, and many of them are reported surrendering without a fight. At several points the Russians have already penetrated the Prussian border, and some of the reports indicate that the German left

wing has been isolated from the main, body of the troops. The occupation of Lyck and the capture of Mlawa, for many days the German base of operations in the north, have virtually

the Vistula of the enemy. The War Office has given out the fol-

"We have continued our progress on

"The Germans are falling back along the whole front, keeping only their fortified position in the region of Wirballan." (Wirballen is in the extreme north of the German front, 30 miles west of

north of Suwalkl.) Military experts here declare that the Germans cannot hope to hold East Prussia and they are expected eventually to withdraw from there entirely, con-

centrating on their secondary defense line of forts. This would mean a strong German resistance to invasion on a line of fortifications based on Graudenz, Thorn and Posen, strongholds which protect Ber-lin beyond the East Prussian frontier.

AUSTRIANS DRIVE RUSSIANS

Also Win Against Czar in Stry Val-

ley, Vienna Says.

VIENNA, Nov. 6. Many Russian prisoners are being taken by the Austrians in Galicia, ac-cording to an official report from the

Ostend say that few troops are left in that part of the coast. Naval headquarters for the Zeebrugge operations were established at Lizzoweghe on Monday, but owing to a bomb attack by acroplanes of the Allics Tuesday the staff evacuated the place and is now at "Two facts of great significance are

repeatedly referred to by Belgian observers crossing the frontier, the scarcity of ammunition for the German artillery and the utter fatigue of the troops which were sent to Thourout and Thielt to rest after the constant and fruitless attacks across the flooded area. The bivouacs are now surrounded at night by mounted field police to prevent desertions.

**KAISER REPORTED** 

DIRECTING BATTLE

Heavy Guns Placed in

Position, Causing Carts of

Wounded to Be Held Up

LONDON, Nov. &-Percival Phillips,

in northern Belgium that the Kalser is

personally directing the operations. A

portion of the 13th Corps moved south

to strengthen the attack against Ypres.

Heavy howitzers were placed in position

on the Poelcapelle-Dadizeele line, al-

though the German right still extends

"Refugees who succeeded in reaching

far south of Slype and nearly to West-

ende.

Bruges.

for Hours on Road.

IN WEST FLANDERS

"The fighting area is becoming, con gested with wounded, owing to the continued use of the railways to bring up fresh levies. The Germans appear to have lost all feeling of humanity toward their wounded, and in the last few days have been brutal almost beyond bellef Carts containing men torn by shrapnel and lacerated by bayonets have been held up for hours by the roadside without the occupants having received surgical at-tention, because the passage of the carts

would delay the transfer of men and guns. "A resident of Thourout, who was im-pressed as a stretcher bearer in Friday's and Saturday's fighting behind the Yser, told me today that a long line of vehicles

bearing wounded and working its way slowly toward Thourout was stopped frequently to permit the escort to examine the wagons and remove the dead. Those who survive suffer terribly from ack of medical comforts. Thourout, lack of medical comforts. Thourout, Aertrycke, Ichteghem, Wardamme and Oostcamp are crowded with wounded

for conveyance to the base hos valting pitals. FIRING IN THE NORTH SEA

direction.

Dutch Villages Hear Heavy Cannonading to Southwest.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 6 .- All day the residents of Dutch coast villages have heard an extremely severe cannouading. The sound came from a southwesterly

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FROM POSITIONS ON SAN

cleared all that part of Poland north of

lowing statement:

the East Prussian front. **OWN AIDES. IS REPORT** Emperor Said to Have Caused Arrest

## LILLE SET AFIRE IN EFFORT TO DRIVE THE GERMANS OUT

LONDON. Nov. 6. Fired by the shells of the Allies' artil-lery, Lilie is burning in several places. Several villages nearby have been burned. The fighting in that region of northern France continues night and day, but thus far the Germans have balked efforts to drive them from Lilie.

drive them from Lille. Defeated in their efforts to strike the French coast by crossing the Yser River, the Germans are now concentrating their strongth for a drive between Arras and Dixmude. They are bringing their beavy artillery into that section, hoping that the big guns will accomplish what massed attacks of infantry have thus far been unable to effect.

Forty heavy guns from Essen have already reached Aix-la-Chapelle, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam. These are to be taken to Arras. Sixty armored automobiles with rapid-fire guns, will not be decided for several days."

"Lille is burning and battered. The Allies have been in and out of the city and our shells set the town alight at the western end. If we cannot pound the enemy out we must drive him toward Flanders with flame and smoke.

"It is reported that Emperor William with his staff is directing the whirlwind campaign from Tournal, Belgium, Boulogne and Calais as the objective via Hazenbrouck and St. Omer, where, if the Germans can break through, there is a

"The Turcos lost several hundred men.

### "They made several assaults against our whole front south of the Lys, but, with the exception of their success at Neuvechappelle, won no advantage. The combat for that place, as is usually the case with village fighting, was of a most murderous description. It is believed that the enemy's losses in this quarter of the field generally were very great.

BODIES FILL TRENCHES.

"An artillery officer, who was observing their advance, reports that the effect of our rifle and gunfire on the Germans was stupendous, and that they had to throw bodies of their own men out of their trenches as they came on in order

to obtain cover." Fighting in the vicinity of Neuvechapelle continued all day and night. "The next day the centres of pressure

were for the most part our two flanks south of the Lys. "The really important feature in this

day's operations occurred north of the Lym and consisted of an onelaught in great force made in the moraing in the direction of Ypres. After a heavy can-nonade the assault was driven home and a portion of our front line was forced back. The exemine the heat ground was By evening the lost ground was recovered and in some places more than recovered, with the exception of one part

to which the enemy clung. "Our losses were heavy, but not so se-vere as those of the enemy, who at one spot suffered enormously from the concentrated fire of our massed machine guns.

KAISER'S KIN REPORTED DEAD ROME, Nov. 6 .- A special dispatch to ROME, NOV. 8-A special dispatch to a local newspaper says that Count won Schwerin, a relative of the Kniser, who was wounded at the battle if the Marne, has died from his wounds.

South of Sandomir is the Russian force that is operating against the Austrians in Galicia, and which has pressed for-ward across the River San, leaving the Przemysi fortress invested, but still bold

offensive and is pursuing the retreating

"The crossing of the River San by our

hombs upon the fortifications, and besides driving the Germans from their guns are causing heavy damage to the main de-On the west side of the Warthe the Germans are reforming for a last stand Germans are reforming for a fast stand before they are driven across the border into their own territory. It is not per-mitted to say where the Russian move-ment is strongest, but it is safe to de-clare that the foothold of the Russians enses. The city itself is now being bombarded, with the purpose of making a quick and successful end to the slege that has lasted two months.

on East Prussian soll in the north will be extended in the vicinity of the valley of the Vistula, on which is the city of In Galicia it is announced that the

Austrians continue to retreat. Heavy **U. S. WARNED OF MINES** Russian columns have already crossed the San River and are pressing the Aus-

Russia Gives Notice of Dangerous trians far back in the general direction of Cracow. WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Official notice was given by the Russian Government to the State Department today that a

ARMENIAN MASSACRES REPORTED IN BAYAZIN

Russians Fast Gaining Allies in Caucasus.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 6.

It is reported that large numbers of Armeniums in Bayazin, now occupied by the Russians, were arrested and many killed by emissaries from Constantinople on the eve of Turkey's entrance into the war. The war-like races of the Caucasus are

he is now 72 years old. These, however, are iunar years, and by the solar reckonenthusiastic over the opportunity to join in the fighting which is afforded by the outbreak of hostilities there. The ing. 68 lunar years are only 66 solar years, so that His Malesty is actually not 70 years old till November 3 next.-Orient, Constantinople. outbreak of hostilities there. The Armenians are eager to join the ranks of the Russians.

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General Staff issued here today. It is as follows:

"Operations in the northern theatre of war are proceeding as planned, com-pletely undisturbed by the enemy. South of the mouth of the Wisloka River the Austrian troops have driven the Rus-slans, who had established themselves on the western bank of the San, from all their positions. "The Austrians captured more than 1000 prisoners and a number of machine

TURKS SEIZE BRITISH SHIPS

Two Ellerman Liners Captured in

Smyrna Port.

received a report today that the Ellerman liners Assiout and City of Olrics had been selzed by the Turks at Smyrna. Hoth are

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 6 .- Local shippers

The following is the list of the Allies' assualties before Tsing-Tao: guns. "The Russians could not resist the Austrian attack in the Stry valley. Five ng two majors; Japanese, 22 killed and

hundred Russians, one machine gun and a quantity of material were captured there."

British ships.

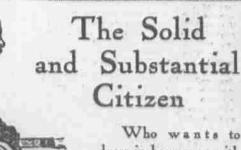
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Husting Leads in Wisconsin MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 6 .- The best available returns early today showed State Senator Paul O. Husting, Democrat, leading Governor Francis E. Me Govern. Republican. In the Face for United States Senator by 2105, with three counties unheard from and 11 counties incomplete. The count was: Husting, 129,513: McGovern, 127,408.



TURCOS TAKE TOWN FROM FOE BY CHARGE IN DARK

HAVRE, Nov. 6. | rapidly fell back, evidently overestimating the numbers opposing them. As a result of the loss of Remscappelle, they had to fall back across the Yser.

King Albert, commander of the Beigian army, went in person to Furnes, near Dunkirk, to congratulate the Turcos upon but the German losses were much heav-ier, as they were pursued by the Africans, who shot them down without mercy." their bravery in capturing Remacappelle. This was an important success for the Ailies, because it prevented the Germans from advancing on Furnes. The story of the capture of Remscappelle was told here today for the first time in detail by French officers just arrived from the front

'Belgians had been holding the position," waid these officers, "but they were attacked by overwhelming numbers and forced to fall back. General Joffre ordered that Remscappelle be retaken at all costs. French infantry moved forward, attacking the town on two alder undar a murderous cannonade.

"The Germans finally gave way, but, sipps being reinforced, pressed forward and retook the town. By this time nothing remained of Remacappelle but the name and piles of wreckage and dead noicitars. Again the Germans were driven out, but again they returned and recaptured the place at the point of the hayonot. Twice again the position was taken and lost. Darkness found the Germans compying the town. The quaint old Finnish houses had been battered into Iverge of stone and mortar by the furious homhandment, Soldiars fought among the pline of debris, using them for defensive works.

"After darkness had fallen the Turcos were around and told to fall in. The simuland wes given to charge bayonets. with wild yells the Africans opening forward. The Garmans poured to a hot dre. conting a storm of inconting aballs against the binoics but they presend on. Guns time send as war clubs. The Germanic

BRITISH EARL WOUNDED LONDON, Nov. 6.—The Earl of Dai-housie, a reserve lieutenant, has been wounded at the front. He served in the Boer war, and is 57 years old.