RMANS SEE U.S. SELFISH IN RUSSIAN SITUATION—SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCHES FROM FRONT ERIAN AFFAIRS BARBED WIRE CAN'T STOP THE CHARGING YANKS AVIATOR USES PARACHUTE TRY TO SAVE STRANDED SHIP **AMERICANS WON MARNE** Successful Experiment From Height of Captain Japanese Canada Maru **INTEREST BERLIN** Sees No Danger to Vessel 800 Yards-Lands Safely By the Associated Press

merican Idealism Is teally Gross Materialism, Says Frankfurter Zeitung

WILSON HOLDING JAPAN

His Sympathy for Russia Only to Keep Mikado From **Gaining** Power

cial Cable to Evening Public Ledger ht. 1918, by New York Times Co

The Hagne, July 31. othing has come of Japan's inter ion in Siberia up to date, the Frank ter Zeitung asserts, because President Wilson stated that intervention could nly take place if the Bolsheviki and the Allies assisted and if Japan promined to evacuate the territory afterward The paper says that from a democratic viewpoint these demands seemed on? natural, but that in reality gross materialism and strong business instinct concealed behind the American Mentism.

President Wilson, who "persecuted olahevikism in America with all the reapons of the law, has little sympathy or the Bolsheviki in Russia," the Zeipower, is only interested in Asiatic power, is only interested in Asiatic policy, it is set forth, so that she is only interested in intervention for over-

Japan would welcome territory in funder no pretext to favo Asiatic Russia it is not essential to her "under no pretext to favo chief interest, which is China When a Russian counter-revolution A further resolution recov military convention.

Japan Seeks China Contro

meaning of this pact, however, This refers to the action of M. Albert not be overestimated, the paper Thomas and forty other Socialists who Japan merely wishes to assure herself of economic advantages there by the convention, especially by concessions in much to the disgust of the majority of the iron ore district, and control of the Socialist members of the conference. This arms and arms, as well to consent to meet enemy Socialists "in the base of the conference, the content to meet a second conference, the content to meet a second content to the second content content of the second content content of the second content content of the second content c a the eastern railroad in North Man- any kind of international congress. Thanks to the convention, the paper

way to achieve her aims. says that news of the conven-

awakened considerable ts outraged that Japan and China had consulted the Allies, and that the of distrust increased when it ble mining concessions.

he paper attaches importance to the tion that Japan granted China a argues that Japan is striving to rol the Chinese financial machinery. ica's readiness to advance the sums paper says, is really intervention rainst Japan in China, although mutual action with Japan is talked of. In any ase it was thought in Washington that inter-measures were imperative Wilson revoked certain measures in permitting American banks to re-

Events in China have shoved the "o



American soldiers going to the attack cut their way through the barbed wire 'entanglements in No Man's Land

AID TO RUSSIA OPPOSED **GERMANS ALTER BY FRENCH SOCIALISTS**

Faction Opposed to Thomas Wins Hollow Victory, However, as This Stumbling Block to Allied Success—Is Being Minimized

Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger be a stumbling block to the Allies on the road to victory Practically, it means Congright, 1918, by New York Times Co. nothing of the kind.

Paris, July 31. Although the extremist members of the Socialist party were party, represented by Jean Longuet and not at present in an almost amusing the Klenthalians and Zimmerwaldians, the says, and his assumed sympathy state of topsy-turvyuon and the close inder Japan from gaining power in the vote which was taken at the close to a majority and henceforward appear to the sate as a last Asiatic of their national congress might lead only a hare majority, and were inclined. Instead of smiling, to show wry faces at their triumph.

Thomas's Faction Smiles

All the smiles were on the faces of M. Thomas and the rest of the former magiorities, who realize that their anti-pa-

triotic comrades have won only a hollow

Flour Shortage

If the new leaders of the party

of carrying

rested in intervention for over-owing the Bolsheviki and the forma-political world may cause the Ailied tion of a new east front against Ger-many if she thus acquires power. The resolution which obtained final Her military aim lies not far from Irkutah, the Zeltung says, but although vention by the Allies in Russia and nder no pretext to favor projects of

A further resolution records the regrot threat to expel from the party M Thomas at they form a military league, and pan and China have heard so much on pensa decisions of all the national beria, that their European-American endit action of inter-allied socialism, have taken up an attitude in connection with the balt defined in pense. Chineses-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in a Jananese-Chinese have be the American labor federation with the socialism in the socia he the initiative in a Japanese-Chinese the American labor federation which is in open opposition with such decisions.

Blow at Albert Thomas

R emphasizes the hatred of the indorsed the attitude of the American dication that the bulk of the French As Ta, which belongs to Russia. hanks to the convention, the paper rts. Japan now seems to be in a way to achieve her aims. a result, M. Thomas and other patrictic Socialist Deupties took their courage in their hands and ranged themselves he-side the American delegates. They have ferences.

ys that news of the conven-stakened considerable comment in open dissent with the majority of the put the world, but Washington present delegates of the rest of the party. That vote means theoretically that the French Socialist party, which has just over 100 representatives in the chamber s learned that Japan had obtained and claims to represent the working lasses of France, has pledged itself to

U.S. IN WAR MEANS DEMOCRACY WILL WIN Swedish Socialist Gives Views Fruit Harvest Spoiled. Potato

After Visit to Front-Praises re-enter American Efficiency

by the fact that the Germans have suffered a costly and undeniable de-This discussion showed that only feat. This discussion showed that only feat. It can be taken for granted that i manifestation of the same feeling even among those who voted with the pair the damage by a new stroke. He strict sense of party discipline prevented a manifestation of the same feeling even among those who voted with the may not dare risk it, or be strong enough to do so, but as things are to-day it appears the likeliest probability majority, and that the coming national congress, which will be held in Paris in two months, probably will reveal that

the party has been purged of most of its of the war chessboard.

Picture of War's Horror

PLANS QUICKLY

BATTLE IS STATIONARY

By WALTER DURANTY

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With the French Armies, July 31.

cross-fire from the flanks

At the approaches to the main bridges **GERMAN NEED OF FOOD** cross the Marne at Dormans the picture of war's destruction reaches the acme of iorror. Words cannot describe the con-GROWS MORE SERIOUS undreds of stricken horses stiffened in he incredible postures of their death gonies and the still ghastlier remains what had once been men.

I crossed the river below Dormans and made my way through Passy, Tre-loup and Courcelles to Vincelles, which Crop Small. Bavaria Fears is perched on the hillside above the plain opposite Dormans. Each village and the plain itself bore increasing evidence of

conditions which a

VICTORY, SAYS MAURICE

Dash and Energy of Our Troops Forced German Retreat. ator. has carried out the first experi-**Teutons Will Try for Success to**

Close Campaign

By MAJ. GEN. MAURICE

Former Director of Military Operations of the British Army Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger all around the salient to keep initiative which has won in this battle and prevent the enemy from obtaining the time he wants to establish a new

Copyright, 1918, by New York Times Co. London, July 31. There is only one possible explanafront ion of the German retreat "according to plan." and that is that the defense

to plan." and that is that the defense has been worn down by steady prog-ress of the attack. in good order under cover of strong rear kuards plentifully supplied with ma-chine guns, and in broken and wooded As I have already explained, there

country, such as forms the present bat tlefield, the delaying power of machine guns is very great. It is, therefore, not was pothing in the shape of the Ger-man salient or in the character of the ground which the enemy occupied to make it peculiarly difficult for him to hold the line of the Ourcq until his internal communications had been or-ganized. Foch's counter-attack was delivered on the western fank of the

has so happily collapsed.

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The enemy is carrying out his retreat

caves.

 "Opportunism" Is Feature of Foe's Strategy in Re-cent Fighting
BATTLE IS STATIONARY
internal communications had been or-ganized. Foeh's counter-attack was delivered on the western flank of the salient, and that flank, from Solssons as far south as the Ourco, near Oul-chy-le-Chateau, had been holding well since the first days of the Allied ad-vance, while on the other flank, be-tween Rheims and the Marne, our progress has not been such as to en-danger the retreat of the troops on the southern front. Therefore, there has never been any question of these Can't Alter German Defeat If the enemy had been able to strike elsewhere and gain some conspicuous success before his retreat he might per success before his retreat he might per-fectly well argue that he had changed his plans owing to altered circumstances, and had decided to employ his troops where they could be used more effec-tively, but no argument will now alter the fact that the second battle of the Marne has ended like the first in com-lete Garman defeat has never been any question of these troops being pinched out and of the Allies making by such means large cantures of primary and such means large plete German defeat.

captures of prisoners and guns.

Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger This southern front has been in the greatest difficulties, owing to the breakdown of the German communi-cations inside the salient, and the Al-The battle is again stationary. The lled pressure upon them has been too enemy for the moment is resisting the incessant to allow the exhausted troops to be refleved and a new line of defense to be formed. The Ger-mans required time to enable them Ailled advance with good troops and a heavy concentration of guns on high ground at both sides of the salient. to settle down on the line of the Ourca through Fere-en-Tardenois, and they could not gain the necessary time. which is now sufficiently reduced to permit protection of its center by

Failure Due to Americans

Yesterday morning a haze so thick Among the causes of this failure I as to be almost a fog over the front should place very high the effect of the dash and energy of the American troops. All the other armies now occupied by General Mangin doubtfighting are more or less war-weary. and they all contain a high proportion llads and of middle-aged men. erefore, the appearance of a new Therefore. tle is wholly progressing according to preconceived plans on both sides. True, each adversary has a fundaarmy in the field, with its eagerness and enthusiasm unimpaired and com-

posed of the pick of the manhood of a great nation, must be out of all pro-portion to its numerical strength. It would be absurd to suppose that anything like the million and a quarter of carry their people through the period Americans who had been shipped from of winter gloom and inactivity. We must favorable—has been a marked feature of the German operations in the last this battle or anywhere on the front. he military power of America is just beginning to make itself felt The of America is

and the most hopeful and encouraging feature of this battle is that that beginning has been so effective, for it has not been the danger of the Allies driving in the flanks of the salient which has caused the Germans to withdraw, as the danger of the Ger-man progress on our flanks at Cam-brai and in the second battle of Ypres caused us to withdraw, but the defeat

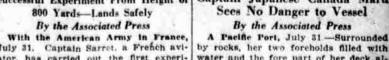
of the enemy on the southern front by the French-American forces opposed to them. In fact," the German retreat has

been caused by direct pressure and has not been carried out in order to

t the approaches to the main bridges bas the Marne at Dormans the picture var's destruction reaches the acme of on of twisted iron, splintered wood, dreds of stricken horses stiffened in incredible postures of their death nies and the still ghastlier remains that had once been men. crossed the river below Dormans made my way through Passy. Tre-to how far he intended to withdraw and had all bis arrangements for with-

and had all his arrangements for withdrawal ready

Battle Conditions Favor Allies In fact the battle is continuing u



by rocks, her two forenoids filled with water and the fore part of her deck al-most level with the sea, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha steamship Canada, Maru, which went aground yesterday, this morning presented a difficult task for the salvage steamers that are standing by, according to wireless messages re-releved here. ment on record of failing from a moving **sirplane** with a parachute Captain Sarret dropped 800 yards with n umbrella twelve yards in diameter nd landed safely.

Find 25 Skeletons in Cave Phoenix. Ariz., July 31.—Between twenty-five and fifty skeletons, believed by county officials to be those of whites, were found in three caves on an Indian reservation near here. The skeletons were discovered by a Mexican who had reported to the authorities. Indians live ing in the vicinity asserted they had no idea how the skeletons came to be in the state of the state of the stranded vessel, be-leved there was no danger of the boat going to pieces. The Canada Maru, 3548 tons net, was returning from Yokahama and Kobe with a cargo estimated to be worth \$4,000,000, of which about \$2,000,000 was said to be silk.

aid to be silk



vinced that Longuet and the interna-tionalists in no way represent the real attitude of the rank and file of the French Socialists, and would welcome mental scheme of endeavor, but the any chance, such as general action, that would enable them to prove their theory. There is, at the same time, every in-hour. Opportunism—readiness to change plans when the occasion seems working classes are now out of sym-pathy with the parliamentary representatives they elected before the war came ten days. Both adversaries are "feeling each to upset all values and aspirations, and

that they are solid with the rest of others' pulse." a staff officer expressed France in wholehearted desire to bring it yesterday, so as to take swift ad-about victory and in their determination vantage of the first favorable sign. about victory and in their determination not to tolerate any intrigues with the but always the situation is dominated enemy in the form of international con-

Zeitung says. This is perhaps the case in the Siberian intervention, although Americans persist that the action of the Copyright, 1918, by New York Times Co. London Tube 21 o-Slovaks has put a new aspect on's conditions for intervention.

The paper argues that the Czechohevikist policy collapsed and because he was afraid of Germany's influence in

America's Plans Unknown

"The details of America's plans are nknown," it proceeds. "The Japanese invernment appears to have accepted "Ye ington's demands, in spite of a doubt if even the Tokio Government a America's plan.

rican soldiers and engineers will be welcomed on the Asiatic side of Pacific. In Japan it will be known to hope. that the sending of American troops to Viadivostok will prevent Japan from bossing the army of intervention in the occupied district, and that American engineers in the Manchurian and Sierian districts are there for American reasons

But perhaps Japan considers that she can allow the Americans to take part in the undertakings in spite of the Ameri-can conditions. The Japanese flag flies over Tsing Tau, although British troops over Tsing Tau, although British troops ed in the capture of the German This and other articles are proof of

The acute interest of Germany in Japa-ness Intervention. The change in the German Foreign Office has not solved the orisis, and there are evidences of dis-mainfaction simmering beneath the suf-

The Social-Democratic Reichstag memwer Merfeld declares in the Rheinish Westphallan Gazette that Hertling's Dovernment merits deep disjrust, and lovernment merits deep disjrust, and hould be attacked by the social demo-ratic factions. There are limits beyond which it is dangerous, says Merfeld, and the Government needs us now and in

The Frankfurter Volkstimme considers at a fine speech by Scheidemann is in-ficient, and that it is time for deeds. Is one proof of the dissatisfaction th Scheidemann and his acceptance of nann and his acceptance of vernment's policy.

Save Sugar for the Boys in Trenches "Over There"

"Don't help the Kaiser," urges Jay Cooke, county food adminis-

"Help the boys in the trenches cutting down your sugar conmption to two pounds per per-

pply the fighting men with I ration, even though it be necesy to do without some special

on't use sugar purchased for or preserving for general purpe

Created Stovake has put a new aspect for Japan, England and France, but not for Japan, England and France, but not for Japan, England and France, but not with the Swedish Socialist leader. Hjal-mar Branting, who has been in London Willight condition for intervention. The Chronicle publishes an interview a few days, after paying a visit to the mentable. The Munich Post writes;

front in France. Asked for his general "I never made a better, more striking lutely without fruits and vegetables, and to pleces, yet the remnant fights just as hard. Like cornered rats. I suppose,

leaving Sweden I was sure the Entente potatoes at any price. The potato har- still strong, that men will sell their lives vest, despite official declaration, is less thus without hope, countries would never surrender to the Ludendorff policy, and now, having been than two-thirds that of last year.

face to face with the realities. I am convinced Europe will be won for democ-

"Yesterday there were in some quarters resigned men and women. They had clares it impossible to provide vegetables call on the artillery." suffered much, and we can understand and the population must submit to such a spirit, after four years of war,

greater restrictions still in the near fubut today resignation had been changed

A demonstraton of women took place "The United States has taken the place of Russia. Russia brought troops only, but the New World has brought troops, food, material and money. And 1 must say the American troops are splendid. "Have you also met Swedish-American "Have you also met Swedish-American "The United States has taken the

"Have you also met Swedish-American "Oh, yes, and the Swedes fight with

irritation increases daily.

things or gain territory. They fight to finish the war, and they pursue their aim with an honest and earnest mind. They are resolved to see the business through, and are proud to risk their lives for a cause which they identify with that of humanity "

"What was your impression of the American army?"

"The Americans are distinguished by Copenhagen, July 31.-The Berlingske indingen says it is the intention of the overnment to establish Helsingfors as a a spirit of organization. We in old Eu-rope are generally complicated. When we are traveling we have hundreds of free port. Julius Tallberg, a well-known business man, has donated 300,000 square meters of ground for the purpose. papers to submit to the authorities, hun-

dreds of minutes to lose in a hundred different ways. Our administrative powers have not always understood even after four years of war the necessity of simplicity and co-ordination. There is nothing of this about the Yankees.

Then, for instance, they have chosen a type of airplane, and they chose the best. They work in series and produce ten times more than we do. Generally they possess, in one word, the spirit of efficiency. I am under the impression

efficiency. I am under the impression that the Germans now know something of American initiative. Do you recollect v they mocked at American interventhe beginning? I am sure the German people are of a different opinion

BLAST IN JAPAN KILLS 30

Munitions Explode Near Crowded Train at Shimonoseki

London, July 31 .- Thirty persons were killed and sixty injured by an explosion of munitions at Shimonoseki. Japan, on Saturday, says a Central News dispatch rom Tokio. The munitions were being transported

from the railway station at Shimonoseki to barges in the harbor. They blew up while a crowded train was standing in the station.

tions that gave them command of the

mentable. The Munich Post writes: "This year's fruit harvest is com-pletely spolled. The population is abso-tutale without the population is abso-The paper argues that the Czecho-The paper argues that the Czecho-The paper argues that the Czecho-The paper argues that the Czecho-This year's fruit harvest is com-the question of intervention, so that if the question of intervention he only the is in favor of intervention he only or more encouraging journey. Before it is impossible to obtain a pound of Anyway, it shows that their disc the general of the paper argues that the czecho-the question of intervention he only or more encouraging journey. Before it is impossible to obtain a pound of the general of the paper argues the

> Again and again we are delayed by a han two-thirds that of last year. Terrible rumors are current in Ba. place—the middle of a corn field, for in varia that for days to come no flour will instance-and have to walt until it is ousted by cross-fire or grenades until th

be available. Herr Dilly, president of the vegetable supply department, de-

Dense Swarms of Flies

Vincelles, over which alone in the whole region German shells still screamed from time to time. Here death and devasta-

the enemy, and it still seems to me premature to prophesy as to how and when it will end.

The Franco-American advance Fere-en-Tardenois and across the Ourcq has had the effect of turning the front between Solssons and the Ourcq and it

and see how quickly it clears the scalp of dandruff and irritation. has, in consequence, begun to crumble. The Butte-de-Chalmon, a big h The Butte-de-Chalmon, a big hill dominating Oulchy-le-Chateau and Nan-touil, which has formed the buttress of hill On retiring, gently rub spots of dandruff with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuti-cura Soap and hot water. Rinse the western face of the salient, has fallen into our hands, and it is clear from the presence of Scotch troops at Buzanny that Foch is taking advantage of the with tepid water. Repeat in two weeks. Nothing better or surer.

Allied progress in the south to re-enforce his attack on the Sotssons front, and so, by maintaining pressure on the enemy



We were standing amid the ruins of

warning of sights it was better not to see.

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