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FRENCH OUTPOSTS RUNNING TO SEEK COVER from a surprise attack of a German advance guard coming up

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RUMORED SINKING OF AUDACIOUS IS NOW CONFIRMED

Report that British , Dreadnought Lost in Irish Sea is Corroborated.

VESSEL AT BOTTOM OF OCEAN

After Career of Less Than Two Years Mighty Man o' War Beneath Waters.

DETAILS OF LOSS ARE GIVEN Third Largest Vessel in the British Navy is Sunk by Torpedo

or Mine.

ATTEMPT TO SAVE THE WARSHIP

Cable is Given it, but Snaps as it Tightens.

CREW SAVED BY THE OLYMPIC

Eight Hundred Men Taken Off by Lifeboats of the Big Passenger Ship, Which Answered Call Sent Out by Wireless.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14 .- Rumors of disaster to the British super dreadnought Audacious, which have persisted ever since the White Star liner Olympic, diverted from its course, arrived at Lough Swilly October 29 are confirmed in mail advices re-ceived today by the Associated Press from a point in Ireland. from a point in Ireland.

After a career of loss than two years the Audacious, third in tonnage and armament of his malesty's warships, I'er at the bottom of the ocean off the north const of Ireland. It was hit by a torpedo or disabled by a mine October 27. With the possible exception of one or two men the whole crew of 800 officers and men was rescued by small boats from the Olympic.

The rescue was made in a rough sca through brilliant and daring seamanship on the part of the White Star crew. The battleship's cry for assistance was caught by the wireless operator of the Olympic, which was only about ten miles distant. The steamer rushed forward at full speed. Volunteers were called for and double the number necessary to man the lifeboats responded. The crippled battleship was reached in a few minutes after 9 o'clock, and before noon all but 100 of its men had been transferred.

By that time the battleship hal a decided list at the stern, where, just below the waterline, it had received its wound.



satisfactory progress there. Major Moraht, military critic for the that the itussian advance south of the ALL EXPENSES OF TRIP PAID Tageblatt, referring to the fact that the Vistula, especially in the vicinity of Kaprisoners taken at Nieuport. Beigium, yesterday were French, says he regards the Russians have advanced, it is not

this as proof that the recent defeats of believed that the German frontler has the Belgians have so thinned their ranks been crossed anywhere as yet. that the exhausted survivors had to be Foreign reports that the towns of Ple replaced by French soldiers. He says schen and Posen have been occupied for further that the losses in prisoners at five days are discredited here. Nevershow, in the critic's opinion, that they and even intimating that General von believe the Germans have weakened their Hindenberg soon will turn the tables on

lines there in order to shift reinforce- the Russians

of the Votes Cast. vasion there. Nevertheless it is clear

> Will Go Over the Union Pacific and Visit Both San Francisco and

> > San Diego Expositions Next Year.

THE WINNERS.

> Co-operating with a number of the progressive merchants of the city and with the Union Pacific Railroad company, The Bee is enabled to give to three persons in Omaha, Miss Fay M. Watts, Charles Hall and Miss Ruth A. Pinney, each a giorious trip next year, and best of all, this trip OFF FOR EUROPE will not of necessity cost any of these persons a penny. The Bee is paying all of the expenses, except for the railroad tickets, which are supplied by the Union Pacific.

A little more than a year ago The Bee word. inaugurated its Panama exposition contest. Its details have been explained so many times that it is not necessary to TURK GARRISONS more than refer to them. Several of the merchants contracted to advertise in the columns of The Bee one day each week during the year. The Bee agreed to acept receipted bills of these merchants as evidence of the sales and further agreed that in the contest each dollar in receipted bills should be equivalent to 100 votes. It also agreed that in the contest there should be three winners designated. (Continued on Page Nine, Column Two.) Russ Report Heavy German Losses on the Recent Retreat

The Day's War News

Seldom since the beginning of the war have the reports from the various scenes of action been so contradictory as now. In Belgium, in France, in Galicia and in Russian Poland, and in the Caucasian regions, fighting is proceeding with varying degrees of intensity, but there was liftle in the way of authenticated news to indicate noteworthy changes in the fortunes of any of the contending nations.

Rumors of the sinking of the British superdreadnought Audaclous more than a fortnight ago were confirmed by mail advices. The French War office, in yes-

terday's official statement, again asserted that minor successes had been won in Belgium, but in the main the great battle for possession of the northern seacoast of France apparently is proceeding about the same as heretofore. Near Nieuport, on the North Sea, in the region of Ypres and between La Bassee and Arras, across the Erench border, successes by the allies are reported, either in the way of repulsing German attacks or making slow advances. German military authorities

made no modification of their previous assertions that their forces were slowly pushing onward at various points in Belgium. Unofficial advices from Berlin showed that the German people were increasingly optimistic on account of the latest reports from

the front. Turkey renewed its claims to victory over the Russian forces, stating that the invaders are being pushed back to Russian soil. A surprise attack by the Turks, Constantinople reports, was made with such success that the Russians were driven back toward Batoum, losing several towns. In a battle near Erzerum the Russians are said to have lost \$,500 men. Petrograd, however, reports steady progress in the campaign against Turkey.

Of what is happening in the great struggle further north between the Russians and the Teutonic allies there was no further

ALLIES RESUME ADVANCE ALONG BELGIAN FRONT

Feeling Growing in England that Germans Will Never Get Coveted Base on Channel Coast.

FORCE OF ATTACKS WEAKEN

Coalition Forces Take Offensive at Points South of Bixschoote and East of Ypres.

ARTILLERY DUELS CONTINUE Report that Allied Forces Have Re-

captured Dixmude Has Not Been Confirmed.

RUSS ADVANCE INTO GALICIA Vienna Report Admits Occupation of

Several Cities by Czar's Men.

TEUTON REPORT CONSERVATIVE

Berlin Claims Progress on Western Front and Says All Attempts of the Allies to Advance

Are Repulsed.

BULLETIN.

BERLIN, Nov. 14 .-- (By Wireless to London)-Military headquarters today gave out an official announcement as follows:

"The fighting in western Flanders continues. Our attacks during the last few days have been impeded by the rain and stormy weather and are, therefore, proceeding slowly. South of Ypres we have taken 700 prison-

"The British attacks to the west of Lille have been repulsed.

"At Berry Au Bac we compelled the French to evacuate a commanding position.

"Our attack in the forest of Argonne has made good progress, Here the French again suffered heavy losses, leaving more than 150 prisoners in our hands.

LONDON, Nov. 14 .- Both official and unofficial reports concerning the situation in Flanders agree that the force of the German assaults on the allies' lines has lessened and the feeling is growing in England that ARE IN REVOLT the coveted base for an invasion of England never will be gained by the Germans. A Paris official statesment declares that from the sea to the river Lys the German action has been less keen, that the allies have assumed the offensive along some parts of the front, are making progress south of Bixschoote and have taken a hamlet east of Ypres. Artillery duels continue along the rest of the line. Dixmude has been reported as reoccupied by the allies, but this lacks confirmation. As the allied armies have resumed the offensive at certain points, however, there is reason to believe that this town may again be the center of savage fighting. Russians Advance Into Galicia. On the eastern battreground the Russians continue to advance. Vienna admits officially that they have occupied Tarnow, Jaslo and Krasno, in Galicia. Residents are fleeing from East Silesia. The occupation of Johannisburg, in East Prussia, is regarded here as being of great strategic value to the Russians. The Germans are reported as having taken the guns from Cracow to Obpein, In Silesia, fifty miles southeast of Breslau, and to have left the defense of the Cracow fortress entirely to the Austrian garrison.

ALL WAR VICTIMS Funds Are Started Locally to Help

MANY HAVE RELATIVES THERE

People in This City and Over State Have Near and Distant Members of Their Families Serving in Different Armies.

the railroad track.

BELGIAN RELIEF FUND. E. M. Lefiang, Omaha ... \$1.00 P. Wilg Son, Omaha ... \$5.00 Agnes Shickley, Ashtoh, Neb. \$1.00 C. B. M. Cotter, Omaha ... \$5.00 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clapp and Harry Clapp, Friend, Neb. \$5.00 Herman Hoyn, Omaha ... \$5.00 F. W. Karror, Ecnedict, Neb. \$5.00

Sufferers on Both Sides of Bloody Struggle in Europe. IS CUT TO PIECES

Muscovite Force Exterminated by Collier Jason Sails with Twelve Turkisg Troops on the Caucasian Border.

BRITAIN EXPECTS TIDE'S TURN FIRST STOP AT FALMOUTH German Soldiers Rushed from One

Front to Another to Counter Anything Like Success at

Either Point.

RUSS ARMY CORPS | CHRISTMAS SHIP

Two of its engines were unharmed, but the one aft was put out of commission.

Attempt to Save Ship. After taking off all the officers and crew who would leave the ship, Captair Haddock of the Olympic, turned his attention to an attempt to save the warship. A cable was given it, but it enapped as it tightened. Mcantime the bulkheads began to give way and it was soon apparent that it would be impossible to tow the ship or keep it afloat. The cruiser Liverpool and several other warships had come up and stood by. Late in the afternoon it was decided to abandon the Audaclous, and the officers and men who had remained on board were taken off and the Audacious plunged stern first, and in a moment had disappeared.

The explosion is supposed to have been caused by shells not loose by the Hsting of the battleship. A bit of armor plate torn from the sieking ship struck the deck of the Liverpool, cutting the lega from under a gunner, who died in a (Continued on Page Three, Column Four.) (Continued on Page Two, Column Two. short time.

Man on Liverpoot Killed.

The Audacious met its fate twenty-five miles off the Irish coast, which the Olympic was skirting. The Olympic sailed from New York for Glasgow of October 21. It had been warned that there were German mines off Tory island. and fear of these mines was the official explanation when it unexpectedly put into Lough Swilly. The Olympic's passengers saw the mighty warrior sink. Then their ship turned its prow toward Lough Swilly. Small craft cleared the route to make sure it was free from mines. From October 27 to November 2. the Olympic key at Laugh Swilly. Charles M. Schwab was the only passenger who left the Olympic before it docked at Belfast on November 2.

Even officers of the White Star line were not permitted to board the Olympic at Lough Swilly, and all supplies were (Continued on Page Two, Column Two,)

The Weather.

Forecast until 7 p. m. Sunday: For Omahr. Council Diutfs and Vicinity --Cloudy and colder Ye werday.



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ympathies. Omalians of foreign birth and those of atural sympathies toward one or the force, consisting of an entire army corps, ociety functions of the churches have been suspended for the winter in many were so shattered that they were unable instances; local charity work has ceased to absorb the entire interest of the phi-Fathropists; the helpicss women and tion given out in Berlin today, the Ruschildren in the lands seturged to naked- sians continue to advance and have ocness by the war are the common thought of thousands whose pursestrings hang icose and whose hands are busy at help-

ful tasks. Four hundred dollars we've raised retreating from Koceljewa and Valjevo thready and we'll keep on raising money toward the cast, evidently not only to has ceased to exist." shid Henry Pol- to avoid being cut off by the northwestlack, who started a move to aid Hun- ern forces which are advancing on Val-

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cupled Tarnow, Jaslo and Kresno.

"The Austrian campaign against the Servians is proceeding rapidly," the statement continues. "The Servians are



Irene Conrad and Ruth Curran, happy | Bee for collecting the largest number of little girls with their dolls, Alice and doll pictures clipped daily from the the fire of the sloop Odin. Dorothy, which were given them by The | columns of The Bee

There-Vessel Will Then Proceed to Rotterdam.

Hundred Tons of Presents for

War Orphans.

Presents for England, France and

Beigium Will Be Discharged

BERLIN, Nov. 14 .- (By Wireless.)-An NEW YORK, Nov. 14 .- At 10 o'clock this morning the Christmas ship to whose

official Turkish communication received Berlin and given out to the press cargo friends of The Bee contributed-the describes, the final defeat of the Russ an U. S. S. Jason, Lieutenant Com-62 mander E. Courtney, commandother of the warring armies have merged on the Caucasian border. This engage- ing-left the dock of Norton, Lilly & Co., opinions in the common cause of relief. ment occurred November 12. The Turkish at the Bush terminal, Brooklyn, and report says that the forces of the enemy started on its voyage across the Atlantic ocean, loaded with 1,200 tons of presents to offer any further resistance. In Galicia, according to official informa-

given by the people of the United States. On Christmas day the gifts will be delivered to the million and more girls and boys whos fathers have died in the European war.

Godspeed from Wilson.

A message of Godspeed from President Wilson was received by Lieutenant Commander C. F. Courtney, U. S. N., shortly until the war is over or the need for help avoid the pursuing western army, but before sailing time. The docks as the ship sailed were black with thousands of They are organizing their northern forces school children, '

The gifts carried were gathered from every state of the union. They include

everything from toys and dells to cloth- is Oppein on the Oder, fifty miles southing and food. So heavy was the rain of east of Breslau. presents that a force of ninety goldiers and sixty sallors from the navy yard was re- to Oppein from Cracow and the latter quired to classify and repack them so place evidently is to be abandoned to the LORD ROBERTS, BRITISH that an equal distribution might be made Austrian garrison. in the several countries for which they

were intended. Eighty-Two Carloads. The cargo contained the following items:

Fourteen carloads of children's clothmg, five carloads of women's clothing, carload of men's clothing, five car loads of toys and fifty-seven carloads of miscellaneous presents, foodstuffs, boots, shoes, etc., a total of eighty-two carloads. The ship will call first at Falmouth, where the gifts intended for England France and Belgium will be discharged; then it will proceed to Hotterdam, where gifts for Holland and Germany will be discharged. At a later date another consignment will go forward for the people of Russia and Poland.

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD MAKES RATES OF REDISCOUNT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14 .- The Federal Reserve board today announced that the rate of rediscount to be charged for discounting commercial paper for member banks by the federal reserve banks at San Francisco and Dailas will be 6 per cent on bills running not longer than thirty days and 64 per cent on bills of longer maturity. The rates for New York and Philadelphia will be 5% to 6 per cent and for Boston and Chicago 6 per cent on all maturities.

BRITISH WARSHIPS REOPEN TURKISH PORT IN ARABIA

LONDON, Nov. 14-It was declared fficially today that the western entrance of the Shat El Arab river, known the European war. the Abedan passage, was now clear and that steamers were passing freely.

The British forces a wek ago occupied the port of Fao, at the south of the Shat El Arab, a Turkish river, which empties into the head of the Gulf of Persia.

Previous to landing of the British forces

LONDON, Nov. 14 .-- The Petrograd correspondent of the Dally News sends the following comment on the operations on the Russian front:

"The German eastern army will conduct the home defense from two bases. at Thorn, using the back belt railways to maintain communications with their East

Prussian arniy. The new southern base "A quantity of guns are being brought many."

"In the last stages of the retreat from Poland the Germans covered twenty-five

miles daily. Their column which fell back on Kalasz, lost \$0,000 men of whom 20,000 were killed."

Little Human Interest Stories of the Big World War Now Raging New Rules Made to Believe Spy Has Been Taken. in their advance along German territory LONDON. Nov. H .- A mysterious per- none of the German civil population will son, known under the names of Horst. be allowed to remain in conquered tor-Von der Goltz and Bridgman Taylor, de- ritory and that all of them must go forscribed as a major in the Mexican army ward in advance of the Russian army. and suspected of being a German spy, Fighting in Land of Pharaohs.

the charge of failing to register as an alien enemy. The prosecution said that although the prisoner was charged with this minor offense, he was under the very grave supicion of the foreign office, the admiralty and the police and that he might have to answer more serious charges.

The man had in his possession a passport issued in Washington bearing the name Bridgeman Taylor and describing him as a major in the Mexican army. When arrested by a detective and asked (Correspondence of The Associated Press). whether his name was Taylor or Von der Goltz, the prisoner is alleged to have replied, "Taylor, but how came you to know that I am Von der Goltz?"

Neutrality of Canal.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14-President Wilson today issued a proclamation to supplement the existing regulation for preservation of neutrality in the Panama canal and the Panama canal zone during

Russians Depopulate Prussia.

LONDON, Nov. 14.- The Morning Post's been set aside as the court hospital. spies, have arrived at the conclusion that until late in the afternoon.

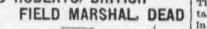
Uprising Reported Among Soldiers

in Constantinople an Adrianople. BOMB IS EXPLODED IN PALACE

Five German Officers Killed by Shot Intended for "the Man Who Sold Turkey to Germany."

LONDON, Nov. 1s -A dispatch to the Daily News from Petrograd says: "A measage received here from Bucharest states that there has been a re-

volt among the Constantinople and the Adrianople garrisons. "Five German officers were killed by the exploding of a bomb at the palace of Enver Boy, the Turkish war minister and leader of the young Turk party. Enver Bey was not injured. A letter found nearby said the bomb was intended for 'tha man who sold Turkey to Ger-



LONDON ,Nov. 14 .- The death of Field Marshal Roberts was officially announced tonight.

have been arrested.

exultation.

Caaring in Role of Nurse.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 28 -Almost in the

In the opinion of British observers, the city of Danzig, on the coast of West Prussia, looms as a point of Russian ob-(Continued on Page Two, Cotumn One.)

Safeguard Issue of **American Passports**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14 -- New rules to balk attempts by foreign secret agents to obtain American passports for use abroad BERLIN, Nov. 13.-(by Wireless, De-) were in effect today through an order layed.)-The reports reaching Berlin from signed by President Wilson. An announce-Milan, Italy, set forth in Egypt fighting ment by the State department, outlining already has occurred near the Suez canal. the new regulations said the department This information was given to the press recently had been informed "of several today from official quarters. Four wag- cases in which aliens holding themselves onloads of English wounded have arrived out as native American citizens have obat Cairo. The men were hurt in the tained or attempted to obtain American fighting between Suez and Ismaylia, passports for purposes of espionage or There has been a mutiny of the native otherwise in foreign countries."

troops and many well known Egyptians "Under the new rules," the department announced, "an applicant for a passport must make a sworn application before a clerk of a federal or state court within the jurisdiction of which he or his witnesses resides and the seal of the court shadow of the imperial palace in Tsearmust be affirmed. It is also required skoye, the winter home of Emperor that his witness, who must be an Amer-Nicholas, there is a low building half ican citizen, make a sworn statement in hidden behind villas which is perhaps support of the application before the same official.

the most remarkable hospital improvised "The applicant or his witness must be during the present war. Soldiers come out not only healed, but with a strange known to the clerk of the court before whom the application is made, or must he able to satisfy such officer as to his

The hospital is supported by funds at the disposal of the minister of the im- identity and the genuineness of the apperial court. At the special request of plication.

the empress, a part of the building has "Another requirement of the new pas port rules is that an applicant for a correspondent in Belsium says he hears were the empress and her two eldest passport is required to state the names on reliable authority that the Russian daughters, the Grand Duchesses Olga and of the foreign countries which he expassport is required to state the names commanders, taught by the harsh ex- Tatlana, work among the other Red Cross pects to visit and if any such country is the Turks guns at Fao were slienced by periences of their allies with German nurses from 10 o'clock every morning at war, he must state the object of he visit thereto."

