AUSTRIANS NOW IN FULL RETREAT

Forces of Dual Kingdom in Flight Over Entire Galician Front, Says Petrograd.

MOVEMENT IS NOT A DEFEAT

Action Indicates Obedience to Orders to Fall Back Rather Than Result of Rout by Enemy.

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PETROGRAD, Nov. 7.—(Special Cablegram to New York World and Omaha Bee.)—The Austrians are in full retreat over the entire Galician front. The movement is such as to indicate a less general defeat than a general obedience to orders to withdraw. The Russians have been pressing with great energy upon the upper Vistula and San fronts, especially since the settlement of the main fight further north against the German and mixed forces.

The Austrians will retire to an especially strong fortified position, extending from Cracow in the south to Kalisz on the north. These places are seventy miles apart. The object of making a stand here is to prevent the Russians attempting to turn the line of defense of Germany along the Oder. If a successful resistance is maintained here Germany will be free to throw the greater part of the armies which invaded Poland back to the western front in an effort to crush the Anglo-French defense.

Retire with Small Losses.

These forces, in spite of the Polish defeats, will be considerable in numbers and valuable in quality. When retiring, after failure before Warsaw, the Germans planted a heavy rear guard to fight the battle, and succeeded in getting their troops away with comparatively small losses. In fact, they secured twenty-four hours' start, and by this time, doubtless, have got back into Germany, still in good fighting condition, and possibly are already proceeding toward France.

On the east Prussian front the Germans continue to retire along the whole line. The Russians are following them up closely.

May Stand at Torun.

The general opinion in the army is that the Germans will attempt to make a stand at their fortified positions behind the river Tarma, a few miles inside of the frontier of Poland, but that the Russians will drive them out and that the real stand will be made along the line of the Oder and the fortresses of Cracow, Breslau and Thorn, in which case the Russian task will be difficult.

There is an impression that Russia is piling up numbers at the front only in proportion as its mobilization reaches the more and more distant regions of the vast empire. This is altogether wrong. Russia maintains a large army at all times, and since the Japanese war it has become a new army in many senses. Grand Duke Nicholas takes to the front forces sufficient for the purpose of his strategic plan.

Others to Fill Gaps.

Behind these and within easy reach are others ready to fill the gaps in the fighting line. They constitute a second army, while in distant provinces yet another army is being polished up. Ever since the war began a continual flow in regular sequence has been taking place, and thus the fighting front is always kept up to the full strength.

The idea that mobilization in Russia means that every ablebodied man is enrolled in the active army and getting there as fast as possible is ridiculous. This would bring 20,000,000 men at least into the field, and Russia does not want so many.

Widow's Bonnets in Big Demand in London

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LONDON, Nov. 7.—(Special Cablegram to New York World and Omaha Bee.)—At many well known West End women's tailoring establishments and millinery shops no guarantee is given that ordinary orders will be filled, as preference is given to orders for mourning gowns and hats. Twenty widows' bonnets were conspicuous in one millinery shop. When the question was asked why so many were kept in stock the answer was:

"They are for twenty widows, and represent orders given in three days."

At the tailoring places it was said that extra help has been employed in order to get ready at shortest notice mourning clothes. All other orders were accepted on the understanding that completion would depend on circumstances at the front.

Teacher and Pupils Die in Prairie Fire

BELFIELD, N. D., Nov. 7.—Miss Gladys Hollister, a school teacher, and three of her pupils were burned to death today when they ran from the school house, twelve miles from here, in an effort to escape an onrushing prairie fire. Three other children were perhaps fatally burned.

All the children were between the ages of 6 and 12. The fire, started by a thrashing outfit, was first observed when five miles away. With her twenty-two children the teacher dashed toward a ploughed field, some distance from the school. The crowd had not divided, those remaining with their teacher being caught a few feet from the ploughed ground.

Drops Two Bombs Into Naptha Tanks

LONDON, Nov. 7.—"An aviator from the allies' lines dropped two bombs in German naptha tanks at Bruges, Thursday, killing eight marines," says a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph company. The message continues:

"Guns were thundering yesterday and again today in the direction of Thourot and Ypres. The allies make constant sallies from Passchendaele, eleven miles northeast of Ypres, at night.

"Apparently scouts have blown up the railway between Bruges and Ghent, as a train full of wounded was obliged to return to Bruges today."

Closed to Shipping.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Russia informed the American government today that on account of mines the entrances to the Gulfs of Finland and Riga were closed to shipping; that mines have been placed around the Aland islands and in the northern part of the Baltic Sea in a zone extending from latitude 55 degrees 56 minutes north and east of the twenty-first meridian of longitude.

County Winners

Brown County—Clerk, Howard O. Wilson, rep.; treasurer, F. S. Finney, rep.; sheriff, Marion Foster, dem.; superintendent, Emma Burritt, dem.; attorney, J. S. Davison, n.-p.; surveyor, J. W. Ferguson, dem.; coroner, Amos Burwell, n.-p.; commissioner, First district, W. F. Justice, n.-p.; commissioner, Second district, L. O. Wolfe, dem.; judge, John W. Barr.

Burt County—County judge, G. A. Ireland; clerk, H. W. Whitaker, rep.; sheriff, Ran Stanfield, dem.; treasurer, Fraser Cook, rep.; coroner, H. A. Johnson, rep.; surveyor, W. M. Connealy, dem.; superintendent, W. T. Poucher, rep.; attorney, Herbert Rhoades, rep.

Clay County—County judge, J. S. Logan, dem.; clerk, Ward R. Newcomb, dem.; sheriff, Paul Bonnifield, dem.; treasurer, Albert Griess, dem.; coroner, A. J. Jennison, rep.; surveyor, Charles Prickett, rep.; superintendent, Mabel Mirk, dem.; attorney, M. L. Corey, dem.

Cherry County—Judge, Frank Fischer, dem.; clerk, A. B. Green, rep.; sheriff, C. A. Rosseter, dem.; treasurer, Charles S. Swanson, rep.; coroner, A. L. Lewis, rep.; surveyor and commissioners, undecided; superintendent, Edith Adamson, dem.; attorney, C. A. Ruby, dem.

Cuming County—County judge, Louis Dewold, dem.; clerk, Rudolph Brazda, dem.; sheriff, G. Sexton, dem.; treasurer, W. A. McDonald, dem.; commissioner, P. F. O'Sullivan, dem.; coroner, C. L. Riley, dem.; surveyor, G. A. McClintic, dem.; superintendent, Emma R. Miller, rep.; attorney, H. M. Nicholson, dem.

Custer County—County judge, N. Dwight Ford, n.-p.; clerk, Robert R. Waters, dem.; sheriff, Joseph F. Wilson, dem.; treasurer, M. S. Eddy, dem.; register, George E. Porter, dem.; commissioners, R. J. Mills, dem.; H. B. Schneringer, dem.; Fred W. Hayes, rep.; John Walker, dem.; coroner, Dr. H. B. Landis, rep.; surveyor, A. J. Van Antwerp, rep.; superintendent, T. C. Grimes, dem.; attorney, Frank Kelly, dem.

Dodge County—County judge, Waldo Winterstoen, dem.; clerk, John O'Connor, dem.; sheriff, W. C. Condit, rep.; treasurer, Ernest Hahn, rep.; register, Fred Klaes, dem.; supervisors, Forney, rep.; Nelson, rep.; Parkert, dem.; coroner, A. P. Overgaard, rep.; surveyor, William Sanders, dem-rep.; superintendent, John Matzen, rep.; attorney, F. W. Button, dem.

Dundy County—County judge, L. D. Vanderhoof; clerk, Halton Earl, dem.; sheriff, C. F. McGonagle, dem.; treasurer, E. R. Logan, rep.; coroner, E. A. Pickens; surveyor, Ira Lamb; superintendent, Lorna White; attorney, C. A. Ratcliffe.

Gosper County—County judge, C. G. Lewis; clerk, W. L. Reynolds, dem.; sheriff, R. L. Bragg, rep.; treasurer, B. R. Chambers, dem.; surveyor, J. E. Chambers, dem.; superintendent, F. W. Montgomery, rep.; attorney, O. E. Bozarth, dem.; commissioners, Fred Horm and C. G. Nelson, dems.

Grant County—Treasurer, Robert N. Hayward, rep.; clerk, S. S. Lichty, rep.; sheriff, Albert Metcalf, rep.; superintendent, Theo. A. Frye, dem.; surveyor, C. E. White, dem.; coroner, Wm. L. Howell, dem.; commissioners Arthur J. Abbott, rep., and Sidney Manning, dem.

Harlan County—County judge, B. B. Webber; clerk, A. B. Shoemaker, rep.; sheriff, Grant Starkey, rep.; treasurer, J. G. Richmond, rep.; commissioners, F. W. N. Brown and Oscar Peterson; coroner, G. M. Baxter; surveyor, G. M. Peck; superintendent, Mattiene Bragg, and attorney, O. E. Shelburn.

Hooker County—County judge, W. E. Bowers, rep.; clerk, W. B. Adams, rep.; sheriff, S. L. Dutton, rep.; treasurer, C. C. Campbell, rep; commissioners, H. L. Pierce, rep., and S. T. Elwood, dem.; coroner, John Q. Adams, rep.; surveyor, Placer Tucker, rep.; superintendent, J. H. Garrett, rep.

Johnson County—County judge, Livingston; clerk, Kelley, dem.; sheriff, Ehmer, rep.; treasurer, Nibbe, rep.; supervisors, Rothell rep., Platt, rep.; coroner, Bush, rep.; surveyor, Gove, pr.; superintendent, Kuster, dem.; attorney, Cowan, rep.

Logan County—County judge, Hogeboom, n.-p.; clerk, Otto Gerlach, dem.; sheriff, William Wells, rep.; treasurer, A. R. Ensign, rep.; commissioner, Halstead, rep.; coroner, Dr. Carr, rep.; surveyor, G. E. Wagoner, rep.; superintendent, Mrs. A. B. Hill, rep.

Madison County—County judge, M. S. McDuffee, ind.; clerk, D. T. Hodson, rep.; sheriff, C. S. Smith, rep.; treasurer, W. M. Darlington, rep.; register, E. H. Taylor, dem.; supervisor, W. S. Crook, rep.; coroner, R. H. Foster, dem.; surveyor, G. L. Huntley, rep.; superintendent, N. A. Housel, dem.; attorney, W. L. Dowling, rep.

McPherson County—County judge, R. J. Stack, rep.; clerk, Charles A. Daly, rep.; sheriff, Court Cash, rep.; treasurer, L. E. Pyzer, r.; commissioners, A. A. Hale, L. A. Worden, N. E. Trego, reps.; coroner, Dr. L. A. Carter, rep.; surveyor E. A. McMain, rep.; superintendent, E. S. Updike, rep.

Nuckolls County—County judge, Wm. M. Peebler, dem.; clerk, E. E. Hedgcock, rep.; sheriff, John A. Jones, rep.; treasurer, O. C. Myers, dem.; supervisors, T. T. Kauffman, rep., Hugh Allison, rep.; coroner, J. W. Roby, rep.; surveyor, A. W. McReynolds, rep.; superintendent, E. L. Seeley; attorney, H. A. Brubaker, rep.

Pawnee County—Clerk, Mahan, rep.; sheriff, McClung, rep.; treasurer, Albright, rep.; commissioners, Hanzeker, dem., and Drake, rep.; coroner Waddell, rep.; surveyor, Urtiska, rep.; superintendent, Hammond, rep., and attorney, Barton, rep.

Perkins County—County judge, T. W. Hull; clerk, close; sheriff, O. A. Oliphant; treasurer, Myles S. Keller; commissioners, Thomas Meade and H. E. Pankonin; coroner, F. M. Bell; surveyor, W. J. Watkins; superintendent, R. H. Vance; attorney, B. F. Hastings.

Platte County—County judge, John Ratterman, ind.; clerk, John Graf, dem.; sheriff, Henry C. Lachmt, dem.; treasurer, Otto E. Heuer, dem.; register, Jerry Carrig, dem.; supervisor, John Goetz, dem.; H. E. Clothier, dem.; John B. Hyle, dem.; C. A. Peterson, rep.; coroner, Henry Gass., dem.; surveyor, O. H. Swanson, rep.; superintendent, Fred S. Leeron, dem.; attorney, Otto F. Walter, dem.

Sarpy County—County judge, J. M. Wheat; clerk, W. E. Patterson, dem.; sheriff, Charles Hutter, rep.; treasurer, E. A. Ruff, rep.; supervisors, W. S. Ely, dem., W. Rykert rep.; coroner, R. Armstrong, dem.; surveyor, H. Patterson, dem.; superintendent, H. A. Collins, rep.; attorney, E. Nickerson, rep.

Saunders County—County judge, Z. Doneto, n. p.; clerk, J. D. Frahm, dem.; sheriff, Jerry Dailey, dem.; treasurer, F. J. Polak rep.; registrar, W. J. Dolezal, dem.; commissioners, Emil Helsing, dem., and Toren Miller, dem.; coroner, Charles Swanson, dem.; surveyor, George W. Temple, rep.; superintendent, Mrs. C. B. Mallisanes, rep., and attorney, Will Wenstrand, rep.

Schuyler County—County judge, A. Fiala, dem.; clerk, Ed F. Vrsak, rep.; sheriff, Joseph R. Bartunek, dem.; treasurer, M. F. Shonka, dem.; commissioners, E. K. Sindflar, rep.; D. S. Conrad, rep.; assessor, David N. Woods, rep.; coroner, Dr. J. C. Woodward, dem.; surveyor, I. W. Funk, dem.; superintendent, F. J. Voultance, dem.; attorney, B. F. Farrell, dem.

Sheridan County—Clerk, Maude B. Gillespie, dem.; treasurer, John H. Crowder, rep.; sheriff, R. M. Bruce, rep.; superintendent, C. P. Kelley, dem.; attorney, A. C. Plants, rep.; surveyor, Paul E. Brown, rep.; coroner, A. J. Molzahn, dem.; commissioner, Third district, I. R. Bray, rep.; judge, Derr.

Wayne County—County judge, James Button, ind.; clerk, Charles Reynolds, dem.; sheriff, George Porter, rep.; treasurer, T. Roe, rep.; supervisors, F. M. Corbit, dem.; G. S. Farran, rep.; coroner, Beckenhauer; surveyor, R. H. Jones, rep.; superintendent, Pearl Sewell, rep.; attorney, L. A. Kiblinger, dem.

Webster County—County judge, Ranny, n.-p.; clerk, J. J. Garber, rep.; sheriff, O. D. Hedge, rep.; treasurer, C. D. Robinson, rep.; commissioners, Floyd McCall, rep.; Grant Shidler, rep.; coroner, Ed Amack, rep.; surveyor, George H. Overing, rep.; superintendent, Gertrude L. Coon, dem.; attorney, Frank J. Munday, dem.

York County—County judge, H. G. Hopins; clerk, Anna H. Beck, rep.; sheriff, J. Miller, rep.; treasurer, A. Metz, rep.; register, R. Davis, rep.; supervisor, republican by two votes; coroner, O. Hitchcock, dem.; surveyor, A. Codding, rep.; superintendent, T. C. Lord, rep.; attorney, O. Gilmore, dem.

Revised State Returns

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.
(Forty-one Counties.)

Pearson, D.	59,392
Hoagland, R.	58,356

SECRETARY OF STATE.
(Fifty-nine Counties.)

Pool, D.	73,781
Wait, R.	74,144

AUDITOR.
(Forty-three Counties.)

Smith, D.	59,948
Minor, R.	58,582

ATTORNEY GENERAL.
(Forty-two Counties.)

Reed, D.	60,526
Sears, R.	57,08[illegible]

RAILWAY COMMISSIONER.
(Forty-two Counties.)

Maupin, D.	56,059
Hall, R.	58,974

LAND COMMISSIONER.
(Forty-three Counties.)

Eastham, R.	56,873
Beckham, R.	59,466

STATE SUPERINTENDENT.
(Forty-five Counties.)

Whitehead, D.	58,585
Thomas, R.	62,139

STATE TREASURER.
(Forty-four Counties.)

Hall, D.	63,441
Hamer, R.	58,502

UNIVERSITY REGENTS.
(Forty-three Counties.)

Miller, D.	56,461
Noble, D.	40,351
Brown, R.	51,333
Jansen, R.	47,151

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.
(Forty-seven Counties, 1[illegible]7 Precincts.)

For suffrage	56,228
Against	61,344

UNIVERSITY REMOVAL.
(Twenty-three Counties.)

For removal	10,732
Against	25,941

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.
(Twenty-five Counties.)

For	33,491
Against	31,437

Following are the tabulations:

For Governor.

	1914 More-head.	1914 How-ell.	1914 Sack-ett.	1912 More-head.	1912 Al-drich.
*Adams	2,090	1,973	....	2,130	1,741
*Antelope	1,356	1,389	....	1,406	1,648
Arthur	92	54	8	....	....
Banner	103	139	15	45	174
*Boone	892	883	20	1,520	1,337
*Box Butte	742	440	27	692	598
Boyd, 7	342	277	117	....	....
Brown	527	599	....	....	....
Buff., 23 pct	1,784	1,968	122	....	....
*Butler	1,913	1,265	34	....	....
Burt, 16	1,100	1,116	108	1,271	1,658
*Cass	2,252	1,836	....	2,328	1,846
Chase	401	391	29	338	397
Cherry	961	1,095	....	1,177	1,185
Cheyenne	714	824	27	779	501
Clay, un't.	1,675	1,693	....	1,749	1,806
*Colfax	1,145	515	17	1,115	912
*Cuming	1,539	857	....	1,689	1,076
Custer	2,278	2,056	263	2,531	2,876
Deuel, 3	185	236	12	....	....
*Dodge	2,237	1,310	....	2,331	1,995
*Douglas	13,932	10,110	....	15,428	12,009
Dundy, un't	451	325	7	359	480
Dakota, 2	206	93	8	95	110
Frontier	671	794	....	617	796
Fillmore	1,659	1,705	....	1,816	1,599
*Franklin	1,373	863	118	1,138	1,070
*Furnas	1,119	1,162	....	1,375	1,194
Gage	2,699	1,769	1,404	3,119	2,998
Garden	365	322	27	267	508
Grant	179	115	16	111	110
Greel'y, un't	1,094	506	....	1,057	671
*Gosper	413	485	....	563	390
*Hall	1,927	1,566	94	2,451	1,733
Hamilton, 17	1,129	1,428	....	1,369	1,429
Harlan	598	854	55	1,017	876
Howard, 11	901	589	21	949	660
Holt	1,785	1,354	206	1,693	1,742
*Hooker	185	97	....	120	150
Jefferson	1,558	1,417	....	1,569	1,653
*Johnson	1,029	976	60	1,326	997
Keith	445	358	....	359	367
Knox, 25	1,672	1,095	....	....	....
Kearney	1,012	880	65	985	1,019
Lancaster	6,145	5,592	531	7,111	6,256
Lincoln, 31	1,223	1,228	....	....	....
Logan	206	160	14	37	27
Madison, 3	147	128	..	153	153
McPherson	122	127	16	....	....
Merrick	1,025	1,168	....	1,104	1,159
*Nance	871	1,021	....	855	1,061
*Nemaha	1,408	1,027	....	1,711	1,217
Nuckolls	1,536	1,222	....	1,471	1,433
*Otoe	2,140	1,544	....	2,240	1,724
Pawnee	1,176	991	49	1,110	1,129
Perkins	289	262	22	246	294
*Polk	1,043	1,182	....	1,024	1,141
*Phelps	932	1,041	....	1,307	998
Pierce	1,205	804	24	1,073	1,036
Platte, 11	1,020	680	73	....	....
*R'h'dson	2,200	2,054	....	2,740	1,622
*Saline	2,288	1,312	....	2,268	1,674
Sarpy	1,196	647	40	1,085	650
*Saunders	2,297	1,814	91	2,384	2,179
*Seward	1,958	1,445	46	2,025	1,528
Scotts Bluff	746	537	57	538	891
Sheridan	716	727	42	705	769
Sioux, 6	149	112	....	158	123
Stanton	886	379	...	836	704
*Thurston	1,063	794	....	927	968
*Thomas	211	154	....	189	161
Wayne, 5	262	292	..	301	290
*Wash'gton	1,355	894	....	1,309	1,281
*Webster	1,190	1,140	....	1,286	1,366
*York	1,618	2,060	125	2,046	1,912
Totals	100,752	83,690	...	98,507	85,644

Sixty-one counties complete and 145 precincts.

Supreme Justice.

	Hollenbeck.	Reese.
Antelope	492	804
Banner	54	192
Brown	415	434
Butler	966	954
Burt	1,028	970
Cheyenne	586	470
Cuming	1,448	932
Colfax	1,255	342
Dodge	3,373	504
Douglas	9,288	8,504
Grant	66	199
Gosper	255	292
Harlan	878	792
Hooper	79	181

State Suffrage Vote

	For.	Against.
Adams, 6 missing	1,343	1,240
Antelope, complete	1,039	966
Arthur	78	42
Boone, 2 pcts	151	136
Box Butte	634	470
Brown	611	449
Burt	933	1,098
Butler	1,074	1,669
Chase	316	256
Cherry, 36 pcts	762	685
Cheyenne	457	584
Colfax, 8 pcts	485	691
Clay, 12 pcts	798	943
Cuming	571	1,627
Dawes, 1 pct	302	171
Dawson	1,543	1,017
Deuel	164	112
Douglas	9,517	10,818
Franklin, 15 pcts	319	475
Frontier	662	699
Gage	1,896	2,006
Garden	370	248
Gosper	323	441
Grant	116	133
Greely, complete	707	734
Harlan	845	729
Hitchcock	390	382
Holt	1,365	1,313
Howard	659	800
Hooker	123	114
Hall, complete	1,283	1,667
Jefferson, 7 pcts	452	549
Johnson	532	1,118
Kearney	767	959
Keith	361	266
Kimball	306	141
Knox, 1 pct	57	54
Lancaster, 54 pcts	5,728	4,889
Madison, 3 pcts	100	167
McPherson	169	93
Merrick	932	871
Nance, complete	759	760
Nuckolls	1,294	1,281
Otoe, complete	1,287	1,664
Pierce, 8 pcts	180	269
Pawnee	623	705
Polk	1,017	904
Platte	1,097	1,887
Perkins	278	212
Rock	318	284
Saline, 1 pct	98	57
Sarpy	611	794
Saunders	1,409	985
Scott's Bluff	643	464
Sheridan	696	535
Seward, complete	1,101	1,949
Thurston, 8 pcts	285	378
Thomas	82	66
Webster	1,001	1,144
Washington	855	1,076
Totals	56,236	61,344

Forty-six complete counties and 174 precincts.

Election Echoes

Declaring that the progressive elements in American politics were divided by the election on Tuesday, Representative Victor Murdock, progressive leader in the house and defeated candidate for United States senator from Kansas, said at Wichita that the next step in political evolution is the breaking of the "solid south" and an alignment that will bring progressives of all parties together.

The progressive national executive committee met behind closed doors in New York City, three members and one man holding a proxy attending. There are eight members. Subjects of general interest to the progressive party were discussed, it was announced, but no action was taken and the meeting adjourned to reconvene on December 2 in Chicago. Those present were: George W. Perkins, chairman; William Flinn, Pennsylvania; George O. Priestly, Oklahoma, and Harold Ickes, Illinois, representing Miss Jane Addams of Chicago. Theodore Roosevelt did not attend and it was said he sent no message.

FLYER DESTROYS BRIDGE GERMANS ARE CROSSING

PARIS, Nov. 8.—The story of an exciting incident that took place near an important bridge over the Oise, not far from Sempigny, has been received here.

The French were ordered to hold the bridge at any cost. They placed quick firers, which played havoc for twenty minutes in the German ranks and prevented the German advance. Suddenly the bugle sounded for a French retreat and the Germans quickly pursued them over the bridge. A moment later a French aviator, who had been hovering overhead, dropped a bomb which completely destroyed the bridge.

The French then delivered a bayonet charge, forcing the enemy into the river. A pontoon bridge was quickly constructed and the French crossed. They succeeded not only in regaining the lost position, but in establishing themselves in an advanced position at Tracy.

AMERICAN NAVY HAS MOST POWERFUL GUN DESIGNED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The largest and most powerful naval gun ever designed has just been completed for the United States navy. It is a 16-inch rifle, which, it became known tonight, has been constructed without publicity at the Washington navy yard and is now being put through tests at the Indian Head proving grounds on the Potomac, below this city.