

LOUVAIN GIRLS PUT OUT TEUTONS' EYES

Women Take Part in Fight Waged Whole Day by Population Against Soldiers.

OFFICIAL GERMAN STATEMENT

Treatment of City and Its People Declared to Have Been Forced Upon Kaiser's Men for Sake of Self Protection.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Adolph von Bruening, former secretary to the German embassy at Washington, who is now at Genoa, Italy, has sent to a relative here the following communication from Dr. Alfred Zimmerman, German under-secretary of foreign affairs, with the information that the German government requested that it be given publicity:

"BERLIN, Aug. 26.—(Official Communication of the German General Staff.)—The city of Louvain (Louvain) has surrendered and was given over to us by the Belgian authorities. On Monday, August 24, some of our troops were shipped there, and intercourse with the inhabitants was developing quite friendly.

Rifle Fire Opens.
"On Tuesday afternoon, August 25, our troops, hearing about an imminent Belgian sortie from Antwerp, left in that direction, the commanding general ahead in a motor car leaving behind only a colonel with soldiers to protect railroad (Landsturm battalion 'Neuse'). As the rest of the commanding general's staff with the horses was going to follow and collected on the market place, suddenly rifle fire opened from all the surrounding houses, all the horses being killed and five officers wounded, one of them seriously.

"Simultaneously fire opened at about ten different places in town, also on some of our troops just arrived and waiting on the square in front of the station and on incoming military trains. A designed co-operation with the Belgian sortie from Antwerp was established beyond doubt. Two priests caught in handing out ammunition to the people were shot at once in front of the station.

Town Burning.
"Street fighting lasted till Wednesday, August 26, in the afternoon (twenty-four hours) when stronger forces arrived in the meantime, succeeding in getting the upper hand. Town and northern suburb were burning at different places and by this time have probably burned down altogether.

"On the part of the Belgian government a general rising of the population against the enemy had been organized for a long time; depots of arms were found, where to each gun was attached the name of the citizen to be armed.

"A spontaneous rising of the people has been recognized at the request of the smaller states at The Hague conference as being within the law of nations as far as weapons are carried openly and the laws of civilized warfare are being observed; but such rising was only admitted in order to fight the attacking enemy.

Had Already Surrendered.
"In the case of Louvain the town had already surrendered and the population submitted without any resistance, the town being occupied by our troops. Nevertheless the population attacked on all sides and with a murderous fire the occupying forces and newly arriving troops, which came in trains and automobiles, considering the hitherto peaceful attitude of the population.

"Therefore, there can be no question of means of defense allowed by the law of nations, neither of a veritable guesstapes (ambush), but only of a treacherous attempt of the civil population all along the line and all the more to be condemned as it was apparently planned long beforehand with simultaneous attack from Antwerp as arms were not carried openly as women and young girls took part in the fight and blinded our wounded, attacking their eyes out.

Justified Severe Methods.
"The barbarous attitude of the Belgian population in all parts occupied by our troops has not only justified our severest measures, but forced them on us for the sake of self preservation. The intensity of the resistance of the population is shown by the fact that in Louvain, twenty-four hours were necessary to break down their attack. We ourselves regret deeply that during these fights the town of Louvain has been destroyed to a great extent. Needless to say that these consequences are not intentional on our part but cannot be avoided in this infamous Prancetrue war being led against us.

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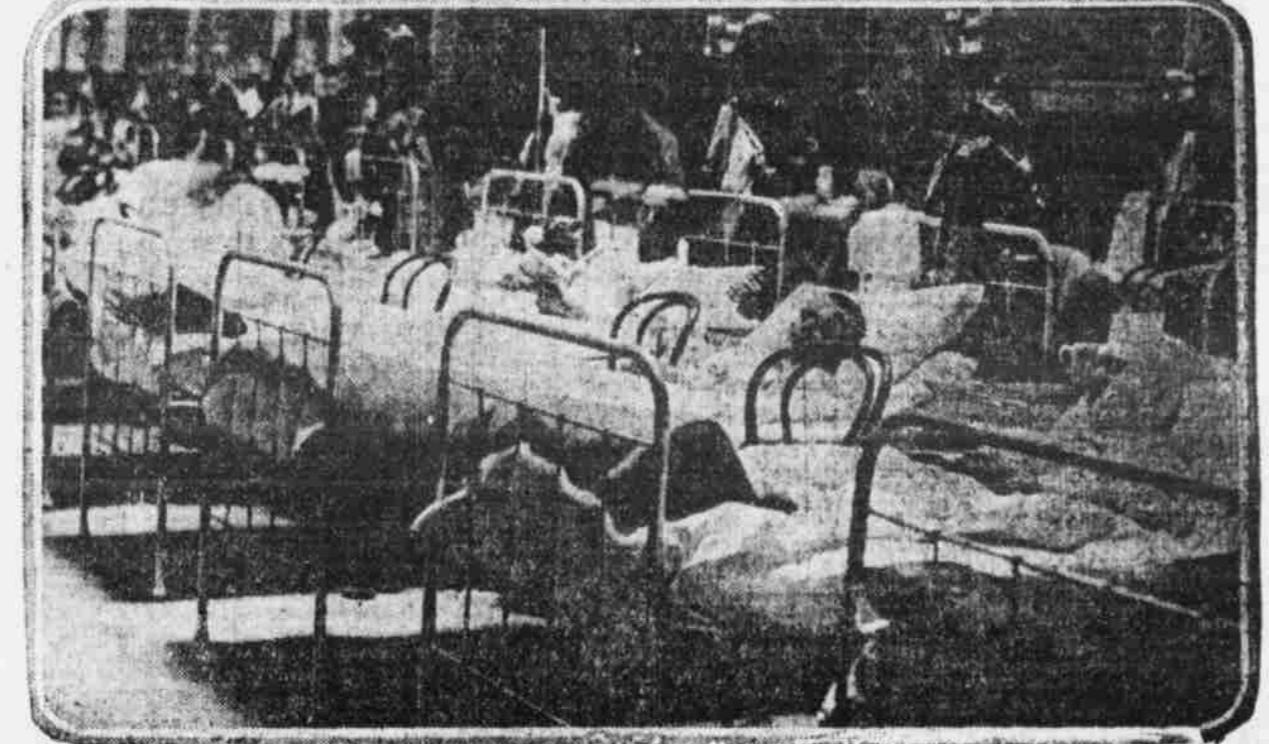
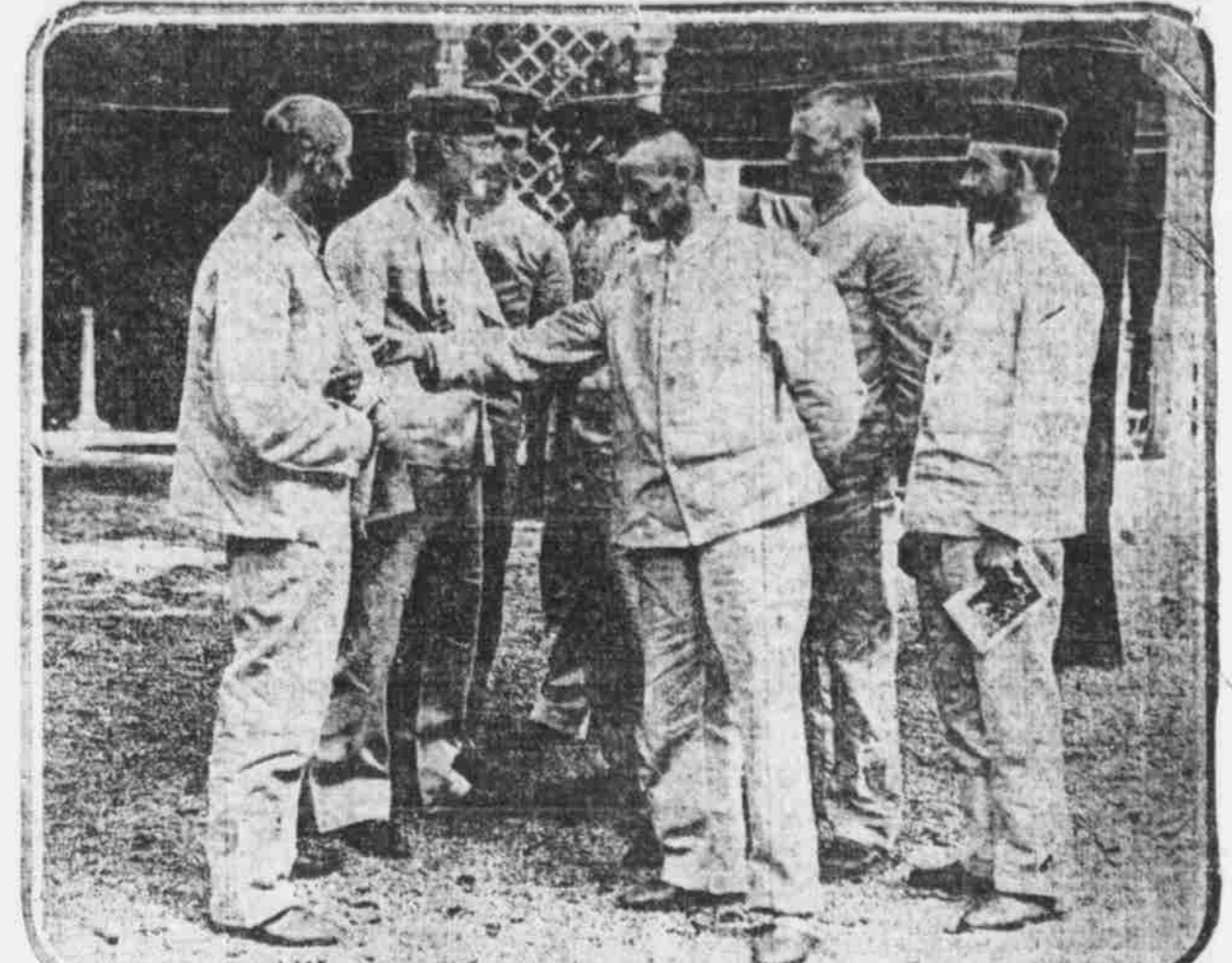
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GERMAN WOUNDED TELLING STORY OF FIGHT AND IN MILITARY HOSPITAL

—Few pictures are being passed by the German censors these days. These are the first to come from Berlin for almost a week. The upper photograph shows wounded German soldiers in the military hospital at Berlin telling their comrades who have not yet been to the front of the terrific fighting against the troops of the allies. Below is shown an interior view of the over-crowded military hospital.



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Depends on East.
Of the greatest value would be the success of the French in penetrating the line on the east against the German center and left.

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UHLANS MAKE THEM TARGETS FOR FOES

Bide Everywhere Into Death to Learn Information About Forces of the Enemy.

Work of Uhlans.
"In 'screen' work the uhlan is used to cover infantry or artillery advances, taking a position on the flank as soon as this has been accomplished.

Austrian Vessel Badly Damaged in Battle

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A dispatch to the Evening News from Venice says that one side of the Austrian dreadnaught, Viribus Unitis, was badly damaged in a fight in the Adriatic, but it escaped its pursuers.

CATARRH OF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

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CZAR SOON TO HAVE 7 MILLIONS MOVING

Russians on Offensive in Galicia, but Standing on Defensive in East Prussia.

CHASE OF AUSTRILIANS STILL ON

Cossacks, Leading Advance of Mighty Hosts of Nicholas, Are Overrunning the Border.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Reports received from Petrograd say that the Russian pursuit of the Austrians continues and that the Russians have gained important successes over the Austrian rear guard. Convoys of two army corps, with thirty guns and ammunition and 8,000 prisoners, are said to have been captured. The whole of the Austro-Hungarian border between Yusevoff and Annopol is reported to be overrun by Cossacks who are leading the Russian advance.

Artillery Slackens Fire During Rain

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail describing the great battle says:

"The Germans have held their ground three days, their heaviest guns hidden in the woods and the French artillery has not yet obtained a mastery of fire over them.

"The German infantry is entrenched along the edge of woods in which the batteries are concealed. It is being attacked alternately by artillery fire and by infantry assaults, the French charges being driven home right into the heart of the woods.

"At night the Germans make counter attacks, but these have always been repulsed.

"The strength of the German position is the height of Mount 'Abbas', three miles east of Rheims. There the Germans occupy the site of what used to be the forts of Rheims and from there they are bombarding the town of Rheims, which was on fire in eight different places at 4 o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon when I came down from the tower of the cathedral, from which I had been watching the fierce battle, since morning."

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