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FIGHT IN WESTERN THEATER KEEPS UP

No Decisive Victories, However, Are Reported by Either Side of the Battle.

ARTILLERY IS SLOWING DOWN

Since Big Encounter on Tenth of the Month No Heavy Guns Have Been Actively Engaged in Reducing Opposition Forces.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The official information bureau has given out another account by an eye-witness of recent operations. This recital is dated October 21 and explains that with the arrival of reinforcements the British have been able to play a more prominent part, assisting in the gradual extension to the northward, which has thrown British troops to the Franco-Belgian border. "Up till recently," says this statement, "the extension northward has been carried out by the French alone." The narrative goes on to explain that there have been actions in the two western theaters of the war from Nicourt south and along the Aisne and continues: "In both these theaters the results obtained, without being in any way decisive, have been entirely satisfactory and in furtherance of the general scheme which the allied armies are carrying out in co-operation. "In the southern of the two spheres on the Aisne our right wing has been maintaining its pressure without actually moving forward, while in the northern sphere our left wing has advanced a considerable distance in face of opposition. "No Big Artillery Fighting. "On the Aisne since the repulse inflicted on the enemy the night of October 19, there has been no serious and less artillery action than usual because the misty, rainy weather has rendered observation almost impossible. On the night of October 13-14 the enemy commenced an attack which was not pushed through and which may be regarded as a demonstration. Our patrols have been active with the bayonet at night, and they have accounted for numerous small parties of German infantry left to occupy their front trenches. But the positions of the opposing forces have remained practically unchanged. "Weather Hinders Action. "In the north of France the fighting so far has been of a preparatory nature alone. As stated, ground has been gained by us, but the misty weather has hampered aerial reconnaissance and at times rendered artillery co-operation almost impossible, which facts have made progress somewhat slow. "The narrative here describes the nature of the country along the Belgian frontier, explaining that hedges are frequent, that trees often restrict the view, and that means of communication are bad. "It is in a blind country of this nature," the narrator goes on, "that our advanced guards near the Belgian frontier are engaging the advanced troops of the enemy. The latter consists in some places of cavalry supported by Jagers and Schutz detachments, with large numbers of machine guns and others with larger bodies of infantry. "As it was in the case of our march up to the Aisne, the enemy is making every effort to delay our progress, no doubt to give time for the stronger forces behind to perfect their arrangements. In general they take every advantage that is to be obtained from the ground and conceal themselves well, making use of ditches and hedges and the villages they hold, together with buildings, many of which have been placed in a state of defense. "Parapets Are Inconspicuous. "Furthermore they occupy narrow trenches with inconspicuous parapets on the outside of the villages. Machine guns of ten are placed in the center of rooms, whence they can command an approach through a window. "So far in our advance we have inflicted considerable loss on these detachments. They have made several determined counter attacks in order to free themselves and throw us back. Many of the prisoners falling into our hands have expressed surprise at being opposed by the British in this quarter. "To the north of the Aisne, although for reasons already given, an adequate reconnaissance ahead has been practically impossible, and in spite of the fact that the Germans held a strong position on a high bridge between Godewaersvelde and Balieul, one of our cavalry forces, supported by infantry, has driven the enemy back steadily. Some hard fighting has taken place in this direction, especially in the neighborhood of Mont Desaut. "On October 13, one of our cavalry patrols came suddenly on a German machine gun detachment and charged. Some of the Germans were killed, the rest scattered and the gun captured. "Progress Slower on Night. "On the right to the south of the Aisne the progress has been slower, partly because the Lorraine affords greater facilities to the enemy for the defense and partly because the enemy has had more time for preparations and is in greater strength. The numerous dikes in this part of the country are so broad and deep as to necessitate the transport of planks and ladders by which to cross them. It is in this quarter that the most obstinate combat for the possession of villages have taken place and that the enclosed country has rendered the co-operation of artillery most difficult, except where the village contains a church or other landmark above the trees by means of which gunmen get their range. "Parts of the region where this fighting has been in progress present a melancholy aspect. Many once prosperous homesteads and hamlets are literally torn to pieces. "The work of burial falls to a great extent on the local inhabitants. Amidst the graves scattered all over the countryside are rifle pits, trenches and emplacements, which those now resting below the sod helped to defend or attack. From these the progress of the fighting can be traced and even its nature, for they vary from carefully constructed and cunningly placed works to the hastily shaped fair of a German sniper, or roadside ditch with its sides scooped out by the strengthening implements of our own infantry."

ARMY OF TEUTONS IS BEING ROLLED UP LIKE A RIBBON

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For the possession of the North sea and channel ports. For the first time since the war began air craft and warships are aiding simultaneously in the movement of land forces; thus the struggle is being waged in the air, on the sea and on the land, at the same time.

The Germans are hurrying forward fresh troops and heavy guns, the latter to make reply to the damaging fire from the ships, and although they have been pushed back at certain points, they appear to be holding their line between the sea and La Basse, without, however, making noteworthy progress.

Terrific Artillery Duel. The fight, so far as Belgium is concerned, has now resolved itself into a terrific artillery duel, in which it is claimed that the allies, by reason of "advantage. The muddy roads and the network of canal ditches have hindered the invaders in getting their guns of equal or greater range into positions. When they do accomplish this the situation will be even more acute. It is said that up to the present time the British naval losses have been negligible, although both sides have suffered heavily on land. The Germans claim to have put a British torpedo boat out of action.

King Albert at Front. Albert, king of the Belgians, who since his retirement from Ostend has been reported at various points in northern France, appears to be actually at the scene of fighting. This information is on the authority of the British admiralty dispatches which say that the king is also with the Belgian army, but this must be classed as a rumor, much the same as the reports that General von Moltke, chief of the German general staff, is seriously ill or the statement that Emperor William again has moved his headquarters.

The report that General Moltke's son has been killed is also refuted and it will be remembered that only recently it was rumored that General von Moltke had been removed as chief of the general staff.

That the German line south of Ostend has been cut and that a retirement has set in, figures among a number of other unconfirmed news reports this morning. On the other hand another correspondent of the Times says the Germans have not left Brussels and that they are still in great force in the neighborhood of Ostend. What withdrawals of troops there has been toward Bruges, this correspondent adds, is only a precautionary measure.

Belgians Recross Yser. A message from Havre says the Belgians have regained the right bank of the river Yser, and this is the first information that they were forced to give ground there during the recent fighting. All official statements given out by the allies have insisted that they were valiantly resisting the German assault. The use of the word "regained," however, would seem to indicate that the Germans at times have made advances. The dikes of this waterway have now been cut, making the situation for the Germans more difficult.

The German press is branding the round-up of alien enemies in the British Isles as a national persecution, and in later dispatches from Berlin there have appeared allegations concerning atrocities committed by French soldiers, although later dispatches say that none of these has been substantiated.

Sir and Zepplin Bugaboo. The London press is congratulating the country on this gathering up of aliens in the British Isles on the theory that while individual hardship may result in some cases, it is better in general to remove what is regarded as a menace. As a matter of fact the German spy idea has been becoming more and more of a bugaboo, until it finally got on British nerves with the result that it was decided to take no chances. This action is in a way similar to the precautions against possible attacks by Zeppelins, but the insurance companies are doing a large business not only on property, but against personal injury from bombs. Even Westminster Abbey has been insured.

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GERMANS PUSHING WEST NEAR LILLE

Teutons Making Valiant Effort to Straighten Out Kink in the Fighting Line.

BIRD MEN ARE FLYING HIGHER

Aeroplane Scouts Not Quite So Daring as They Were at Beginning of War and Seek Lower Elevations.

BERLIN (Via The Hague and London), Oct. 23.—While the German armies on the west wing are slowly pushing forward against the strongest opposition in the region between Lille and the channel in a campaign to straighten out the flank, which in the earlier stages of the struggle, was bent back almost to the Belgian frontier, in order to cover the communications with the home land, the situation to the eastward, on the fortress line of Verdun, Toul and Belfort, has changed but little since the end of September. A report received directly from that region by the Associated Press shows that the German armies between Verdun and Toul still retain a foothold on the west bank of the Meuse despite the frequent French efforts to eject them. The Germans apparently are content to hold the positions gained pending the inauguration of an artillery attack against Verdun. The captured barrier fort of Camp Romagnon, now a part of the German line, and a German bridge across the Meuse, protected by formidable works, at the bridge head, offer a thoroughfare for starting a German wedge against the center of the French whenever a resumption of this mass play is deemed advisable.

French Attacks from South.

The French attacks seem to come more from a southern, even a southeasterly direction, from the regions of Toul, Nancy and Font-A-Mousson, against the original flank of the German position, than against the point of the wedge at St. Mihiel. The fortress positions at Toul are too strong to offer the possibility of taking them by storm and thereby forcing a retirement of the French line.

Southward of Toul, particularly in the Vosges mountain region, comparative quiet prevails, and no major operations appear to be in progress.

Between Verdun and Toul, both sides dug themselves in most thoroughly. The French and German trenches are marked by insignificantly and the advanced posts are snugly encoached in these shelter pits. Even the commanding general, far in the rear, has a bomb-proof beside his headquarters, in which he takes shelter if the enemy's heavy artillery chooses to drop a shell or two in his vicinity.

Machine Gun Deadly.

The machine gun is so effective in this warfare that advances require almost as elaborate sapping and digging as did the old-style attack on fortresses. The attacking force pushes forward a successive line of trenches, which sometimes approach within twenty yards of the enemy. Mining and counter mining is in the struggle for the trenches.

Aeroplane scouting is so effective that batteries must be completely masked by branches or even placed in regular side houses to escape detection. It is regret-

able that military requirements forbid a description of some of the ingenious methods of concealment.

Aeroplane Ety Higher.

Aeroplane scouts have been driven to high regions of the air by artillery fire, particularly from anti-balloons guns. They now scout at an altitude of 5,000 feet, instead of 4,000 feet as they did earlier in the war.

The heavy artillery is located, as in September, well to the rear, but occasionally receives the enemy's compliments in the shape of a shower of shrapnel from an additional field battery, which creeps up within range or from heavy shells from the long range, high angle guns. Much of the heavy artillery practice occurs at night to avoid aeroplane detection. Such guns, which are operated exclusively in direct firing, never see the target and are naturally quite as accurately aimed in the darkness as in daylight.

Certain regions of the fortress line in the eastern front are heavily wooded, as in the Argonne forest, west of Verdun. The struggle in the wood of Argonne, southeast of St. Mihiel, have been quite as desperate and sanguinary as in the Argonne forest. The fighting in these French forests is not only on the surface, but is also aerial and underground. Riflemen and the machine guns operate by preference from the tree tops.

The ground at the surface is described as one continuous mass of wire entanglements, and trees and an advance is so difficult there that the soldiers burrow forward from the trenches and endeavor to blow up their opponents.

German Hospitals Admirable.

The German hospital arrangements, as seen in the Argonne region, are admirable. Automobiles buses are doing particularly good work in the rapid transport of the wounded from the battlefields to the hospital. One column of Berlin auto buses brought 30 wounded from a battle in Argonne which started at noon, and delivered them at the field hospital, more than fifty miles in the rear, by 5 o'clock. Seats have been removed from the ambulances and racks inserted of which twelve stretchers can be placed.

SPAIN PROHIBITS EXPORT OF HORSES AND MULES

LONDON, Oct. 23.—A dispatch from Madrid to the Exchange Telegraph company, under Thursday's date, says that a Barcelona message states that the French customs officers at Cerbere, near the southeastern boundary between France and Spain, seized as contraband a quantity of blankets which were made in Catalonia and were addressed to Swiss factories, but which it is believed were destined for the German army.

The Spanish government the dispatch also states, has prohibited the export of horses and mules, which had been started on a large scale.

GERMAN RETREAT BECOMING A ROUT

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fight ensued. Neither side could gain the advantage and the slaughter was fearful.

"Finally a Russian hurrah came down on the wind from the flank, followed by brisk firing. The Germans mistook this for a successful outflanking movement and they broke and fled, abandoning everything in their run for safety. The Russians pursued them twenty miles and the plain was strewn with the German dead.

Austrians Gaining Ground.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—(By Wireless).—Information received here from Vienna says it has been announced officially that the Austrian troops are still gaining ground. They attacked the Russian fortified positions near Felshtyn and stormed the heights to the north of Magiera on Tuesday. They have occupied the last part of a successful Carpathian mountain in Russian hands, called the Karpats, and Hungarian territory is now completely clear of Russians. In the crown land of Bukovina, the Austrians are advancing toward Sereth.

The correspondent in Berlin of the Rome Tribune has admitted that the confidence of the Germans in the general staff of the army is quite justified by its inconspicuous organization.

The Paris Temps, according to an uncorroborated announcement made in English have confiscated and sold many valuable German and Austrian race horses, worth in all more than \$200,000. This fact, it is said, together with the confiscation of the racing yacht owned by Herr Krupp von Bohlen, proves that the English have no respect for private property.

Austrians Retake Serovivna.

BERLIN, Oct. 23.—(By Wireless).—According to official announcements made in Vienna, Zerovivna, capital of the crown land of Bukovina, which has been in the possession of the Russians since early in the war, has been retaken by the Austrians.

They have captured also two Russian field fortifications, located one behind the other, to the southeast of Sambor. To the northwest of Sambor Austrian troops are proceeding in the direction of Strassburg.

During recent engagements Austrian troops have taken 1,000 Russian prisoners, among whom are twenty-five officers. They have captured also fifteen machine guns.

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