

OIL MILLIONS TO RELIEVE VICTIMS OF NATIONS' WAR

Rockefeller Foundation Stands Ready with Treasure for Aid of Noncombatants.

JOHN D. MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT Money to Be Spent to Aid Helpless in All Countries Swept by Scourge.

SHIP IS ALREADY CHARTERED Vessel Loaded with Four Thousand Tons of Provisions.

VESSEL IS THE MASSAPEQUA Largest Neutral Craft in Harbor of New York, and it Will Sail Tuesday Directly for Rotterdam.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The Rockefeller foundation has decided to employ its immense resources for the relief of non-combatants in the countries afflicted by the war...

Why Action Taken. "This action is taken," Mr. Rockefeller says, "as a natural step in fulfilling the charitable purposes of the foundation, namely, to promote the well being of mankind throughout the world."

The ship is the Massapequa, the largest neutral vessel now in New York harbor, and it will sail Tuesday morning direct for Rotterdam with a certificate from the British consul at New York that its cargo is destined for the use of Belgian non-combatants only and should not be delayed in transit.

Million a Month. Mr. Rockefeller has been in communication with Ambassador Page at London and made public a telegram in which the ambassador describes the dire need of the Belgians and says that "it will require \$1,000,000 a month for seven or eight months to prevent starvation."

Russians Fire on Turkish Warships and Open Fighting PARIS, Nov. 1.—(By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—An official Turkish report forwarded from Constantinople by the correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung says that the Russians opened hostilities October 28, firing upon a portion of the Turkish fleet anchored for some time in the Bosphorus with the evolution of the warships.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—"The British ambassador in leaving Constantinople," says the Athens correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company, "he will arrive at Dedagah Sunday, proceeding from that place by special train for Salonika."

LORD NAIRNE KILLED ON EUROPEAN BATTLEFIELD LONDON, Nov. 1.—Lord Nairne, the second son of the marquis of Lansdowne, conservative leader in the House of Lords, has been killed in action. He was a major in the First dragoons and served in the South African war.

The Weather Forecast of the weather for Sunday and Monday: Generally fair, without decided change in temperature.

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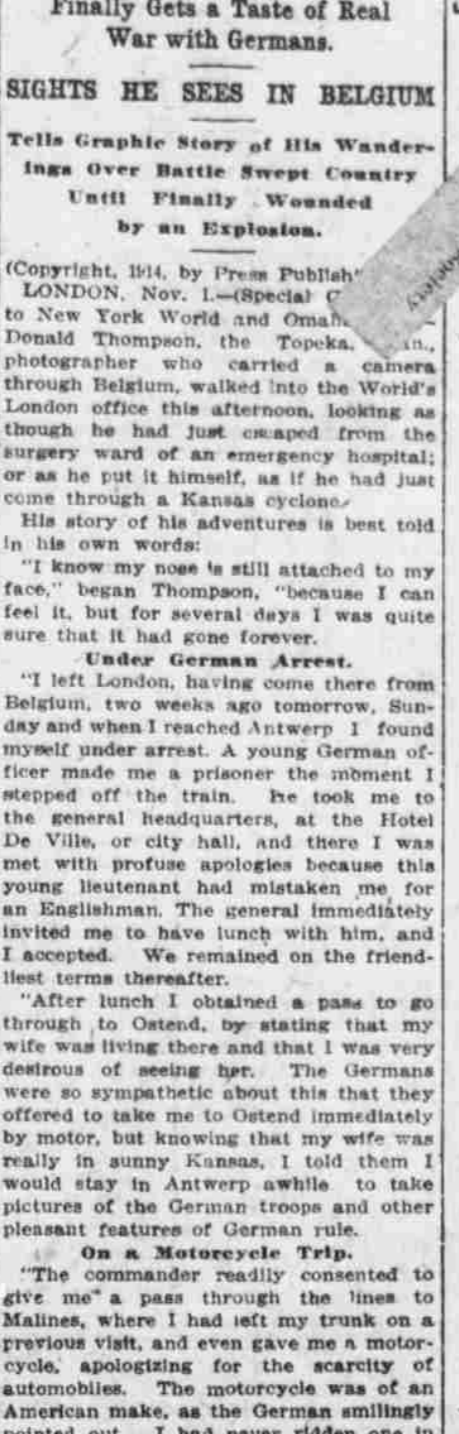
THOMPSON PUT OUT BY BRITISH SHELL Intrepid Kansas Photographer Finally Gets a Taste of Real War with Germans.

SIGHTS HE SEES IN BELGIUM Tells Graphic Story of His Wanderings Over Battle-Swept Country Until Finally Wounded by an Explosion.

Copyright, 1914, by Press Publishers LONDON, Nov. 1.—(Special Cable to New York World and Outlook.) Donald Thompson, the Topeka, Kan., photographer who carried a camera through Belgium, walked into the World's London office this afternoon, looking as though he had just escaped from the surgery ward of an emergency hospital; or as he put it himself, as if he had just come through a Kansas cyclone.

Under German Arrest. "I left London, having come there from Belgium, two weeks ago tomorrow, Sunday, and when I reached Antwerp I found myself under arrest. A young German officer made me a prisoner the moment I stepped off the train, he took me to the general headquarters, at the Hotel De Ville, or city hall, and there I was met with profuse apologies because this young lieutenant had mistaken me for an Englishman. The general immediately invited me to have lunch with him, and I accepted. We remained on the friendliest terms thereafter."

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TURKEY STANDS AGAINST ALLIES IN PRESENT WAR

Ambassadors from England, France and Russia Get Passports and Prepare to Leave.

ACTION DOES NOT SURPRISE Powers Receive News from Constantinople as Move that Was Expected.

INDIANS LOYAL TO ENGLAND News of Turkish Defection Will Not Affect Britain's Moslem Subjects.

INVOLVES THE SUEZ CANAL Egypt Dragged Into War by Action of the Sultan.

OFFICIAL REPORTS FOR SUNDAY Germany Claims Progress in West and Russia Reports Victory in East for the Day's Battles.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 31, (via London, Nov. 1.), 5:15 P. M.—The ambassadors of Russia, Great Britain and France have received their passports. The Russian and British ambassadors will leave Constantinople tomorrow. The French ambassador will leave tomorrow.

UNITED STATES ACTS FOR FRANCE. BORDEAUX, Nov. 1, 6:20 P. M.—It is officially announced that the French, British and Russian ambassadors to Turkey asked for their passports yesterday and left Constantinople today. The American ambassador has taken charge of French interests in Turkey.

Drugs Export into War. LONDON, Nov. 1, 6:50 P. M.—The Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's Telegram company says that according to a message from Berlin the sultan of Turkey has notified all the powers that the British attitude towards Egypt prevented the execution of his sovereign rights, and the khedive will demand of Great Britain an explanation of its action.

Announced in India. SIMLA, British India, Nov. 1, (via London).—Announcement of Turkey's attitude was made throughout India today in an official communication, in which the viceroy declares the endeavor of a chauvinistic element to drive Turkey into war with Great Britain for the benefit of Germany and Austria.

Will Arrest All Reservists. LONDON, Nov. 1.—The British official information bureau issued the following today: "In view of the action taken by the German forces in Belgium and France of removing as prisoners of war all persons who are liable for military service, his majesty's government has given instructions that all enemy reservists on board neutral vessels should be made prisoners of war."

German Official Report. BERLIN (via London), Nov. 1, 5:40 P. M.—The German army headquarters issued the following communication this evening: "The operations in Belgium have been rendered difficult owing to inundations of the Yser and the Ypres canals by the destruction of the sluices at Neuport. Our troops have advanced near Ypres. At least 600 prisoners were captured; also some British guns."

Russians Announce Victory. PETROGRAD, Nov. 1.—The Russian general staff issued a statement today, saying that the Russian forces "beyond the Vistula" have advanced victoriously along the whole front; progress has been made in east Prussia, and the German attacks in the region of Bakalarzevo have ceased.

Captain and Fifty More Saved Off the Wreck of Rohilla WHITBY, Eng. (via London), Nov. 1.—Fifty persons, all who remained clinging to the wreckage of the British hospital ship Rohilla, which crashed on the rocks near here early Friday morning, were brought ashore this morning by a motor lifeboat. The captain of the ship was among them. The total number of people saved is 148. The exact number lost is not known, but is thought to be about fifty-four.

Old Linen and Sheets Used FOR BANDAGING WOUNDS WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—"We have 42,000 wounded in this little corner of Britanny alone," wrote a nurse at Val Fleuret in a letter received today by Miss Mabel Boardman, chairman of the relief committee of the American Red Cross. "Even if we had the money," she says, "it would be impossible to buy the things we most need over here. Our only means of procuring supplies for our little neighborhood have long been exhausted. We have to try to get from London by boat, and from Paris by rail, and these are very uncertain."

Demands Delivered to Porte Great Britain and Russia Ask Explanation of Naval Attack and Dismissal of German Officers from Ships. BULLETIN. LONDON, Nov. 1.—Turkey has formally annexed Egypt, according to a German official statement which has been received from Berlin by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph company.

Germany Report All Movements of French Troops from Wireless Station PARIS, Nov. 1.—A wireless station, the location of which has not been discovered, is being used by the Germans to report all movements of the French troops, according to statements made to General Pierre Cherfilus by wounded soldiers who had been brought back from the front. Every effort has been made to find the mysterious station, but without result.

Egypt Annexed to Turkey's Holdings ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW MOVE AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN IS MADE AT BERLIN. DEMANDS DELIVERED TO PORTE GREAT BRITAIN AND RUSSIA ASK EXPLANATION OF NAVAL ATTACK AND DISMISSAL OF GERMAN OFFICERS FROM SHIPS.

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UTAH GRAND JURY INDICTS PLUMBERS ON TRADE STATUTE

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 1.—Indictments charging members of the city, state and national master plumbers' associations with having operated for the last three years in restraint of trade were returned by the federal grand jury for the district court of Utah against fourteen master plumbers of Utah and Colorado this morning.

Those indicted are: Chris Irving, Denver; John A. Forsyth, Price; James McBeth and A. J. Atkins, Ogden; Charles H. Higon, Frank G. Carthey, Parley G. James, William S. Higham, Foster W. Jones, Will Rees, Henry Green, Irving M. Higley, William Rosster and Roy Spence, all of Salt Lake City.

The case against the master plumbers has attracted widespread attention, so many plumbers from various cities of the United States were indicted on the same charge last spring at Des Moines, Ia., and last month at Erie, Pa. The trials will begin at once in the various cities. The case just closed was attended by officers of the master plumbers' associations, officers of plumbing supply houses in many eastern cities and special government assistants.

Conference Thanks Carranza and Villa EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 1.—Leaders of the rival Carranza and Villa factions of the constitutional party in Mexico today looked for an early settlement of the differences between the two chiefs, following the action of the Aguascalientes conference last yesterday in adopting a decree disposing both Carranza and Villa from official positions.

CRISIS IN CABINET RESULTS IN ITALY ROME, Nov. 1.—The members of the cabinet presented their resignations to the king tonight. The king reserved decision and invited the presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies and leading statesmen to confer with him on the situation. It is generally believed that Premier Salandra will be entrusted with the task of forming a new cabinet within a few days.

CHICAGO POSTOFFICE WANTS REFRIGERATOR IN BASEMENT CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—An ice box is needed in the postoffice as a result of the farm-to-the-consumer service undertaken by the parcel post, Daniel A. Campbell, postmaster, today opened negotiations with the department at Washington for permission to install a refrigerating plant in the basement of the federal building to provide a means of storing perishable goods until they can be delivered.

SEVERE BATTLE IN PROGRESS ON WAY TO OCEAN Germans Attempted Advance to Sea Ports Marked by Renewed Hard Fighting.

FURIOUS ATTACK IS LAUNCHED Invaders Make Progress at Some Points and Forced to Yield at Others.

ALLIES BRING UP MORE MEN Endeavor to Check Move Which Means Future Menace to England, Itself.

ACTUAL CHANGES ARE SLIGHT Battle Front Remains Little Changed Last Few Days.

ATTACKS AND COUNTER MOVES Germans Make Particularly Violent Assault East of Soissons on the Aisne and Drive French Across River.

Berlin, Nov. 1.—(via Amsterdam and London).—A report received here today from German army headquarters, says: "Our army in Belgium yesterday occupied Ramskapelle (two and one-half miles east of Nieuport) and Preschoon and our attacks on Ypres are progressing. Zandvoorde, Chateau Hellemecke and Wambeke have been stormed."

Further south we also have gained ground to the east of Soissons. The enemy has been attacked, and during the day chased from several strongly fortified positions to the north of Vailly, about ten miles east of Soissons, which was stormed during the afternoon, the enemy retreating across the river Aisne and suffering severe losses. We captured 1,000 prisoners and two machine guns.

In the Argonne and to the west of Verdun and to the north of Toul several French attacks were repulsed with heavy losses for the enemy. "The battle in the northeastern war theater still now has not been decided. To the west of Warsaw the Russians are slowly following our troops, which are now being regrouped."

Trying to Reach French Ports. LONDON, Nov. 1.—The German attempts to reach the French channel ports were resumed with renewed energy yesterday. The Germans undertook general offensive tactics from the coast at Nieuport to Arras, and while they were engaged at some points they were repulsed at others, and in some cases were compelled to give ground near the coast, where their advance was checked by an extension of the flooded area.

Today the battle is raging with the fury that marked the opening of the last phase of this campaign, and even on the English coast the boom of the big naval guns, which are bombarding the invaders' flank, could be distinctly heard.

The allies have brought up forces in an endeavor to check this second effort of the Germans to establish themselves on the French coast, from which they hope to menace England. The German official report issued early today was that the German troops had occupied Ramskapelle, which is on the railway and canal between Nieuport and Dixmude, but the French official communication of this afternoon says they were driven out by a counter attack. Doubtless the extension of the flooded area which now reaches beyond this town made the German positions untenable.

Situation Little Changed. On the whole, therefore, it will appear that the situation on this most important battle front remains much as it was when the Germans, through exhaustion a few days ago, closed their heavy artillery fire for rest. The French report tells of various advances and losses, but these usually so far as distance is concerned.

REGENT COUPLAND EXPLAINS Gives Reasons for Removal of Nebraska University to State Farm. PRESENT LOCATION IS BAD Surroundings Are Such that Young Women Are Afraid to Visit Buildings Alone After Midnight.

George Coupland, regent of the University of Nebraska, who is and has been a strong advocate of removal of the university to the state farm, close to Lincoln, yesterday, from Elgin, wired The Bee some facts that the voters of the state should know. The regent does not seek in his telegram to argue with those who have been criticizing his views on removal of the school to the state farm, but says: "The manager of the city campus extension committee, makes violent objection to Regent Haller and myself, calling attention of the voters to the moral surroundings of the campus. It is well known all over the state that during the past years, and at the present time, many parents have been, and are being, deterred from sending their children to the university on that account. "Personally, I have had a great many of the best people in the state tell me they would not send their sons or daughters to the university because of its surroundings, and I have had young women students in the university tell me that they did not dare to go to the university library after dark. "Many times I have been informed by persons of reliability that most objectionable things have existed in near proximity to the university. To me these are the most serious objections against the university remaining on the city campus, and I should deem myself recreant to my duty as regent and as a citizen had I failed to bring it to the attention of the voters. The personal attacks the extension committee have made upon me, I refrain from replying to."