AMERICAN SEAS ARE OPEN TO ALL

So Evidence Found That German Submarine Violated International Law.

LANSING SEES PRESIDENT

Long Branch, N. J., Oct. 11.-President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing discussed in detail at Shadow Lawn tonight German submarine attacks on merchantmen Sunday off the New England coast.

The conference lasted until late tonight and will be continued tomor row morning.

It was indicated by officials today that facts so far collected through governmental agencies have disclosed no grounds for drastic action by the United States government because of the attacks themselves. No evidence has been found that international law has been violated by the German sub-marine or submarines.

It was understood, however, that the president and secretary discussed the wisdom of pointing out to Germany the inadvisability of operating its submarines in proximity to the territorial waters of the United

Fraught with Danger.

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Administration officials took the position that the transferring of submarine warfare so close to America's shores was fraught with grave danger because of the possibility of mistakes being made by submarine commanders. Reports that strong sentiment exists in Germany for the resumption of submarine warfare on a broader scale caused some alarm among officials.

The announcement of Counselor Polk of the State department in Washington today that the United States will refuse to accept the contention of the entente allies that neutrals should deny the use of their harbors to all submarines, preceded the arrival of Secretary Lansing here. The president and the secretary of state went over this point in connection with the discussion of the entire issue.

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In discussion of the submarine attacks Sunday, officials here referred to diplomatic correspondence between the United States and Great Britain, beginning in 1914, in which the American government protested against the patroling of the American coast outside the three-mile limit by British warships. This was pointed to as providing a precedent for the protesting against the proximity of German submarines to the American coast.

coast.

In the correspondence with Great Britain, the United States took the position that it always had maintained, that patrolling by belligerent cruisers in "close proximity" to ports of the United States was inconsistent with the treatment to be expected from the vessels of a friendly power in time of war. Great Britain did not admit the legal correctness of the position of the United States, but promised to do everything possible to avoid annoying American shipping While no formal announcement was made it was considered probable the United States would take a similar position with regard to German submarine operations.

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There was absolutely no indication that the president and Secretary Lansing had any ground for thinking Germany had violated its promises not to attack merchantmen without warning and without providing for the safety of the passengers and crews. It was stated, however, that evidence was still being collected and that no final decision on this point had been reached.

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had been reached.

Shortly before Secretary Lansing arrived here, Jules Jusserand, the French ambassador, conferred with President Wilson, chiefly on Mexican affairs. He said he came to enlist the support of the president in obtaining the rescinding of a decree issued by the Carranza government which has had the effect of "sequestering" has had the effect of "sequestering" about \$60,000,000 of French money invested in two banks in Mexico City.

CONTINUE THE WAR, URGES ASQUITH IN **MESSAGE TO HOUSE**

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river communications and the health of the troops had improved. The defeat of the Turks at the Katia Oasis, east of the Suez canal, had gone far to remove the danger of attack on the canal and had imparted Turkish prestige in Arabia in Syria. In western Egypt, the Senussa tribesmen had been reduced to impotence. The allied armies on the Saloniki front had inflicted heavy losses on their oppenents and prevented them from transferring trans to Dobrudja, thus rendering assistance to Russia and Roumania.

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The whole of the German east Africa coast had been occupied, the premier continued, and the complete conquest of the colony was only a matter of time. The premier gave high praise to General Smuts and the Belgian troops, which are cooperating with him.

In the west, Mr. Asquith said, the French and British had advanced a distance of seven miles on a front of nine miles, but the most important feature of the advance was that in no case had a counter attack succeeded in driving them back. The Germans had virtually abandoned the attack on Verdun and their losses find been very heavy. He gave the total number of prisoners taken by the allies on the Somme front as 60.474, in addition to which there had been captured 304 guns and 1,030 machine guns. Allied air craft, he added, had attained complete mastery of the Germans.

Praise For Allies.

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complete co-ordination of the general staffs of the four great powers and to the sympathy and interest with which Great Britain is observing the courage, tenacity, and strategical skill displayed by Italy and Russia in the more distant frields. He spoke appreciative of the part played by Serbia and JGelgium and lastly of Roumania, whose people and king, in defiance of a thousand calls to neutrality, joined our cause.

"I wish I could add Grœce, with its imperishable record of resistance, against the onrush of the barbarism and tyranny," he continued. "Even now Greece, wisely guided and wisely governed, might take a worthy part on the side to which it is committed by great and glorious traditions."

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TEUTON TROOPS ARE **CUT OFF BY FRENCH**

enhurm pass have pushed further south and crossed the border.

French Gain More Ground.

Paris, Oct. 11.—In the course of last night French troops gained more ground south of the Somme river, it was announced today at the French

Germans attacked heavily a Schoenhaezin, in the Vosges, after violent shelling, the statement adds, and penetrated the French trenches at a certain point, but were thrown back by the grenadier corps.

Enemy is Active.

London, Oct. 11.—"The enemy ar-llery," says the British official state tillery," says the British official state-ment, issued today, "was somewhat more active during the night on the greater part of the battle front (in morthern France).

"North of Neuville St. Vaast, the

enemy blew a camouffet early this morning without inflicting casualtie. "A successful minor enterprise was made by our troops against the enemy trenches south of Hulluch."

Statement from Vienna.

Vienna, Tuesday, Oct. 10.—(Via London, Oct. 11.)—An official state-ment, issued today by the Austro-Hungarian war department, says: "Eastern theater: Northeast of of Vernaheutze, we repulsed Rouman-ian attacks."

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"South of Hatzeg we captured the Mountain of Negiului.

"In the battle of Brasso (Kronstadt)

"In the battle of Brasso (Kronstatt) the number of prisoners taken reached 1,175, while the booty included twenty-five guns, thirteen of them heavy pieces, numerous munition cars and wagons, the railway engines, more than 800 wagon laden with supplies, and much other material.

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"The defeated second Roumanian army is being pursued into the mountains. The army of General Von Arz has driven back the enemy's rear guards, which were offering resistance and is now gaining the outlet into the Uzik plain and the Guyepuina river."

"Russian fronts: We repulsed enemy attacks in the Ludova sector. German troops stormed Herbutov on the Narayuvka river."

Italian forces yesterday afternoon (Monday) after eight days of strong artillery and mining preparation began a general attack against the Austro-Hungarian positions on the costal district front, it was officially announced today.

British Take More Towns.

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Saloniki, Oct. 11.—British troops yesterday occupied two more towns to the east of the River Struma, in Greek Macedonia, it was announced today in an official statement issued at the British headquarters. They were Daplavo and Prosenik, the latter town seven miles south of Demir-Hissar, British mounted troops have reached a point two miles south of Seres.

Nebraska Cases On U. S. Supreme Court's Docket

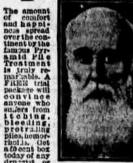
Washington, Oct. 11 .- The supreme court had on its docket for argument today several conservation cases involving federal control of decases involving federal control of de-velopment of the public domain and questions of federal and state control of hydro-electric and other rights therein. These questions arose in gov-ernment suits against the Utah Light and Power company, the Beaver River Power company and others in the Utah federal courts.

The government seeks to enjoin their operation on national forest lands without permission from the United States. The government won most of its important contentions in the lower courts.

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Maintaining limited state jurisdiction exists over public land situated within the states and contesting the more extensive authority claimed by the government, five states were represented in today's hearings. Utah. Colorado, Idaho, Nevada and Nebraska. Their attorneys generally had filed briefs with the court, alleging that the cases under consideration involve vital question of state rights and state powers. and state powers.

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MUST BE SURE ERE THEY MAKE ATTACK

Memorandum to Allied Nations Lays Down Rule to Follow if German Subsea Located.

TICKLISH FOR NEUTRALS

Washington, Oct. 11 .- Allied war hips now patrolling the Atlantic coast in search of the German submarine U-53, which raided enemy mer chant shipping off Nantucket Sunday, would be required to ascertain the nationality of any submiarine sighted before attacking in the belief that it was an enemy craft, according to terms of the latest United States memorandum to the allied nations, published today.

The memorandum was in reply to the allies' protest against the United States granting the right of entry to American ports to either merchant or war submarines of belligerent nations. day, would be required to ascertain

Commenting on the allied powers' suggestion that it might be dangerous to allow neutral submarines to visit waters in which enemy submarines also might be found, the American nemorandum asserts that 'responsi-bility for any conflict that may arise between belligerent warships and neutral submarines must rest entirely

tral submarines must rest entirely upon the negligent powers."

The United States represents that the allies have failed to show reason why belligerent submarines should be denied entrance into neutral waters and reserves the free right to deal with such craft.

Nebraska Man Direct From Front Tells of the War

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sand dunes outside the hospital and added in a droll way.
"But all the British left after the "But all the British left after the war is over can go home in one boat."

Another indication of the feeling in regard to the changed situation in the war, the doctor found to be the complete absence of any fear now that the Germans may break through the line and menace Paris or any of the bire cities.

big cities.

"Instead of fearing the coming of the Germans now, the French are talking of the reorganization after victory comes. They are talking with

victory comes. They are talking with fiery patriotism of a greater France, 'We'll get back Aleace-Lorraine,' they are saying. 'We'll expand our colonies, and be the greatest France since the days of the emperor'.''

A splendid opportunity to observe racial characteristics, and study the respective fighting qualities of the various troops, was afforded these surgeons.

geons.
"The Prussians will not surrender,"
said the doctor. "When a Prussian
regiment is beaten it is annihilated.
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Bayonet fighting is comparatively little, according to the records of the hospital. Of course there is bayonet

fighting, but in all the many thou-sands of cases handled in hospital during the fourteen months Mr. Dale was there, there was but one bayonet

Bremen was caught by the English in a net, according to a story told by a British officer to Dr. Dale less than three weeks ago. "I cannot say whether this is true or not," said the doctor, "but the British naval of." the doctor, but the british haval of-ficer who told me is a man whom I have known for a year, and a man for whom I have a very high regard. He said they caught the Bremen in a net and had it in dock."

Washington, Oct. 11.—The reply of the French government to the protest of the United States against interference with the mails has reached Washington and probably seen will be laid before the State delivery. Its delivery to Secretary Lansing we delayed until it and the British omnimalization can be presented simultanously.

Rhode Island Republicans Nominate. Providence, R. L. Oct. 11.—Governor R. Livingston Beeckman and United States Senator Henry F. Lippitt were renominated by the republican state convention here to-

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Austrians Give Way Before Fierce Onslaughts of the Enemy.

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Rome, Oct. 11.-Italian troops lighting in the Carso region southeast of Gorizia, have resumed their march towards Trieste, capturing several lines of Austrian trenches and more than 5,000 prisoners, says the official statement issued by the war office today. In addition they have occupied strongly defended heights between the Vippacco river and Hill 208, taking quantities of arms and munitions.

Through successes on two other fronts the Italians captured 1,400 additional prisoners. The advances were made in the Cosmagraon sector on Pasubio, in the Trtentino and on the front of the Julian Alps, between Tobar and Vortoba, south of Gorizia.

The Austrian line on the J s an front was broken, the statement is. On the Pasubio front 530 prisoners were taken and 860 on the Julian front. In addition 164 officers were taken in the Carso advance.

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