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## HUNS TO CONCENTRATE SUBMARINE ACTIVITY AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN

### Report Has Its Origin From a German Source--British Gain Further Ground From the Enemy on the Western Front Says Official Report.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A despatch to Reuters, Limited, from Amsterdam says it is reported from a German source that Germany intends shortly to concentrate her submarine activity exclusively against England.

### OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAYS ENEMY ARTILLERY CONTINUES VERY ACTIVE EAST OF YPRES

LONDON, Aug. 9.—To the northwest of Bixchoote the French gained further ground against the Germans during the day, while the British repulsed attempted raids by hostile contingents at several points on their front, according to the official communication issued last night, the text of which follows: "A heavy rain is again falling. Our Allies gained further ground during the day northwest of Bixchoote. Hostile raiding parties were repulsed last night and this morning north of Rotex and in the neighborhood of Oppy.

The enemy's artillery continued to show great activity east of Ypres. Yesterday, in spite of continuous wind, airplanes bombarded the enemy railway tracks, siding and trains forty miles behind the German lines, causing much damage, derailing one train and blowing up another. Bombs also were dropped the previous night on an enemy ammunition depot. One of our machines is missing."

### INTERNED BRITISH AND FRENCH PRISONERS EXPOSED TO AERIAL BOMBARDMENT BY HUNS

PARIS, Aug. 9.—The French authorities learn that during the night of July 25, when French airplanes bombarded Treves and Essen, the Germans forced French and English prisoners, both officers and men, interned at Karlsruhe, to leave their quarters and remain in the open, where they most probably would be hit in case Karlsruhe was bombarded. The men were compelled to remain in these places until all danger had passed.

### ANOTHER GERMAN RUSE.

PARIS, Aug. 9.—The French War Office announces that the Germans have invented a new ruse, to lead their opponents into the belief that artillery batteries are still in position for action when actually they have been withdrawn, and by it to prevent unfriendly advances. The device consists of a mechanism fitted with half a dozen globular capsules filled with an explosive, which is placed on the site of the battery to be or being withdrawn. The capsules explode every 35 or 40 seconds with a sound exactly like that of a field gun heard from a distance. They are said to easily fool a listener into thinking that he is still facing fire.

### DESTROYED AUSTRIAN SUBMARINES.

PARIS, Aug. 9.—During a recent Italian aerial raid on Pola, the Austrian naval base on the Adriatic, two airplanes with bombs destroyed two Austrian submarines which were being repaired there.

## SECRET PASSAGE DISCOVERED IN ROME PROBABLY USED BY HUNS

ROME, Aug. 9.—The sensation of the day here is the discovery of a secret subterranean passage from the Villa of the Roses, the residence of Prince Von Beulow, former German ambassador, to the Hotel Eden, the former proprietor of which was a German. It is believed the passage was used to facilitate secret meetings between the diplomat and persons in various walks of life, as well as to ensure secrecy to the ambassador's guests when the occasion required. An investigation which promises interesting disclosures is underway.

## THE STOCKHOLM CONFERENCE

London, Aug. 9.—The press association says it understands that the government will exercise no influence in either direction on the allied labor meetings to decide whether the laborers shall send delegates to the Stockholm conference.

## MAY DECLARE STATE OF SIEGE

Madrid, Aug. 9.—It is announced in official circles that the government is preparing to employ the most rigorous measures which may be necessary to put down the impending country-wide agitation. In the case of a general strike, it is said that a state of siege will be declared.

## PROMOTION FOR MICHAELIS

Copenhagen, Aug. 9.—Dr. Michaelis, Imperial German Chancellor, has been promoted from captain to lieutenant colonel. Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg—Dr. Michaelis' predecessor, bore the title of major general.

## 11 DROWNED IN LAKE ONTARIO

Kingston, Ont., Aug. 9.—Early this morning eleven persons were drowned in Lake Ontario by the foundering of the coal schooner George A. Marsh, of Belleville, and a child died from exposure. The boat was coming from Oswego to Kingston, when a heavy gale set in and about five o'clock the craft went down.

## FIVE HUNDRED NEW LOOMS

Canadian Cottons, Ltd., Mill at Marysville to Have Equipment Further Improved.

The Canadian Cottons Limited, which has installed much modern machinery in the Marysville mill within the past few years, is to further improve the plant by installing five hundred new looms. It is understood that the installation will take place before the new year.

The new machinery is to come from the United States. It is understood that it will replace some of the looms of older type now in use. With the new equipment the Marysville mill will have one of the best cotton weaving plants in Canada.

The new office building in front of the mill building is nearing completion. The work has been somewhat delayed by scarcity of labor. Masons secured in Montreal were held up by the traffic tie-up in Maine but local men have been secured to carry on the work.

## SAILORS ARE SCARCE ACROSS THE BORDER

New York, Aug. 9.—The demands in America for labor has made it almost impossible for the owners of a number of French ships building here, and others chartered from Americans, to obtain sailors to man the vessels, it became known here today when 300 sailors arrived from France to man the number of ships about to sail from various ports for that country.

It was said that many men who had formerly followed the sea had either gone to work in munition plants or on farms, and it was almost impossible to get the sailors required to navigate steamships.

## THE IRISH CONVENTION IS MAKING SOME PROGRESS

### Chairman Plunkett Discusses Various Schemes for Governing Ireland--Committee Appointed to Confer With Him.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The official report of yesterday's meeting of the Irish convention says: "Sir Horace Plunkett, the chairman, addressed the gathering on the task before it, and on various schemes for governing Ireland already in existence.

He then suggested the procedure by which these might be thoroughly sifted and examined, and subsequently brought before the convention for discussion. This suggestion was considered at some length, and finally it was proposed by the chairman and seconded by the Bishop of Raphoe, and unanimously resolved, that a standing committee not exceeding 20 persons, five to form a quorum, be appointed to consult with the chairman on general procedure and the exercise of other powers delegated by the convention.

"It was further resolved to reappoint the committee which had to do with the selection of the chairman to advise the chairman on the composition of the standing committee. The convention then adjourned until tomorrow."

## UNITED STATES MILITARY FORCE WILL SOON TOTAL ONE MILLION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Governors of the various States today received notice from Provost Marshal General Crowder that the first one-third of the quota of 687,000 men drafted for service in the national army will be called to the colors September 1st and sent to training cantonments before Sept. 5th. More than 200,000 will be called into service in the first increment, bringing the country's total military forces up to one million men.

The provost marshal's instructions to governors urged that they make certain that the first quota be ready on time. Exemption boards were today instructed to deny immunity to married registry in cases where the parents or other relatives of the wife volunteer to assume her support during his absence.

## HAS HEART ON THE RIGHT SIDE

South Bend, Ind., Aug. 9.—A man with his heart on his right side was discovered here today during the physical examination of men for the selective draft. He is Fred Mumme, of River Park.

Despite the abnormal position of the organ, it was pronounced normal by the physicians, and Mumme passed the examination with flying colors.

## Kerensky Makes a Strong Appeal to Russian People

### PENNIAC SCHOOL WAS DAMAGED

#### Two Young Men Charged with Breaking in Panel of Door—Case will be Heard Tuesday.

Two young men residing at Penniac were arrested yesterday by Constable Charles Barker on the serious charge of damaging school property in School District No. 4, Parish of St. Marys. They appeared before Police Magistrate Limerick in this city today and pleaded not guilty. They were let go on bail and will appear on Tuesday next.

The offense of which complaint was made by Mr. Clarence N. Goodspeed, a member of the school board of Penniac, consisted of entering the school building by breaking out the panel of the front door and building a fire on the floor.

### INTERRUPTED WIRE SERVICE

Chicago, Aug. 9.—The Aurora Borealis or Northern Lights, interrupted wire connection over the northern half of the United States and all over Canada from the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic ocean and even were felt in southern latitudes last night and for several hours early today. The phenomenon became visible and began to affect telegraph and telephone wires shortly before midnight last night and for several hours before daylight this morning many trunk line circuits were useless most of the time.

## Declares That Only a Rule of Iron Can Make for a Powerful Creative Government in the Present Plight--Asks Support of People

PETROGRAD, Aug. 8.—Premier Kerensky, in an appeal to the people for support for the reconstituted government, declares that only a rule of iron in the present plight, resulting from the military situation, together with ardent and self-sacrificing support by the people, can make for a powerful creative government with authority to free the land of the enemy and enlist in its work of reconstruction all the living forces of the nation. The government, the statement adds, will employ its whole strength in its task, confident that the unconquerable power of the revolution will be utilized for the salvation of Russia's honor, which has been affected by treason, Prussian militarism and treacherous cowardice.

### SEVERE MEASURES ADOPTED BY KORNILOFF HAVE SAVED RUSSIAN ARMIES AT THE FRONT

PETROGRAD, Aug. 8.—Korniloff's prompt severity has saved all that was worth saving in the armies at the front. The first corps to set the bad example and lead the general exodus from the fighting lines was the Corps d'Elite of Guards from Petrograd. Their commander, General Maevsky, was among those who received Korniloff's order to fire upon deserters, but he failed to carry out his orders. Korniloff, in strict accordance with justice, sent Maevsky before the court-martial for disobedience of orders, and he was sentenced to be shot.

Russian history thus has a new precedent, for never before has the commandant of a Guards corps undergone such shame. The oldest Guards regiments, which Kerensky ordered to be disbanded for cowardice, will not be so treated. It is universally recognized that their historic names must live, even although they have passed through mud, like the rest of Russia during the last five months. The regiments will be reformed out of worthy volunteers from the fighting armies.

A fighting general here tells me that the Russian armies will soon be as good as ever under the same commanders, where any of these still survive the experience of the last five months. Considering all things, it is worth noting how little progress the Germans are making in their absolute walkover. The Eighth Army, though still retiring, has none of the enemy any longer behind it.

### "LIBERTY LOAN" DAYS.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 9.—Wednesday the first of the three "Liberty Loan" days in Russia proved a great success. Automobiles paraded the streets of the capital and decorated booths were installed in the principal thoroughfares for the sale of the war bonds.

## IMPRESSIVE DEMONSTRATION IN FAVOR OF PEACE, AT ESSEN

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 9.—Eight thousand miners attended a recent mass meeting at Essen, Germany, for the discussion of coal production, food and wages. The meeting developed into an impressive demonstration in favor of peace by agreement and democratic reforms.

The Socialist organ, Vorwaerts, says that the fact that the demonstration occurred in Essen, the centre of Pan-German propaganda, increases its importance.

## MONTREAL STAR PROPRIETOR HAS HIS HOME DYNAMITED

MONTREAL, Aug. 9.—Considerable of a sensation was created throughout the city this morning when it became known that an attempt was made last night to blow up the summer residence of Lord Athelstan at Cartierville. Twenty-two windows in the house were shattered by the explosion, the walls were damaged and havoc wrought in the interior of the home.

Lord Athelstan, his wife and daughter were in the house at the time, but all escaped with a shaking up and a scare. The explosion occurred about four o'clock in the morning and could be heard and felt for several miles, many people imagining that an earthquake had visited the district.

### Dynamite Stolen From a Quarry.

The dynamite is believed to be some of the lot that was stolen a few weeks ago from a quarry on the outskirts of the city by a gang of masked men who are still at large. It is generally feared that this is merely the first of a series of outrages that will be adopted by anti-conscriptionists to terrorize the community. About a week ago a stick of dynamite was left at the door of Senator Beaubien's residence, but it was regarded more as a threat. Last night's occurrence shows that the dynamiters are prepared to go to any length in their campaign against conscription. It was only because the explosive was badly packed that it failed to do greater damage. It was placed in a hole in a corner of the house below the sleeping quarters of Lord Athelstan and his family.