

BATTLE DEADLOCK REMAINS THE SAME

Though Allies Claim That the Fight Is Slowly Swinging In Their Favor

GERMAN ATTACK SLIGHTLY DIVERTED

Great Britain's Warships Get Into Action Again—German Losses Reported to be Enormous

London, Oct. 28.—The great battle for possession of the strip of sea coast from Ostend to Calais is said by the French to be swinging slowly in favor of the allied forces.

Unofficial reports here indicate the German attack has been diverted from the seacoast slightly to the south, in a line between Dixmude and Ypres.

London, Eng., October 28.—Of the battle of the Yser, London heard little news this morning. The German rush to reach the French coast would appear for the time being held in check, but the fiercest fighting continues with the Germans delivering harder blows on the line between Dixmude and Ypres.

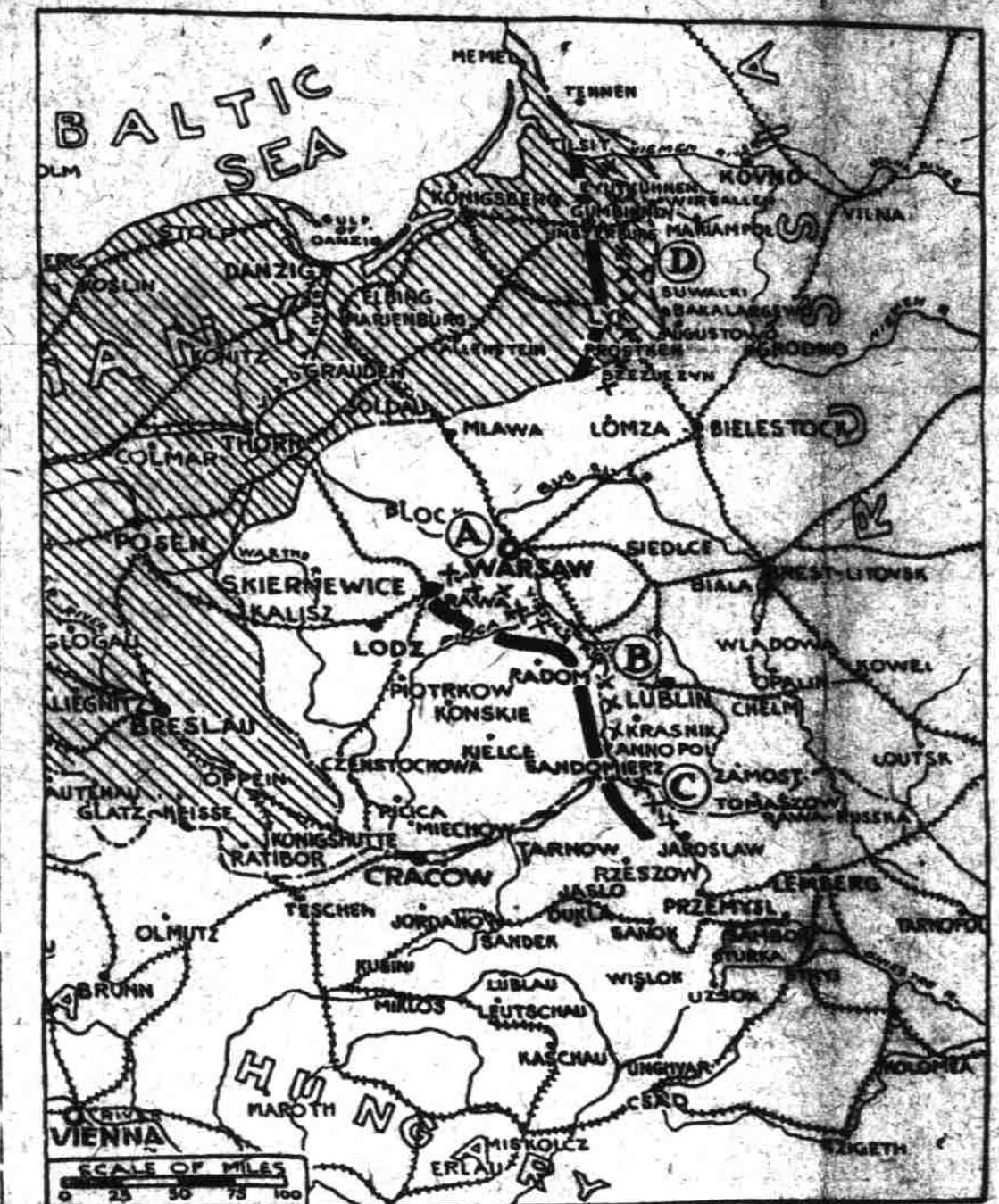
While the Germans are making their supreme effort in Flanders the allies have been quick to press the advantages offered at other points on the line by removal of German troops to the German right wing.

The Crown Prince of Bavaria, is said now to be in command of the German forces on Ypres and it is reported he had been wounded.

Aside from these political outcroppings of the great war, England received shock in the news that the steamer Manchester Commerce had been sunk off the Irish coast by a German mine.

French Official Statement. Paris, October 28.—3 P. M.—The French war office statement this afternoon says: "During Tuesday the German attack in all regions between Meuport and Arras was less violent."

THE RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN IN POLAND



A—The German retreat from Warsaw continues, in some places developing into a rout. B—South of the Pilica River, the Germans hold their line on the Vistula, save in the region of Iwanogrod.

GERMANY WILL TAKE COTTON

NOVEMBER 26TH THANKSGIVING. Washington, October 28.—President Wilson today issued a proclamation designating Thursday, November 26th, as Thanksgiving.

AUSTRIA WILL ALSO TAKE COTTON. Has Been Advised by Great Britain That Cotton Will Not be Seized If Shipped in Neutral Vessels.

Washington, October 28.—Ambassador Gerard cabled today that Germany would need at least fifty thousand bales of American cotton and Austria twenty-five thousand bales monthly.

TO REGISTER THE CANAL EMPLOYEES. Panama, October 28.—Following the suggestion of the Society of the Charges that a register of former employees of the Isthmian Canal Commission and The Panama Canal, and of the Panama Railroad Company on the Isthmus, be kept at the Panama-Pacific exposition in connection with the Canal exhibit, the Governor has directed the Washington office to arrange for the manufacture of a register with space for approximately 5,000 entries.

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GREAT BRITAIN HAS MANY MORE NEW TROUBLES IS REPORT

While Unrest Seems to be Growing in Albania.

ITALY AND GREECE

Are Both Active There and Turks Want Albania for Themselves—Another Boer Uprising.

London, October 28.—The battle which all the world is watching still sways back and forth in the little district of West Flanders, where the allied forces are struggling to check the German advances to Calais, but the ripples of war news are noted in widely-separated points.

Thirty, unrest in Albania seems to be growing. Not only have both Italy and Greece announced their intention of protecting their interests in this territory by force of arms, but the Turks are said to be active in the campaign to send troops and proclaim Albania a part of the Ottoman Empire.

PROVIDING WINTER QUARTERS FOR RECRUITS

London, Eng., October 28.—Carpenters are working day and night at the army encampments to provide winter quarters for the recruits of Lord Kitchener's new force.

TEXAS HORSES FOR THE ALLIES' ARMIES

Fort Worth, Texas, October 28.—Shipment of more than three thousand horses to Montreal, for use in the English and French armies, began today. Trains will follow at regular intervals during the week.

EIGHTEEN PERSONS INJURED IN WRECK

Huntington, W. Va., October 28.—Eighteen persons were injured, five seriously, when three sleeping cars and a day coach on the Chesapeake & Ohio express was derailed near here this morning.

Bolivar Day in Venezuela. Caracas, Venezuela, Oct. 28.—The anniversary of Simon Bolivar, Venezuela's liberator, was celebrated all through the country today.

MORE BODIES ARE RECOVERED TODAY

FRANCE SUCCEEDS IN HARVESTING ITS WHEAT CROP

BUT IT WILL FALL SHORT OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE COUNTRY.

SHORTAGE WILL BE EASILY MADE UP

Beet Root Crop in Northern France Suffers By Reason of German Occupation—Champagne Industry Hurt.

Paris, October 28.—The wheat crop, which at the beginning of the war gave the authorities anxiety, has been safely garnered. The agricultural department estimates the yield at 60 to 80 million metric hundred weight, which is more than ten percent below the yield of 1913.

The beet root crop, which is very important in the north of France, furnishing the raw material for a great many sugar refineries, has suffered from the German occupation.

Next to the beet crop, the most important product in the region of the military operations is champagne. All of the Champagne province was temporarily in the hands of the Germans and the heavy fighting of the battle of the Marne extended over the entire length of the vine growing country.

CONSTRUCTION CONCERNS HAD TO STOP WORK

Christiana, Oct. 28.—Some of the great construction companies in Norway financed with English capital have had to stop work as payments from England have been cut off.

GERMAN CRUISER SINKS JAP. STEAMER

London, October 28.—The German cruiser, Emden, sunk the small Japanese steamer Kamegasakimaru, while the latter was proceeding to Singapore, according to a Central News dispatch from Berlin.

BIG FIRE TODAY IN MARYLAND TOWN

Hagerstown, October 28.—This city was today visited by the worst fire in its history, causing an estimated loss of more than four hundred thousand dollars.

Kentucky Daughters Meet

Bowling Green, Ky., Oct. 28.—Notable guests attended the annual Kentucky State Conference of the United Daughters of the American Revolution, which opened here today.

Night Shifts of Rescue Workers Make More Ghastly Finds.

OTHER BODIES ARE VISIBLE

Death List From Mine Horror Now Placed at Between Fifty and Sixty.

Royalton, Texas, October 28.—Estimates this morning of deaths in the explosion that wrecked the mine of the Franklin Coal & Coke Company, near here yesterday, placed the number between fifty and sixty.

DEPENDS ON GERMANY FOR SAFETY LAMP

London, Eng., October 28.—The miner's safety-lamp glass, on which depends the safety and livelihood of nearly a million British miners, is exclusively a German product.

Much of Germany's glassware and pottery, such as is supplied to the more primitive corners of the world, is, as the Board of Trade exhibition shows, cheap and gaudy. But this trade is nevertheless extensive and profitable and one hitherto neglected by all countries except Germany.