

Fire Rakes Enemy's Flank

Artillery Doing Deadly Work

Half of Enemy's Line Between Aisne and Vesle Said To Be Under Flank Fire of Allied Artillery

Paris, August 7, 12:15 p. m.—German positions between the Aisne and the Vesle have been outflanked and are being subjected to an infalading artillery fire, it is learned this afternoon. Over half the enemy lines between the Vesle and the Aisne are being subjected to this flanking fire, it is said. GERMANS CONCENTRATING HEAVY FORCES Paris, August 7, 4 p. m.—Greater activity is reported on both wings of the Aisne-Vesle battle front where the Germans have concentrated heavy forces to oppose any flanking movement by the allies. Heavy artillery firing is under way along this whole front. BRITISH TROOPS REGAIN POSITIONS London, August 7.—Counter-attacking between the Aisne and the Somme British troops early this morning regained all the more important positions lost yesterday southwest of Morlancoeur, taking a number of prisoners, General Haig reports. GERMAN ATTACKS ON VESLE REPULSED Paris, 12:25 p. m., August 7. — Allied troops repulsed German attacks against La Grange farm on the Vesle river line, capturing Sirysal-Sognilway station, it is announced by the French War Office. West of Montdidier the allies advanced on a front of two miles. CASUALTY REPORT Washington, Aug. 7.—Eight hundred and seventy-one names are on six casualty lists issued by the War and Navy Departments to-day, bringing the total losses by Americans in the allied drive so far announced up to 2,544. In today's lists 579 army casualties are announced and 292 marine casualties. T. E. Garrett of Highland Springs, Va., and B. L. Pruitt of Danville, Va., are reported killed in action. C. B. Davis of Asheville, N. C., J. C. Cook of Advance, N. C., J. H. Eason of Benson, N. C., C. B. East of Danville, Va., S. F. Johnson of Eggleston, Va., L. S. Klotz of Richmond, Va., J. Kramer of Norfolk and N. H. Markell of Lynchburg are reported wounded, degree undetermined. E. B. Schultz of Roanoke, Va., R. R. Cottingham of Dillon, S. C., Carl M. Lortel of Portsmouth, Va., H. E. Price of Columbia, S. C., and S. Shirley of Walstonburg, N. C., W. A. Vaughan of Fayetteville, N. C., Willis Farley of Pennington Gap, Va., C. C. Liptrap of Green Valley, Va., W. Monroe of Charleston, S. C., A. Steels of Middletown, Va., C. D. Turner of Norfolk, Va., C. Anglin of Cane River, N. C., and W. E. Neel of Salisbury, N. C. are reported severely wounded. G. C. Gray of Charlotte, N. C. is reported missing in action.

DIAMOND SHOALS LIGHT SHIP SUNK

GOVERNMENT CONFIRMS REPORT (By United Press) Washington, Aug. 7.—Diamond Shoals lightship off Cape Hatteras, N. C., was sunk by a German submarine late yesterday afternoon when a U-boat came within half a mile of the beach. The crew of the lightship took to boats and reached the shore in safety. Visitors from Nags Head and other points on the Coast report that the Diamond Shoals Light-Ship off Cape Hatteras was sunk Tuesday afternoon by a German submarine. It is also reported that six merchant ships were sunk off the coast near Nags Head yesterday. This cannot be traced to its source.

GERMANY STILL TALKING INDEMINTY

(By United Press) Bern, Aug. 7.—Replying to questions from members of the Right in the Reichstag recently Chancellor Von Hertling declared that Germany intends to keep Belgium until the Allies fulfill certain conditions including the paying of indemnities and the re-establishing of Germany and Austria as before the war plus advantages obtained through Russian and Rumanian peace treaties.

MOVING NOW BUT FIXTURES LACKING

T. T. Turner and Company are moving into their new store at 505 Main Street and are about ready for business. But new fixtures ordered for the store have been delayed in transit and the new store will not at first be complete in appearance. "We can't look as handsome as we expected to just yet," says Mr. Turner, "but we are just as ready to serve our customers and our stock is an excellent one for Dad and the Boys."

ON AUTOMOBILE TOUR

Messrs J. M. Weeks and Herbert Morrisette are on an automobile tour of Camp Lee, Va., Richmond, Va., and Staunton, Va.

WANTED—TO BUY LADIES SECOND HAND BICYCLE. Apply to Western Union.

101 IN THE SHADE AT NOON WEDNESDAY

The thermometer registered 101 degrees in the shade at noon Wednesday. The temperature was 98 degrees Tuesday. The people of the city are suffering greatly from the heat this week.

BATHING GREAT SPORT WITH E. CITY PEOPLE

When the sun on the river shimmers, the bathing Tuesday afternoon and evening one would conclude that bathing is the principal sport for the people of Elizabeth City. The beach was dotted with automobiles and between one and three hundred men, women, boys and girls were in bathing, enjoying the coolness of the waters of the Pasquotank. The scene was almost the same as at a summer resort. Many automobiles filled with bathers, dressed in their bathing suits were driven to the river. Some went as late as eleven o'clock Tuesday night.

DAN HARRIS BREAKS ARM

Dan Harris, who has been working at Newport News, Va., for some time, had his arm broken when he tried to crank a Ford automobile last Saturday morning. The accident occurred at Newport News and he returned to his home here Saturday night. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Harris.

FOR SALE—ONE FORD ROADSTER 1914 model, new tires all around in good condition. Will sell cheap. Apply to J. W. Trueblood, 533 Beech St. Eliz. City. A. 6-1wk

IMPORTANT NOTICE

OF INTEREST TO CUSTOMERS OF ELIZABETH CITY BANKS Under agreement, Banking hours beginning September 2nd, 1918, will be from 9 o'clock A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M. daily, Saturdays excepted. Saturday hours: 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. and 6 to 8 P. M., as heretofore. FIRST NATIONAL BANK. SAVINGS BANK & TRUST CO. J. 18, skilf to S. 2.

ON ALL DAYS... WITH EACH PURCHASE OF WHEAT FLOUR...

Great Disorder Is Expected

Washington Looks for Bloodshed In Russia Before The Allies Can Pacify Opposin

Washington, August 7. — The greatest disorder may break out temporarily again in Russia pending the gradual solution of the tangled situation there. Official eyes here are watching closely the reaction of the Lenine and Bolsheviki officials toward the joint allied plans for restoring order. Grave disturbances and even bloodshed before the Allies can pacify the opposing factions are expected in some sections. The State Department has been informed that Felix Cole American Consul at Archangel, was arrested by the Bolsheviki shortly before the Allied forces landed at that city. No formal charges were made against Cole and he was released just after the Allied forces landed. Cole has informed the State Department that he has been unable to receive a message from Washington or Ambassador Francis since July 7th.

CHICKEN FAT is often wasted. The french housewife thinks it is the finest shortening for cakes.



THE UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION SAYS EAT MORE CORN... Corn meal, Corn meal, Corn meal.

15 PROSTRATED BY THE HEAT

(By United Press) Richmond, Aug. 7.—Fifteen heat prostrations have been recorded here within the past twenty-four hours.



Arter de wlas of owl spit on de bait he say, sez ee—"I gwine ter sprize you all wid a mess er fishes 'cause you alls mus' save de meat en eat sumpin' else instid en jes git out dat of game bag en make it work, too," sez ee. Den he kotch a big fish and say, sez ee, "I loud—t-hoot—t-hoot—t-hoot," sez ee. When he say dat he means dat when you alle make riz biscuits jes don't make 'em—use corn meal ter save wheat flour fer de sojers.

food 1-buy it with thought 2-cook it with care 3-serve just enough 4-save what will keep 5-eat what would spoil 6-home-grown is best don't waste it.

WEATHER Fair tonight and Thursday, not much change in temperature. Light southwest winds. Those regular dinners at Scott & Twiddy's Cafe are delicious. Only 50c.

Eat game... U. S. Food Administration. Of Br'er Rabbit better make hissef mighty skeerce en not go pro-jekin' round whar dere's cookin' goin' on, 'cause a rabbit in a pot is er gold ter look mighty good to mos' ennybody 'fo' long 'count er folks havin' ter save on meat. 'Sides folks'll kinder have 'er save de wheat flour fer comp'ny en eat bread made outen dis yere 'substitute' flour. Dat wise ol' owl done say dat to win de war you got ter feed de sojer boys dat's dot' de fightin'. Dat's wai's takin' de wheat en meat.