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RUMORS OF PEACE

NON-COMMITAL REPLY SENT BY GERMAN CHANCELOR

GERMANS BEATEN ALL SIDES MAY ASK TERMS OF PEACE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Sept. 18.—The rear action of the Germans as the battle of Aisne is raging fiercely. The German offensive but the French not flinched at any point. The Germans have the river at their feet and the Allies' positions on the heights of Rheims. The Allies' army, which is claimed demoralized and without ammunition. The issue of Aisne battle may depend on the ability of the Crown Prince to prevent the Alsatians from his left. It was rumored yesterday that the Kaiser had ordered General von Kluck

not to resist further, that he was ready through the Pope or President Wilson to listen to an offer of peace.

The Belgian forces have routed 5,000 German cavalry after a violent encounter between Hoogbode and Poperinghe. It is reported that the German corps are now to be brought back to the western theatre of war from the Russian front.

The battered Austrian army is safe under the guns of Przemyśl, but the Russians are less than twenty miles away. Germany may invade towards Warsaw to prevent the Russian offensive move from that direction. The defeated Austrian-German force is trying to gain Cracow to prevent the Russian force marching on Berlin.

GERMAN REGIMENTS DESTROY EACH OTHER THINKING IT ENEMY

(Special to The Daily News.)
Sept. 18.—A Saxon officer at Troyes, France, reported that the German artillery annihilated a Prussian regiment believing it to be French. The 28th German Infantry shot each other to the last man, mistaking them for French troops.

MOST DESPERATE BATTLE OF THE WAR IS NOW RAGING

Paris, Sept. 18.—A dispatch from Paris says that in the battle of Aisne, on the result of which depends whether the Germans shall be able to again threaten Paris, or, on the other hand, be forced from France. The Allies have lost more men during the three days that the battle has raged than in any previous period of the war. The fighting continues with the utmost violence north of the River Aisne. The Allies are holding their own.

REPLACES SAMPSON IN ALASKA SERVICE Steamer Admiral Watson Taking Schedule of Vessel Lost in Col- lision with Princes Victoria.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—Upon her departure for Seattle, the Admiral Line steamship Admiral Watson, bade farewell to the port of San Francisco for some time to come, if not for good. The vessel will enter the Seattle-Alaska service in place of the steamship Admiral Sampson. Several changes in the personnel of the Watson's officers have been made. Harry Duke, formerly chief steward of the Sampson, joined the Watson at this port and went out in her as chief steward. Thomas Keohoe, formerly purser of the Sampson, went out as freight clerk to fill a temporary vacancy. When the vessel steamed from Seattle for Alaska ports, relieving Harry Ringwood, who will join the Admiral Schley.

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THE GERMANS IN FRANCE—WITHIN THE MARKET PLACE OF A BUSY FRENCH TOWN.
The Germans have penetrated certain sections of France for quite a distance and have occupied many French villages and towns on the northern frontier. In this picture are shown German soldiers making themselves at home in the market place of one of the towns. In the foreground is shown one of the clogs with his cart, which are being extensively used in the war.

MARKET PRICES BREAK EXPECT KAISER ABOUT TO SUE FOR PEACE

(Special to The Daily News.)
Chicago, Sept. 18.—Market prices are breaking owing to the peace talk and stories that the Kaiser has conditionally accepted President Wilson's mediation offer.

GERMAN'S REPLY TO PRESIDENT WILSON NOT QUITE READY

(Special to The Daily News.)
Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—President Wilson has received a non-committal reply from the German chancellor.

BATTLE STILL RAGING GERMANS WEAKENING

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Sept. 18.—The official bulletin issued yesterday afternoon says the great battle is continuing with indecisive results. The resistance of the Germans has not been broken, although at certain points they are described as giving away slightly. The French are repulsing the German counter attacks.

AUSTRIAN RETREAT HAS BECOME ROUT

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Sept. 18.—The Austrian retreat from Galicia is said to have become a rout. Emperor Francis Joseph has left Vienna for an unknown destination.

HONORS FOR A YOUNG FRENCH HERO

He Received Decoration of Honor
for Very Heroic
Conduct.

Limoges, France, Sept. 18.—On a train loaded with wounded which passed here yesterday was a young French officer, Albert Palaphy, whose unusual bravery on the field of battle won for him the cross of the Legion of Honor.

As a simple corporal of the 10th Dragoons at the beginning of the war, Palaphy took part in the recent violent combat with the Germans. In the thick of the battle, finding his colonel wounded and helpless, he rushed to his aid. Palaphy hoisted the injured man upon his shoulders and under a rain of machine gun bullets carried the colonel to the French lines. That same day Palaphy was promoted to be a sergeant.

Shortly afterward, although wounded, he distinguished himself in another affair, leading a charge of his squadron against the Baden Guards, whose standard he himself captured.

Wounded by a ball which had ploughed through the lower part of his stomach, and covered with lance thrusts, he was removed from the battlefield during the night and learned that he had been promoted to be a sub-lieutenant and nominated Chevalier in the Legion of Honor.

This incident of decorating a soldier on the battlefield recalls Napoleonic times.

to Confer Honors.

Bordeaux, Sept. 18.—At General Joffre's suggestion the government has decided to confer the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor on Generals Maueory and Dubail, and the Cross of the Grand Officer on General French.

POOR TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

Everybody has been yearning for the opening of the G. T. P. but next to that boon surely comes the need for a new telegraph service to the outside world. The service now available cannot be depended upon. It seems to have a habit of going out of commission when it is most needed. Yesterday the special service of The News was held up till nearly 6 p. m. and long after the last paper was issued. The same thing occurred today and nearly a thousand words which cost ten dollars is hung up. In the meantime we must pay the bill and get no benefit.

GERMANS HAVE ABANDONED LEIGE

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Sept. 18.—A Rome dispatch says it is officially admitted in Berlin that the Germans have abandoned Leige.

40,000 German "War Marriages."

Berlin, via The Hague, Sept. 15.—As an indication of conditions throughout Germany, it is officially stated that 40,000 emergency or war marriages have been performed since war was declared. This was made possible through the churches lifting the regulations that compelled the publication of the banns in advance.

AEROPLANES BEING USED BY THE BRITISH

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Sept. 18.—In the battle along Aisne, near Braine, British aviators are busy trying to find the positions of the German big guns. British sharpshooters have brought down many German aeroplanes and the latter are no longer flying over the field of battle. A fierce artillery duel is in progress.

FINAL CALL FOR THE RESERVISTS BY AUSTRIA

(Special to The Daily News.)
Paris, Sept. 18.—It is reported here that Austria is about to call out the reservists of all classes.

HOSPITAL STABLE AND HORSES BURNED

Shortly after midnight on Thursday week, the implement shed adjoining the Hazelton hospital was discovered to be on fire, the flames spreading to the stable with great rapidity. Notwithstanding hard work by the staff and volunteers, the stable was burned, with two fine driving horses. The loss to the institution is serious. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroux, who lost a sum of money in the boat accident at Seal Cove, say they do not charge anyone in particular with taking the money, but would gladly pay a reward for its return. The sum lost was considerable.

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PATRIOTIC CONCERT DREW BIG CROWD

Elaborate Program of Local Talent Assisted by Irish Fusiliers Give Lively Entertainment.

A concert of special interest and consisting entirely of local talent was given last night at the Westholme opera house in aid of the British Red Cross Association.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Judge Young by arrangement took the chair and gave the opening address. He showed in a few well chosen words how Britain had become involved in the war, which he termed "a righteous war" as far as Britain was concerned. The Red Cross had been organized in 1908, and devoted its energies to such occasions as the present. Just now they needed \$150,000 and Canada was asked for \$50,000. This concert was in aid of that movement.

The chairmen then on behalf of the management thanked the theatre company for a concession in the price for the use of the theatre and for a free orchestra and to the local press for free advertising and printing. The program was as follows, and every part was well rendered and received with applause:

- PART ONE.
Overture by Westholme Orchestra
Chairman—Judge F. McB. Young
"Comrades Song of Hope", Adolph Adams
Male Voice Choir
"For All We Have and Are", Kipling
Mrs. Chisholm
Tableaux—
(a) Entente Cordial
(b) A Chip of the Old Block
(c) Children Coming Home
(d) Behind the Guns
(e) A Message to the Empire.
"Jessie's Dream", Grace Campbell
Mrs. Wm. Millar
Pierrots—
Pierrot—Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Hemmell,
Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Ward, Miss Thompson, Miss Curran
Pierrots—Mr. L. Crippen, Mr. Nichols, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Bullock-Webster, Mr. H. G. Grey
Guitar solo, "PART TWO."
"Soldiers of the King", Stuart
Mrs. Bryant
Swedish Dances—
Mrs. Holmquist, Mrs. Johnston, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Holmquist
"The Marsellaise", Rouget de Lisle
"Il Trovatore", Prision Scene—
Soprano Solo—Mrs. Jervis McLeod
Tenor Solo—Mr. Davies
A Bivouac—
Irish Fusiliers
"God Save the King"

THE WEATHER.

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