

OFFENSIVE IS CRUMBLING FROM GERMAN EXHAUSTION

How Paris Views the Result of the Second Repulse on Dead Man Hill.

A despatch from Paris says: Complete repulse of a second desperate assault to wrest Le Mort Homme, west of the Meuse, from the French, was announced Thursday night.

A Berlin statement earlier in the day had claimed possession of Dead

Man Hill and the repulse of all French counter-attacks aimed at its recapture.

At the War Office these statements were denounced as absolutely false.

With the successful countering of

Thursday's assault French critics gen-

erally say that the third Battle of

Vaux has passed its crest. Although

there was no mistaking the despera-

tion and fury of the German attempt,

observers say that its cumulative ef-

fect was less than that of the previous

struggles at Boulmont, and

In the operations against Le Mort

Homme the speed and energy of the

cavalry drive has been lacking. Not

only has the artillery fire much less

intensity, but the whole battle dragged

on interminably. When the batteries had

done their best to destroy the French

conquered by men and other guns,

Indeed it would be difficult to de-

scribe the general jubilation in Paris.

There is no longer any uncertainty

about the fate of the battle. The last

doubt, and it can be admitted now that

even in high quarters there were mis-

givings that the great fortress could

withstand the 42 centimetre Krupps

and the terrible skodas has been swept

aside. The big gun has been made

to go to go to Sofia is

a death warrant."

AT BAGDAD
FIVE ASSAULTS
BEATEN BACK

Russians in a Virtual Co-operation With the British at

Ku.

A despatch from Petrograd says: Troops in Persia are now

safely situated on the frontier that they may be

in virtual co-operation with

the British at Ku, where

Troops have been for several

months in the cordon

around Bagdad, but the

fact being as important as

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RUSSIAN PURSUIT CONTINUES, TOWN ON EUPHRATES OCCUPIED

In the Battle Which Preceded Its Fall the Turks Lost a Provision Convoy and Five Cannon.

A despatch from Petrograd says:

The Russians advancing from Erzerum have occupied the Turkish town of Mamukhanian, on the Euphrates, after a battle 90 versts (60 miles) west of Mamukhanian, or the Euphrates of Erzerum, capturing in the course of the operation five cannon and making prisoners of 44 officers and 77 Askaris.

Markets of the World

Breadstuffs.

Toronto, Mar. 21—Manitoba wheat

New crop, No. 1, Northern, \$1.09;

No. 2, do., \$1.04%; in store, Fort William

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 42c;

No. 3, do., 41c; extra No. 1 feed, 41c;

No. 1 feed, 40c, in store, Fort Wil-

liam.

American corn—No. 3 yellow, 90c;

track, Toronto.

Canadian corn—Feed, 68 to 70c;

track, Toronto.

Ontario oats—No. 3 white, 42 to

43c; commercial, 41 to 42c, according

to freight outside.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 Winter, per

car load, \$1 to \$1.02; No. 1 commer-

cial, 98c to \$1; No. 2, do., 96 to 98c;

No. 3, do., 93 to 95c; feed wheat, 85-

to 88c, according to freights outside.

Peas—No. 2, \$1.60; according to sample, \$1 to \$1.30, according to

freights outside.

Barley—Milling, 60 to 62c; feed,

57 to 60c, according to freights out-

side.

Buckwheat—Nominal, 68 to 69c, ac-

cording to freights outside.

Rye—No. 1 commercial, 85 to 86c;

selected, according to sample, 82 to

84c, according to freights outside.

Manitoba flour—First patents, in

jute bags, \$6.50; second patents, in

jute bags, \$6; strong bakers, in jute

bags, \$5.80; Toronto.

Ontario flour—Winter, according to

sample, \$1.15 to \$1.30, track, Toron-

to, \$1.15 to \$1.25, bulk, seaboard,

prompt shipment.

Milled—Car lots, delivered, Mon-

tréal freights—Bran, per ton, \$24;

shorts, per ton, \$25; middlings, per

ton, \$26; good feed flour, per bag,

\$1.60 to \$1.70.

Country, Product.

Bethel—Fresh dairy, 28 to 31c; in-

terior, 23 to 25c; creamery prints, 34-

to 36c; soldis, 32 to 34c.

Eggs—Now laid, 29 to 30c; do., in

cartons, 31 to 32c.

Beefs—\$1.10 to \$1.40, the latter

for hind-peeled.

Poultry—Chickens, 19 to 20c; fowls,

15 to 18c; ducks, 27 to 28c; geese,

18 to 20c; turkeys, 23 to 25c.

Cheese—Cottage, 49c; twins, 19c;

Potatoes—Car, 16c; Ontario,

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