

Russian ships visit Finland

Helsinki: A Russian cruiser and two destroyers visit the Finnish Capital. ~~As~~ there are no authorities there to greet them... the Russian Military Attache goes aboard to say "hello!" Under the peace treaty with Russia, Finland is not allowed to have a Navy..

Floods

Bavaria - More pictures of the devastating floods in the Danube valley around Passau. Today, the town is an island of roof-tops in an inland sea...

After hours of incessant rain, the Danube and its tributaries reached unprecedented levels - sweeping across their banks, and bringing a flood-tide of misery and despair.

As the waters rose, cattle were taken up into the loft. But hope is at hand, latest reports say that the waters are receding.