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DATE	EUROPE
10 Aug 1914 (Mon)	
12 Aug 1914 (Wed)	
14 Aug 1914 (Fri)	
15 Aug 1914 (Sat)	
16 Aug 1914 (Sun)	<b>Moulaert</b> Baron Guillaume, Belgian minister to Paris announces France refuses to keep the Congo Basin neutral.
17 Aug 1914 (Mon)	<b>Moulaert</b> Count de Lelaing, Belgian minister to London announces Britain refusal to keep the Congo Basin neutral.
20 Aug 1914 (Thurs)	
21 Aug 1914 (Fri)	
22 Aug 1914 (Sat)	<b>Official History</b> Belgian proposal to neutralise African free-trade zone accepted by Germany.

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<b>German HQ Diaries</b> ...cont <b>Tel</b> to Korvettenkapitan Zimmer, Morogoro: Belgium enemy; Oberleut Horn and artillery and 30 men from <i>Möwe</i> , now at Dar-es-Salaam, are at once going by train to Kigoma to occupy that town and to arm vessels there.	10 Aug 1914 (Mon)
<b>Zimmer</b> A party of 30 men from the <i>Möwe</i> , under Lieut Horn, arrived at Kigoma. The German passenger steamer Hedwig von Wissmann, of some 60-tons, was commissioned and armed with four pompoms from the <i>Möwe</i> . The harbour itself was put into a state of defence against attack by the sea.	12 Aug 1914 (Wed)
Oberleut zur See Horn leads raid on Uvira, Belgian Congo.	14 Aug 1914 (Fri)
<b>Moulaert</b> The Germans disembarked at Uvira, cut the tel wires and took fifteen canoes.	15 Aug 1914 (Sat)
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	Tanga raided by HMS <i>Pegasus</i> .
	20 Aug 1914 (Thurs)
<b>Resume of military ops</b> (ADM 137/141 M04228) The German steamer <i>Hedwig von Wissman</i> after passing Moliro on 20 Aug arrived at Vua and enquired after the Belgian boat. Called upon to leave, she did so.	21 Aug 1914 (Fri)
	German forces from SWA enter Union of SA.
<b>Resume of military ops</b> (ADM 137/141 M04228) The German steamer pursued the Belgian <i>Alexander Delcommune</i> which took shelter behind the fortified post at Lukuga.	22 Aug 1914 (Sat)
<b>Shankland</b> <i>Hedwig von Wissman</i> attacked the unarmed Belgian steamer, <i>Alexandre Delcommune</i> which had just sailed from the German port of Kigoma and damaged her severely.	
<b>Moulaert &amp; Lettow-Vorbeck EA</b> On Lake T Lieut Horn chased the Belgian steamer <i>Delcommune</i> , which he surprised and shot to pieces, thereby securing the	
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