

ROUMANIA AND BULGARIA REPORTED READY FOR WAR

Frankly state the policy which in these extraordinary circumstances it becomes its duty to adopt. It must presently do what it has not hitherto done or felt at liberty to do—lend its active moral support to some man or group of men, if such may be found, who can rally the suffering people of Mexico to their support in an effort to ignore, if they cannot unite, the warring factions of the country, return to the constitution of the republic so long in abeyance and set up a government at Mexico City which the great Powers of the world can recognize and deal with, a government with whom the programme of the revolution will be a business and not merely a platform.

"I therefore publicly and very solemnly call upon the leaders of factions in Mexico to act, to act together, and to act promptly for the relief and redemption of their prostrate country.

"I feel it to be my duty to tell them that if they cannot accommodate their differences and unite for this great purpose within a very short time this Government will be constrained to decide what means should be employed by the United States in order to help Mexico save herself and serve her people."

Almost simultaneously with the issuance of President Wilson's Mexican note, Eliseo Arrondono, head of the Constitutional agency here, gave out the following statement:

"I am directed by Mr. Carranza to say that the scandal provoked in the press of the United States over the exaggerated shortage of food in the City of Mexico has for its only source the violent complaints of a group of residents of the capital called 'International Committee.'"

"I am authorized by the Constitutional Government to make emphatic denial that any former of Mr. Carranza have intercepted the importation of the 600 tons of corn so often alluded to and to say that this accusation is false, even though those interested in giving it circulation have succeeded in inducing the Brazilian Minister, in charge of American interests in Mexico, to voice the same as authentic.

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ondono, is an unavoidable consequence of war.

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Villa's representative in New York City, Francisco Urquidí, said he was much gratified by President Wilson's new policy toward Mexico.

"That is fine," Signor Urquidí said after reading the President's pronouncement to the Mexican leaders. "That is just what we expected from President Wilson. To be perfectly frank, I might say that we—the Villa people—have tried, on more than one occasion, to do just what President Wilson has suggested. Mr. Carranza, however, is a very hard headed man."

"Everything President Wilson sets forth is true. All right thinking men in Mexico know that," Urquidí added. "The military mastery of Mexico, however, is a very hard headed man."

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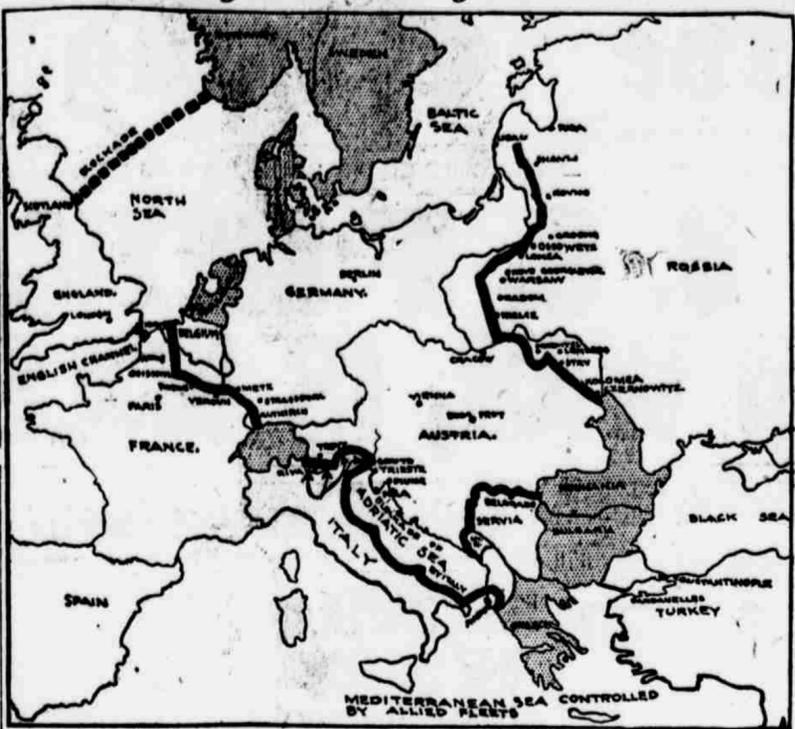
Railway Bridge Across the Adige River Is Also Reported Blown Up.

MOVING ON ROVERETO.

Austrian Town of Mori Is Now Under Bombardment of Italian Guns.

ROME, June 2.—The Italian fleet has destroyed the Austrian wireless station on the island of Lissa, off the Dalmatian coast and the semaphore on the island of Curzola. Bombardment of the Austrian town of Mori, three miles from Rovereto, has begun. Italian batteries posted on the heights of Monte Altissimo have wrecked the railway bridge across the Adige and have damaged the railway station. Heavy rains have seriously hampered the rush of the Italian troops up the Adige; but dispatches received here to-day said that the Austrians had suffered equally, flooded mountain torrents wiping out some of their lines of trenches across the Adige Valley south of Rovereto. Weather conditions have made it impossible for the invading forces to take quick advantage of the capture of Mori. The enemy is entrenched behind a huge pile of rock deposited by a landslide of centuries ago. Behind this advanced position are rows after row of rock barricades thrown up along the railway from Mori to Rovereto. From these entrenchments machine guns can play dismally on an invading force marching up the Adige.

How Iron Ring Is Drawn by Land and Sea Around Germany and Austria by Six of Their Enemies



WAR NEWS IN BRIEF.

Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, to-day visited the White House to put the case of his nation before President Wilson. All reports from the national capital indicate that a new note will be sent to Germany this week. Unless the German Government gives a satisfactory answer it is probable that Ambassador Gerard will be recalled. The Austro-German grip on Przemysl is tightening. The official announcement from the Berlin War Office to-day states that further entrenchments to the north of the city has been captured, although the Russian military authorities assert that attacks on these fortifications have been repulsed. The German War Office also announced that during the month of May more than 300,000 Russians were taken prisoners. Severe fighting occurred yesterday on the western end of the Franco-Belgian front, north of Arras. The French War Office claims that the allies penetrated Neuville and captured several houses as well as trenches near the town. The Berlin announcement asserts this attack was repulsed. The British steamer *Saldieh*, from Alexandria, Egypt, for Liverpool, was torpedoed yesterday in the North Sea. Seven persons, including a woman, were drowned and forty-one survivors were landed at Chatham. The addition of Bulgaria and Rumania to the ranks of the allies is indicated by a dispatch from Bucharest to Paris. It is said Rumania will go to war against Austria and Bulgaria against Turkey.

While refusing to make a general decision upon the points of international law involved, it is understood the department decided that guns mounted on the stern of the vessel, which were palpably incapable of attacking other vessels, might be carried out of the United States without violating the neutrality regulations. In the case of the *Adriatic*, which sailed from New York in September, and in the case of another vessel which sailed from Philadelphia in September, the department decided that guns mounted for defensive purposes might be carried. The Atlantic Fleet will not go through the Canal, and it will not leave the coast of the United States. This may be stated as a fact, although representatives of the Government are unwilling to admit it officially. It is believed the condition of the *Culebra Cut* may be given hereafter as a reason for the fact that the fleet's programme, which included a trip to San Francisco next month, has been abridged, but the fleet will be kept on the Atlantic Coast because the Administration realizes that it may be needed as a result of the German attitude. The fact developed to-day that the Navy Department is making an extensive canvass of the shipbuilding facilities of the United States.

GERMANY MAKES NO NEW OFFER TO CHANGE POLICY

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protect American citizens, their interests and their rights. In such a contingency there is no thought or proposal that the United States would join forces with the allies. There remains paramount in the policy of this country the principle laid down by George Washington against entering into entangling alliances. No army, no navy of the United States could combine with any of the allies as England and France and Italy have pooled their resources. No army would be dispatched from this country to operate in Europe.

ONLY THE NAVY WOULD BE EMPLOYED.

Only the navy would be employed to protect American ships and American citizens on the seas. This is a remote contingency, but not beyond the bounds of possibility if Germany continues insolent to the representation of the last great power in the world that remains her neutral friend. The Cabinet to-day stands squarely behind the President in his determination to make Germany abandon submarine warfare on non-combatants as the price of America's continued friendship. Even Secretaries Bryan and Daniels, who were opposed to drastic action at the outset, are now satisfied that the United States must take a firm stand against Germany if the progress of civilization is to be maintained. It is understood Counselor Lansing advised the President there is no truth in the statement made by the German Foreign Office that the Lusitania was armed. This was the most important issue raised by Germany and the one which the Administration admitted that this Government might be compelled to consider. During the early stages of the war—in August and September—the State Department was asked to pass upon a number of cases in this category.

300,000 RUSSIANS TAKEN IN MAY, DECLARES BERLIN

Nearly 270,000 Men, 863 Officers and 251 Cannon Captured in Galician Battles.

BERLIN, June 2 (via London).—The German Army Headquarters announced to-day that more than 300,000 Russians had been captured during the month of May. Announcement also was made that further Russian entrenchments near Przemysl had been captured. The text of the report follows:

"Successful engagements occurred against minor Russian divisions at Nubausen, fifty kilometers (about thirty miles) northeast of Lubau, and at Shidiki, sixty-nine kilometers (about forty miles) southeast of Lubau. The same thing happened further south in the district of Shavil, and on the Dubyna, southeast of Kielmy and between Ugramy and Eljargin. At Shavil we took 500 prisoners. Further Russian entrenchments situated around Dankowiczki (near Przemysl) were taken by storm yesterday. After the victory at Strz the

GERMANS RECAPTURE MILL AT SOUCHEZ FROM THE FRENCH

See-Saw Battle North of Arras Continues With Great Ferocity.

BERLIN, June 2 (via London).—The War Office gave out the following statement to-day:

"We shot down a British flying machine at Dixschote. The occupants—one Belgian and one British officer—were taken prisoners. The sugar refinery east of Souchez, into which the French penetrated yesterday afternoon, has been recaptured by us. An attack begun by the French against our positions at and south of Neuville during the evening was repulsed. Only a small section of the trench on the other side of the high road from Neuville to Ecurie was occupied by the enemy. Fighting at close quarters in the forest of Le Preire for the possession of certain portions of the trench continues."

PARIS, June 2.—The Germans have shelled Rheims twice in the past thirty-six hours," it was announced to-day by the War Office. "The cathedral and other parts of the city have been repeatedly bombarded." North of Arras, the fighting in the ruins of deserted villages has been resumed with great fury. The French drove the enemy out of a group of houses in Neuville and retained them despite several strong counter-attacks. Southeast of Neuville, French bayonet charges captured several German trenches. In the last twenty-four hours 450 German prisoners have been taken in the fighting around Neuville. Fighting under a hail of lead, the Germans in the recent battling around Notre Dame de Lorette, became so demoralized and confused that they couldn't distinguish north from south, the official eye-witnesses attached to the French army reported to-day. Among 5,000 German dead found after the battle was the body of a Capt. Sievert," said the eye-witness. "In his pocket was found a written account of the fighting from May 10 to 20, the day he was killed. 'The Germans,' he wrote, 'jacked ammunition. Their orders were so badly given that there was great confusion in every sector, the soldiers being unable to sense their directions. The morale was very bad. Hundreds of wounded lay in the German trenches waiting for the an-

bulence men, who, for some reason, failed to arrive. The men fought for hours without food. 'We absolutely need a supply of hand grenades,' is an entry in the diary under date of May 11. 'The number which Capt. Sievert received was insufficient and he could not carry out his attack. The lack of projectiles prevented all chance of success. 'The way from Souchez to Ablain is impracticable,' the captain wrote, 'exposing us to incessant artillery fire. Ablain, like Souchez, is nothing but a heap of ruins. Our guide is unable to lead us further, and wet with sweat we grope along. The situation is desperate. Our men die as each shell falls, and it is necessary to threaten them with court martial.' The last page of his diary was written at 10 P. M. of May 20. In it the Captain said: 'The bombardment to-day completely destroyed what remained of our trenches. The men have been without support for three days. I ask again that the fourth company of the Eleventh Regiment be placed at my disposition. The parapet trembles and a cloud of earth and pieces of shell rain down on us. How long must we remain in that rat trap? I believe now that my nerves are gone. The fire of the enemy has attained its greatest violence. Indescribable.' Here the tragic notes of Capt. Sievert come to an end. This diary, says the eye-witness, indicates the 'great success of the French artillery and infantry.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT IS SENT TO GERARD OF GULFLIGHT 'MISTAKE.'

BERLIN (via London), June 2.—The German Government has transmitted a communication to James W. Gerard, the American Ambassador at Berlin, explaining that the torpedoing of the American tank steamer *Gulflight* off the Heilly Islands on May 1 was a mistake.

Detective Sergt. Murphy, New York, in his resignation at Police Headquarters to-day, with ten years and four months of service behind him and an absolutely clean record, it will take over the management of his father's farm at Fairfield, Herkimer County, N. Y.

CINCINNATI, O., June 2.—Young Donny's breeched lip was the only mark borne to-day by either him or Jack Britton of New York as a result of their ten round bout here last night. Donny was clearly outclassed after the first three rounds.

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VENICE GILDED HORSES REMOVED TO SAFETY

Italians Feared Famous Bronzes Would Be Damaged by Hostile Shells.

ROME, June 2.—The famous gilded horses which have adorned the cathedral of St. Marks at Venice for a century have been removed to a place of safety for fear that they might be damaged by hostile aviators or warships.

The four horses, five feet high, are among the finest of ancient bronzes. They probably once adorned the arch of Nero and afterward that of Trajan. Constantine placed them on the imperial hippodrome at Constantinople, whence the Doge Enrico Dandolo took them to Venice in 1204 as the spoils of war. In 1297 they were carried to Paris by Napoleon, but in 1815 they were restored by Emperor Francis.

RUMANIA DECORATES AMERICAN WOMAN FOR HER RED CROSS WORK.

BERLIN (via The Hague), June 2.—Mrs. John B. Jackson, wife of the former United States Minister to Rumania, has just been decorated by the Rumanian Government for her aid in Red Cross work during the Balkan wars. Her husband, whose home is at Trenton, N. J., is in Germany as a special investigator of German prison camp conditions for Ambassador Gerard.

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