

ceived instructions regarding the ultimatum. The correspondent adds that it is believed the Chinese Cabinet, in the event of the presentation of the ultimatum, will yield to the main force.

BRITISH CLEAR TRENCH OF FOE ON HILL NO. 60

Drive Germans from More Positions They Recently Recaptured.

FRENCH DECLARE INVADERS HALTED

Say Kaiser's Offensive Has Broken Down—Fix His Losses in Eastern France at 35,000.

London, May 6.—The British have driven the Germans from more of the trenches the invaders captured on Hill 60, southeast of Ypres, according to a War Office report issued to-night.

There are reports that the Germans are making progress at this point. Desperate fighting is in progress on this sector of the line.

Other German claims relate to successes in the Weverre, where the Germans say, in an attack along the northern side of the St. Mihiel wedge they took upward of two thousand prisoners, and that they repulsed French attacks on the southern section of the wedge near Flirey.

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MEN TURN BLACK BY POISON GASES

British Government Considers Advisability of Retaliating in Kind.

London, May 7.—A British officer who visited hospitals where some of the victims of German asphyxiating gas were being attended writes:

"We had no difficulty in finding out in which ward the men were, as the noise of the poor devils trying to get their breath was sufficient to direct us. They were all more or less in a sitting position, propped up. Their faces, arms and hands were of a shiny gray black color, with most of the men glazed eyes. It was a most appalling sight, all these poor black faces struggling, struggling for life. There is practically nothing to be done for them except to give them salt and water."

Germans Grab Red Cross Fund

Have, May 6.—General von Bissing, the German military governor at Brussels, has passed a decree dispossessing the Belgian Red Cross of its powers and seizing its funds, amounting to \$40,000.

Earth Shocks Recorded

Washington, May 6.—Seismographs at Georgetown today to-day, between 7:25 and 7:45 a. m., recorded earth shocks of moderate intensity registered to have been about 1,800 miles from Washington.

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ASK EGYPT COTTON BAN

Grey Announces Embargo—Coal Exports Prohibited.

London, May 6.—Great Britain has requested the government of Egypt to prohibit the export of cotton to all other than the British, Russian, Spanish or Portuguese ports.

WANTS BRITISH REPRISAL

Commons to Consider Use of Gas Against Germans.

London, May 6.—The suggestion that Great Britain adopt measures in retaliation for the use of gas in battle by the Germans took concrete form to-day.

COMMONS HALTS LIQUOR REFORM

Threatened Irish Revolt Postpones Passage of British Legislation.

London, May 6.—The threatened revolt of an important section of the ministerialists—the Irish Nationalists and the Independent Irish Nationalists—who for the first time in many months joined forces to-day to oppose the new liquor taxes proposed by David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, forced the government to postpone until next week the second reading of the bill embodying the Chancellor's plan.

The necessity for expeditious action was insisted on not only by Mr. Lloyd George, but by Premier Asquith himself, though with little avail.

"The foreman of the jury said the man earned \$10.00 a week when working ordinary hours, while if they worked overtime they could earn \$22.50 weekly. He estimated that the man's neglect resulted in the firm's losing \$50."

NEW SUBMARINES IN TRIAL

L-1 and L-2, Latest U. S. Craft, Qualifying for Navy.

Quincy, Mass., May 6.—The United States submarine L-1 completed her trial trips off Provincetown to-day. According to her builders here she met all her tests satisfactorily and exceeded some of her specifications.

BRITISH IN FRANCE 540,000 STRONG

French Economist Thinks Lloyd George's Estimate of 750,000 Men Is Exaggerated.

Paris, May 6.—An interesting calculation of the approximate strength of the British forces in France appears in "L'Economiste Français," the famous economist and statesman. He takes Mr. Lloyd George's statement that the British forces now abroad are equivalent to thirty-six divisions.

U. S. Jockey Off for Germany.

George Archibald, the well known California jockey, is now on the way to Germany to fulfill his contract for riding for the racing season, which begins at the end of this month.

29,000 TROOPS LAND IN A DAY AT DARDANELLES

Asquith Tells How Allies Press Forward Under Hot Fire.

TURKISH REPORT DENIES OCCUPATION

French, Australians and New Zealanders Defeat Counter Attacks and Gain Ground.

London, May 7.—An Athens dispatch to "The Daily Mail" says: "The Allied troops after short engagements which caused heavy losses to the Turks captured the heights facing Souda Bay fort, four miles west of Kilit Bahr. The possession of these heights promises the speedy reduction of Souda Bay, which covers Kilit Bahr."

"The Allies later continued their successes, turning their attention to the section of the peninsula between Gaba Tepe and Seddul-Bahr. "An entire division of Turkish reinforcements arrived on the peninsula and desperate fighting is under way to prevent them effecting a junction with the troops in holding the positions in the lower part of the peninsula."

London, May 6.—The operations in the Dardanelles are being pressed forward under highly satisfactory conditions, Premier Asquith told the House of Commons this afternoon. The Premier spoke in parliament to-day.

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AUSTRIANS SEIZE CITY OF TARNOW

Battle On at Gorlice Still, Russian's Claim

Petrograd, May 6.—The Germans are developing a most serious movement in large force from the region of the Austrian fortress of Cracow in the direction of the River Dunajec. The Germans succeeded in forcing the retreat, heavily to Russia, of the Russian forces, they were effectively checked on the east bank by artillery fire.

"In number of troops and pieces of artillery and generally through the expert character of the movement this offensive eclipses all the other scattering manoeuvres which the Germans have been employing in an attempt to dislodge the Russians from the Carpathian Mountains."

Geneva, May 6 (via Paris).—The Tribune de Geneve has received a dispatch from Vienna saying that the desperate effort of an Austro-German army of 250,000 men to break through the Russian centre at Gorlice has failed. The losses have been heavy and the Austro-German forces were compelled to retreat to the west to Neu Sandez.

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Long Range Gun Drops Shells in Czar's Fortress—Series of Battles on Frontier.

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"The heaviest artillery was employed in the bombardment. The 42-centimeter mortars in action were, however, not the noted German guns, but of Austrian make. They were designed originally for land warfare, but have been found to be extremely valuable for land warfare. They fire projectiles 650 pounds heavier than the German mortar and are understood to be comparatively mobile and quickly set up."

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TAFT NOW N. Y. LAWYER U. S. RELIEF SHIP SUNK OUTSIDE ZONE. County Ass'n Make Him and Root Honorary Members. Ex-President Taft, former Senator Elihu Root and Roger A. Pratt were made honorary members of the New York County Lawyers' Association at the annual meeting in the Hotel Astor last evening.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA WILL USE WHITE GARDENERS. Berkeley, Cal., May 6.—Five Japanese gardeners employed at the University of California have been replaced by white men in pursuance of a university policy, Ralph P. Merritt, controller of the board of regents, said to-day.

\$3 ROUND TRIP TO WASHINGTON. SPECIAL EXCURSION SUNDAY, MAY 9TH, VIA ROYAL BLUE LINE. New Jersey Central, Reading & Baltimore & Ohio R. R.'s.

FIRE IN AMERICAN SHIP The Pennsylvania at Balboa With Cargo Burning. Panama, May 6.—The American Hawaiian liner Pennsylvania, from New York for San Francisco, has put back to Balboa after passing through the canal with her cargo burning.

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