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Guns Have Been Roaring Incessantly for Days.

TEUTONIC GAINS CONTINUE

Infantry Engages in Hand to Hand Struggles, Grenade Fighting and Mining Operations Play a Prominent Part and Airmen Battle Above the Lines.

London, Feb. 15.—The whole western fighting front is the scene of engagements.

At some points the guns have been roaring incessantly for days, the infantry has been engaged in hand to hand struggles; grenade fighting and mining operations have played a prominent part in the battles, while airmen have fought each other above the lines and have been cannonaded from below by aircraft guns.

The Germans followed up their recent success in Champagne by the capture of an additional half mile of French trenches around Tahure, in that district, and the artillery bombardments in the neighborhood of Massiges and Navarin have been answered in kind by the French.

In upper Alsace the Germans turned loose their guns on trenches the French had captured from them, but the French during the night had evacuated them and the shelling did no other damage than to shatter the emplacements.

Seventeen fights in the air is the record of Sunday, reported officially by the British along their lines in Flanders.

In addition there has been great activity south of Labasse canal, where the Germans exploded seven mines.

Heavy bombardments and an infantry attack in that section also is reported, the Germans succeeding in entering a British trench. They were driven out almost immediately.

STRICTER BLOCKADE URGED

London Meeting Asks That Navy Be Given More Power.

London, Feb. 15.—A largely attended meeting to urge the government to establish a more effectual blockade against the central powers was held in London. Baron Devonport, chairman of the port authority of London, presided.

The discussion hinged on the following resolution:

"That this meeting of citizens of London, viewing with grave alarm the enormous quantity of commodities reaching the enemy through the North sea, calls on his majesty's government to give our navy freedom to exercise fuller and more effective use of our sea power in the war."

AMERICAN GIFT TO FRANCE

Two Wealthy Citizens Give Government Hospital Train.

Paris, Feb. 15.—A hospital train of thirteen cars, the gift of two wealthy Americans, was presented to the French government.

Laurence V. Benet, former member of the chamber of commerce in Paris, made the presentation address.

Justin Godart, under secretary of state for sanitary service, accepted the gift.

He declared that the friendship of Americans for France is traditional.

England to Vote Credit.

London, Feb. 15.—It is expected the next vote of credit will be introduced soon after parliament reassembles. The statement is made unofficially that the vote will be for £250,000,000, bringing up the total of war credits to £1,912,000,000.

Roumanian Army Ready.

Paris, Feb. 15.—Roumanian's mobilization is now complete, said an official statement given out here. The western and Danubian defenses have been finished.

HOUSTON MAY GET PLACE

President Considering Him for Secretary of War.

Washington, Feb. 15.—While President Wilson has not selected a new secretary of war it was indicated that the choice lay between Secretary Houston of the department of agriculture and several men outside of official life.

The president is carefully canvassing the qualifications of all the men he considers available. It is said that, although he may reach a decision at any time, it is probable no nomination will be made for several days.

ONE MAN DEAD, ONE DYING

Four Suspects Arrested in Connection With Illinois Shooting.

Ottawa, Ill., Feb. 15.—Tony Racolla was found dead on a lonely road near La Salle with nine bullet holes in his body and John Pellegrine is reported dying at a hospital as the result of a mysterious shooting. Four suspects have been arrested.

SIR W. R. ROBERTSON.

Said to Be Slated for Commander of British Armies.

Photo by American Press Association.

Sir William R. Robertson is believed to have succeeded Lord Kitchener in charge of the operations of all the British armies in the field against the Teutons. Sir William is a Scot. He began his army career as a private in 1888. Tradition says he was footman, and before that a pantry boy.

BELIEVE SLAVS WILL ATTACK CZERNOWITZ

London, Feb. 11.—Significance is attached by Russian military commentators to the offensive movement of Russian troops in Eastern Galicia, just north of the Bukowina boundary, which is reported officially from Petrograd to have resulted in the capture of Uscieczke and the crossing of the Dniester at that point. Reuter's Petrograd correspondent says the opinion is expressed that if the Russians continue their movement they will threaten all the Austro-German positions in the district of Czernowitz, capital of the Bukowina.

According to statements made by prisoners, the correspondent says, the desperate defense of Czernowitz by the Teutonic forces, which has cost them large losses, was dictated by political rather than strategical considerations, an order having been issued to the troops declaring that the fall of Czernowitz would cause the immediate adherence of Roumania to the quadruple entente.

NOW UP TO THE PRESIDENT

Two Defense Bills Through Both Houses of Congress.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The senate passed the resolution making $600,000 available for re-equipping the Mare Island and New York navy yards and the increasing by 300 the entrance class at Annapolis naval academy. The measures passed the house Monday and now go to President Wilson for his approval.

MINE BLAST KILLS NINETEEN WORKMEN

Johnstown, Pa., Feb. 13.—Nineteen miners were killed and four injured in an explosion at No. 2 mine of the Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron company at Triest, Indiana county. The bodies have been recovered.

All of the men killed were aliens. Two of the injured are Americans.

An official of the company said that the cause of the explosion is not definitely known. The inspectors have not completed their investigation.

The belief is, however, that a spark from an electric cutting machine or from a motor set off a pocket of gas, as a number of victims were those who were working around the cutter and motor.

LOWELL FIGHTS BRANDEIS

President of Harvard and Other Boston Citizens Protest.

Washington, Feb. 14.—A. Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard, joined with fifty-four other citizens of Boston in sending to the senate a petition opposing confirmation of Louis D. Brandeis for justice of the supreme court.

PEACE SCHEME REJECTED

House Declines to Consider Resolution for Neutral Conference.

Washington, Feb. 11.—On objection by Republican Leader Mann the house declined to consider a resolution by Representative Clark of Florida for calling a peace congress of neutral nations by President Wilson.

BERLIN CLAIMS FURTHER GAINS

Germans Capture French Positions in Champagne.

FIGHTING STILL PROCEEDS

Lively Artillery Action Precedes Attack on British Position in Flanders.

Berlin, Feb. 14.—Heavy fighting is in progress in Champagne. The German war office announced the capture of French positions extending over a front of about 700 yards. In Flanders the Germans penetrated positions of the entente allies. The statement follows:

"In Flanders, after lively artillery fighting, our patrols and strong reconnoitering detachments penetrated positions of the enemy. Several mines were exploded effectively. Southeast of Goesinghe more than forty Englishmen were captured.

"British artillery bombarded the town of Lille. Considerable material damage was done.

"On our front between La Bassee canal and Arras, and also south of the Somme, hostilities were impeded by bad weather. In the fighting in the region northwest and west of Vimy up to Feb. 9 we captured 9 officers, 682 men, 35 machine guns, 2 mine throwers and stores of various descriptions. Our artillery shelled heavily the enemy positions between the Oise and Rheims with good success, as is confirmed by patrols.

"In Champagne, south of Sante Marie-A-Py, we stormed French positions extending more than 700 yards, capturing 4 officers and 202 men. Northwest of Massiges the enemy successfully made two violent attacks. Hand grenade battles continue without interruption over the portion of our trenches to the east of Maison de Champagne, which the French occupied on Feb. 11.

"Between the Meuse and the Moselle we destroyed by five large explosions the advanced trenches of the enemy over a front of thirty to forty yards.

"Our aeroplanes bombarded enemy positions and the railway establishments at La Panne and Poperinghe. An attack made by an enemy aeroplane on Chistelles, south of Ostend, caused no damage.

AUSTRIAN AIRMEN RAID ITALIAN CITIES

Paris, Feb. 14.—Austrian seaplanes made a raid over Ravenna and the neighboring towns of Codigoro and Bottrighe, in Northeastern Italy, near the Adriatic.

A Havas dispatch from Rome says fifteen persons were killed and a number wounded.

Several women and children were among the injured.

A hospital and the Basilica of Sant Apollinare at Ravanna were damaged.

The Church of Sant 'Appollinare was erected in the years of 535 and 538 and was consecrated in 549 by Saint Maaximiam. It was restored in 1779 and is the largest of the Basilicas still existing at Ravenna.

AUSTRIANS ARE ADVANCING

Army of Thirty Thousand Marching on Durazzo.

Rome, Feb. 13.—According to the Durazzo correspondent of the Idea Nationale the strength of the Austrian forces marching on Durazzo is 30,000 men. The rest of the invading army, the correspondent says, is engaged in guarding the country behind the advancing troops. He adds that the disarmament of Montenegro is not completed and parts of the little kingdom have not been occupied as a result of the vigorous resistance of the followers of General Martinovitch.

TEUTONS REBUILDING SERBIA

Work Indicates Intention to Retain Nation Permanently.

New York, Feb. 11.—The work of the German and Austrian invaders of Serbia in rebuilding structures destroyed by fire and bombardment appears to be of a permanent character, according to Dr. C. M. Cheadle, a Red Cross surgeon of Rockford, Ill., who returned on the French steamship La Touraine.

Buildings of stone and concrete are replacing those razed, Dr. Cheadle said, and Serbian roads, particularly those of military value, are being restored and improved.

The impression he received was that the Teutons were planning to control Serbia permanently.

Armed Freighters Warships.

Berlin, Feb. 11.—The German government is about to issue a memorandum to neutral governments announcing that hereafter armed merchantmen belonging to countries at war with Germany will be considered and treated as warships.

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