

Bridgeport and vicinity— Increasing cloudiness to night; Sunday probably rain or snow; warmer Sunday.

Sun rises 6:19 a. m. Sun sets 5:49 p. m. High water 3:39 p. m. Moon sets 12:22 a. m. Low water 10:18 p. m.

1,390,000 U. S. TROOPS ACTUALLY IN ENGAGEMENTS

Battle Casualties of American Army in France Talled 240,197.

26TH HAD 8,955 MEN ON LIST

This Includes Killed in Action, Wounded, Missing and Prisoners.

Washington, March 8—American troops actually participating in engagements against the enemy numbered 1,390,000 men. General March announced the figures today, showing that 1,190,000 comprised divisional troops and divisional replacements, 240,000 corps and army troops, and 50,000 service or supply troops.

UKRAINIANS AND POLES FIGHTING

There Is Hope However, That An Armistice May Be Arranged.

Lemberg, March 6—Although fighting is still going on here between the Poles and Ukrainians, with the latter bombarding the city, there is still hope that an armistice may be arranged between the contending forces. It is believed, however, that before a truce is established there will be more severe fighting.

WANT VICE SQUAD BACK AT DEVENS

Ayer, Mass., March 8—Military authorities at Camp Devens have requested Governor Coolidge to return to duty the state police officers who until two weeks ago acted as a vice squad at the entertainment. Since the squad ceased its work there has been a steady influx of undesirable women, according to camp officers.

CASUAL CO. 930 OF CONNECTICUT

New York, March 8—With 46 officers and one thousand men of the 24th Infantry of the 87th Division, the steamship Chicago arrived here today from Bordeaux. Also aboard thirteen casual officers. The steamship Plattsburg arrived from Brest, with 2,175 troops, 25 wives of soldiers, 20 wives of officers and 150 naval officers and men.

AMERICAN CLAIMS AGAINST THE CENTRAL EMPIRES TOTAL UP TO \$750,000,000

Government Troops Put Down Berlin Armed Revolt

Flame Throwers and Trench Weapons Used in Street Fighting Around Police Headquarters—Decided to Extend Strike to Power Plants.

Basle, March 8—German government troops have suppressed the armed revolt at Berlin, according to a despatch from that city, and are now assigned to the task of protecting workmen who want to return to their labors. The popular marine division and two detachments of the Republican Guard have been disbanded, it is reported.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION FINDS AGAINST ORNBURN

Bridgeport Central Labor Union, after reviewing evidence presented by Ira A. Ornburn, a prominent labor leader of New Haven, finds that the funds of the Mooney defense congress have not been misused.

ANNOUNCE NEW TURKISH CABINET

Damad Pasha New Grand Vizier and Foreign Minister.

REST OF 27TH ON WAY HOME

Departure of Three Transports Announced by War Department.

OPPOSE ARMED INTERVENTION

Paris, March 8—The managing committee of the General Labor Federation has adopted a resolution which begins by quoting sentences from President Wilson's address at New York dealing with the unreasonableness of the people of Europe.

GOES BY PLANE TO NEW YORK

Washington, March 8—The postmaster general of Sweden, Julius Juhlin, who has been making a study of this country's postal service, was a passenger in one of the mail planes leaving Washington today for New York. He accompanied Pilot Robert Shanks and they left the tremains at 11:30 o'clock.

Bonini Charged With First Degree Murder

After Shooting Joseph L. Callahan, 16, Through the Heart, Enraged Man Yields to Police, Because His Cartridges Are Gone.

Charged with murder in the first degree Edward Bonini, age 47, of 489 Alex street, who in cold blood shot and killed Joseph L. Callahan, 16 years, of 4106 Stratford avenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Callahan, shortly before 8 o'clock last night, on Alex street, was arraigned before Judge Frederic A. Bartlett in city court this morning.

AMERICAN LABOR PARTY ORGANIZES CONNECTICUT

The American Labor party which was organized in Bridgeport during the Machinists' strike of 1918 has been extended into a state organization.

BREAK HARBOR STRIKE BACKBONE

5,000 Strikers, Employees of Railroad Administration Return.

WILL KEEP ARMY OF 509,909 MEN

Strength Will Not Be Reduced Below This Figure For Some Time.

AGREED TO BREAK OFF NEGOTIATIONS

Paris, March 8—An official note issued today says that statements appearing in the press seem to give the impression that the breaking off of negotiations at Spa between the Allied and German missions was due to the initiative of the French delegation.

LOCAL PICTURES IN LOCO BOOK

The Locomobile Company of America, whose principle offices and factory are in this city are preparing a book which is to be called "A Pictorial Review of Beautiful Bridgeport."

BREWERS TO MAKE CANDY

Boston, March 8—Brewers of this city are planning to become candy makers after July 1. Officers of the company say today that they had applied to the Building Inspection Department for permission to make changes in their brewing plants in Roxbury to equip it for candy manufacture.

TOOK MONTHS TO COMPILE LIST

At Outbreak of War We Had \$3,000,000,000 Properties In Enemy Countries.

Washington, March 8—Claims filed by American citizens and concerns with the State Department against Germany and Austria-Hungary total about \$750,000,000, the State Department announced today. Additional claims are expected.

CONFERENCE IN PARIS IN APRIL

President to Meet Secretaries Baker and Daniels Also Pershing.

ROBBERS GET BIG PAYOFF

Five Youths Under Arrest for Theft in Financial District.

MADE LUNCH ROOM PROPRIETOR NERVOUS WATCHING HIM COUNT MONEY

Henry Christanson of 78 Union street charged with carrying concealed weapons and Philip Clowart of 110 Blackstone street, charged with a breach of the peace, had their cases continued for one week this morning by Judge Frederic A. Bartlett.

CLERK SHEA BACK IN STRATFIELD

Sergeant Cornelius Shea, late of the 7th S. Army and stationed at Camp Raritan, N. J., has been discharged from the service and is back in Bridgeport. He will take a short vacation before again resuming his former duties as clerk at the Hotel Stratfield.

COMMISSIONER LAVERY RECOVERING

Hugh Lavery, United States Commissioner, has almost recovered from a slight attack of the "flu." He has been indisposed for the past 10 days, but expects to be at his desk on Monday morning. Cases pending before him have been continued as a result of his illness.

1,361,528 MEN GET DISCHARGES MARCH REPORTS

Number Ordered Released Has Reached Total of 1,613,500.

HAVE BUT 81,231 HOSPITAL CASES

Reduced Number of Demobilization Camps to Twenty-three.

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Washington, March 8—President Wilson probably will be able to meet in Paris early in April with Secretaries Daniels and Baker, civilian heads of the navy and army, respectively, Vice Admiral Sims, commander of the overseas naval forces, and General Pershing, commander of the American Expeditionary Forces.

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