

PERSHING REPORTS SEVERE LOSSES INFLICTED ON GERMANS

attacks by our troops. The town of Courcelles was captured and recaptured and finally remained in our hands.

"On the right the French forces maintained their positions to the southeast of Ville. Here there was bitter fighting. The French took more than 500 prisoners in the course of these various engagements.

"On the centre the enemy endeavored, by bringing fresh forces, to continue his progress. He was successful in reaching the southern edge of Cuvilly wood and Reconnais-sur-Matz on the plateau of Bellinglise. Further to the east the fighting was continued in Thiescourt wood.

"According to the unanimous reports of prisoners the battle, up to the present time, has cost the enemy enormous losses.

"To the north of Rheims there has been fairly spirited artillery fighting. French forces completed the operation on which they embarked yesterday to the east of Hautebraye and took 150 prisoners.

"Between the Rivers Ourcq and Marne French forces repulsed several German attacks east of Vinly. Continuing their progress in the region of Brussaies, French and American troops gained ground, brought up to 250 the number of prisoners taken and captured 30 machine guns."

[OFFICIAL BRITISH REPORT.]

LONDON, June 10.—The text of the statement issued to-day by the War Office says:

"We carried out a successful raid yesterday on a German post in the sector northeast of Bethune.

"A hostile attack during the evening upon one of our posts in Aveluy Wood was repulsed."

GERMANS CLAIM SLIGHT GAINS; ONLY FEW PRISONERS TAKEN

Berlin Boasts of Sanguinary Repulse of French and British Troops in Several Local Attacks.

[GERMAN REPORT]

BERLIN, June 10.—The official report from headquarters last evening says:

West of the Oise we have captured the Height of Gury and adjoining enemy lines. (Gury is eight miles west of Noyon and twelve and a half miles southeast of Montdidier. The capture of the Height of Gury represents a German gain of a little more than two miles.

The earlier statement yesterday said:

The artillery duel increased many times in the evening and early this morning. It increased in intensity in the Kemmel region, south of the Somme and on the Aves.

Local attacks by the French south of Ypres and by the British north of Beaumont-Hamel were sanguinarily repulsed.

On the Oise fighting activity revived. Local French attacks on the southern bank of the Aisne and south of the Ourcq failed. Thrusts by our troops east of Cutry resulted in the capture of forty-five prisoners.

In a successful undertaking on the east bank of the Moselle we captured prisoners.

FOCH'S RESERVE ARMY IS PROBABLY MASSES, READY FOR COUNTER BLOW

Possibly at Compeigne, Distributing Centre of the American and Allied Forces.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The new German thrust between Montdidier and Noyon is regarded by officials here as a local operation on a large scale, with limited objectives, designed to consolidate the Picardy and Aisne battle theatres and straighten out the line for later mass attacks either toward Paris or the Channel ports.

The same object was sought in the pressure toward Compeigne and Soissons and from Chateau-Thierry. The Villers-Cotterets wood blocked the success of the movement and the Germans now are trying to take the defenders of the wood in the rear. If they succeed it is regarded that the line they seek to establish would give them a straight front from the region of Montdidier to some point in the vicinity of Chateau-Thierry.

There is little doubt that a heavy reserve is maintained by Gen. Foch at some place within the triangle formed by the new sector of attack, Soissons and Chateau-Thierry. Compeigne is in this triangle and is the distributing centre probably for the Allied and American forces holding the bulge in the battle line that still separates the Picardy and Aisne theatres of action. The new thrust apparently is aimed at Compeigne, and if it is brought under heavy gunfire the security of the defending lines north and east of that place might be menaced.

BRITISH IMPROVE LINE SOUTH OF THE SOMME

Shelling of Positions Held by Haig's Troops Drops to Normal Again.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 10 (Associated Press).—A considerable local improvement of the British line just to the south of the Somme was effected last night through a slight advance carried out in the neighborhood of Bouencourt. Otherwise the night was generally quiet and the situation unchanged.

The enemy shelling, which was so heavy on the British right wing Saturday night and Sunday morning preceding the advance carried out, French has again dropped to normal.

All "Lost and Found" articles advertised in "The World" are reported to "Lost and Found Bureau," Room 108, World Building, will be listed here at any of "The World's" offices. "Lost and Found" advertisements can be left at any of "The World's" Advertising Agencies, or can be telephoned directly to "The World," 4000 Beekman New York, or Brooklyn Office, 4100 Main.

BOLSHEVIK RULE DOOMED IN RUSSIA; NEW RISING NEAR

Germans Backing One Counter Revolutionary Movement and Monarchists Threaten.

STOCKHOLM, June 10 (United Press).—The counter-revolutionary movement in Russia is growing. The Bolsheviks are living their last days. Unless the present regime is overthrown by the combined efforts of other revolutionary democratic parties there will be a counter revolution of the monarchists in Moscow and Petrograd similar to that which triumphed in the Ukraine. Skoropadsky, aided by the bourgeoisie and cadets, is ruling the Ukraine and has virtually restored the old regime. Mannerheim in Finland and Krassoff in the Don regions have triumphed in a like manner. In a similar way, the provinces of the Baltic region have been occupied, while the provinces of Pskoff and Minsk are under the banner of Austro-German imperialism.

Russia is threatened by foreign imperialists on the north, west and south. The Turks are again advancing in the Caucasus, aiming to unite at Tiflis with the Germans, who are advancing from the north.

With masked cunning, by friendly notes through German Ambassador Mirbach, Germany is gradually approaching the heart of Russia, in order to pierce it at the desirable moment.

An alliance of German and Russian counter-revolutionaries, acting from two fronts—the inner and the outer—is preparing for a final and complete counter-revolution.

Last week in Moscow, a plot was discovered in which hundreds of reactionaries aimed to kill the republic and restore the monarchy through simultaneous uprisings in Moscow, Petrograd and other centres, in cooperation with German bayonets.

The German command, of course, is taking no official part in these plots, but is splendidly informed of the situation and is ready to appear as the protector of the new reactionary regime at the proper moment.

The Bolsheviks themselves admit: "We are already a corpse; but there is no one to bury us."

The Bolshevik regime, due to methods of violence similar to the old Caesarism in an effort to preserve itself, is universally hated. The proletariat are leaving the Bolsheviks en masse.

All factory workers in Petrograd have organized. Their conference demanded a reunited democratic front, abrogation of the Brest-Litovsk treaty and formation of a national Socialist Russia in order to restore industry, inaugurate social reforms and end civil war.

The Bolsheviks planned to dissolve the conference, but got cold feet. The conference is planning a general strike unless the Bolsheviks yield.

GERMANS SEND MORE TROOPS TO THE TOUL AND NANCY FRONTS

Fear of an American Push Believed to Be Actuating New Concentration There.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LORRAINE, June 10 (United Press).—American observers report continuation of the German concentration of troops opposite the Toul sector and further east, opposite Nancy. German aviation and aircraft guns are increasingly active in attacking American observation balloons.

Military men still hold the opinion that the Germans are not contemplating attack in these sectors, but more likely fear an American push.

The Journal de Geneve in a recent issue announced that the Americans are holding forty kilometers (about twenty-five miles) of front in Lorraine.

According to prisoners it is now necessary to take two of the present German divisions to make out of complete strength. The enemy lines are still sparsely held. American patrols find no difficulty in overrunning No Man's Land. The first two German trenches are almost deserted every night.

SPREAD OF BOLSHEVISM MAY FORCE JAPAN TO ACT

"Dramatic Denouement" in Far East Foreseen by Correspondent in Tokio.

LONDON, June 10.—Although signs do not seem to point to intervention in Siberia, developments in the Harbin zone may possibly force Japan to act. The Tokyo correspondent of the Daily Mail under date of June 1, Bolshevism is sweeping eastward and threatens to pass Harbin and extend in the direction of Vladivostok. The correspondent concludes:

"My belief, founded on good information, is that the Far East may witness a dramatic denouement."

Vicount Takaaki Kato, former Japanese Foreign Minister, speaking as the leader of the Opposition, in an interview with the Tokyo correspondent of the Daily Mail, said he was personally not in favor of intervention in Russia, although if actual danger threatened Japan would intervene, whether the Allies agreed or not, but until that time arrived Japan could not rightly move. If Japan sent troops to Siberia they might never come in contact with the Germans and the result would be an enormous waste of money and effort while it would do the Allies no good.

PROF. LOMONOSSOFF PREFERS BOLSHEVIKISM TO INVASION

Humanity Is Driving in That Direction, Says Head of Russian Railway Mission.

Prof. G. V. Lomonossoff, head of the Russian Railway Mission in the United States, June 10.—"You, I know, are great Britain, is planning to publish his memoirs, in similar form to those of American Ambassador Gerard, it was hinted here to-day, German officials violently oppose the project.

Lomonossoff's memoirs placed the responsibility for the war upon German intrigue, freeing Great Britain from all blame.

Smith & Company's sales of Beef in New York for the week ending Saturday, June 8, averaged 60,000 lbs. Domestic Beef, 22.75 cents per pound.—AP.

How the City of London Is Warned of an Air Raid; Boy Bugler Adds Blasts to Searchlight Flashes



BOY SCOUT GIVING WARNING OF AN AIR RAID ON LONDON. BY HOWARD V. BROWN. PRINTED BY PERMISSION OF SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.

foreign invasion from the East, I prefer the former.

"I am not a Bolshevik. Nevertheless, I prefer the present government to the Government of Nicolai II, and although I believe that the political ideals of the Bolsheviks are absolutely unattainable at the moment, I realize that humanity irresistibly is driving in their direction, and not in the direction of the ideals of German and Russian feudalists."

CAPTORS OF 3 AMERICANS WALK INTO FRENCH LINES

Germans Themselves Made Prisoners When Tangled Condition of Front Confuses Them.

LONDON, June 10.—How the captors of three American soldiers on the sector northwest of Chateau-Thierry unwittingly led them back into the Allied lines owing to the tangled conditions of the fighting front there is told by the correspondent of the Times with the American army in France.

Capt. Sidney W. Rogers and Privates Raymond Howard and Frank P. Ridgway were captured at Hill 204. Two Germans started with them in the rear, but became confused and walked straight into the French lines and themselves were taken prisoner.

The Americans reported that German officers had questioned them closely as to when and where they had landed in Europe, where they were trained and the identity of their units. The Americans refused to answer any of the questions. The Germans seized the American prisoners with a nauseating compound of flour and water as food.

PLAGUE AT KRUPP PLANT.

Black Smallpox Reported Killing Many at Essen.

LONDON, June 10.—A dispatch to the Times from Essen, Germany, states that an epidemic of black smallpox is raging among the workmen of the Krupp plant at Essen, with four or five fatal cases occurring daily. Vaccination of every one is being compelled.

The outbreak, the dispatch adds, is attributed to underfeeding and unsanitary conditions.

NAPKINS BARRED IN COLOGNE

Tablecloths May Be Used Only on Festive Occasions.

COPENHAGEN, June 10.—The Cologne Gazette says that beginning July 1 all hotels, clubs and restaurants are forbidden to use napkins or tablecloths, except on festive occasions.

BELMONT PARK WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—The Beldams; mare; three-year-old and up; Handicap; with 11 lbs. added; six furlongs; flight—Silverton, 116 (H. Erickson), 4 to 1, 5 to 7 to 10; won; Inn Frank, 135 (J. Berlin), 11 to 2, 4 to 3, 1 to 2; second; Rose D'Or, 104 (Eaton), 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:11.25. Jockey, Rhine Maide, Mary Maude, Huntress and Water Lady also ran.

SECOND RACE—Steeplechase; selling; four-year-olds and up; one and one-quarter miles; with 100 lbs. added; four furlongs; flight—Robert Oliver, 143 (W. Allen), 4 to 1, 4 to 5 and odd; won; Louisa, 145 (J. Berlin), 11 to 1 and odd; second; Sapphira, 127 (F. Williams), 10 to 1, 2 to 1 and odd; third. Time, 4:45. Gate fund also ran.

BEGINS SUIT TO PARTITION ESTATE OF HENRY ASTOR

Trust for Benefit of Brothers and Sisters' Children, Established in 1879, Basis of Action.

Suit to partition the estate of Henry Astor, the last of the Astor family who died last week in West Coonack, N. Y., was begun to-day with the filing in the County Clerk's office of a summons and complaint by Winthrop Astor Chanler, son of Emily Ward Chanler, deceased sister of the millionaire.

Mr. Chanler alleges that in 1869 Henry Astor established a trust for the benefit of his brothers' and sisters' children, and asked that a distribution be made in accordance with the terms of the trust. At the same time, he alleges that the trustees had a secret of the highest house of New York property in which Henry Astor owned a life interest.

Among the defendants named in the suit are William Albert Chanler, William Astor Chanler, John Astor Chanler, Louis Stuyvesant Chanler, Robert Winthrop Chanler and Margaret Aldrich, to whom Henry Astor's life interest reverted on his death.

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Today's strike directly follows upon the deadlock and controversy between Mayor Hylan and the Board of Estimate on the one hand and the Public Service Commission on the other, which came to a head Saturday when the Mayor refused to see the subway contractors after they had conferred with Comptroller Craig. This was the twelfth hour effort of the contractors to stall off the impending strike by insisting that the terms of the recent Lockwood Law, giving relief to them under the no-profit-and-cost basis, be put into practice.

The Board of Estimate and the Mayor, backed by an opinion from Corporation Counsel Burr, have been trying for a week, according to a statement by Frederick L. Crawford, President of the General Contractors' Association, to handle the situation outside of the Lockwood act provisions. Meanwhile the contractors, facing ruin on the terms of pre-war contracts, granted their men a temporary advance for a week, hoping that the deadlock would be broken.

Should the strike continue Brooklyn will be the hardest hit of the four boroughs in which the dual subway work is being done. Among the big jobs abandoned now are the Broadway connections between the Broadway subway in Manhattan and the Fourth Avenue subway in Brooklyn; between the recently downtown branch of the Seventh Avenue subway in Manhattan and the Interborough lines in Brooklyn; the Whitehall tunnel route, which is to Montague tunnel route, which is to run east on 14th Street, Manhattan, from Sixth Avenue to East River, and the section of the Eastern Parkway route running down Flatbush Avenue and to the Buffalo Avenue elevated.

The strike does not affect the contemplated opening of the Seventh Avenue line in Manhattan between the Battery and Forty-second Street, from which point Seventh Avenue trains will travel north on the present subway tracks.

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AUSTRIANS RUSHING ENORMOUS FORCES TO ITALIAN FRONT

Threatened Offensive to Be Met, Whether It Is Made as Feint or in Earnest.

ITALIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Sunday, June 9 by Associated Press).—Railroads behind the Austrian lines in Northern Italy are being rushed to their capacity night and day in bringing troops to the front, distributing them to different sectors and moving heavy guns and large quantities of munitions to positions near the battle line.

A special system of drills to improve the physical condition of the Austrian soldiers and give them training for assaulting positions has also been put into effect.

The Austrians in the mountain district are under the direct command of Field Marshal Conrad von Hozen-dorf. Field Marshal Horovic, commander-in-chief of the Austrian forces on the Italian front, is located in the Piave River district. It is he who last year promised to deliver Venice to his Emperor and initiated air raids upon churches and monuments in that city until the Italian aerial pilots destroyed the effectiveness of the Austrian railers.

It is known that the enemy is making strenuous efforts to prevent deserters from reaching the Italian lines carrying information of troop dispositions. Heavy rewards have been offered for the shooting of deserters. The enemy, however, is being watched carefully by the Italians, who seek to checkmate a threatened offensive, whether it be on a large scale or intended merely to bluff the Italians from sending troops to France or to satisfy German demands for an offensive.

Behind the Italian lines the aspect of the country is peaceful. Children are seen fishing in the canals and streams or playing upon the great highways leading up to the front.

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TAX OF THIRD OF INCOME URGED FOR ALL BUSINESS

Virginian, Before House Committee, Proposes Way to Increase Revenue 30 to 50 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Heavily on the new general revenue bill designed to raise \$5,000,000,000 by taxation this coming year were returned to-day by the House Ways and Means Committee. Drafting of the bill probably will start next week.

A. B. Thomas of Lynchburg, Va., a wagon manufacturer, advocated a tax of one-third of the net incomes of every business and a graduated income tax on individuals ranging from 5 per cent. to 30 per cent. He said all public utilities, privately owned, should be included as business to be taxed under his plan, which, he said, would produce from 20 to 30 per cent. more revenue than now is coming from the same sources.

Benjamin C. Marsh, president of the Farmers' National Committee on War Finance, was questioned by Representative Moore of Pennsylvania regarding an article he wrote saying he had been informed by a member of Congress that the reason excess profits had not been taxed was because bankers control the newspapers and that the newspapers intimidate Congress.

"Do you think that statement is true?" asked Representative Moore.

"I am afraid that in some cases it is," Marsh replied.

SEVEN U BOATS OFF U. S., IS NEW GERMAN BOAST

Three Large and Four Small Submarines at Work, Neutrals Are Told.

LONDON, June 10.—Information from German sources is that there are already three large and four small U boats off the Atlantic coast of the United States, and that more large submarines will be sent to America for the principal purpose of attacking troop ships.

The Daily Express prints a despatch from Geneva saying:

The German bluff concerning the appearance of U boats off the American coast continues to be circulated in neutral countries. According to a telegram received at Basle from Hamburg, there were seven U boats in North American waters at the end of May. Three of these were of the latest and largest type and four of a smaller size, but able to stay at sea a long time.

THINK M'ADDOO WILL BOOST RAILROAD FARES AGAIN

Telegram From Senator Frelinghuysen Contains Hint of Still Another Increase.

Mayor Griffin of Hoboken to-day made public a telegram from United States Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey in answer to one from the Mayor protesting against the proposed increase in the rates on the Hudson Tubes. The Senator's reply read:

"Your telegram received. Made protest to Director General McAdoo Friday. Will renew same to-day (Saturday). It is my belief that McAdoo will within a short time boost railroad fares over the entire country."

It is believed that the latter part of the telegram indicates that another increase in railroad fares may be contemplated.

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PENNY A POUND PROFIT

CANDY

WE ARE FOLLOWING OUT THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN REGARD TO DARKENING OUR STORES THIS NIGHT. All display signs and exterior illumination which were used prior to this date have been temporarily abandoned, but by our compliance with the Police mandate we do not wish to create the impression by our darkened store fronts that we are closed for business. Our stores remain open evenings in accordance with our regular schedule. We offer this explanation to our patrons and friends in order to set them right in the matter.

A Banner Special to Start Off the Week Monday, June 10th

CRYSTALLIZED PEPPERMINTS AND WINTERGREENS—These dainty pink and white dainties contain models of deliciously pure flavored candy. They are real masterpieces in mint confections and are sold only at the **FOUND BOX 19c** price at which we offer them Monday only.

Special for Tomorrow, Tuesday, June 11th

CHOCOLATE COVERED FRUITINS—The hearts of these sweets are comprised of the finest, mellowed cream filled chocolates. They are real masterpieces in mint confections and are sold only at the **FOUND BOX 19c** price at which we offer them Monday only.

Attractive Monday Offerings:

ASSORTED CHEWING TAFFIES—You know these old fashion chewing goodies—some dainty little in a summertime box. They are sweet and in full 10 flavors of Fruitins, Peppermints and Wintergreens. Each piece is wrapped in quality paper. **FOUND BOX 39c**

OLD DUTCH STYLE CREAM CHOCOLATES—The King of the Bitter of the most delicious Sugar Cream that ever tempted your sweet tooth, and the variety of flavors, great and small pieces. **FOUND BOX 44c**

Stores: New York, Brooklyn, Newark. The specified weight includes the container.