ENGLAND SEIZING AMERICAN VESSELS

U. S. PLANS TO SEND STRONG PROTEST AGAINST THIS ACTION

TOOK THREE OIL STEAMERS

Were Carrying Cargoes of Oil and Bound for Neutral Ports

18,000 MEN NEEDED TO EQUIP U.S. NAVY

12 OF THE BIG SHIPS COULD NOT BE PUT IN ACTIVE SERVICE

EQUIPMENT PRETTY GOOD

Navy However Is Short on Torpedoes and Auxiliary Boats

MAGGIE LEE IN TEXAS ACCORDING TO TELEGRAM

MYSTERY SURROUNDING GIRL'S DISAPPEARANCE NOT SOLVED, HOWEVER

Maggie Lee, the Enid carnage girl who so mysteriously took leave of her family last Monday morning after being subpoenaed to the grand jury for the trial and who has been sought for extensively since by the people and the Times officers, has showed up in Sherman, Tex. Report came from Sapulpa Tuesday that a girl was seen on route to Sherman at the flight of Sapulpa who fitted the description of the missing girl, but the story was somewhat discounted.

A telegram from Sherman yesterday morning confirmed the report. It was received in the girl's future and chief of Times office was immediately notified. The report of unusual drivers was thought that they had a girl as a passenger some time Tuesday night, in this passage the latter's address and their car left for the north. Inquiry from Sapulpa and Shawnee to Sherman finally resulted in locating the people and the message. Sherman officers were notified to be on the lookout for the girl and further that the message is to follow.

In regard to the report which was published on the first page of this paper, that Maggie Lee had been found in Texas, the Times officers say that they have no information to that effect, and that the report is entirely unfounded.

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ITALY MAY STEP INTO IT

Will Fight to Preserve Neutrality of Albania.

AMERICANS TO FEED STARVING BELGIANS

RELIEF WORK UNDERTAKEN BY U. S. COLONY IN LONDON

NEED A MILLION MONTHLY

Thousands Reduced to Bread Line With Bread Running Short

PULMOTOR PROLONGS LIFE

Keeping Man Alive Until His Relatives Arrive.

HEROIC BELGIANS REPULSE GERMANS

ADVANCED THE ALLIES' EXTREME LEFT DISTANCE OF FIVE MILES

TERRIBLE OPEN FIGHTING

Hand to Hand Fighting Marks Battling in the East.

To Organize Unions.

Noted Fire Chief Dead.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—P. H. Frain, chief of the Lake Charles, La., fire department, died suddenly here tonight. Mr. Frain was attending the convention of the International Association of Fire Engineers here.

The business sessions of the convention will be held tomorrow.

Mexican Consul-General Dies.

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 21.—A. R. Ansell, an Mexican consul-general, died here late today.

Eliminated Drinking Scene.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.—A drinking scene in a play now being produced at a downtown theatre here was eliminated today on demand of the prosecuting attorney. The prosecutor acted on complaint of the Federation of Catholic societies, which considered the scene demoralizing.

MEXICAN CATHOLICS APPEAL TO THE U.S.

WANT PROTECTION FOR THEIR LIVES AND PROPERTY IN MEXICO

NO CAUSE FOR GRIEVANCE

Documents Cite the Treatment Accorded the Catholics by Rebels.

Church Is Neutral.

Describing the political conditions which are declared to be responsible for the present state of unrest in Mexico, the committee asserted the attitude of the Roman church during has been the of absolute neutrality, refusing even to touch the unofficial offered assistance and request for consolidated authority.

The revolution, which will shortly be in control of the government in Mexico," said the statement, "has proclaimed, as a necessary means for the establishment and working out of its program the suppression of three classes which it considers to be inoperable influence to its purposes, the regular army, the Roman Catholic party and the large land holders.

"As far as the Roman Catholic clergy is concerned, they have held as well as for here they been heard in the councils of the various governments which have ruled the country during the past fifty years. They have resolved to favor from these governments instead they have patiently borne their oppressive tyranny. Nor have they taken part in their overthrow.

Rebels Anti-Christian.

"The recent revolution differs from those that preceded it only in being more bloody. In the past century the radicals and revolutionists retained the remembrance of the religious education received in their childhood. At least they believed in God and recognized the necessity of religion. The present generation of revolutionists are thoroughly imbued with anti-Christian and anti-spiritual principles and they are therefore enemies of all religion and especially the Catholic religion.

"They propose at any cost to uproot the Catholic religion from the hearts of the people. Since they cannot accomplish this by legitimate means they resort to calumny in order to persecute the church in the persecution of her ministers and by the destruction of the clergy they hope to effect the destruction of all religion.

Forced At to Leave.

"The priests of all the places which have been occupied by the revolutionists have been expelled in a body and without trial. They have been robbed of everything they possessed. Many of them have been thrown into prison, others have been tortured. Some have been killed. The bishops have been so threatened and those that have fallen into the hands of the revolutionists have suffered such indignities that all have been compelled either to flee from the country or go into hiding.

"The Catholic people have been outraged in their most sacred religious sentiments. The murder of profanation is so great that they would take too long to state in detail. Churches have been turned into stables and prisons. In Morelos, Mexico, 11 priests were threatened with death if they could not pay a ransom. The bishop of Zacatecas was compelled to remain and had nothing to eat. The Catholics freed them from their fetters with the money they had entrusted to them to provide for their sustenance.

"The statement declared there had been a combination of influences against the cause and especially in the latter part of the final regime to the present one. The archbishop of Mexico, Mexico City, Puebla, Morelia, Guadalajara, Durango, Oaxaca, Monterey, Saltillo, Zacatecas, Tampico, Tabasco, Chihuahua and others of the republic, besides it were not permitted to speak, and if they did so they were expelled from the country. The bishop of Tabasco was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Mexico and the bishop of Puebla were arrested and imprisoned. The bishop of Chihuahua was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Durango was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Oaxaca was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Monterey was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Saltillo was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Zacatecas was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Tampico was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Tabasco was driven out of the country and his property confiscated. The archbishop of Chihuahua was driven out of the country and his property confiscated.

"All the statements were prepared as supplement certain representations made to President Wilson and Secretary Bryan by the committee which was appointed by the Baltimore conference of the federation. Rev. Bernard H. Tiernan, S. J., of New York, Henry Cuddihan of Chicago and John Whalen, president of the federation, are the members of the committee.

THREE TIMES GERMANS CAME TO THE ASSAULT

ONLY TO BE THROWN BACK WITH TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—3:06 a. m.—A dispatch to the Daily Chronicle under date of northern France, Tuesday says:

"Two trainloads of wounded soldiers arrived here tonight from Nieuport and Dixmude. The Germans, in great strength, flung themselves on these two points in an effort to force their way to Nieuport in the hope of passing Furnes and the French frontier.

"Despite heavy losses, the Germans returned to the attack three times. The engagement lasted the greater part of the day, but ultimately the Germans were driven back along the entire line.

"In the beginning, however, the Germans carried everything before them. They gained Dixmude, but the allies' reinforcements, in a bayonet charge, swept down on the enemy with the stirring battle cry: 'Remember Louvain and Termonde.'

"Desperate hand to hand fighting ensued and gradually the German resistance crumpled. The retreat, slow at first, finally became a rout. The allies' artillery came into action and completed the work of demoralization.

"The enemy in their retreat, abandoned thousands of dead and wounded. Our troops also lost heavily. Fifty soldiers who were only slightly wounded died on the battlefield from exposure because the ambulance corps were unable to give them attention. Large numbers of the wounded, many of whom lay in the rain fifteen hours, were without the slightest surgical aid."

NO DECISION REACHED ON COTTON LOAN PLAN

NEW YORK BANKERS AGAIN MEET WITH FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD.

NEW York, Oct. 21. — Another conference of bankers identified with the proposed $135,000,000 cotton pool to ease financial conditions in the south was held here today without definite results.

It is understood that the latest plan calls for the issuance of two classes of warehouse certificates.

The first is to be taken by banks of the north and west on the basis of cotton at 4½ cents per pound, while the other is to be accepted by southern banks on the basis of 6 cent cotton.

This shifts the main responsibility for the plan to banks in the cotton growing states.

The foregoing plan and other details of an important character, including restricted acreage for next year's crop, were among the many phases taken up at the conference, which probably will be resumed tomorrow.

W. P. G. Harding came from Washington to explain the attitude of the federal reserve board, but declined to make any statement for publication. Others at the conference included Festus J. Wade and G. W. Simmons of St. Louis; A. B. Wilcox, chairman of the clearing house committee; I. M. Clarke, president of the American Exchange National bank; F. E. Anderson, president of the National Bank of Commerce; B. F. Love, president of the Union National bank; Edmund D. Hulbert, president of the Continental Trust company.

All these men participated in the preliminary plans for the cotton pool, which other bankers and their committees, in Chicago and elsewhere, are expected to approve before the plan is completed.

"ALL EYES ARE ON WILSON."

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been unable to keep the peace, they regard President Wilson as a typical American."

He urged support of Democratic candidates in the approaching elections.

PARADE TO PRECEDE CORNERSTONE LAYING

MUSICIANS DONATE SERVICES FOR THE Y. M. C. A. SERVICES.

Final arrangements have been made by the local Y. M. C. A. authorities relative to the laying of the cornerstone Sunday of the new building upon which the work of construction is rapidly progressing at the corner of Fourth and Cincinnati. The local Masons, together with the prominent officials of the order who will be present to take part in the ceremony, will form in front of the Simmons building on East Third street, behind the big 84-piece band which has been arranged for by the local musicians union, promptly at 2:30 o'clock. Behind the Masons, the Y. M. C. A. directors and the campaign teams, whose energy made the building a possibility, will form in line on Boston between Second and Third streets and behind them all the other fraternal orders and unions who have been invited to participate.

The musicians have volunteered their services in an effort to show the Y. M. C. A. people where their hearts are. The special music ordered for the occasion has arrived and their work will add wonderfully to the impressiveness of the occasion. The line of march will proceed from the starting point west on Third to Main, south on Main to Sixth, east on Sixth to Cincinnati and north on Cincinnati to the building. The procession will start not one minute later than 4 o'clock, according to the statement of Secretary E. C. Buchner last night. Invitations have been sent to the Y. M. C. A. state committee and all the boards of directors of associations in the other cities of the state.

The main speaker of the occasion is I. E. Brown, dean of the Y. M. C. A. college in Chicago and the oldest man in association work in America. He is considered the most beloved man in the entire association. The cornerstone will be laid according to the method specified in the Masonic ritual and the ceremony will be conducted by the high officials of the Masonic order, who have already been engaged. This will no doubt be the most impressive ceremonies staged in the city in years.

SITUATION IS CRITICAL

German Troops Are Under a Cross Fire.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—3:06 a. m.—Telegraphing from Flushing, Holland, the Daily Mail's correspondent says that the situation for the Germans in Belgium is becoming critical.

"This (Wednesday) morning they were still holding Westende, and bombarding Nieuport but they were under the fire of warships. The reply of the German batteries were falling short of the warships.

"As a result to the allies' capture of Houthem, the German line has been bent back to Thourout."

OUST COTTON OIL MILLS

Arkansas Files Suit Against Thirty-Two of Them.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 21.—Attorney General Moose today filed in the U. S. district court ouster proceedings against thirty-two cotton oil companies operating mills in Arkansas for alleged violations of the state anti-trust law. He charges that these companies since September 1, 1909, have been in an agreement with corporations and individuals residing outside the state to regulate the price of cotton seed and cotton oil. He charges that the object of the pool is to restrict competition in the purchase of cotton seed and the sale of cotton oil and to fix prices.

Bankers Appeal For Help For Railroads

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for his statement that English investors found American railroad securities attractive.

Mr. Hadley's peculiar method which he employed showed that the credit of the nation as represented by its bonds had always paralleled the price of railroad bonds as the latter's money was used the credit situation had always been the reflection of railroad affairs. He explained that the method that other countries exhibit public securities, commercial and municipal bonds had been ignoring the peculiarly unfavorable circumstances and other railroad bonds as well.

Mr. Chamberlain asserted this had culminated in the necessity of increased taxation and that the country faced the prospect of issuing a flood of paper all of these still having to be met.

Lewis Brandeis and Cliff of Thurston from Chairman Hill's commission that of the proposed five years of increased securities is not real basket that that of railroad bonds and of this series a little half of each per cent. The "credit" of the railroad will not be the rate question were connected to getting increased rates and showed the train of the railroads will be determined that of other securities.

Louis D. Brandeis, an investment banker of Boston, was on the stand during cross-examination when the day's session ended.

BELGIAN REFUGEES IN FLIGHT FROM THE CITY OF ANTWERP

This photograph, snapped on the road from Alost two weeks ago, when the Germans approached the city, shows a sick Belgian woman being moved by her family out of the line of the German advance. Fearful tales of atrocities went before the advancing army of the Kaiser and every Belgian who could possibly do so moved his family and his effects to cities and towns farther to the east.