

The Intelligencer

NEWS OF LOSS AT SEA SHOCKS GREAT BRITAIN

Six Cruisers and Several Destroyers Wiped Out and Six Ships are Unaccounted for. German Loss is Considered Insignificant. Report Causes Consternation in London and West.

(By Associated Press.)
London, June 2.—The official press bureau at eleven o'clock tonight issued a statement saying that owing to lack of information they are unable to pass upon various accounts of the sea battle being submittted. The bureau said that the admiralty doubtless would possess fuller details tomorrow.

British Public Shocked

London, June 2.—The British public was given a shock today when the admiralty announced that in a naval battle in the North sea Wednesday the British battle cruiser fleet met the German fleet with the result that three British battle cruisers were sunk, together with three smaller cruisers and several destroyers, while six destroyers are unaccounted for.

Queen Mary, Indefatigable, and Invincible were the battle cruisers sunk. Other cruisers were: Defence, Black Prince, and Warrior. The Warrior was first reported disabled, but later it was announced that she had been abandoned by her crew.

The battle, which began in the afternoon, continued through the following night. German losses, according to German version, were the pre-dreadnaught Pommern, and Cruiser Welsbaden, and the cruiser Fran Ebleh unaccounted for and several destroyers missing. The news occasioned greater consternation in the west and in London tonight than any event of war.

ONE DREADNAUGHT OF THE RAISED CLASS IS BLOWN UP BY BRITONS

The announcement says one dreadnaught of the Kaiser class was blown up by British destroyers. At least two German light cruisers beyond the one already announced sunk was seen to be disabled. The admiralty says British officers observed hits on three other German battle ships engaged and reported one German submarine rammed and sunk.

GERMAN ADMIRALTY MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT OF BIG SEA BATTLE

Berlin, June 2.—(Wireless via Sayville)—The German admiralty announced today that the German high sea fleet on May 31st encountered a British fighting fleet. Their fight all night. The British battleship Warspite, battle cruisers Queen Mary and Indefatigable, and two armored cruisers were destroyed. It is also reported that small British cruiser and a number of torpedo boat destroyers and torpedo boats were sunk. The admiralty statement adds that by observation it was established that a large number of British battleships suffered damage from the German big ship's fire and the attacks of the torpedo boat flotilla.

ENSILAGE TOWERS BUILT IN HOLLAND

Good Results Are Obtained From American Project

(By Associated Press.)
The Hague, Netherlands, June 2.—The first American ensilage tower in Holland, which was erected last year on the Johannaheer farm at Oostereijk by the Institute for Agricultural Improvement, has given such good results that two other towers are now to be built on the same farm, which will provide sufficient ensilage maize to keep the entire farm stock during the next winter.

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Priest on Stand Attacking New York Mayor

Mgr. John J. Dunn, chancellor of the Catholic diocese of New York, denied on the witness stand the charge of Mayor Mitchell that he had offered a witness \$100 to leave the state. The controversy between the mayor and the priest became bitter over the charges the two made.

President to Give Dips

Annapolis, June 2.—Wilson arrived here today to give diplomas to graduating class of naval academy.

Jackson Faction Wins

Chicago, June 2.—Taking up the consideration of the Georgia contests at the opening session today the Republican National committee by a vote of twenty-five to fifteen elected H. W. S. Daniels of the Jackson faction as a delegate from the first district over Sol G. Johnston of the Blain faction.



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STATE RESTS IN HOUSE APPROVES THE INNES CASE NAVAL MEASURE

Defense Announces That Witnesses in Behalf Defendant Testify Today

(By Associated Press.)
Atlanta, Ga., June 2.—The state rested its case today in the trial of Victor E. Innes, of Eugene, Oregon, charged with larceny after trust of about \$4,000 from Mrs. Eloise Nelms Dennis, who with her sister, Miss Beatrice Nelms, disappeared in San Antonio, Texas, in June 1914. Innes and his wife, Ida May Innes, were acquitted of the murder of the two women in San Antonio. Both were later indicted for larceny here and Innes was put on trial a week ago.

BRANDEIS TO BE SWORN JUNE 12

Washington, June 2.—Louis D. Brandeis, the Boston lawyer, will be sworn as a member of the supreme court probably June 12. The senate yesterday confirmed the Brandeis nomination 47 to 22. Senator Newlands of Nevada, was the only democrat voting against Brandeis. In a formal statement he said he did not regard Brandeis as a man of "individual temperament."

GIGANTIC TRADE FAIR PLANNED IN LONDON

Winnipeg, Canada, May 27.—The provincial authorities in Canada are receiving notices that a gigantic trade fair will be held in London soon after the end of the war to better the Great Britain's trade and all business enterprises of importance in the Dominion are being urged to participate.

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A 'FAVORITE SON' CANDIDATE OR 'DARK HORSE' LIKELY

NO DEVELOPMENT AT CHICAGO TO ACCURATELY INDICATE NOMINATION FIGHT SEEMS BETWEEN ROOSEVELT AND HUGHES

(By Associated Press.)
Chicago, June 2.—After numerous conferences tonight there appeared no development that would accurately indicate which candidate is likely to be nominated by the republican national convention. While on the surface the fight appears between Roosevelt and Hughes, there is a marked increase in activity for the "favorite son" candidates. Managers of the Root, Weeks, Burton and Fairbanks teams insisted that their candidates would be in until the end. They predicted a "favorite son" candidate or a "dark horse." The plan of the old organization is said to be to try to win with Hughes and if this fails try Burton, Weeks and Fairbanks.

Hughes Has No Manager

Washington, June 2.—Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes, through his secretary, Lawrence H. Green, declared today that neither Frank H. Hitchcock nor anyone else is authorized to work for his nomination for president in the Chicago convention.

FOUND GUILTY OF DESECRATING FLAG

Pastor Gets 30 Days and a Fine of \$1,000

New York, June 2.—Bouck White, pastor of the Church of the Social Revolution, who last night participated in the burning of the American flag and other national emblems in the rear of his church was found guilty of desecrating the flag in city courts recently distributed, and was sentenced to 30 days in jail and a fine of \$1,000.

EARL KITCHENER BEFORE COMMONS

Makes Statement Concerning the War Situation

London, June 2.—Earl Kitchener appeared before the house of commons for the first time to make a statement regarding the war and to be questioned by members. He was accompanied by several of his staff, and political heads of the war office.

MARTIN GLYNN IS HEAD SAINT LOUIS DEMOCRATIC MEET

(By Associated Press.)
St. Louis, June 2.—Martin Glynn, former governor of New York, was elected temporary chairman of the Democratic convention by the subcommittee on arrangements of the national committee here tonight.

ATLANTA WATER WAGON SOON THING OF PAST

Cars Will Be Used On Streets Having Tracks

Atlanta, Ga., June 2.—Atlanta is in danger of losing that ancient and honorable conveyance known as the water wagon and just at the time when prohibition has made it the most valuable article of property in the city. The local street car company has decided to purchase a new street car and to use it for the purpose of carrying water on the streets. The water wagon will be used for the purpose of carrying water on the streets. The water wagon will be used for the purpose of carrying water on the streets.

GERMANS FAIL TO BREAK LINE NORTH OF FORT

Repeated Attacks Near Vaux Repulsed With Heavy Losses to Germans

(By Associated Press.)
German attempts to break the French line near Fort Vaux, north-east of Verdun, have been unsuccessful. Paris says repeated attacks were repulsed with machine gun fire and the Germans suffered heavily. In the sector of Damcuv, east of Verdun, however, the Germans captured a portion of a village. Artillery fighting continues around hill 304 and Deadman's hill.

MANY ARE SLAIN IN PERU STRIKE

Number of Americans and Britons Reported Dead

(By Associated Press.)
Corinto, Nicaragua, June 2.—A number of Americans and Britons have been killed at Talara, Peru, by striking employees of the London-Pacific Petroleum company, according to radio from the steamer Somar, received by the cruiser Raleigh here.

GERMANS TESTING TALKING RECORDS

Efforts Made To Prevent Information Leaving Country This Way

(By Associated Press.)
Berlin, June 2.—The authorities, in conjunction with the customs officials, have established a "gramophone record testing headquarters" in Berlin. Each and every record that is to be sent outside of Germany must be tested at this place before it will be permitted to pass the border. It is presumed that the measure has been taken to make sure that spies shall not, by the unique method of records, get valuable information across the line.

LOUISIANA MAY MODEL AFTER GEORGIA TAX LAW

Atlanta, Ga., June 2.—Georgia's tax law, which is regarded as a model of its kind, may soon be patterned by the state of Louisiana. Authorities of the latter state have been very much interested in the workings of the Georgia law and the Louisiana newspapers have devoted several columns of space in discussing it, and in reproducing its provisions. The law, which provides a system of equalization and taxation, was one of the administration measures of Gov. John M. Slidell.

TO EXPLAIN RISE GASOLINE PRICE

Federal Trade Commission To Hear Interests Concerned

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, June 2.—The Federal Trade Commission will hold a public hearing today to give the interests concerned an opportunity to explain the rise in the price of gasoline. The commission will hear the testimony of the various parties concerned in the matter.

GREENLEAF WELLS INHERIT \$25,000 BY BROTHER'S WILL

Greenleaf Wells, a prominent citizen of Anderson, S. C., has inherited \$25,000 from the will of his brother, John Wells. The inheritance was made known today.

DESPITE SEVERE NOTE EL PASO PLAN BEING HEEDED

FUNSTON REPORTS 20,000 CARRANZA TROOPS BEING SPREAD OUT OVER NORTHERN MEXICO TO AID IN BANDIT CHASE

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, June 2.—Despite the threatening tone of the Carranza note his military forces in northern Mexico are being disposed of in general accord with the plan disclosed by General Obregon at the El Paso conference. This was shown today when General Funston sent word that twenty thousand Carranza troops, mobilized within the last few days at Chihuahua, have been spread over a region not controlled by General Pershing's column in a way to carry out the pursuit of the bandits. On the other hand reliable information has been received that all Carranza's advisers stand behind him, on the expressions in his note.

CHINESE PARLIAMENT WILL CONVENE SOON

Details For Election of New Cabinet Discussed at Length at Recent Meeting

(By Associated Press.)
Peking, June 2.—August 15th is the probable date for the convening of the formal Chinese parliament, which the Tamm Chai cabinet is now arranging for. At a recent meeting participated in by Li Yuan-hung, the premier, and Hui Shih-chang, former secretary of state the details for the election of parliament were discussed at length, and it was virtually decided that sixty days at least would be required to revise the laws on the organization and election of the parliament and to examine into the qualifications of prospective members of the parliament, primary and final elections are to be held and about thirty days will be required to complete these elections after the preliminary arrangements have been agreed upon.

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