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FIGHT CENTERS IN DARDANELLES AND CARPATHIANS

BATTLE IN FLANDERS PRACTICALLY ENDED

BRITISH CLAIM TO HAVE LINE ACROSS OUTER POINTS OF GALLIPOLI PENINSULA

TURKS CLAIM ALLIES ATTACK UTTER FAILURE

Heavy Fighting Also Reported in Carpathians Where Austrians Threaten Russian Communications.

LONDON, April 29.—With the battle in Flanders seemingly at an end, except for attacks allies are making to recover the rest of the ground they lost last week, public interest is turned to the Dardanelles, where French and British forces, with the co-operation of the fleet are attempting to force the straits and open the way to Constantinople. How far these operations have progressed is not revealed. The British have landed at three points, Gallipoli Peninsula and have thrown a line across the outer points of the Peninsula.

Other British troops threatening the Bulgar line of fortifications and the French are looking after the Turks on the Asiatic side of the straits.

The Turkish report all landing parties repulsed. The British claim progress is being made, ignoring the Turkish claims of victory. There is activity along the western front of France, but no big battle. Heavy fighting continues in the Carpathians for Uzsok pass, where the Austrians are threatening Russian communications.

Dispatches from neutral countries report a great concentration, Austrian troops taking place on the Italian frontier, as a measure against the possibility of Italy joining the allies.

LONDON, April 29.—The fighting at the tip of the Gallipoli peninsula in Turkey, across which the British have struck a force and the efforts to dislodge the Germans from Sienstraak, the only point which the Germans have been able to hold on the west bank of the Yser, since the recent rush in Flanders, are the centers of war interest today. Both apparently hold the greatest possibilities for far-reaching results.

The Turkish and British reports of the land operations in the Gallipoli section are in direct conflict. From the Turkish version it would appear that the land invasion has resulted in a disaster to the allies. The Constantinople statement today claims that the forces, landed near Kabab Tepeh, were all forced back with heavy losses, four brigades being driven into the sea and others surrendering. One transport is said to have been sunk. The British official reports maintain a steady advance of their forces. An unofficial Athens dispatch says that the allies won a battle on the west side of the peninsula, inflicting serious losses on Turks and capturing one battalion.

The battle in Flanders apparently has passed the high point of its intensity, at least for the time being. Field Marshal French announces that the German advance has been checked definitely.

A new battle is developing along the East Prussian border. A Petrograd dispatch speaks only of various indecisive encounters, but Berlin officials claim a victory on a twelve-mile front. Neither has Petrograd confirmed the reported Austrian victory in Bukovina, on the eastern side of the front, which is said by Vienna to have compelled the Russians to fall back to the border.

In the expectation that the Germans will continue to use poisonous gases, the women of England work valiantly to supply a large number of respirators for the men in the field. Thousands will soon be sent to the front.

LONDON, April 29.—Today's official statements from Paris and Berlin indicate no significant changes in today's fighting. The French report says that the British and French troops made progress in Flanders while the German announcement asserts that the attacks on the German positions on the west bank of the Yser have failed. It is also stated that the Germans advanced more than 100 yards southeast of Verdun.

In the east the German claim the capture of Polish Blagow 29, as well as the occupation of the Russian position

MAY NOT INTERN SHIPS AT NORFOLK

Not Convenient to Keep Them Moored at Navy Yard Indefinitely.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Secretary Daniels announced today that he had ordered the German raider Kronprinz Wilhelm held in the harbor at Newport News until Saturday when he will confer with Rear Admiral Beatty over a proposal to intern the vessel elsewhere than at the Norfolk navy yard. The possibility of moving the Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Friedrich to some other port has been considered, as it is said it will be inconvenient to keep them moored at the navy yard indefinitely.

CARRANZA EXPECTS RECOGNITION BY U. S.

HIS WASHINGTON AGENCY WORKING WITH THAT END OF VIEW

STATEMENT SOON

Urging Claims Will be Issued—U. S. Hasn't Considered Question Yet.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Recognition of any Mexican faction during present uncertain state affairs is not contemplated by the United States according to expressions today by high officials. Secretary Bryan said the subject of recognition had not reached the point of formal consideration. Persons close to the White House said that President Wilson intended to study the question carefully before committing the American government to recognition, and he didn't propose to take any action until the military situation in Mexico had clarified itself.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The United States is not considering the question of recognizing any government in Mexico, Secretary Bryan declared today when his attention was drawn to the report that the Carranza administration expected an early recognition. The secretary would not discuss the matter further. It is known that the Carranza officials here are urging their claims to recognition and that they plan to issue a statement soon outlining the proposals that they have presented to the state department.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Unofficial advisers which were received this morning said that General Carranza expects recognition by the United States. This news attracted much attention in official and diplomatic circles.

The Carranza authorities recently have been busily seeking recognition. It was reported that they intended issuing a statement covering their plans. It is said that the United States has been advised of Carranza's intentions, although the question of recognition has not been formally considered at the state department.

The report that a battle is impending between Villa and Obregon has also attracted attention here. Villa's agents say that he has 25,000 men thousands of rounds of ammunition.

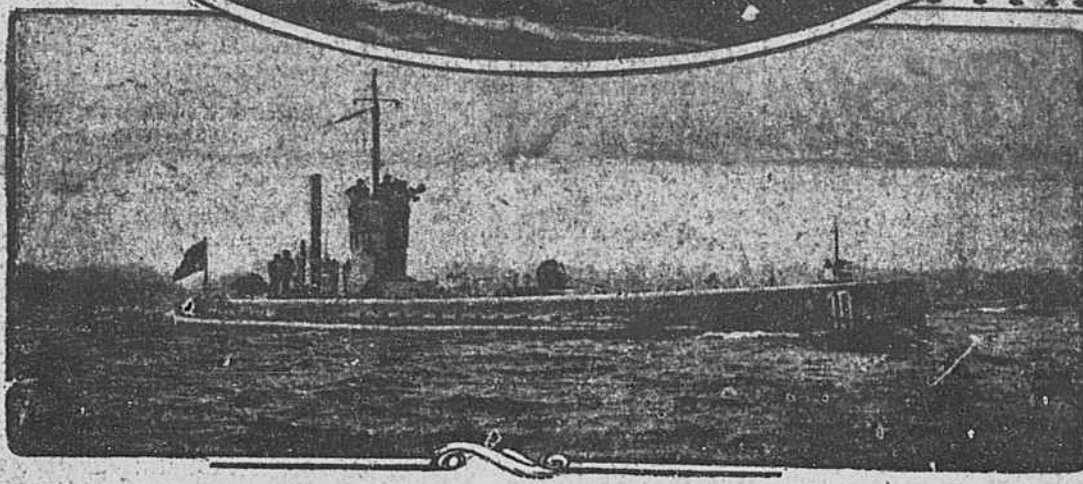
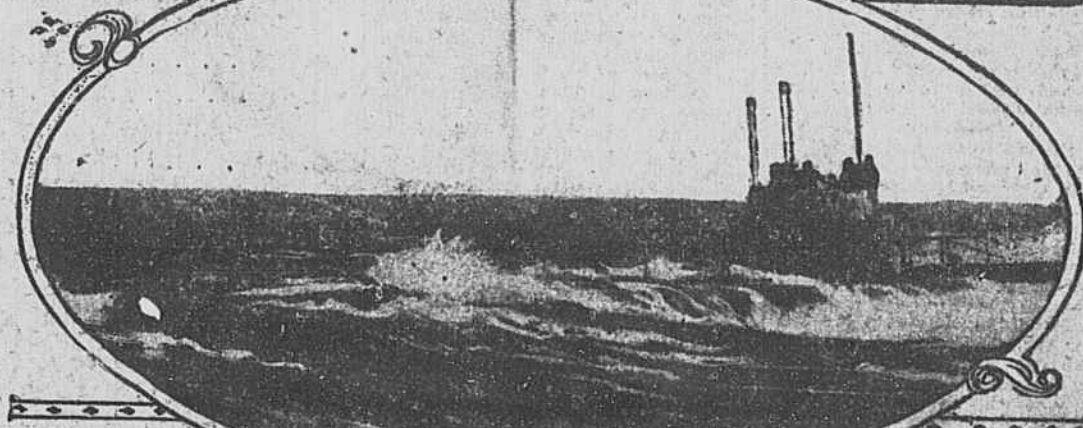
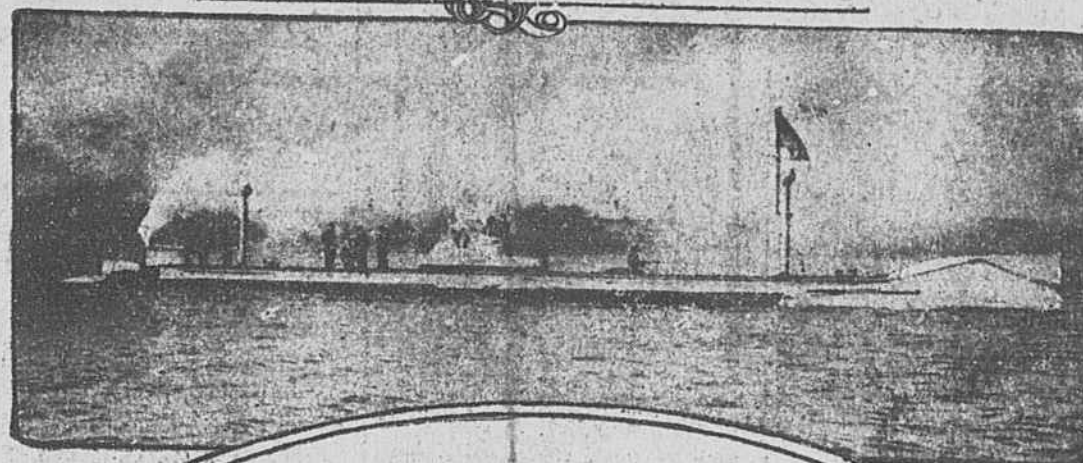
It is unofficially stated here that Duval West, the president's special representative in Mexico, will reach Vera Cruz today and will sail for the United States Friday.

WILSON TO SEND FULLER TO HAITI

Will Try to Straighten Political and Fiscal Affairs for President.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The president is determined to take another effort to straighten out the tangled political and fiscal affairs of Haiti. Paul Fuller of New York, who recently executed a confidential mission for the administration in Mexico, has been chosen as special commissioner to make an investigation of Haiti's situation. Fuller's mission follows an in-

Submarines Awaiting Merchant Ships in War Zone



The master of every merchant ship of every nation on earth, except those allied with Germany in the great war, is on the watch in the war zone about Great Britain for submarines which look like these. They are the submarines that have already sunk several British warships.

GREENWOOD PREPARES FOR FIREMEN'S MEET

Tentative Program Arranged for Tournament to be Held May 18.

GREENWOOD, April 29.—A tentative program for the entertainment of the fire chiefs and delegates who will attend the Tournament here May 18th, 19th and 20th has been arranged as follows:

Monday, 17th, 4 p. m.—Guests of local firemen at ball games between Carolina and Clemson at Fair Grounds.

Tuesday night, 18th—Guests at the Alice Nelson recital at Greenwood Chautauque.

Wednesday night, 19th—Guests of local firemen at moving picture shows.

Thursday, 20th—An old-fashioned basket picnic will be served at the Power House.

The Tournament does not begin until May 18th, but all of the chiefs and delegates will arrive on Monday.

AMMUNITION FACTORIES DECREASE DIVIDENDS

AMSTERDAM, April 29.—The German arms and ammunition factories, most of which doubled their capital last year, are declaring a dividend of 20 per cent, as compared with 32 per cent for the year 1913. This is equivalent to a dividend of 49 per cent on the old capitalization.

B. & O. Denied Rate Advance.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 29.—The state public service commission entered an order today denying a rate advance of 10 per cent on the

man declaration of the war zone was to have gone into effect a German submarine torpedoed, without warning, the British collier Dulwich, northwest of Cape de la Heve. The crew, seeing the vessel's periscope toward them at rapid rate, jumped into the life boats quickly and shortly after a torpedo struck. The collier went to the bottom in twenty minutes. In this case, it was charged, the submarine made no attempt to give the crew of the vessel a chance to escape.

COLONEL RESTS AFTER RE-DIRECT EXAMINATION

TOLD COURT HE HELPED ELECT SETH LAW MAYOR OF NEW YORK

HEARTY APPLAUSE

Greeted Entrance—Asked About Tennessee Coal and Iron Merger.

SYRACUSE, April 29.—Theodore Roosevelt this afternoon concluded his testimony in the suit of William Barne against him for \$50,000 for alleged libel. Applause from the spectators greeted the former president when he entered the courtroom today.

He was smiling when he took the witness chair for the further questions put by his attorneys on the re-direct examination. He was asked briefly about the letters exchanged with Senator Platt regarding the appointment of a collector of the port of New York.

He then was asked about the election of Seth Low as mayor of New York and the meeting which he arranged between Low and Platt. "The organization had helped to elect Mr. Low," Roosevelt replied. "and I wanted Mr. Low to take the same attitude I did toward the organization, therefore I wrote Mr. Platt about a meeting between the two. I did not want the organization to feel that it was being

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E. M. THOMSON DIED AT COLUMBIA THURSDAY

Was Assistant Division Counsel for Southern Railway—Only Ill Few Hours.

ALLEGES CONSPIRACY TO MAKE SHRAPNEL

Complaint Filed in Wisconsin Says Embargo Will Shorten War.

MILWAUKEE, April 29.—A complaint was filed today under the so-called "Discovery" statute of Wisconsin to obtain information to determine whether the Allis Chalmers Company, and Otto Falk, its president, and others have entered into a conspiracy with the Bethlehem Steel Company and others to manufacture and ship shrapnel shells to European belligerents, contrary to the Wisconsin law. The complaint was filed by Samuel Pearson, who declares he is a citizen of the United States and owner of valuable property in Germany. The complaint contends the war will be shortened if ammunition is not shipped from the United States.

ARKANSAS WOMEN GET FLAG OF MERIT

Awarded by Commercial Congress for Most Civic Improvements.

MUSKOGEE, April 29.—Arkansas was awarded the flag of merit of the Women's Auxiliary of the Southern Commercial Congress, tonight as being the Southern State which had the most civic improvements.

ITALY NEGOTIATING WITH THE POWERS

GERMAN AIRCRAFT AGAIN ACTIVE OVER ENGLAND

Dropped Bombs Firing Buildings at Ipswich and St. Edmunds.

CAMBRIDGE, April 29.—The Daily News says an enemy aircraft appeared over Ipswich at midnight and dropped a number of bombs, setting several buildings afire. Ipswich is in Suffolk county, a town considerable commercial importance, with a population of 75,000.

LONDON, April 29.—A Central News Dispatch says a Zeppelin seen during the night at Bury St. Edmunds, in Suffolk county, dropped bombs, firing several buildings. Another dispatch from Ipswich says the airship virtually destroyed five houses, and did other damages. So far known there were no casualties.

HOUSE OF COMMONS RAISES TAX ON LIQUOR

FIRST DECISIVE STEP TAKEN ON QUESTION OF PROHIBITION IN ENGLAND

MAY BE MODERATED

In Order to Insure Acceptance by Parliament—First Division Since War Started.

LONDON, April 29.—A resolution introduced by David Lloyd George, Chancellor Exchequer, doubling the duty on spirits, passed the house of commons tonight by a vote of eighty-nine to five.

The minority was composed of O'Brienites. It was the first division since the outbreak of the war.

It is generally believed that the new taxes will have to be moderated before parliament will accept them. The O'Brienites, as a protest against the additional taxation on Irish whiskeys and beers caused a division by voting against the provisional resolutions putting the taxes into force immediately.

Usually these provisional resolutions are carried without division, for should parliament refuse to sanction the taxes they are refunded to those who may have paid. The Laborites have a reply to the chancellors charges that minority workmen, lured away by drink, were not at putting their best into the work of producing war materials. The proposed appointment of a board of control and the proposal to take over for casten purposes saloons in munitions of war areas, and to compensate all interests was generally approved by members.

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WANTS TO KNOW COMPENSATION FOR AID IF SHE SHOULD ENTER WAR

FIRM IN DEMANDS FOR TERRITORY

Germany Still Trying to Induce Austria to Cede Territory to Italy.

ROME, April 29.—Italy is continuing negotiations with the powers on both sides of the war. Diplomatic interchanges with the allies are assigned to definitely clear the atmosphere regarding what Italy wants get if she enlisted on their side.

The conversations with Germany and Italy seem intended chiefly to convince them that Italy is determined to remain firm in her demands. Italy is said to have shown Germany and Austria that her program was not framed by the present cabinet, but was based on the unanimous and insistent demands of the country.

The cabinet must obey or resign. Foreign Minister Sonnino is credited with the ability to press forcefully Italy's determination to insist on realizing her territorial aspirations.

The German ambassador is still trying to induce Austria to make concessions to prevent Italy's becoming a belligerent. A member of the Italian government, on being asked what has been done regarding an agreement with Germany and Austria said that nothing has been done and nothing will be done. This is considered significant.

Ordinary Traffic Stopped

VERONA, April 29.—The railway service on the Austrian side of the frontier has virtually been suspended for ordinary purposes. All lines are being used to carry troops to the Italian frontier.

Understanding

ROME, April 29.—From persons in close touch with the situation, information was obtained today indicating that Italy has reached an understanding with Great Britain and France concerning the terms on which she would enter the war, if eventually she decides to do so. While unofficial, this information was gathered from close students of the pending negotiations.

The terms of the agreement are said to be the first provisions for a concerted military action. Italy will refrain from hostilities during the present stage of the desultory trench warfare, which would enable Germany and Austria to concentrate a large part of their forces against her.

Italy will time her effort contemporaneously with the general effort by the allies against the central empires, now in the field.

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GREENWOOD, April 29.—Solicitor Cooper will notify Tillman & Mays, attorneys for Lee Madlin, and B. L. McDowell, attorney for Jim Johnson, this afternoon whether or not he consents to admitting these two defendants to bail, application having been made to him this morning. If the Solicitor refuses to consent, Mr. Henry C. Tillman and Mr. McDowell will go to Columbia tomorrow and make application before Chief Justice Eugene B. Gary. Bail for Madlin will be asked in the sum of \$500 and \$1,000 for Johnson.

Johnson and Madlin are two of seven men charged with the murder of J. C. Whitman, B. A. and Frank Coffee and Zeb Edwards were released some time ago under \$500 bonds each.

W. D. Hinton, another defendant, has not employed counsel.

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