NCH ADVANCE British Troops PON OISE FRONT

River and Montdidier Near Porte Farm

GRIP VITAL GROUND

Main Paris-Calais Railroad

f a mile near Porte farm, between didler and the Olse, the War Office unced today.

ners were taken in north of the , between the Oise and the Marne nd in the Champagne region.

ch posts we progressed 500 meters a the region of Porte farm (eleven niles northwest of Compliane and ighteen miles southwest of Mont-lidier)," the communique said.

vanced a mile and a quarter on a front a few webs ago,
of more than three miles yesterday
morning, capturing the village of Castel.

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ral strong enemy positions.

risoners were taken.

(The French attack on the Pikardy front was made three miles north of Alnyal, which is reported to be the northern extremity of the American content of Cantigny sector).

By the Associated Press the French Front in France, July Palls at

12 (Night).

The superbly executed local action carried out by the French today southeast of Amiens not only gave them along the batch of prisoners, but brought.

The superbly executed local action to advance on Vologda and so to cut to advance on the manufacture of the Boshovik Government into their possession the entire Rou-vrellea Plateau, dominating the region between the rivers Avre and Moreuil and the Noye, through which the main rail-road from Paris to Amieus passes, and which has been in the hands of the

n already captured have been sent the rear, and others are arriving translation of the French troops was all The arrest, at a computed to we extreme points of the operation-

al, a region which was the scene severest fighting in March and

By the Associated Press London, July 12.

out by the British last night on Flanders front near Vieux Berquin Merris, as a result of which ninetyrisoners were taken and a few ne guns were captured, the War announced today.

saful minor enterprises were car-

tivity during the night on the Flanders front and opposite Beaumont-Hamel.

BRITISH NEAR MERRIS. GAINING ABOUT MILE

By the Associated Press

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States Part of Bolshevik Force

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geon.

16,000 tons received in the
property of the local school district
property of the local school district
property of the mines.

Speed to Russia

Quarter Mile Between still of promise. The Times adds, "but we trust that eventually all the Allies will participate in an enterprise so full of promise."

Comparatively small forces of British French and Americans were reported to have been guarding a huge amount of valuable supplies on the Murman coast, originally intended for the Russian Germany recently announced her in-

tention of "driving the English from the north of Russia. Finland covers the Murman region. For some time the Dash Makes Petain Master of Finns and Germans have been preparing a joint enmpaign against that dis-Recently the population of the Mur-

By the United Press
Parts, July 13.

Taking another rapier-like thrust, the fight the Germans, Finns and Bolowith the Strick expensive the Constitution of the Company of t nch advanced more than a quarter should the British evidently are greatly mile near Porte farm, between strengthening their forces in southern

TO BALK TEUTONS ON MURMAN COAST

Between Montdidler and the Olse Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger

It is admitted here that the Allied force is occupying Murman at the reth of the Avre, between the Oise ament of the social population, and the the Marne and in the Champagne took prisoners in raids."

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oriment is believed to be steadily on the wante and it makes parts of the country department and anti-Bulshevist move-ments here spring up. The Bolsheviki may replied by declaring a lexy en hich has been in the hands of the slaves and rying to enforce conscription many since March.

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The feat of the French troops was all the more remarkable as between the two extreme points of the operation—Senecat Wood and Arrier-Cour Wood—the ground is broken by hills and deep payines, where the enemy had good shelter and was able to concentrate his force without being seen.

Nothing, however, daunted the French intantrymen, and they carried the population of the countries of the mass of the first best officers and the force without being seen.

The line occupied by the Germans runs due south from the Gulf of Financia of the countries of the mass of the mass of the mass of the countries of the mass of the fastrymen, and they carried the po-tions with courage and dash, which ok them considerably beyond the ob-tions of for them. sok them considerably beyond the observed as the south meaning as far east as Teactsin, reaching the Azof Sea at Rossov. In reaching the Azof Sea at Rossov. In southern Russia the Germans are alded by General Krasiloff, who has set up a local anti-Bolshevik and pra-German dictriorship and has occupied the important and rich from Valley. If they go a little further they will be able to tap the Voka Valley and bring its rich resources by the Don Elver to the Black Sea.

RUSSIANS REQUEST

Statement today. John Sookine, of the Having given up horseback riding alRussian mission, declared again that Having given up horseback riding alstrictions on the speeding-up process, nounced was not completed. This
only the help of the Allies could rethough he refuses to sell his horses,
after Russia and as an example of vanced upon the British lines in Flanders in the Meteren sector was repulsed.

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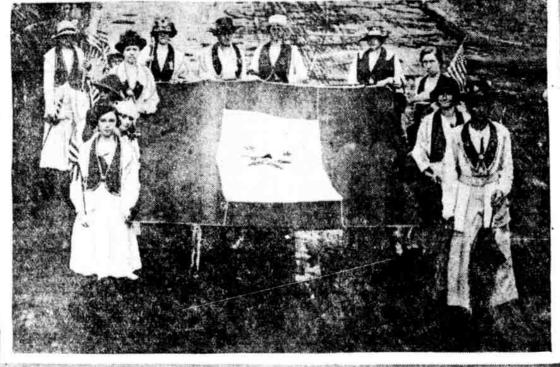
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explores the picturesque suburbs of
Bristst-Litovsk treaty

Sometimes Congressman Watson.

PARADERS CELEBRATE BATTLE OF THE BOYNE





the emoversary of the Battle of the Boyne by the Grand Orange Lodge of Pennsylvania was celebrated by a parade on Broad street today. In the upper photograph are members of West Philadelphia and Manayunk lodges. Below are some of the Kensington Lodge members

WHAT A CONGRESSMAN SEES

A Semiweekly Letter Touching on the Washington Doings of Personalities Familiar to Philadelphians

By J. Hampton Moore

"shut-ins" in Washington when the League of the United States is even Senate and House negotiations for a guing into the labor question.

Headed by Mrs. Alexander Van Continued from Page One ALLIES TO SEND ARMY Finance Committee compelled him to Rensselaer. Mrs. Moncure Robinson. not existent, but as time passed and and proceeded through Fairmount Park ALLIES TO SEND ARMY

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| By the Associated Press | Washington, July 13—In a prepared statement today, John Sookine, of the statement today, John S

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Washington, July 13. question, on the prohibition question SENATOR PENROSE was one of the and on certain religious questions. Germany Plans

The forms of the contract with that country. The agreement and the overthrow of German and Ger

pany which adjoins it. These two concerns are leading financial institutions.

William M. Contes, president of the were served at the picuic, however. Philadelphia Beard of Trade, is a director of the trust company. The tunnel is being dug so quietly that the use of the avenue to the White House is undisturbed and the public crosses it daily without knowing of its existence.

Thomas Hamilton, John McClintock, Thomas Barr, Henry G. Standen and William A. McConnell.

With the British Army in France,
July 13.—British operations in the Merris
Sector since Tuesday have brought the
line forward to within about a quarter of
a mile west of that important hamlet
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MISS RANKIN has announced her proposed new annex opposite the cal, then we may expect to see him endeavoring to establish his guns within

ORANGEMEN RECALL BATTLE OF THE BOYNE

their annual celebration.

The Guiding Star Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 503, which was among those

to oppose intoxicants at the annual outparticipated in this celebration. The proceeds of the picnic will be turned over to the soldiers' and sailors' which was created to care for those who may be disabled in the present war.

New Peace Drive to Fifteenth street, to Poplar street, where the marchers took special cars to Thirty-third and Dauphin streets, where they again formed in line of parade they again formed in line of parade

Commanders for the army corps are only temporary for the present. General for the successful assaults on the Malamarch said, the policy of the War Department being to wait until the variance of said attacks against these dominating heights outpost garrison, who are often cut in 1916 proved fruitless on account of the paragra of shell fire

Washington, July 12.—Formal request by counsel for Mrs. Adolphus Busch, widow of the St. Louis multi-millionaire brewer, for return of her property taken

ALLIES CONTINUE 4 AUSTRALIANS **ALBANIAN DRIVE**

Advance Rapidly as Enemy Then Anzacs Advance 800 Resistance Turns to Rearguard Actions

FRENCH PRESS NORTH CAPTURE 150 BAVARIANS

Line From Lake Ochrida to the Adriatic

By the United Press

London, July 14. French forces in Albania are now driving northward with apparently the War Correspondents' Headquarters on same speed that characterized the Itallan advance in the first days of the offensive.

indicate that the Italians have slack- heavily for several hours at a time ened their progress to permit the between spells of sunshine, rather French, on their right, to bring their like April weather. lines forward and maintain a virtually This is good for the French farmers, straight front from Lake Ochrida to except those who have not yet gaththe Adriatic.

flank, were aided in their advance by the comparatively level terrain border-big the sea, while the French have been the ways of communication. BATTLE OF THE BOYNE

In the sea, while the French have been forced to move forward over an extremely difficult mountainous country. That the Austrians are availing themselves of the defensive possibilities of this sector is ghown by their resistance on the heights dominating the confluence of the Devoil and Morico Rivers, where they have temporarily checked the French center. On both sides of these heights the French continue to progress.

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In Magedonia, the Bulgarians are be-

"The enemy is making only sporadic,

rear guard resistance. He has abandoned and falled to destroy abundant war mafund of the Loyal Orange Institution, terial, which has been captured by our

there was a parade in which forty-one organizations participared.
Joseph Graham was grand marshal of the parade, and John Tyreis was chief of staff. The aides were Thomas Hamilton, John McClintock, Thomas Barr, Henry G. Standen and William A. McConneil.

The parade started from Broad and South streets at 10 a. m., proceeding north on Broad street to Girard avenue to Fifteenth street, to Poplar street, where the marchers took special cars to Thirty-third and Dauphin streets, where they again formed in line of parade and proceeded through Fairmount Park to Woodside Park.

1,100,000 Men Sent

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The retreating Austriabs already have established defensive lines not far south of the Sklumbi River. If these lines are broken and the Italians cross the stablished defensive lines not far south of the Italians cross the vertice within an easy atriking distance of Durazzo. It is strength against them around the Durazzo is only twenty-five miles north of Berat and connected with Berat by the German size of communication. Elbasan also is threatened by the along the Devoil River. It is believed that the Germans will rush re-enforces they again formed in line of parade and proceeded through Fairmount Park to Woodside Park.

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on attracen, the assessmand German decided the substance of the second o and stubborn resistance of the enemy."

The cavalry is given credit for heroic attacks on the Fieri plains. The high efficiency of the infantry is given credit effectiveness of the Austrian artil-

> Rome, July 13. General Diaz is reported to have re-turned to the Italian front, after spending several days in Rome conferring with Premier Orlando and other Govern-ment officials. He was warmly concratulated on his recent successes.

HOUSE SUSTAINS WHEAT VETO Rejects Proposal to Repass Agricultural Bill 172 to 72

Washington, July 13.—(By I. N. S.)— he House this afternoon rejected a The House this afternoon rejected a proposal to pass the agricultural appropriation bill, containing the \$2.40 wheat price-fixing section, over the President's veto, by a vote of 172 to 72.

The bill was referred to the Commitveto, by a vote of 172 to 72.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture, with the expectation that it would be reintroduced and passed by the House with the price-fixing sec-tion eliminated before adjournment.

NAVAL FLIER DIES IN FALL

Chatham, Mass., July 13.—Ensign Andrews, a naval aviator, was killed, and Ensign Parks probably fatally injured, in the fall of a seaplane on the beach here today. The machine crashed to here today. The machine crearth and instantly caught fire The scapiane started out from the aviation camp in a fog, and apparently the pitot lost his hearings. Members of a coast guard crew, who witnessed the fall, said flames were seen the moment of the crash. The machine was de-stroyed, and both aviators were terri-bly burned. No hope is entertained for

FOREIGN CONCERNS TAKEN

Parks's retovery.

Mrs. Busch Makes Request for Return Enemy Insurance Companies Seized by Property Custodian By the Associated Press

GET 30 GERMANS

Yards on 2000-Yard

Front

Offensive Aimed to Strengthen | Heavy Rains Reducing Somme Battlefield to Old-Time Slough

> By PHILIP GIBBS Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger Copyright, 1918, by New York Times Co.

the Western Front, July 13. There were heavy thunder storms Thursday and yesterday over the Latest reports from the battlefront northern front, and rain has fallen

ered in the hay, and may be good for The Italians, except on their right the British armies, if the rain falls

Two organizations of Orangemen celebrated the TTS'h anniversary of the leave ceremonies The rain failed to interfere.

Although the anniversary is really July 12, the celebration was held today so I would not interfere with war work. Hunfreds of Orangemen are employed at shipbuilding and munition plants and Saturday is a half holiday.

Four years ago a split occurred in the tranks of the Orangemen over the question of liquer. Some lodges favored it and others opposed having drink at their annual celebration.

The Guiding Star Loyal Orange. for the enemy just now is good for us.

In Macedonia the Bulgarians are be- He has been having a bad time from

is not the only form of sickness which is weakening their man-power for the time. Typhus is said to have occurred e intoxicants at the annual outld its celebration at Willow rapidly," a semiofficial statement declarTwelve branch organizations ed today.

The Albanian advance is continuing to know how far this has spread among the other troops, and how the wet weather will be recommended. increase or diminish the chance of in

Many Small Raids

The population of Berat hailed our troops as liberators."

Washington, July 13.

Durazzo, one of the two Austro-German submarine bases on the Adriatic Sea, is endangered with the fall of Berat, according to Italian military authorities here.

Meanwhile the British troops are not giving much peace to the German divisions holding the line, while behind them there is intensive training by shock troops for the next assaults. Last night and this morning there were capture of prisoners and destruction in the German trenches and dugouts. These covered much of the line between Flanders and the Somme, and ought to Meanwhile the British troops are not thorities here.

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it hides snipers and machine advance of the main line. The course to avoid the shell fire concenway back by a barrage of she which is flung behind them. the Australians against them, they nigh tthey are likely to be looking into

the glint of bayonets So it happened to them last evening. Quite suddenly the Australian attack opened with an enterprise of a party of four, who went across to a German strong point and returned soon afterward with the astonishing number of more than thirty prisoners Then a bigger crowd of Australian lads got on the move and went as dep as 800 yards and as wide as 2000 yards over No Man's Land and the

German outpost line. WILSON HONORS TRICOLOR

Orders French Flag Flown Tomorrow, Bastille Day By the Associated Press Washington, July 13.-President

son today issued an order that French flag be flown from all pu Another Injured When Seaplane

Crashes to Earth

By the Associated Press

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House, which directed the Secretary of State to communicate the resolution to President Poincare.

President Wilson's order read:

"In recognition of the valor, coura," and heroism with which the peonle of France have for nearly four years defended the liberties of the world, it is hereby ordered that the national flag of France be displayed on all public buildings and vessels of the United States at home and abroad on July 14, 1918, it home and abroad on July 14, 1918, it home of the French national holiday. Bastille Day."

CROZIER NOW LINE OFFICER

President's Army Nomination Affect Four Generals By the Associated Press

Washington, July 13.—President Wilson today made these army nomiations Major general in the line of the army. Major General William Crozier, Major General William Crozier, Major General Harry L. Rogers.

Quartermaster general with rank of major general, for four years: Brigadier General Harry L. Robers.

Chief of ordannes, with rank of major general for four years: Brigadier General Clarence C. Williams.