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TWO BRITISH SHIPS TOLL OF U-BOATS TODAY

3,750-Ton Steamer Cilicia Largest of Pair; British Gain Along Somme

RUSSIAN FRONT ACTIVE Extensive Mining Operations Broken Up; May Resume Fighting in Rumania

Two vessels sunk, the British steamer Cilicia of 3,750 tons and another somewhat smaller steamer, the Feiga, the tonnage of which is not definitely known, comprise the German submarine victims reported today.

Inroads upon the German lines along the Somme front in Northern France are still being made by the British. London last night reported the capture of a strong German position near Gradcourt. Berlin today admits the withdrawal of German advanced posts on the front.

Raiding operations on a considerable scale have been conducted along the Franco-Belgian front by both sides. In the field of aviation the Germans claim the loss by the entente of seven airplanes yesterday.

London reports a naval air raid on Bruges, Belgium, during which British and German each lost an airplane. Signs of reawakening activity along the Russian front are multiplying. On the Rumanian front also there are indications of possible resumption of active fighting in the near future. Ineffective bombing of Gataca was conducted yesterday, it is declared.

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BUREAUS MEDDLE TOO MUCH WITH STATE BOROUGHS?

Declare Commonwealth Is Rapidly Becoming "Bureau Government"

Simplified form of government for boroughs figured largely in this morning's session of the Pennsylvania Association of Boroughs in the Masonic Temple.

By reason of the great interest in the home rule movement the convention authorized the appointment of a committee of seven to consider the matter and report next year. The committee will look into the small council and commission form of government.

A storm on the floor of the convention broke suddenly shortly before noon when it was pointed out that a resolution, adopted yesterday would establish a bureau for the supervision of borough indebtedness.

A statement that the State was rapidly devolving into a government by firearms drew forth applause.

It was said that these bureaus are meddling with borough government. J. Herman Kniesly, of the municipal statistics bureau of the State Department of Labor and Industry and secretary of the association, who drew the resolution explained that the idea merely was to set up a bureau, or not all legal provisions of the constitution are complied with by the boroughs.

By an almost unanimous vote the resolution was recommitted with instructions to submit a report which would carry only provision for uniform borough accounting.

Report that the Legislature is considering the passage of a bill creating a State Building Commission again drew forth a measure of applause for what was said to be the slow manner in which State commissions work.

Support was gained for the proposition when it was explained that the bill called for a housing code which would protect the workman and his home.

A committee to urge upon the Legislature the passage of the association's recommendations and to fight bills which might be inimicable to municipalities was decided upon. The committee of three members probably will be appointed to-night. The organization will pay the committee's expenses while at the Capitol.

Endorsement of the co-operation given the boroughs of the State by the Bureau of Municipal Statistics of the State Department of Labor and Industry was given. The Legislature will be asked to increase the appropriation for the bureau and to consult it when borough legislation is being considered.

Oppose Annexation Power Another resolution condemned any legislation that might give cities power to forcibly annex adjacent boroughs. Such legislation was denounced by the resolution committee as being "unwise, unfair and un-American."

As a means of enlarging the association the present was given authority to appoint a membership committee with subdivisions in each county which are to make an effort to enroll all boroughs.

McFarland Addresses Body In his address on "Boroughs in Pennsylvania and Elsewhere" to the Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs last night, Mr. McFarland said:

"Though the census of 1910 shows that 85 per cent of the population of Pennsylvania live in incorporated communities, the State through its Legislature has paid little attention to a constructive city or town problems. Indeed, until the enactment by the last Legislature, of the act of June 1, 1915, establishing a division of Municipal Statistics and Information within the Department of Labor and Industry, there had been, I think, no action taken in any State in the Union toward furnishing proper assistance to communities in this line.

"I have called attention to this nationally for many years, suggesting that inasmuch as the Federal Government spends more than twenty millions of dollars annually in promoting the interests of agriculture, it would not be unfair to pay a little attention to the other half of the people living in towns and cities, upon whom not even twenty cents a year is now spent.

"The State could, and should, provide a framework of wisely considered and co-ordinated general laws of the simplest character, leaving to the boroughs the largest possible measure of home rule.

"All the State control should be constructive, and not obstructive. Legislation has tended constantly to hamper boroughs and cities which could not be done, but it has not been very helpful in the direction of what could be done.

"Among the items which the borough may properly ask the Legislature to provide for in a general and uniform way, is a plan. Another place in which assistance could be properly rendered is in the way of supplying trained and able engineering help. City planning and city engineering are rapidly becoming professions which have not been seriously applied in many Pennsylvania communities.

"It may be said that capable help to this sort of thing is not needed in boroughs, particularly in the smaller boroughs. I answer that there is no difference in the importance of the problems in all communities.

"A proposition has been made looking toward the employment by the State of six capable city planning and municipal engineers. If each of these men would spend a hundred days each year, there would be a total of six hundred engineering days, which when applied impartially to each of the nine hundred odd boroughs which do not now have city engineers, would give a total to each borough of about two days of engineering service a year. This would be worth while if the State supplied a greater quantity of the best possible help in this direction. It is obviously out of the question to expect many of the Pennsylvania boroughs to employ the right sort of engineering talent, and yet, as I have before insisted, it is just as important to the people of the State as a whole to have good engineers in Hanover, or Newport, or Middletown, or Irwin as it is to have them in Johnstown, or Lancaster, or Harrisburg.

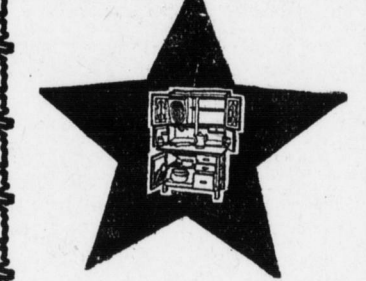
"The engineering aid which ought to be available to the smaller boroughs should include expert advice and help oversight in regard to the supplying of water, light, sewerage, and waste disposal," continued Mr. McFarland. "These engineers could provide for proper consideration of the street department, a consideration of the paving widths which would save millions of dollars a year. Trees could be properly brought into the point of view, and open places, or squares, made attractive instead of unpleasant junk heaps as most of them are now. "I wonder whether any of the gentlemen present has ever contrasted the center square in his home town with a New England village is usually a filthy, considered mess, which renders it unattractive, unpleasant, unadorned and a misfortune."

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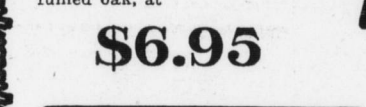


This excellent Dresser has a large shaped plate mirror, roomy dustproof drawers and is handsomely finished in a deep rich shade of mahogany. You'll want it when you see it. It's a wonderful value.

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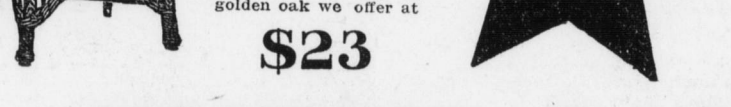
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A Beautiful Bed . . . \$15

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GERMANY HAS MORE MEN THAN AT START OF WAR

Great and Surprising Number of New Troops, American Says

London, Feb. 15.—An Amsterdam dispatch to the Times quotes an American who has just arrived there from Frankfurt, where he had resided for eighteen months, as saying that the Germans have a great and surprising number of new troops. The dispatch says that every German of military age who is not engaged in the munition industry has been ordered into the army with the result that the German troops are now more numerous than at the beginning of the war.

Says Hamlet Couldn't Last Week on Broadway

"Chin, Chin" can run two years with crowded houses but "Hamlet" couldn't last a week on Broadway, declared Dr. James J. Walsh, of New York, in his lecture on "Shakespeare, Then and Now," given under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus in Technical High School Auditorium.

Dr. Walsh's lecture was the first of a series of educational entertainments which have been arranged by the Knights of Columbus in the packed hall and attention to the speaker the event was a big success and has encouraged the Knights to go on with their program.

Hall, Pittston; Representative Nelson McVicar and D. L. Starr, of Allegheny county, also spoke. The night session developed into a discussion of the Public Service Commission after Mr. McFarland's address. The commission was criticized by Burgess J. Elmer Saul, of Norristown, for requiring boroughs to spend large sums to present cases and also for decisions, which he held were favorable to public service corporations and not to boroughs.

WHAT THE SCHOOL GIRLS AND BOYS ARE DOING

TECH HIGH NOTES

Technical High school boys who have said they will join the new military organization formed Tuesday

Neil Pickering, D. J. Ellinger, F. Louis Gipple, Jack Meck, Fred Haehlein, Arthur Weil, Paul Westenhoffer, John Kepper, John Reigter, Anthony Willebach, George Weigle, Oscar Fisher, Charles Lingie, Paul Yohe, Chlammer Reynolds, Robert Lutz, William Anderson, George Brubaker, Paul Huntberger, Martin Clay, Louise Snyder, Carlyle Erdley, Joseph Schmidt, J. Thomas Sutcliffe, Ezra Parks, LeRoy Strawhecker, Herbert Sensenbarn, H. Merl Kramer, J. E. Wells, Norman Berlin, Frank Fortson, J. W. Minnick, Harry Gumpert, Paul Melchoir, John Rausch, R. P. Hampton, E. C. Martin.

Charles Meckley, Edward Unger, John Leavy, Edgar Leeds, Jr., Ray Wentzler, Edward Craig, Wilbur Criswell, Lester Shultz, Robert Ward, John Smith, Irwin Bender, Howard Jones, David Asenowitz, H. D. Wagner, Alvin Hollinger, Paul Worcester, John Paul, George Matz, John Bowman, James Bloom, Lester Zimmerman, T. Stewart Blair, Jr., Bertram Seltzer, John Miller, Earl Sherk, Frank Gerlock, Moses Cohen, Andrew Musser, Robert Spicer, Gustave Erdman, John Keller, Robert Fager, Michael Hecker, Donald Miller, Fred Beecher, Charles Zimmerman, Frank Fellows, Henry Young, Charles Mowery, Wilbur Nisley, Park Weaver, Albert Michael, Benjamin Olevine, Jr., William Gardner, W. S. Johnson, Oscar Sutch, Julius Yoffee, Ralph Seibourn, Fred Huston, John Demming, Walter Baker, Charles Johnson, Rees Lloyd, Walter Bogar, Samuel Sherman, Kenneth Stark, George Stark, Clarion Strouse, Rudolph Shaub.

Kenner Hogentogler, Paul Eshelman, Harry Eyster, Paul Guarin, Belmont Plank, John A. Jones, Ralph Johnson, T. Willis Patterson, Abraham Gross, Milton Boghey, Fred Ramsey, Walter Compton, Lester Wolfe, Fred Essig, William Cohen, Norman Todd, Lloyd Reeves, Lester Shultz, Roy Dixon, Howard Stewart, Kenneth Fisher, John Bruner, Arthur Rich, Harold McCord, Alvin Zimmerman, Kenneth Stevens, Gordon Werner, Joseph Lutz, Arthur Zimmerman, John M. Smith, Brenner Kaufman, Joseph Gastrock, Jr., Robert Notstine, Harry Carson, Earl Schwartz, Wayne Hartmire, Richard Spengler, Ralph Bruch, Harold Reibert, Leland Reichert, Julius Kanick, Laird Lan-

dis, Gordon Matter, Robert Cunningham, LeDell George and Ralph Lippe. Ernest Bachman, Alfred Dunlap, Charles Pollock, John McCann, Harry Miller, Robert Denison, Leo McGranaghan, Clarence Martin, Ralph Warren, J. L. Bitner, John Conner, Roy Seidus, Ross Reed, Harry Peifer, Harold Cassel, Gerald Harris, Lyman Sellers, Claude Carl, Clarence Buxton, Chester Britten, Charles Blessing, Alton Rhoads, Stewart Hess, Fritz Bergengren, M. P. Walker, Abram Burkholder, Wendell Morgenthauer, DeWitt Gable, Isadore Levin, Clifford Kepner, Franklin Koons, Walter Basehore, W. A. Rothrock, Raymond DeTurk, Morris Wittmer, William Keller, H. M. Hinkle, James Peifer, Bernard Aldinger.

At a business meeting of the Mandolin and Guitar Club, President Norman Todd appointed a constitution and printing committee of the following members: Gustave Erdman, Lester Zimmerman, Lloyd Reeves, Albert Michael, George Riceford, William Gardner, John Keller and Fred Hartzel. Professor R. C. Hertzler, a member of the faculty, was elected to honorary membership. The regular meeting of the club will be held to-morrow afternoon.

At a business meeting of the Tattler staff it was decided to make the February issue a basketball number. Contributions for the department called Technicalities will be received and the student contributing the best material will be elected to the position for next year.

Washington recently, about cutting off the wireless communications.

WHARTON

Professor E. S. Meade, of the University of Pennsylvania, Wharton school, has resumed lecturing in the investment course. During Professor Meade's illness the senior class lectures were given by a substitute.

The Wharton Study Club is considering plans for new apartments. The club will be forced to vacate their present location at 213 Walnut street, on April 1, when the Democratic Club takes possession. The Wharton Club will either rent apartments or buy an entire building and run it on the plan of the University Club.

Mid-year exams are over for the year. With the last examination in advertising, the senior class started on the home stretch for the commencement goal. This class will be the first graduated from the Wharton school.

Professor Irving D. Rosheim, instructor in accounting was severely burned by a chemical explosion. It is probable that he will be unable to continue the lectures and that a substitution will have to be made.

The Program committee of the senior class consisting of Norman J. Rintz, Lester C. Nesbit, Mark Morgenthau, Joseph Snyder, Robert S. Meck, Paul Esmer, will meet Wednesday night to further plans for a class book.

Joseph Kline, president of the Wharton Club, spent the week-end in Cumberland county looking over his Cumberland county interests, political and agricultural.

Frederick Lyter, a first year man, has returned from a week's visit to a school at Northampton, Mass. Robert J. Sterrett, Assistant District Attorney of the United States, and Shippin Lewis, instructors in government regulation for the second year class, will be replaced by James T. Young and Joseph H. Willets, instructors in industry.

Donald Taylor, a first year man, has resigned his position at the State Capitol to accept a position with the Mumpert Chemical Company. Members of the freshmen class gave a smoker in the rooms of the Wharton Study Club. These smokers do much to promote good fellowship and further the interests of the school.

ACADEMY Two vacancies have been left on the Spectator staff, the school and alumni news and the exchange department being left vacant as a result of two members of the staff leaving school. A number of boys are trying out for these positions and the com-

petition closes on Monday.

To-morrow will be a holiday for the students as the indoor athletic contest is scheduled for the afternoon. The largest crowd that has ever attended any of these contests is expected this year.

The make-up examination scheduled for those who failed in the mid-year's has been made out and started yesterday. All these exams will take place after school.

Plans have been completed for a public speaking contest to be held in accordance with the annual Greek-Roman debate on March 26. The preliminaries will be held on March 13 and the three best speakers of the Greeks and the three best Romans will participate in the final contest. The speeches can be either prose or poetry and the winner will receive a gold medal and add one point for his club towards the cup. The second and third best men will receive silver and bronze medals respectively.

The preliminaries for the debate will be held on March 1, and the same question will be argued in the finals as in the preliminaries. The question under discussion will be: "Resolved, That compulsory military training should be given in secondary schools and in universities and colleges." The winners of this debate, Greeks or Romans, will add to their points towards the cup and the best individual speaker will receive a gold medal. The current event speaker yesterday was Louis Alvarado.

Since the entries for the indoor contest were announced, a number of other entries have been added and one more event, the broad jump has been added.

CENTRAL

The Sigma Eta Society will meet this evening at the home of Miss Irene Sweeney, No. 1 South Eighteenth street.

The directors of Central's music, Professor E. G. Rose, the leader of the choir, and Mr. Updegrave of the orchestra, are both ill. All glee club practices and music recitations will be eliminated this week. Fry-outs were made in chapel yesterday at 5 o'clock by seniors for positions in the opera "Pentafiore."

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