



HUNS RENEW DESPERATE BATTLE WITH PICKED MEN

TEUTONS READY TO RISK NAVAL BATTLE AT SEA, LONDON HEARS

Grand Fleet May Have Left Base For Greatest Fight of War, According to Reports From North Sea

HUNS AGAIN RESORT TO MASSED ATTACKS

Carry Some Points Against British by Pushing Fresh Troops Against Withering Fire of English

Tremendous pressure exerted by picked fresh troops in the desperate German effort to drive the British from Messines ridge...

Wyschaete occupied the highest point of the easterly ridge system and the British have been firmly established here since the early days of the enemy offensive.

Although the loss of Bailleul and some of the comparatively high ground around it such as Mount De Lille and Revesberg...

Heavy Attacks Repulsed What may be called the frontal attacks of the Germans upon the ridge system back of Messines...

The German line here runs along the easterly border of Nieppe wood and it is by a push to the northwest...

Hun Navy at Sea The German effort at present seems centered upon the northern side of the Lys battlefield...

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THE WEATHER For Harrisburg and vicinity. Partly cloudy weather, with showers to-night or Wednesday...

French Liberty Loan Poster



This is the third of a series of French Liberty Loan posters to be reproduced by the Telegraph. At the top of the poster are printed the words: "Turn Over Your Gold For France," and below, "Gold Fights For Victory."

CAMPAIGN FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY NOW PLANNED

Hope to Lessen Number of Accidents by Educating Pedestrians and Drivers

Mayor Keister announced today that he will ask merchants, corporations, department stores and all industries which advertise to devote a portion of their space to a city-wide campaign to avert street accidents in the city.

Ten German Trawlers Sunk by British Navy in Battle at Cattagat

London, April 16.—Ten German trawlers have been sunk by gun fire in the Cattagat (between Sweden and Denmark), the admiralty announces. Their crews were saved by British ships. There were no British casualties.

HUNS SUFFER HEAVILY

Washington, April 16.—The heavy price the Germans are paying for their advance on the western front was told in dispatches to the State Department today, saying twenty-five trains loaded with wounded are passing through Aix La Chappelle every night.

HUN TRICKERY ANSWERED BY YANKEE STEEL

Pennsylvania Youth Kills One German and Captures Three Lonehanded

St. Mihiel on Sunday night, says a Wolf Bureau dispatch from Berlin dated Monday, the main part of the American positions situated to the eastward and southeastward of the Meuse river, was taken by storm.

First U-Boat Prisoners on Vessel With Baker

An Atlantic Port, April 16.—The first German prisoners of war to arrive in the United States, formerly members of the crew of the submarine U-53, sunk by an American destroyer, arrived here today on the same vessel on which Secretary of War Baker made his return trip from Europe.

WOMAN IN TEUTON GUN'S PARIS TOLL

Paris, April 16.—Shells from the long range German guns killed one woman and wounded one woman and one man in the Paris district last night, according to an official statement issued today.

KILLS SELF WITH GUN HE DIDN'T SEE WAS LOADED

Raymond Houdeshell, Steelton, Dies Instantly When Cartridge Explodes

Raymond Houdeshell, aged 17, of Steelton, was accidentally shot and instantly killed while examining a revolver at the home of Edward Williams, a cium, in North Second street, Steelton, this morning.

Robert B. Reeves to Give Part Time to Work With Soldiers at Gettysburg

Robert B. Reeves, general secretary of the Central Y. M. C. A., has been appointed by the National Y. M. C. A. War Council to the position of camp general secretary of the Army Y. M. C. A. at the Gettysburg camp.

BABY BONDS are little brothers of LIBERTY BONDS

There's room for BOTH

BAILLEUL GIVEN UP AS GERMANS LAUNCH HEAVY DRIVE IN NORTH

Fresh Hun Assaults Developing in Neighborhood of Wyschaete, Where Bitter Fighting Has Waged

STREETS CRIMSONED IN BAYONET BATTLE

Struggle to the Death in Hand-to-Hand Work in Shell-Torn Village Which Changed Hands Often

London, April 16.—The Germans have captured Bailleul on the northern battlefield, the war office announces. The British have fallen back to new positions north of Bailleul and Wulverghem.

Use Picked Divisions The text of the statement reads: "Yesterday evening, preceded by an intense bombardment the enemy launched very heavy attacks against our positions between Bailleul and Neuve Eglise. The assault was delivered by three picked German divisions which had not been previously engaged in the battle and it succeeded after a fierce and bitter struggle in carrying the high ground southeast and east of Bailleul known as Mount De Lille and Revesberg.

Attacks Developing "This morning fresh German attacks are developing in the neighborhood of Wyschaete. Our troops in this front have fallen back to new positions to the north at Bailleul and Wulverghem. Bailleul has fallen into the enemy's hands.

With the British Army in France, Monday, April 5.—The Germans occupied a shambles then they took Neuve Eglise. The contending forces who had been battling bitterly here for days had been asking and giving no quarter. Several times the shell-torn village changed hands. On each occasion it was a struggle to the death with bayonets as the troops swirled in a mad melee through the crimsoned streets.

Fight to Finish The British and Germans alike had but one thought as the red heat of conflict got into their blood—to fight to a finish and accept the fate which was in store for them.

Freight Congestion Heavy on Lines of the Pennsy

Washington, April 16.—Eastern railroads slowly are ridding their lines of the big freight congestion which developed during the long period of bad weather last December and January, but indications are that it will take a month longer to restore conditions to normal.

Hungarians in America Protest Their Loyalty in Message to President

New York, April 16.—The loyalty of 27,000 American citizens and residents of Hungarian birth has been expressed in a telegram to President Wilson, it was announced here today by Alexander Konta, president of the American Hungarian Loyalty League.

Marines at Vladivostok; There For Protection

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WIVES MAY NOT GET DIVORCES FROM SOLDIERS

Men Protected While in Service; All Women Must File Affidavits

IS NEW WAR MEASURE

Woman Says Her Life Was Threatened Because She Refused to Ask Exemption

To meet the requirements of a recent act of Congress women who are suing their husbands for divorce in cases where the men are now in military service must file affidavits to that effect at the hearing.

Watched His Wife and Says She Got No Pay

Alleging she was employed by John M. Lenney, Jr., to watch his wife and that she did so from February to May, 1916, Miss Margaret R. Albright today filed a suit against him for \$500, the amount she claims he agreed to pay her for her work.

Vienna Applauds Czernin; Predicts Return to Power

Amsterdam, April 16.—The entire press of Vienna, a dispatch from the city reports, is joining in a chorus of praise of Count Czernin. The newspapers refer to the fact that he has concluded peace with Russia and is preparing to do so with Rumania.

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WAR SECRETARY BACK, IS FULL OF HOPE FOR ALLIES

Proud and Confident of the Achievements of Nation and Allies, Baker Says

TRIP HOME, UNEVENTFUL

Will Present Assembled Facts Learned Abroad to President Wilson

An Atlantic Port, April 16.—Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, returned to America today after a journey to Europe impelled by his desire to confer with British, French and Italian military and political leaders regarding his own country's co-operation in the war against Germany and by his wish also to become intimately acquainted with the American troops under arms in France.

City to Show Patriotism in Sunday Parade

Clergy to Lead Great Processional in Honor of Men Under Arms

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TO PRAY FOR VICTORY

Liberty Bond Sale Mounts as Public Senses Need of War Funds

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COURT ACTS ON BAD STATE ROADS

Leck Haven, Pa.—Judge McCormick, of Clinton county, today ordered J. Denny, O'Neil, state highway commissioner, indicted because of the condition of the state highway near Avis. The highway department has promised on numerous occasions to make the necessary repairs but no action has been taken.

VLADIVOSTOK IS CALM

Tokio—Official advices from Vladivostok say the city is calm. The Japanese foreign office denies the authenticity of a dispatch that the Bolshevik government has proclaimed a state of war with Siberia and ordered the Red Guard to oppose the Japanese.

ENEMIES NOT TO HAVE PATENTS

Washington—President Wilson today stopped the issuance of patents and copyrights to enemies and revoked the authority given Americans to apply for patents in enemy countries.

DANIELS TAKES AIR TRIP

Washington—Secretary Daniels was a passenger today with Lieut. Doherty, a naval aviator, in a twenty minute flight over the capital.

LOAN TOTALS REACH \$808,465,250

Washington—Liberty Loan subscriptions amounting to \$808,465,250 were reported today to the Treasury from eleven of the twelve Federal Reserve Banks. This is \$114,853,450 more than was reported last night and includes most of Monday's subscriptions.

ZEPPELIN WORKS ON FIRE

Geneva, Switz.—Enormous loss was caused by the fire which broke out Saturday in the Zeppelin works at Manzel, near Friedrichshafen and destroyed the plant, according to reliable reports from Rorschach, on Lake Constance.

SIX DROWN WHEN BOAT CAPSIZES

Halifax—Six members of the crew of the former Lunenburg schooner Wantaga, torpedoed March 27, were lost when a boat containing them capsized as they

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ralph Miller and Annie J. Kohler, Summerdale; Isaac L. Noye, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., and Bertha V. Adams, Johnstown.