

HARRISBURG



TELEGRAPH



LXXXVII- No. 97 16 PAGES

SINGLE COPY,

HARRISBURG, PA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 24, 1918.

ONLY EVENING ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWSPAPER IN HARRISBURG

Is Fixed in Sum of

By Associated Press

man consular officers, businessmen

and others were found guilty early to-day by a jury in the federal court of conspiracy to violate the neutral-ity of the United States through plots

to foment revolution against British

Germans Ordered Interned

HOME EDITION

ALLIED GUNS CHECK HUNS AS BATTLING IS RENEWED

HUN INFANTRY AGAIN THROWN AGAINST HAIG'S LINE IN FRANCE

Drive on Amiens Renewed by German Commanders in Effort to Make Good First Failure

TRY TO PUSH WEDGE BETWEEN THE ALLIES

Heavy Attack Confined to Front of Twenty Miles, Although Heavy Artillery Fire Continues Elsewhere

The drive on Amiens, for which the Germans plunged desperately but failed to reach in their great offensive last month, was resumed to-day.

In the effort to push toward this important junction and allied base, renewed after a two weeks' interval in which the main German effort was transferred to Flanders the enemy this morning launched a heavy attack on a front of approximately twenty miles.

Hit at British Front

infantry again is being thrown extends from the district north of Albert, northeast of Amiens, to the Avre river, southeast of the city. Neary all this front is held by the British, whose line held by the British, whose line man attacks developed last evening links up with the French at the in the neighborhood of Dranoutre, river Luce, about three miles on the Flanders front, but were re north of the Avre.

north of the Avrc.

It has been regarded as almost inevitable that the Germans again would strike here, as the advance of their right flank in the Amiens region was stopped short by the strong British resistance at Albert, lagging far behind their left, which was pushed at Castel to within a short distance of the Paris-Amiens rail-way.

A further driving in of the wedge south of Amiens was thus virtually impossible unless the line to the north also could be advanced.

The attack here, furthermore, represents a continuation of the persistent German effort to push in between the French and British by striking heavy blows near their point of junction.

The comparatively narrow field in which the enemy could attack with reasonable expectations of profit to himself has thus given the allies warning, largely climinated the cle-ment of surprise, which was so strong a factor in the earlier German success and doubtless has led to the massing of strong Anglo-French forces at the point where the Ger-mans now are striking.

Plan Surprise Attack

The Germans have been working up a strong artillery fire along vir-tually the whole British southern

[Continued on Page 12.]

MAJOR ROSS REACHES FRANCE George F. Ross, of the Department of Internal Affairs, to-day received a cablegram from Major Frank K. Ross, U. S. A., announcing that he had arrived safely in France.

Make It a Business

Every Saturday to Save for War Stamps Put By for War Bonds

You're not spending

-you're lending.

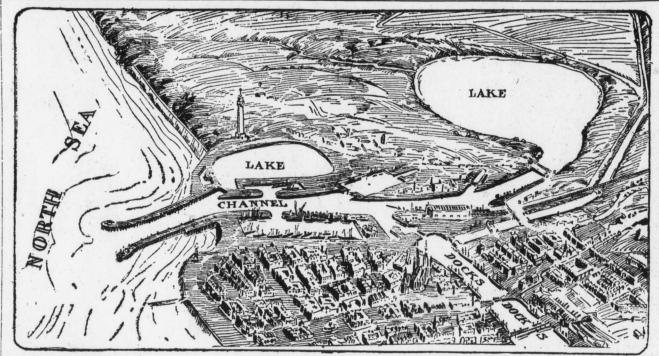
THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair and slightly cooler to-night, with lowest temperature about 38 degrees; Thursday partly cloudy and continued

cool.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair and slightly cooler to-night; Thursday partly cloudy; diminishing northwest winds.

Temperature: S a. m., 44. Sun: Rises, 6:15 a. m.; sets, 7:45 p. m. Moon: Full moon, to-day, 3:05 Stage: 8.2 feet above lowWhere British Jack Tars Braved Terrific Odds to Bottle Submarines in the Pirates' Nest at Zebrugge Harbor By Sinking Old Concrete Filled Cruisers



GERMAN MASSES CHECKED BY FIRE OF ALLIED GUNS

The line at which the German French and British Inflict Severe Losses on Hun

Legions By Associated Press London, April 24.-Strong Ger-

pulsed by French troops, the war office announces. Heavy infantry attacks are report-

ed to be in progress this morning in the Albert sector, north of the Somme and also between the Somme

and the Avre rivers.
The French and British artillery inflicted severe losses on the Germans in the Flanders attack.
On the front northwest of Albert a German attack early resterday evening was repulsed.

Attacks Driven Back

Attacks Driven Back
The statement follows:
"The hostile artillery activity increased yesterday afternoon and betwening on the greater part of the British front, particularly in the Somme and Ancre region, in the valley of the Scarpe and in the sectors north of Bethune and north, northest of Bailleul.

"At dusk hostile infantry left their trenches to attack northwest of Albert, but met with heavy rifle and machine gun fire and were driven back.

back.
"Strong hostile attacks developed" "Strong hostile attacks developed also late in the evening in the neigh-borhod of Dranoutre and were re-pulsed by French troops after sharp fighting. French and British artillery inflicted severe loss on the enemy.

Heavy Artillery Fire

"During the night the activity of the enemy's artillery continued and at an early hour this morning a heavy bombardment was opened along practically the whole British front, from north of Albert to our junction with the French south of the Somme, Strong infantry attacks

junction with the French south of the Somme. Strong infantry attacks are reported in progress in the Al-bert sector and between the Somme and the Avre river. "Heavy hostile shelling is reported to have taken place also early this morning between Givenchy and Robecq. Concentration of hostile in-fantry in the neighborhood of Mer-ville were dispersed by our artillery."

ARCHBISHOP SUFFERS RELAPSE

Stores Will Close at Noon Friday

T A MEETING of merchants following the Liberty Loan luncheon at noon to-day, it was decided to close all stores, Friday at 1 o'clock. A resolution was passed, appointing a committee to wait upon the Mayor and ask him to issue a proclamation in line with the merchants' action. Merchants of the town are asked to co-operate in the move. The meeting was called by J. William Bowman, ex-Mayor of the city, and a member of the firm of Bowman & Company. 'In all probability we will have a parade Friday afternoon when we go over the top, and we want to be prepared for a celebration,' he said. following the Liberty Loan

CITY OPENS PURSE TO LIBERTY LOAN; SUBSCRIBERS MANY

LIBERTY LOAN

BOND SALES IN

The total Liberty Bond sale

in Harrisburg reported up until noon today totaled \$1,994,575.
Divisions in Home Drive—
Artillery, Frank C, Sites \$178,850
Cavalry, Arthur D, Bacon 50,100
Infantry, Charles H. Hoffman

man 21,850 Aviation, John F. Dapp. 142,373 Engineers, Charles W.

Rainbow Division, Chas. E. Pass

LATEST REPORT

Workers Find Loyal Americans Are Willing to Lend a Hand to Men Who Risk Lives For Nation; Many New Subscriptions

Hundreds of subscribers to-day were added to the list of loyal men and women who have subscribed for Liberty Bonds when the workers met for luncheon in the post office building. Even the "Kaiser" was forced to take \$200 in bonds. Nearly half a million dollars was added to the fund.

million dollars was added to the fund.

Enthusiasm ran high at the meeting when the announcements showed that the commanders of the home canvass divisions had secured nearly half a million dollars' worth of subscriptions as a result of their first day's efforts. The large hall re-echoed with continued cheering as the team commanders reported particularly large amounts from time to time.

The largest amount reported by any division was the Artillery Division, Frank C. Sites, chairman, which reported \$178,850. The second was the Aviation Division, John F. Dapp, chairman, who reported \$142,375.

The largest amount reported by any team was that by team No. 1.

Aviation Division, B. F. Blough, captain, \$76,200. The next largest amount by any one team was \$54,1200, by team No. 4. George N. Barnes captain.

The Kaisor Was Present

The Kaiser Was Present

The Kaiser, who was introduced by Chairman Patterson, wore his helmet and full regalia, but he looked as far behind the lines as usual in the recent drive. His uniform was much the worse for wear and even his mustache toward the close of the luncheon began to droop. But he was as impertinent as ever when it came to talk, and he informed the committeemen that he hoped to see the loan "go over the top" because it would indicate to him how much indemnity he might collect if he found himself in position to lead an invasion.

"Will him" should semeshed a see the loan "go the collect if he found in the collect in the in th

sion. "Kill him," shouted somebody and the prospects looked black for the apostle of kultur, until a thoughtful diner suggested they would let him off if he bought a Liberty Bond, so he signed up for \$200.

'After the mob divested him of his helmet and tore off his mustache his highness stood revealed as Hender-

ENGLISH SHIPS BOLDLY ENTER GERMAN PORT

Huns, Astonished at Audacity of Feat, Believed Attackers Were Americans

and the Denby Sales Corporation were announced at the luncheon as having 100 percent records.

Until they were within a half mile of the harbor of Zeebrügge, no ships in the attacking force had picked in the attacking force had picked in the privilege of selling the bonds to others of his nationality who do not speak the English language.

Tantry Division, reported selling bonds ta man whose three sons are if rance.

The teams of workers which last week and the week previous can vassed Harrisburg's stores, shops and industrial plants sold Liberty Bonds.

[Continued on Page 8.1

Exact figures of sales up until las night in the district outside of Har risburg were not available, but wil Entire Family of Six in Harrisburg Hospital, probably show a total of at least \$1,-700,000 when compiled later in the Ill With Pneumonia

700,000 when compiled later in the day.

That will give a grand the forthe district, exclusive of what has been sold by the Homes Drivers since yesterday noon and exclusive of the amounts sold by the banks, of approximately \$3,100,000.

Harrisburg must get busy; so must the Harrisburg district.

As They Do It in Lykens
Lykens seems determined to make a name for itself in the Liberty Loan campaign. The entire family of Donaldson Banks, colored, is in the Harrisburg Hospital suffering with pneumonia, Banks, aged 37, who lives at Edgemont, and his four children were brought to the hospital last night. His wife was brought this afternoon. The children are: Oceola, aged 11; Fred, aged 6; Lulu, aged 9, and Naomi, aged 3.

This epidemic of pneumonia in a name for itself in the liberty Loan campaign.

It was announced to-day that Short Mountain colliery, Lykens, em-ploying 885 men, is in the hundred per cent, class, each of the 885 men and boys working at the operation

Naomi, aged 3.

This epidemic of pneumonia in one family sets a record, hospital authorities say. Pneumonia has been unusually prevalent in Harrisburg

sion. Il. Was announced to-day that sion. Il. Was announced to-day that sion. Il. Was announced to-day that the oprospects looked black for the state of the stat

YANKEES ADD A TWENTY-NINE IN PROUD CHAPTER PLOT TRIAL ARE FOUND GUILTY TO U.S. HISTORY

Men Risk Lives Under Heavy San Francisco Court Refuses Food Administrator Warns Fire Time After Time at Duty's Call

Two Armed Only With Re- Bail For Each Hindu Involved Move Taken to Prevent Hoardvolvers Kill Eight Huns and Take Gun

With the American Army in France, Tuesday, April 23 .-The shell-torn village of Seicheprey, around which centered the hardest fighting in connection with the recent heavy German attack on the American positions, appears to be destined to hold a proud place in the story of American participation in the world war. As further details of the engagement became known there are disclosed deeds which are fully in accord with

the finest American traditions. The correspondent now is permitted to mention a few cases of individual heroism, which will coney an idea as to the mettle of the men. One of them, David Griggs, of East Hampton, Conn., passed through the enemy barrage at least through the enemy barrage at least seven times to carry ammunition to his hard-pressed comrades. Twice he was partially buried by earth upturned by shells falling all around him but he kept at his task.

Bravest of Regiment

Bravest of Regment
Griggs, who is 19 years old, was so modest that he would not tell his story, but insisted on speaking of the bravery of others. Finally one of his comrades pointed him out and said: "That is the bravest man in the regiment."
Raymond A. Ferris, of Medford, Mass., acting as a courier, was blown off the road twice by the concussion of shells. Although stunned and nearly crazed by the intensity of the gun fire when he reached the point in the rear of the lines to which he was sent for ammunition, he carried out his orders. Then he asked for a revolver, saying he wanted to go out and fight the Germans, but he fainted from exhaustion. When he regained consciousness his first words were an enquiry whether his message had been delivered.

words were an enquiry whether his message had been delivered.

London, April 24.—Not only was the mouth of the canal at Zeebrugge blocked, but British sailors and marines who participated in the raid on the German submarine bases believe they destroyed every gun on the control of the fight automatic pistols, charged an lieve they destroyed every gun on the control of the fight automatic pistols, charged an enemy machine gun, killed eight Two Killed Eight on the German submarine bases be-lieve they destroyed every gun on Germans and captured the gun. It the mole, demolished the sheds throughout its entire length and sharp shooter killed 15 Germans.

throughout its entire length and blew up large stores of munitions contained in the sheds, according to stories given by the survivors to the correspondent of the Daily Chronicle at a Kentish port.

Unfit they were within a half mile of the harbor of Zeebrugge, no ships in the attacking force had picked up the light on the mole. The attacking ship which started for the mole followed by muttered calls of "good luck" from the ships' companies of the escorting fleet outside the harbor the society of the regiment. Miss lirene McIntyre said:

determination to fight to the finish. They say they would like to go home, but not until the victory has been won. When there is a luli in the trenches they come to our village and help us to wash the dishes and cook."

Still Shelling Tuesday

Gas shells continued to fall along the American front northwest of Toul, Tuesday, but generally speaking the artillery fire was lighter than usual. There was a slight increase, however, in rifle and machine gun fire against the American positions around Seicheprey. Gas shells continued to fall along the American front northwest of Toul, Tuesday, but generally speaking the artillery fire was lighter than usual. There was a slight increase, however, in rifle and machine gun fire against the American positions around Scicheprey.

A German taken prisoner east of the Meuse has died of his wounds. At offe point three German propagands balloons descended, carrying copies of the Gazette Des Ardennes, which is printed in French.

Praised by French

EACH PURCHASER LIMITED TO TWO **POUNDS OF SUGAR**

to Give Germans Liberty Grocers Order Must Be Pending Sentence Obeyed

RECOGNIZE BRAVE DEED SENSATIONAL CLIMAX PLAN DRASTIC ACTION

ing and a Possible Shortage

All stores handling sugar are limited to sales of two pounds at a time to a customer. San Francisco, April 24.—Twenty-ine persons, Hindus, former Ger-

to a customer.

That is the order issued to-day to all County Food Administrators in Pennsylvania by the National Food Administrator, and is made public by Donald McCormick, Administrator for

Donald McCormick, Administrator for Dauphin county.

Stores found selling in larger quantities than two pounds will be proceeded against and drastic action taken by the federal authorities.

Decision to enforce the order, which originally was a request on the part of the administration, followed the receipt of complaints that chain stores and some of the larger grocers were selling in practically unlimited quantities, with the result that the smaller stores were losing customers because of their refusal to sell sugar in larger quantities than the administration had suggested.

to in the revolution against British rule in India. A sensational climax to the trial was furnished when Ram Chandra. Hindu publicist and revolutionist, was shot to death in court by Ram Singh, a former employe and fellow defendant. While Singh still pressed the trigger of his automatic pistol he, too, was shot and killed by United States Marshal James B. Holohan, who fired across the room over the heads of the attorneys. Thirty were on trial and the only yerdict of not guilty was returned in the case of John F. Craig, head of the Craig Shipbuilding Yards, Long Beach, Cal. Germans Ordered Interned Day's \$43,000,000 Makes Total \$1,700,094,850

Washington, April 24.—Telegrams o National Liberty Loan headquarters o-day told of \$43,000,000 new superiptions, bringing the total to \$1,009,4850. A score of big cities were eported ready to go over the top of heir quotas.

Allies Get Advantage in Fight in Balkans

Germans Ordered Interned
The German defendants were not entitled to bail, Judge W. C. Van Fleet ruled, and the following were ordered interned pending sentence, which will be passed next Tuesday:
Franz Bopp, former German consul general at San Francisco; E. H. Von Schack, vice consul; Charles Tattendorff, bodyguard to Wilhelm Von Brincken, military attache of the German consulate; Walter Sauerback, navigating officer of the German general at San interned, at Honolulu; Captain Edwin Deinat, captain of the steamer Holsatia, German merchantman interned at Honolulu; Captain Heinrich Elba, commander of the steamer Ahler, German merchantman interned at Hilo, and Henry Kauffman, chancellor of the German consulate. The bail of each Hindu defendant was fixed at \$25,000. London, April 24.—Determined fighting has broken out on all sectors of the Balkan front, it was officially announced in Paris, with British, French, Serbian and Italian troops pressing an offensive against the enemy. The advantage has

TEST OF STRENGTH IMMINENT

Washington-Debate on the Overman hill providing authority for government reorganization by the presiden

POLICE PROBE DISAPEARANCE OF WOMEN

Detroit-Police are endeavoring to locate two wome whom they say disappeared while in the employ of Helconfessing he burned the body of Augusta Steinbach. who came here in answer to a matrimonial advertisement.

MOLE STREWN WITH TEUTON DEAD

London-In the fighting during the British naval raid on the German U-boat bases a German destroyer was cut in half. "As she sank we put out gangways and rushed on to the mole," a young marine tells a Central News correspondent. "Then came an order to charge along the mole. The noise of firing, mingling of the shouts. and cries of the men was terrifying, a slaughter. The mole was littered with the dead and dying."

KHARAS IS PARONED

Harrisburg-The Governor this afternoon signed the pardon board's recommendation for a pardon for Theodore Kharas, of Harrisburg, serving a term no a statutory charge.

LIVINGSTONE GETS COMMISSION

Harrisburg-Stahley M. Livingstone, a member of Captain Henry M. Stine's old company, has been commissioned a second lieutenant and assigned to the artillery

MARRIAGE LICENSES