



YANKEES AND FRENCH PUSH FOE OVER VESLE; HAIG AT CAMBRAI

War Holds Stage; World Series Is Poorly Attended

AMERICANS MAKE RAPID PROGRESS IN DRIVING FOE OVER THE VESLE

Yankees Retake Bazoches and Fismette During the Night From Enemy, Who Abandon Towns, Leaving Only a Few Wounded

HUNS BLOWING UP ALL SUPPLIES IN FLEEING

Patrols Report General Retreat Under Way, Leaving Rear Guards to Delay Pursuit by U. S. Troops; Little Fighting

With the American Forces North of the Vesle, Sept. 5.—The American forces following up the German retreat from the Vesle moved steadily over the plateau between the Vesle and the Aisne to-day and by noon their advanced elements had filtered into the slopes on the northern side of the plateau.

Virtually no opposition was encountered. Aerial and other observers reported that there was every indication that the main body of Germans had retired across the Aisne.

Violent explosions were heard along the line this morning. Observers reported that they believed the Germans were destroying their ammunition dumps.

Bazoches and Fismette were occupied by the Americans during the night. These towns had been evacuated by the Germans, only two or three wounded men who had been abandoned being found.

French Move With the Yankees Along the Vesle

With the American Army on the Vesle, Sept. 5.—Americans, with the French moving with them on their left, have advanced from the Vesle to the edge of the plateau along a line from Brenelle, Vauxcote, Biazay and Baslieux. The Germans nearest this line along, which they might make a

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Clarence A. Toomey Is Fatally Crushed Under Freight Cars at Enola

When two freight cars in the Enola yards collided last night, Clarence A. Toomey, 1111 Penn street, aged 23 years was thrown under the car and so badly mangled that he died a few moments after he was brought from under the wheels.

Toomey was a brakeman on the car when two shifting cars collided. He was thrown under the car and his body was mangled although the wheels did not pass over his face. Toomey entered the service of the railroad about four weeks ago, being employed by the Harrisburg Manufacturing and Boiler Company before that time. He had been married about a year.

He is survived by his wife, Minnie, his mother, Mrs. Kate Toomey, a sister, Mrs. Harrison Mader, and 3 brothers, Chester R. Toomey, Raymond Toomey and Henry Toomey. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The Rev. William N. Yates pastor of the Fourth Street Church of God, will officiate and burial will be in the East Harrisburg cemetery.

U. S. STEAMSHIP AFIRE IN PORT

An Atlantic port, Sept. 5.—An American steamship caught fire at sea and came into port to-day with a hold in flames which had been burning sixty hours, destroying thousands of pounds of sugar, tobacco and fruit taken on at Porto Rico. Fire boat: are pouring water into the hold.

BOSTON SCORES OFF VAUGHN; SHEAN IS LUCKY RED SOX

Scoreboard for Boston Am. vs Chicago Nat. game. Boston Am. 000100, Chicago Nat. 000000.

Comiskey Park, Chicago, Sept. 5.—Only a corporal's guard of former world's series crowds was on hand to see the Chicago Nationals and Boston Americans open the 1918 baseball classic here to-day. Half an hour before scheduled time for the call of "play ball," the bleachers held scarcely seventy-five per cent. of their capacity and the left hand pavilion was only half filled.

The right field pavilion had attracted less than two hundred fans and the grandstand patrons always slow to assemble, were in evidence only in scattered sections.

Weather conditions were far from perfect, a chilly northeast wind blowing directly into the stands. The clouds, however, had scattered and there was considerable sunshine.

Both teams practiced and the crowd yelled when "Babe" Ruth drove the ball into the right field stands in batting practice.

KEYSTONE SOLDIERS OF 111TH DISPLAY VALOR ON VESLE

Our Boys of the Old 18th and 6th National Guard Regiments Win New Laurels at Fismette; Captain Lynch Gave Life For Men; Killed Six Before He Fell

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With the American Troops Under Fecht, Sept. 5.—Fismette and Bazoches have been scenes of desperate encounters between the American and the counterattacking German shock troops, and during the last month they have changed hands several times.

NEED OF ALL OLD RUBBER IS URGED ON REGISTRANTS

Leave It at Registration Place For Red Cross Is Plea of Tate S. O. R. Committee

In the neighborhood of 12,000 men between the ages of 18 and 21 and 31 and 45, will register in Harrisburg, September 12.

When these men leave their homes to let Uncle Sam know they are ready to help hit the Hun, they are urged to take some old rubber with them to the registration place, and leave it there for the Red Cross.

Haig's Troops Are Knocking at the Gates of Great Cambria Base

POILUS SOON TO BE IN HAM

The British after their victorious drive through the Hindenburg defenses are knocking at the gates of Cambrai, but apparently are momentarily pausing before attempting to force an entrance. Prisoners to the number of more than 16,000 and guns exceeding one hundred in number have been taken by them in this advance.

Meanwhile the center of greatest activity has shifted to the Franco-American front where the Germans are in full retreat on a wide front north of the Vesle with the French and Americans in pursuit and reported as having reached the Aisne in their chase.

French Near Ham

Between these two sectors another notable German retrograde

FUEL ORDER IS MODIFIED FOR NIGHT WORKERS

Office Buildings May Use Electric Lights and Operate Elevators

The Dauphin county chapter of the American Red Cross has been enriched to the extent of \$650 by fines imposed upon two violators of the Federal fuel administrator's edicts.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS BEGUN AT POLLING PLACES

Party Workers Seeking to "Get Out" as Many Men as Possible

Registration of voters for the general election November 5, began to-day at the polling places, registrars sitting from 5 to 12, 1 to 6 and 7 to 10 o'clock.

RAISE IN WAGES OF ONE DOLLAR A DAY TO RAILROAD MEN

McAdoo Orders General Increase Effective Sept. 1st; Affects Nearly Million

Washington, Sept. 5.—Nearly a million railroad employes, including all clerks, track laborers and maintenance of way men, are to receive wage increases of \$2 a month, the equivalent of one dollar a day, or twelve cents an hour, over the pay they received last January, under a wage order issued to-day by Director General McAdoo.

Vienna Tells of Attack in Tonale Pass; Capture Two Towns and a Glacier

Vienna, Sept. 5.—London, Wednesday, Sept. 5.—Today's war office statement on operations along the Italian front.

On the northern part of the Tonale pass our mountain detachments by a surprise attack wrested from the enemy Punta San Matteo and Monte Montello and a summit glacier. This feat of arms among the eternal ice and snow is a remarkable testimony of the fighting capacity of the attackers, who are equal to the severest Alpine conditions.

HUN DYNASTY IS NOW AT STAKE, SAYS HERTLING

Amsterdam, Sept. 5.—In appealing to the constitution committee of the Prussian upper house to fulfill the emperor's pledge for reform of the franchise, Chancellor von Hertling said that, in his honest conviction, "with this serious question the protection and preservation of the crown and the dynasty are at stake."

BRITISH HAVE 16,000 PRISONERS IN GREAT DRIVE

Position After Position Captured From Desperate Foe

London, Sept. 5.—Marked progress was made by the British last night along the Flanders front, to-day's war office report says. Ploegsteert village and Hill 63, southwest of Messines, have been captured.

U. S. RECRUITING OFFICE, BEST IN NATION, TO CLOSE

New Draft Act Will Stop Voluntary Enlistment in the Army

Within a few days the United States Army Recruiting Station at 325 Market street will be closed and voluntary enlistment in Harrisburg, as well as the remainder of the United States, will be a thing of the past.

162 SELECTED FOR GREENLEAF

Another Large Quota Leaves City Tomorrow For Camp Dix

Another large quota of draftees was sent by the three city and three county boards to training camp this morning. The men entrained at the Pennsylvania station at 11:50.

Lord Reading Applauds Americans Who Captured Juvigny, General Hears

With the American Army in France, Sept. 5.—Lord Reading, British Ambassador to the United States, addressed the American soldiers, who took Juvigny, in a dugout within sound of the guns on Wednesday afternoon, bringing assurances to the soldiers that the people of the United States were with them and proud of their achievements.

Crowder Calls 200 Men For Work at Mechanical Drafting; 75 From Pa.

Washington, Sept. 5.—A call for 200 selective service men qualified for limited military duty and capable of working at mechanical drafting in the ordnance department of the army was issued to-day by Provost Marshal General Crowder.

Candidate Withdraws

Harry A. Fricke, Republican candidate for the Legislature in the Twenty-fifth Philadelphia district, has withdrawn. Richard Powell, a member of the House from the Fifth Luzerne district, has filed a Fair Play nomination.

LATE NEWS

ATTACK BRITISH CONSULATE AT MOSCOW. London.—The British consulate at Moscow has been attacked, according to the Central News to-day.

KORNILOFF REPORTED KILLED. London.—General Korniloff, formerly Russian commander-in-chief, has been killed by a shell in Yekaterinover, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen, quoting from the Politiken.

ROCK ISLAND TRAIN LEAVES RAILS. Chickasha, Okla.—Two men were killed and 45 were reported injured when three coaches of a Rock Island train left the rails and went into a ditch, south of this city.

MARKET'S CLOSE IRREGULAR. New York.—Motor shares continued to advance in the last hour but seasoned issues were at lowest levels.

U. S. Steel reacting 1 1/2 points. The closing was irregular. Final prices on Liberty Bonds were: 3 1-2s, 101.84; first con. 4s, 95.04; second 4s, 94.26; first con. 4 1-4s, 94.95; second con. 4 1-4s, 94.28; third 4 1-4s, 95.95.

Leaders reacted one to nearly two points in to-day's narrow stock market, the money situation again exerting a deterrent effect. Sales approximated 375,000 shares.

ROOSEVELT TO OPEN FOURTH LOAN. New York.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt will open the fourth Liberty Loan campaign in Baltimore by speaking at a meeting to be held at the base of the Washington monument on September 28 under the auspices of the National Security League.

Washington.—Turkey has ordered the commander of the forces in Persia to see that no Americans are enlisted, according to a statement by the minister of foreign affairs at Constantinople to the Swedish charge.

UMPIRE EXPLAINS AWARD. Washington.—Six thousand machinists, now striking because of the award of Otto M. Eidlitz, umpire in the Bridgeport, Conn., munitions workers' wage controversy, are expected to return to work, the umpire explaining that workers are not barred from classification into groups as machinists, thereby removing the objection which has held them away from their duties.

DEAD IN LANDSLIDE. Portsmouth, Va.—Eleven laborers are reported dead and more than a score seriously injured as a result of a landslide which caught about 120 men, mostly negroes, employed on excavation for a new drydock at the Norfolk navy yard to-day shortly before noon.

DRY ZONES ABOUT WAR WORKERS. Washington.—The Senate adopted without a roll call to-day a resolution by Senator Kellogg of Minnesota authorizing the President to establish dry zones about mines, skippers, munitions plants and other war plants. The resolution now goes to the House.

HUN CHIEFS MOVE TO BONN, GERMANY. With the American Army in France.—It has been reported, and what seems partial confirmation has been given the report, that German main headquarters had been moved from Spa, Belgium, to Bonn, Germany.

TO CHANGE TIME. Washington.—Changes in the standard time zones of the United States moving the lines slightly westward, are recommended in a tentative report made public to-day by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The primary object of the changes, which become effective next Thanksgiving if the commission finally approves the report, is to "unify the time changing practices of cross-continent railroads.

Copenhagen.—Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik minister of war, has been elected president of the Russian supreme war council at a meeting of the Soviet Executive Committee, according to a Berlin Wolff Bureau dispatch from Moscow. The Lettish leader, Wazretzes, has been elected commander-in-chief for all the Russian frogs.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. George I. Reichenbach and Anna H. Myers, Harrisburg; John Miller and Martha A. Roland, Mechanicsburg; R. F. D. 4, William H. Wiley and Emma C. Fossemeager, Lancaster; Elmer J. Schreiber and Martha R. Minick, Harriburg.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Rain this afternoon or to-night; Friday fair; cooler to-night and Friday.