

GERMAN NEWSPAPERS SAYS TEUTON LOSSES IN WAR HAVE BEEN ABOUT TWO MILLION

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—Estimating the total German losses in the war at about 2,000,000, the National Zeitung of Berlin says that there are available sufficient forces to carry on the war for several years more. The newspaper gives available figures of casualties and continues:

"The first impression obtained from these lists is that the number of dead is relatively small in view of the fact that so many powerful offensives have been undertaken, as well as the defensive actions of unheard of difficulties, such as that of the Somme. This shows that the Germans are more sparing of their forces than one believed.

"Nevertheless the losses mean an enormous bleeding of the nation's body; but it is not so great that Germany will not be able to carry on the war for several years more. If the total losses are calculated at about 2,000,000 the German reserves would still number 7,000,000 out of the 9,000,000 with which the war was begun. On the other hand large numbers of young men have reached the age of military service during the war. According to a conservative calculation Germany has had in this war an addition of 1,500,000 in her forces."

LICENSE COURT IS OVER—HEARINGS SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY

License Court is over. After being in session for a little over two days and a half, the last hearings were held before Judge J. N. Langham Wednesday afternoon, and Court adjourned Wednesday evening at 4 o'clock, until next Monday at 10 o'clock, when it is expected the decisions will be made by the court.

THAWS DYNAMITE—FATALLY INJURED

SALTSBURG, Jan. 26.—An investigation has revealed that Alex Tonosko, an employe of the Howard Gas Coal Co. met his death Friday when he attempted to thaw a quantity of dynamite in some boiling water. He was terribly maimed.

JOHOVICS NAMED INDIANA CAPTAIN

At a meeting of the Athletic association of Indiana State Normal school here Saturday afternoon Ross Lytle of State College, Pa., was elected captain of the baseball team and Frank Johovics of Pittsburgh was chosen captain of the football team for the next season.

Each player is a vigorous and efficient worker and has excellent executive ability.

DAMAGE DONE IN THIS COUNTY BY HIGH WIND

Much damage was done throughout this county by the high wind which followed the heavy snow and rain last Sunday. Windows were shattered in a number of Indiana homes and reports from the rural districts tell of the unroofing of barns and sheds and the uprooting of orchard trees.

RECEIVERS HAVE BEEN APPOINTED FOR PENN ENAMEL COMPANY

Attorney James L. Jack and D. R. Tomb have been appointed receivers for the Penn Enamel Sink Co., of Indiana, which is in financial trouble. Judge J. N. Langham made these appointments Friday and directed the receivers to take full charge of the operation of the plant until further order from the court. It is said that plans which have not been fully developed will provide for the future affairs of the company, and that when these plans mature the receivers will be discharged.

CURRY COMB IS OFFERED WITH 24 ORANGES BY LOCAL BARGAIN GIVER

Some queer combinations have been offered in advertisements by merchants, but John Bennett, the main street grocer, is believed to have made a new record in an advertisement which offers a curry comb with two dozen oranges.

BACK FROM MEXICAN BORDER

Capt. Richard W. Watson and Corporal Paul Buterbaugh, who have been doing military duty on the Mexican border, have returned home. The staff of Gen. Clement with which they were connected, was mustered out at Harrisburg last Friday.

AZZARA ARRESTS MURDER SUSPECT

CAPTURE AT HEILWOOD IS MADE UNDER PECULIAR CIRCUMSTANCES

Philip Bruno, arrested by Detective Paul Azzara in a mining settlement near Heilwood Tuesday night, was taken to Verona, Pa. yesterday, where he is wanted in connection with a murder committed December 25. The arrest was made under peculiar circumstances.

Although not searching for him, Azzara found Bruno while visiting in a mining settlement. He thought Bruno was acting suspiciously and he placed him under arrest. The detective got into communication with the Pittsburgh police and furnished them with a description of the man. He was informed that a man answering that description was wanted in Verona. Azzara then notified the Verona authorities and the constable arrived in Indiana yesterday morning and identified Bruno.

RUTH LAW PUTS NEW PLANE THROUGH PACES

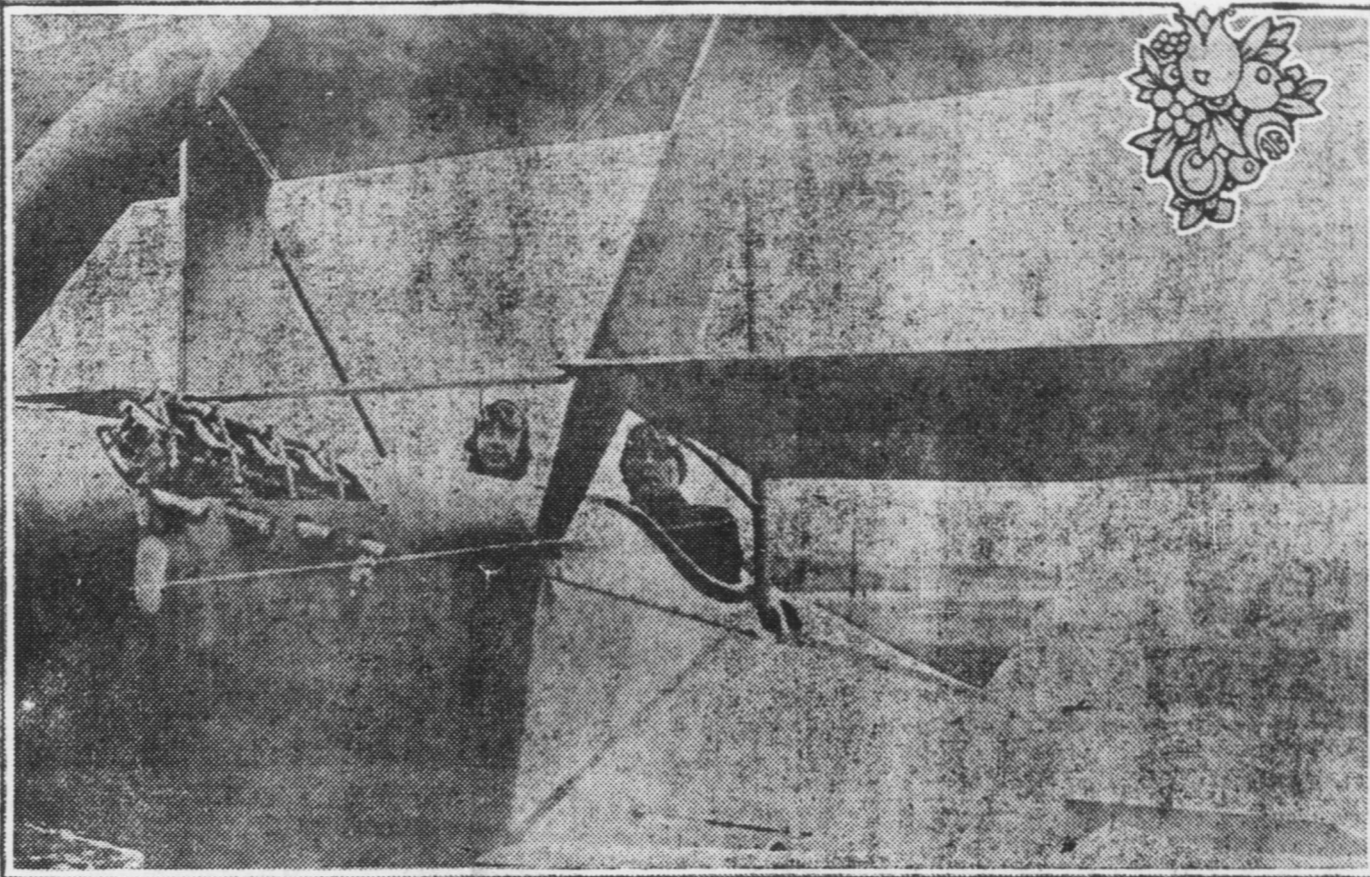


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Ruth Law, with Victor Carlstrom, trying out the specially built monster triplane at Norfolk, Va. With this she expects to cross the continent next spring.

FORBIDDEN TO FURNISH SHELLS FOR OUR NAVY

Hadfield's Limited Restricted So Long as Exigencies of War Continue

LONDON, Jan. 24. — The British government has refused permission to Hadfield's Limited to proceed with work on the contract for shells for the American navy "so long as the exigencies of war continue."

The announcement is made in the form of an official notice by Dr. Christopher Addison, minister of Munitions, in which attention is called to the fact that the entire steel output is under his control.

Typewritten Records Permitted In Effort To Save Boy Slayer

SUPREME COURT MAKES A SPECIAL RULING IN FA- VOR OF HAINES

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—The state supreme court in session here in consideration of the poverty of Ernest Haines, 18 years old, of Sprankles Mills, Jefferson county, Pa., under sentence of death with Henry Ward Mottarn, for the murder of Haines' father, had granted him permission to file typewritten copies of the lower court's proceedings, instead of the usual custom of submitting the petition in printed form. The petition to file typewritten records, filed by Haines' counsel, sets forth that Haines has exhausted all his money, \$200, in meeting the expenses of his trial and the two subsequent hearings before the board of pardons, the cost of his appeal to the supreme court having been defrayed by his uncle, W. W. Shaffer, of Phillipsburg, Mont.

The estimated cost of the printed copies of the record of his trial and the paper books of counsel is in excess of \$500. Recently it is set forth in the petition, Haines' uncle and a brother also of Phillipsburg, have forwarded him sufficient funds to defray the cost of typewritten papers bearing on the case. Haines' counsel, W. L. McCracken and William T. Darr, have agreed to represent him without charge.

The case is listed for argument February 12.

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INDIANA PEOPLE LEFT FOR CALIFORNIA

John M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy H. Smith and children, of this place, left here Saturday for California, where they expect to make their homes.

WILSON PEACE PROPOSAL CRITICISED IN CANADIAN SENATE AS IMPROPER

NATIONS NEUTRAL AND NOT MAKING SACRIFICES HAS NO VOICE IN NEGOTIATIONS

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 25.—The peace proposals of President Wilson were criticized in the Canadian senate today by Senator Pope who represents one of the English speaking districts of the province of Quebec and who has been a member of parliament for many years.

Senator Pope offered a resolution providing that "in the opinion of the senate of Canada, only representatives of nations which have engaged in the present war should participate in the negotiations for peace.

In support of his resolutions, he said that the horizon of the future has been broadened to Canada's visions by the great events which had begun marching forward in Europe with the declaration of war more than two years ago and by the decision of Canada to do her part in shaping those events.

Never before had any British colony offered the sacrifices of men and money which Canada was making today, he declared. Observing that representatives of nations which had not seen fit to participate in the struggle were taking the liberty of making suggestions as to the terms of settlement of the conflict, he said he thought it proper that Canada, which was sharing in the conflict, should express through the senate an opinion as to who was entitled to pass upon terms of peace.

MRS ELIZABETH DOWNER DEAD

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Downer, mother of W. M. Downer, superintendent of the Jefferson & Clearfield Coal and Iron Company, died in the home of the son, whom she had been visiting Wednesday evening at 11:45 o'clock. The deceased was 68 years old and death was due to cancer. She leaves her husband, George F. Downer; two sons, W. M., of Ernest and F. R. of Bellevernon, and one daughter, Mrs. A. R. Miller of Philadelphia. The remains were taken on the 12:01 train to Bellevernon, where the funeral services will be conducted and interment made in the West Hill cemetery.

Austrian Attack On Skis

REPULSED BY ITALIAN TROOPS—SHARP FIGHT- ING NEAR GORIZIA

ROME, Jan. 24. — Austrian soldiers wearing skis made an attack on the Italians on Monday night in the Tonale district, but were repulsed, the War Office announced today.

Last night the Austrians launched a counter-attack against intrenchments which the Italians had retaken south-east of Gorizia, but were driven off by the Italian batteries.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—Yesterday's report from Austrian headquarters says that near Gorizia Austro-Hungarian detachments of riflemen took a trench, 137 prisoners and three machine guns.

50 KILLED—300 HURT BY PACIFIC EARTHQUAKE

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 25. — Fifty persons were killed and 300 injured by a serious earthquake which shook the Island of Bali, a Dutch possession in the Malay archipelago.

99 INDICTED IN OHIO VOTE FRAUD PROBE

CINCINNATI, Jan. 25. — Six sealed indictments containing the names of 99 defendants were returned by the Federal grand jury in the vote fraud probe here today. It was announced the names of those indicted would not be made public until after they had been taken into custody.

STATE INQUIRY SURE DESPITE POSSIBLE VETO

PENROSE FORCES TO RE- SORT TO CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25.—Governor Brumbaugh will not be able to prevent a probe of his administration by vetoing the Sproul resolution. If the executive disapproves the resolution when it reaches him within the next two weeks, the Penrose leaders say they will, by means of a concurrent resolution, create a legislative investigation commission and provide an appropriation for the expenses by some other measure. Such a resolution would not require executive action.

The Sproul resolution must go to the governor, as it carries an appropriation. A concurrent resolution cannot carry an appropriation; therefore, if it is necessary to put through such a measure, another means must be found of providing for the expenses of the investigation. It could be put in the general appropriation bill or carried in a separate measure. However, the governor would have the last whack at them and could apply his veto.

While the governor's lieutenants have said the executive will veto the Sproul measure, others are inclined to believe, in the light of recent exposures, the governor will be compelled to sign the measure or place himself before the public as one fearing an investigation. This is one reason why the Penrose leaders are placing such a resolution before him. On the other hand, if the governor signs the resolution, the Penrose leaders will name the men to do the investigating.