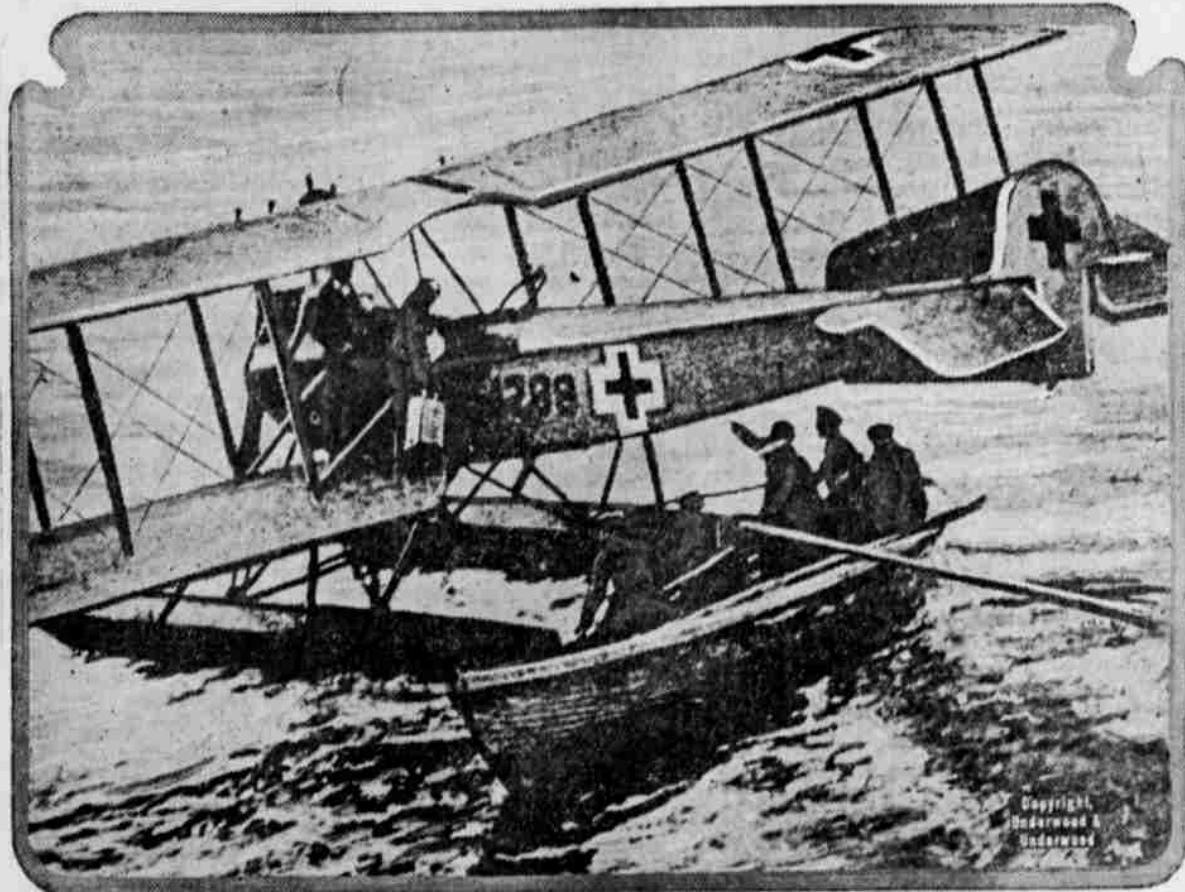


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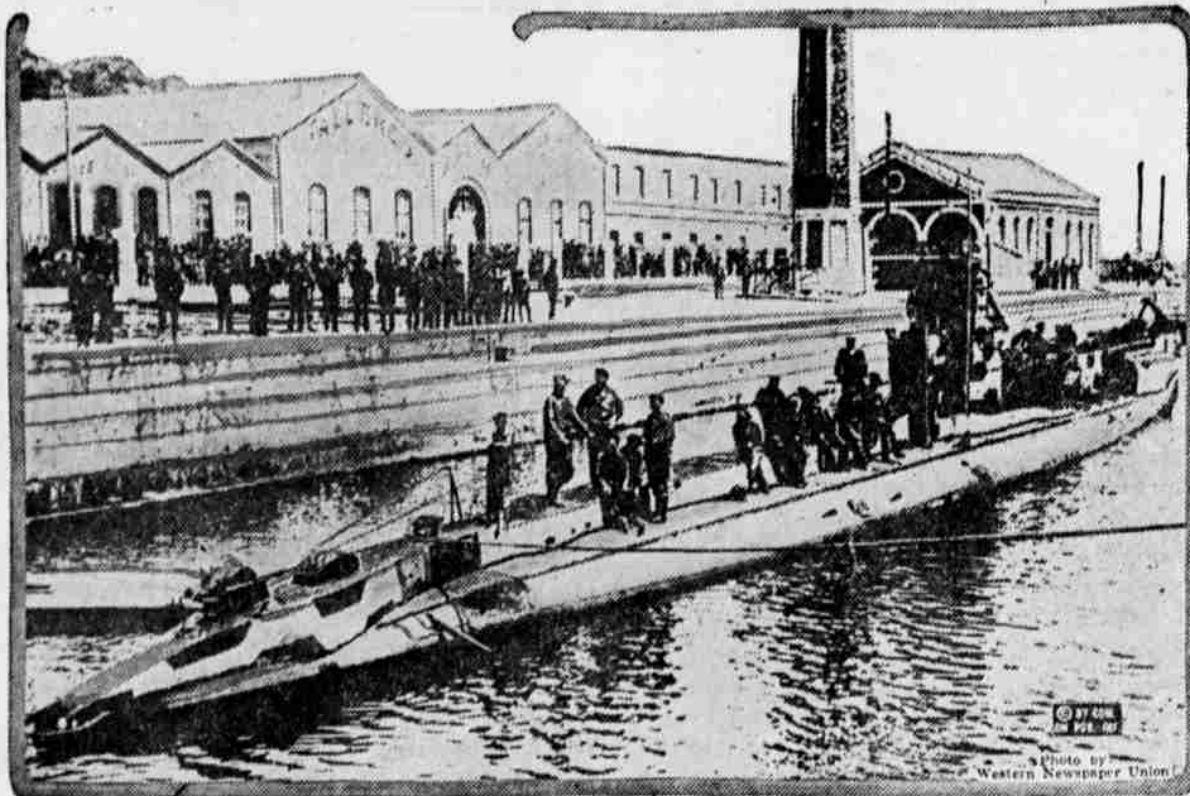
In This Department Our Readers in Fulton County and Elsewhere May Journey Around the World With the Camera on the Trail of History Making Happenings.

GERMAN PLANE BROUGHT DOWN BY BRITISH GUNS



This German seaplane, a Friederichshafen machine, was brought down in the North sea by British gunners.

DAMAGED GERMAN U-BOAT IN SPANISH PORT



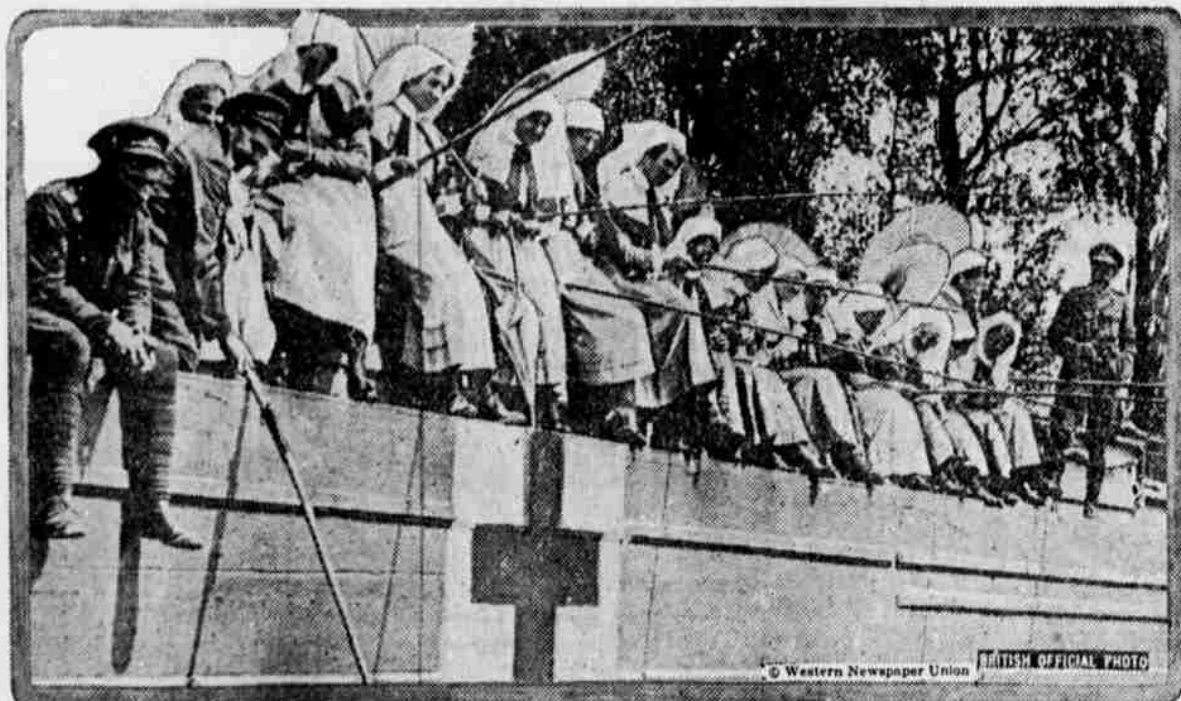
This German submarine, interned in a Spanish port, was damaged in an encounter with an American patrol yacht.

SPORT CONTESTS OF THE TOMMY WAACS IN KENT



The Tommy Waacs and women motor drivers in Kent, England, are helping to furnish fun in the camps by taking part in the army service sport contests. The photograph shows a women's race, which consisted of running part way with egg and spoon and skipping home.

RED CROSS SISTERS IN A FISHING CONTEST



A happy group of sisters of a British Red Cross hospital barge holding a piscatorial contest on a French canal is shown in this British official picture. The sisters are glad of a little recreation, since most of their time is consumed in working hard at all hours nursing and bringing cheer to the wounded Tommies.

HOMING PIGEONS GOING TO THE FRONT



This British official photograph shows how British army homing pigeons are sent up to the fighting lines in France. These intelligent birds have been the means of turning many a possible defeat into a glorious victory. In one of the great battles that raged along the British front recently a British officer found himself surrounded by Boche troops, and released one of his pigeons with a note to his artillery telling them to pour a barrage over the Hun. He was saved.

MAKING AERIAL BOMBS



While their brothers are fighting the battle of liberty on the front in France the women of England are seeking to speed the cause to a victorious finish by working night and day in munition factories to turn out hundreds of thousands of war weapons. This picture shows a woman worker in one of England's largest factories, acetylene welding the bodies of aerial bombs.

LADY HARCOURT



Lady Harcourt, formerly Miss Mary Ethel Burns, daughter of the late Walter H. Burns of New York, is the wife of the Rt. Hon. Lewis Harcourt, M. P., first commissioner of works, trustee of the Wallace collection, British museum, London museum, National Portrait gallery, and executive of the British school at Rome.

CROWDED TRAFFIC NEAR BATTLE FRONT



Trains of French and British transports greeting each other on the western front in France. Traffic in the fighting zones is sometimes almost as crowded as in the great cities of the United States. All sorts of vehicles pass to and from the front, including gun carriages, supply wagons, motorcycles, ambulances, automobiles, etc. The busy avenues of military travel have traffic guardians, like our own traffic policemen.

"YOU ARE DOWN RATHER EARLY"



In answer to the British Tommie's remark, "I see you've moved," this young lady replies: "Yes, so I have, but not willingly." The cause of her remarkable predicament and that of the house was a shell from a Boche gun on the western front which exploded near the foundation, causing the walls to cave in and thereby bringing the attic down to the level of the street.

Confidence.
Henry's mother was explaining some of the reasons why he should be a good boy at all times. Among other things she told him that he had only one life to live and one chance here on earth to be good.
"Well, mother," said Henry, "I think we should have two chances."
"No, Henry; God gives us just one chance and we must try very hard to be just as good as we can be."
"Well," replied the boy, "I think we should have two chances. Now, who do you think is right, mother, God or me?"

Mistaken Identity.
"Cleopatra! Cleopatra!" called Mary, who liked big names for her pets.
"Why, I thought your cat's name was Napoleon," protested the visitor.
"He was Napoleon till he had his kittens," affirmed Mary stoutly.

An Apology for Sarcasm.
"Are sarcastic people ill-natured?" "Not always," replied Miss Cayenne. "Sometimes what seems sarcasm is a generous effort to be euphemistic in stating a necessary fact."

Tired of Moral Suasion.
Marjorie and Freddie were playing together one day. Their mother hearing Freddie cry, went to see what the disturbance was.
"What is the trouble, Freddie?" she asked.
"Sister slapped me," he said.
"Marjorie, you must come and tell mamma when brother is naughty, not slap him."
Marjorie said: "Well, mamma, you never do anything but talk to him."

Scenery.
"Our public library is a favorite with film people," said the man from Plunkville.
"As to how?"
"Last week it figured as the ducal palace, home of a steel millionaire, Ufuzzi gallery, Temple of Diana and summer residence of the czar."

The Prospect.
"They say coal will be a paradox this winter."
"In what way?"
"People won't have it to burn."

BRITISH HEAVY BATTERY IN ACTION



British battery of heavy guns hurling shells at the Huns in Flanders.

INTERESTING ITEMS

The number of words found in old English literature does not exceed 30,000; recent dictionaries have listed more than 400,000.
The measurements of the Venus de Milo are: Height, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches; bust, 38 inches; waist, 31 inches; neck, 13 1/2 inches; weight, 170 pounds.
A codfish which was cut open recently in Hallowell, Me., disclosed a glass marble an inch in diameter.
The Greek classified music among the sciences and studied the mathematical proportions of sounds.
On a new style of uniform for the army there is a saving of a third of a yard of material and \$20,000,000 a year in cost for an army of 2,500,000 men.

ALLIES CROSS VESLE AND AISNE

Americans and French Take Town of Fismes.

BIG BAG OF PRISONERS

Number Will Thrill Allied World When Announced, It Is Reported—Americans Alone Captured 8,400.

American Army on the Aisne-Marne front.—The town of Fismes was taken late Sunday by the American troops, supported by the French.

The French are across the Vesle at several points to the eastward, and the line has been extended northwest of Rheims to La Neuville. The Germans are resisting sharply from Mazon to Champigny.

Fismes was taken after a heavy artillery fight that began in the middle of the afternoon. A few Americans had entered the town Saturday afternoon and remained there all night. They were driven out early Sunday. The Germans threw gas shells and shrapnel into the southern part of the town, making it inadvisable for the little party to remain longer.

London.—The Germans have retired to the north bank of the Vesle and the French have effected four crossings of the river, according to information received here. The Germans, it is said, are resisting stubbornly and fighting strong rear-guard actions.

The situation is generally considered highly satisfactory and the indications seem plain that the Germans do not intend, farther south, to make a permanent stand on the banks of the Aisne, but that they will retreat to the Chemin des Dames Ridge, which is one of the strongest positions in France, and for the moment will try to hold the French while getting away with their great accumulation of stores and munitions.

The Allies captured the Chemin des Dames once, and may do so again.

Paris.—Both flanks of the German forces between Rheims and Soissons appear to have been turned. The French have forced a crossing of the Vesle west of Rheims.

Allied troops have crossed the Aisne at several points between Soissons and Venizel. The German resistance is faltering on the left wing of the Allied advance, while it is growing stubborn and desperate on the right wing, where the Germans still retain a foothold on the southern bank of the Vesle between Champigny and Jonchery, northwest of Rheims.

The number of prisoners captured by the Allies during the last two days will thrill the Allied world when announced. The Vesle river, which was flooded owing to the recent heavy rains, has hampered the German rear guards, which were unable to ford the stream and had to fight for their lives. The most of these Germans were killed and the rest were made prisoners.

German reinforcements are reported arriving in the Soissons sector from the north. The Allies continue their advance according to the latest reports, although it is held within prudent limits. The Allied left wing has moved faster than the right and further progress in the Soissons region might expose it to a counter-attack from the enemy.

Allied forces in pursuit of the Germans have passed through veritable charnel houses, strewn with the debris of war. Bodies of men and horses are mingled with broken-down vehicles alongside of monster ammunition dumps, some partially exploded and others intact. Bodies of Germans found in clusters beyond the range of the Allied artillery indicate that severe punishment was inflicted on the fleeing columns by the French, American and British aviators.

WILSON MAY VISIT WEST COAST

Trip To Pacific States During Loan Drive Probability.

Washington.—Possibilities of President Wilson visiting the Pacific Coast during the Fourth Liberty Loan drive, which begins September 28 and ends October 19, have strengthened into probabilities.

It became known some time ago that plans were being made for the President's participation in the next drive, which will be a greater affair than any of its predecessors and probably will include speeches throughout the country by members of the Cabinet and members of Congress. Congressmen from many sections have written the White House, inviting the President to visit their States.

FIRE AT HAWK; HIT MOTHER.

Virginia Farmer's Wife Wounded When Daughter Shoots.
Winchester, Va.—Mrs. William Newcome, wife of a farmer, was seriously wounded by shot, when a gun exploded in the hands of her daughter, Mamie, who was aiming at a chicken hawk. The load went through one leg and lodged in the other near the ankle.

HUN CHIEFS ADMIT FAILURE.

Territory Lost "Disposed of According to Plans."

Copenhagen.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg and General Ludendorff received the German correspondents according to advices reaching here and openly admitted that the strategic plans had failed. They asserted, however, that the Germans were still masters of the situation and that the territories given to the enemy were those disposed of according to plans.