

GERMAN VICTORS KILL ALL AT SEA

Ships Raked by Fire at Close Range After Convoys Are Put Out of Action.

ALL LIFEBOATS FIRED ON

Hoisting of White Flag Is Signal for Fresh Fusillade and Swedish Ship Is Among Victims, Norwegian Papers Announce.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—(By Canadian Press.)—An appalling story of cold-blooded massacres by Germans of crews of British North Sea convoys in a recent battle is told by the Norwegian newspapers. The Tidenstegen said the German cruisers were observed at 6 o'clock in the morning and were thought to be British vessels, but at 7 o'clock, when there was more light they suddenly began shooting and the convoy was terrified to see the British destroyer at the stern of the convey begin to sink, although it fought to the end. The German cruisers, after signalling the vessels to stop, advanced on each side of the convoy, which they swept with all their guns at a range of less than 300 yards. The German destroyers came up and helped to spread death and destruction on the defenseless ships, shells falling thick and fast. The Germans were not content to sink the ships, but shelled the lifeboats and every living thing coming in their way. The survivors were slaughtered. The survivors owed their lives to the high sea which was running, making the boats a difficult mark. In the midst of the massacre another British destroyer came up and immediately attacked, but was soon sunk in the unrelenting fire. The other flotilla then cruised backward and forward along the sinking steamers, pouring a fresh and terrible rain of shells at a range of 100 yards. One shell went through the Swedish ship Wirindar, exploding in the lifeboat on the other side and killing all its occupants, 14 men and three women. The other lifeboat rowed back to rescue the captain and two waitresses from the wreck. A German ship hoisted the white flag. The answer of the Germans was a shot which killed them both. Twelve men of another ship had just got into the lifeboat when a shell killed them all.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF GERMANY'S NEW CHANCELLOR.



—Photo from Underwood.

For the first time since the creation of the present German Empire, the post of Imperial Chancellor is held by a Bavarian in the person of Count George von Hertling, the Bavarian Prime Minister. Heretofore the post has always been held by a Prussian, who also held at the same time the post of Premier of the Kingdom of Prussia. Count von Hertling succeeded Dr. Michaelis, who is now only Prime Minister of Prussia. The political stand that the new Chancellor will take is uncertain. He is a member of the Catholic Center party and is considered opposed to parliamentary reform. He is reported, however, to have stated a willingness last year to have peace without indemnities and to have joined Herr Baumbach in a demand for a statement of reasonable terms of peace.

HUNS POUR INTO AMERICAN TRENCH

First Story of Hand-to-Hand Fight Saturday Comes From France.

20 CASUALTIES PUBLISHED

Three Killed, Five Wounded, 12 Believed Captured—One German Prisoner Result of Saturday's Raid on American Trench.

(By the Associated Press.) WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Nov. 5.—A small detachment of American infantrymen was attacked in the front-line trenches early Saturday morning by a much superior force of the German shock troops. The Americans were cut off from relief by the heavy barrage in their rear. They fought bravely until overwhelmed, solely by numbers. The fighting in the trenches was hand-to-hand. It was brief and fierce in the extreme. As a result of the encounter three Americans were killed and five wounded. A sergeant and two corporals and nine men were taken prisoner. Two French soldiers, who were in the trenches, also were killed. The enemy lost soldiers, but the number is unknown, as their dead and wounded were carried off by the retiring Germans. From the beginning of the engagement until the end the Americans lived up to all the traditions of the American Army. The detachment, and the bravery of the detachment and of several members. WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The official casualty list of American losses in the first clash with the Germans in France early Saturday morning: Killed: Private Thomas Burdick; sister, Mrs. Mary Irwin, 6641 Prentiss street, Pittsburg. Private James B. Gresham; mother, Mrs. Alice Dodd, 1001 West Ohio street, Evansville, Ind. Private Merle D. Hay; father, Harry D. Hay, Glidden, Iowa. Wounded: Private John J. Smith, Ludington, Mich. Private Charles J. Hopkins, Stanton, Tex. Private George L. Box, Altus, Okla. Private Homer Givens, Cloverdale, Ala. Private Charles L. Orr, Lyons, Kan. Captured or Missing: Sergeant Edgar M. Haliburton, Stony Point, N. C. Corporal Nicholas L. Mulhall, Jersey City. Corporal Edwin H. Haines, Woodward, Okla. Private Herchel Godfrey, Chicago. Private Vernon M. Kendall, Roll, Okla. Private William P. Grigsby, Louisville, Kentucky. Private Frank E. McDougal, Maryville, Missouri. Private Daniel B. Gallagher, Blockton, Alabama. Private John P. Lester, Tutwiler, Miss. Private Harry Langham, Chicago. Private Dewey D. Kern; mother, Mrs. Eva Tilton, Collins, Ia. Private Reckon; cannot be identified. The list was accompanied by the following announcement: "The War Department has received a dispatch from the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces which states that before daylight November 3 a salient occupied for instruction by a company of American infantry was raided by Germans. The enemy put down a heavy barrage fire, cutting off the salient from the rest of the line. Our losses were three killed, five wounded and 12 captured or missing. The enemy's losses are not known. One wounded German was taken prisoner." The general practice of trench raiding all along the front seems to offer a possible explanation for the surrender of the captured 12. It has been customary for French, British or German raids to be carried out with an intense barrage fire used to isolate the small sector of the enemy line which it was planned to invade. As additional protection for the raiders, the artillery fire has covered a far wider portion of the front than that which constituted the real objective of the raid. The object of the fire is to conceal from the defenders the exact point of attack until the raiders arrive there. 20 Men Probably Alone. Presumably the American trench raid was an advance post, with only 20 men in it. It could have had a front of more than 50 or 60 feet. Possibly it was the head of a sap driven out into No Man's Land at right angles with the general trench line, to be used as a listening and observation post. In that case the barrage fire of a few guns could cut the sector off absolutely from its support. The thin line of the communicating trench would be unpassable under a shrapnel shower.

"THE STORE THAT UNDERSELLS BECAUSE IT SELLS FOR CASH"

Advertisement for 'THE RICHELIEU' sweaters and corsets. Features 'Boys' Jersey Sweaters At \$1.50', 'Boys' Worsteds Sweaters At \$1.75', 'Men's Shoes In Winter Weight \$6.25 Pr.', and 'Women's Shoes \$5 Pair'. Also advertises 'METAL FLOUNCINGS' and 'Roberts Bros. THIRD & MORRISON'.

POLISH CABINET FORMED

German Authorities, However, Refuse to Accept Count Tarnowski.

BERLIN, via London, Nov. 5.—The Posen correspondent says the new Polish Cabinet has been formed as follows: Premier, Count Tarnowski von Tarnowski; Minister of War, General Rozadowski; Minister of Justice, Professor Crazowski; Minister of Public Instruction, Henry Karkki; Minister of the Army, Count Heinrich Potemski, and Minister of Agriculture, Anton Wienacki. Warsaw newspapers, however, state the regency council has been officially informed by German authorities that they will not accept Count Tarnowski as Premier.

CITY IN GREAT STIR

Bolsheviki Meetings in Petrograd Cause of Excitement.

TROTSKY PREDICTS POWER

Representatives of Whole Petrograd Garrison Pass Under Guidance of Radical Pacifist Group, Says Correspondent.

GERMAN SITUATION MIXED

Von Hertling's Administration Is Looked Upon as Experiment.

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BASIC LAW PRESCRIBED

POLISH KING IS TO REMAIN AT HOME CONSTANTLY.

EDITOR CALLED DISLOYAL

Charles J. Henninger, of St. Louis County Herald, Arrested.

WAGE INCREASE DEMANDED

Trainmen and Conductors Reach Decision After Week's Session.

AMERICAN POETS GIVE AMBULANCE

ITALIAN HEADQUARTERS, Nov. 4.—The first installment of hospital equipment provided by the American Poets' Ambulance, organized by H. Neilson Gay, an American author living in Rome, has arrived. It consists of 50 ambulances, seven barracks hospital and 30 tent hospitals with a capacity of more than 600 beds.

GRAY HAIR?

Use BARBO. A preparation of great merit for streaked, faded or gray hair. You Can Make It Yourself.

PENALTIES TO BE SEVERE

Federal Operatives Investigating Food Rotting in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Federal operatives are investigating charges that several hundreds of cartloads of vegetables have been permitted to freeze and rot in railroad yards here. The food administration plans the most severe penalties under the law for such offenders.

Royalists Are Discharged. PARIS, Nov. 5.—The charges brought against Leon Daudet, of L'Action Francaise, and Charles Maurras, of the same newspaper, were dismissed today by the judge who was investigating the alleged royalist plot. He found no evidence to substantiate the charges.

Aviator Falls 2500 Feet to Death. BAY SHORE, N. Y., Nov. 5.—John V. W. Reynolds, of New York, a student aviator attached to the United States Naval Station here, fell 2500 feet from a seaplane into Great South Bay yesterday and was killed.

Canada Has Labor Party. MONTREAL, Nov. 5.—Under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, a third party was formed in this city Saturday, to be known as the Labor party of Canada.

Advertisement for 'Save Your Cash and Your Health' featuring 'HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE'.

Advertisement for 'BELLANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion, Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c'.

Advertisement for 'Gray Hair? Use BARBO'.

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WOOD'S REAL NAME WERMK. Artilleryman Arrested at Plattsburg Confesses to Being I. W. W. PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Private Frank E. Wood, of the Sixteenth United States Field Artillery, who admitted he is a member of the I. W. W. when arrested at the officers' training camp on suspicion of knowing what had caused the death of several Army horses, informed the military authorities that his real name is Frank E. Wermk and that he is the author of several communications seized by Government officials during recent I. W. W. raids. Wermk is charged with being a deserter from a Federalized Wisconsin infantry regiment. The prisoner said he would appear as a Government witness against William D. Hayward, indicted leader of the I. W. W.

To Cure A Cold In One Day. Take L'LATVY BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 30c.—Adv.

Large advertisement for 'Blitz' beer and 'Resinol' skin medicine. Includes illustrations of people drinking beer and a woman's face. Text: 'A Tasty Topper for Lunch', 'Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast', 'Blitz', 'Resinol heals sick skins quickly'.