BATTLE FLARES UP ON ITALIAN FRONT

Batteries of Opposing Armies Resume Activity on Important Sectors.

ENEMY POSITION BLOWN UP

Mine Successfully Exploded on Pasublo-American Staff Colonel Captures Prussian Officer in Trench in Lorraine.

ROME, March 6.-The Italian and enomy batteries on important sectors of the front have again taken up reciprocal firing activity. The state-ments from the War Offic today also reports effective work by Italian airships.
"There was a lively renewal of reciprocal fire between Lako Garda

reciprocal fire between Lake Garda and the Astico, in the region of Montello and along the constal zone. Our batteries made effective concentrations of fire on enemy troops in movement on the Asiago Basin, south of Primolans, on the back slopes of Col della Herretta and in the vicinity of Lampol, to the left of the Plave.

South of Tiereo hostile reconnaisance parties, who attempted to reach our lines, were repulsed with losses. On the Pasible we exploded a mine, damaging the enemy's positions.

damaging the enemy's positions. Aircraft Do Good Work.

Our aircraft bombarded the enemy aviation ground at Motta di Livenza and a column of troops marching in the neighborhood of Oderzo. A British aviator brought down a

LONDON, March 7 .- "A raid attempted by the enemy last night east of Epehy, under cover of a heavy artillery bar-rage, was completely repulsed," the War Office reports, "other bostile raiding parties which endeavored to reach our lines southeast of Bois Gre-nier and east of Poelcapelle were equally unsuccessful.

The enemy's artillery has been ac-

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March & —An American staff Colonel, while with a French raiding party for the purpose of securing information a few days before his men took up their positions in the new American sector on the Lorraine from the party of the purpose of the new American sector on the Lorraine from the positions in the new American sector on the Lorraine from the positions in the new American sector on the Lorraine from the positions in the new American sector on the Lorraine from the positions in the new American sector on the Lorraine from the imperial general staff, is on the right. They are leaving appointed chief of the imperial general staff, is on the right. They are leaving the property of the inter-allied war conference at Versailles, which they attended as Great Britain's representatives.

SIAVS WILL VIFID the central powers should run for 14 days from midnight of March 5 with a period of three days for denunciamet a Prussian Lieutenant in an enemy trench and captured him.

Americans Take Officer Prisoner. The Coionel, with an American, cought the Prussian officer back to

Prussian Lieutenant's captur was the first instance of an enemy offi cer being taken prisoner by the Americans and also the first occasion upor which an American officer had cap tured either an enemy officer or soldies in this sector.

THIRD ATTEMPT SUCCESS

Dufur Boy, 17, Joins Service After Being Turned Down Twice.

DUFUR, Or., March 7.- (Special.) home here today to join the automo-bile drivers' section of the Army in which he enlisted yesterday. Young suit in the loss by the Russian people Johnston is but 17 years of age and of all the liberties they have gained by this is the third attempt he has made to enlist under the stars and stripes. In recognition of his persistent loy-ally, the citizens of Dutur gave him hope that the severe terms of the sepa-an informal send-off today. He is the eldest sen of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johns-not be ratified by the Russian people." ton of this city. The High School closed for the occasion and the entire population joined in extending their good wishes and congratulations, to the young man whose ardent desire to serve his country has won the admira-

BELGIAN BRUTALLY SLAIN

Helpless Skipper Is Deliberately Killed by Germans.

LONDON, March 7 .- How the men bers of the crew of a German subma-rine brutally killed the wounded master of a Belgian fishing smack who refused to leave the vessel is described in a press association dispatch from Pensance. The submarine attacked the smack with gunfire, and the skipper was wounded saverely. He urged his ion, including his son, to save them-

fishermen to row German sallers to Hungary, and the conditions are rethe smack in order to place bombs verted to over and over again as a posaboard. One of the Germans drew a sible or concrete basis for negociations as appears from the discussions in Gertarough the head in the presence of man newspapers of the latter part of

Bout Benefits Camp Fund.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 7 .- Ted Lewis, of England, welterweight champion, and Jack Britten, of Indianapolis, for-mer champion, fought a 18-round nodecision exhibition boxing contest here last night for the benefit of the Camp Gordon Atlantic fund. Newspaper Gordon Atlantic fund. Newspaper opinion gave each man four rounds,

Cardinal Scrafini Dead.

ROME, March 7.—Cardinal Dominic Serafini, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, is dead. He was created a cardinal in May, 1914, and garia and Turkey, Germany would not have been able to fight off her ene-

HOW TO GET RELIEF FROM CATARRH

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness, or head noises go to your druggist and get I or of Farmint (double strength), take this home, add to it hot water and

inis nome, add to it not water and just a little sugar as directed in each package. Take I tablespoonful 4 times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the

throat. It is easy to make, tastes pleasant and costs little. Everyone who has catarrh should give this treatment a trial. You will probably find it is just what you sed. -Adv.

GENERALS HAIG AND WILSON, CHIEFS OF THE BRITISH ARMIES, AT VERSAILLES CONFERENCE.



The enemy's artillery has been activity in the Scarpe Valley east of Lens and east of Vpres, and shortly before dawn developed considerable activity in the Neuve Chapelle sector.

The chiefs of the British armies are shown together in this photograph. General Sir Douglas Halg, the commander-in-chief of all the British forces on the Neuve Chapelle sector.

The western front, is on the left, and General Sir Henry Wilson, the newly appointed chief of the imperial general staff, is on the right. They are leaving the inter-allied war conference at Versailles, which they attended

the lines the Americans are now occu- Acceptance of Peace Treaty FINLAND SIGNS PEACE TREATY Is Authorized.

HUN INVASION CONTINUES

Ambassador Francis, in Statement Made at Valgada, Urges Russia Not to Accept Severe Terms Imposed by Germans.

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WASHINGTON, March 7 .- Ambassa

der Francis, reporting to the State De partment under date of March 4, saihe was temporarily quartered with the Stamese and Brazilian diplomats in a clubhouse placed at their disposal by the Mayor of Vologda. He added that a The State Department was without united state of the Ambassador's intention nage and argues that vessels so acted to leave Vologda, but it was pointed out that any move was dependent upon must be treated as such, no matter his own judgment, although it was not whether the tonnage is employed within or without the barred zone.

INFLUENCE OF WILSON FELT President's Address to Congress in

January Stirs Austria-Hungary. NEW YORK, March 5 .- President Wilson's address to Congress early in January in which he defined 14 conditions

tally as they do to Germany.

Various members of the Austrian House of Deputies declared in the budget committee of that body that it authorities in Utah to arrest all Indians proposals coolly and contemptuously.

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ROUMANIAN KING TO RULE Germans Decide to Keep Hands Off Matter of Dynasty.

> AMSTERDAM, March 7 .- The dynasc question in Roumania is an internal

This declaration was made by Baron von dem Bussche-Paddenhausen, Un-der Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in the Reichstag, in reply to observations by other speakers regarding the future of the Roumanian throne. It has been reported from several

on the Roumanian throne.

The preliminary peace treaty between Roumania and the central powers, however, makes no mention of any proposed change in the Roumanian dyn-

AMSTERDAM, March 6.—The preliminary peace treaty, according to a dispatch from Bucharest, provided that the armistice between Roumania and nian. Main 1870, A 6895.

days from midnight of March 5 with a period of three days for denuncia-tion. Complete agreement was reached that the final peace should be con-cluded within this period on the basis of the preliminary treaty.

Intervention by Germany Criticised Severely in Reichstag.

fairs, in reply said that Sweden no New York: Mrs. Sophic Coolidge, longer raised objections to Germany's founder of the Detroit group of Ameriaction, which was taken in response to can Hospitals at Neuilly; Mrs. W. A. of all the liberties they have gained by appeals for help from Finland.

The revolution. Consequently the free people of the United States sincerely as a base, he said, had not yet taken James Hazen Hyde, Mrs. Anne Penfield.

German Warning Issued Against

Transfer of Tonnage. AMSTERDAM, Wednesd_y, March 6.

The paper contends that such trans-fer of tennage by neutrals is tantamount to indirect participation by neutrals in economic war against Germany and involves serious danger of complications, "as already shown in the history of the United States during the

RUSSELL WIRELESS FOUND (Continued From First Page.)

man newspapers of the latter part of January, now received here.

The President's proposals also have received considerable attention in Gerges to the Senate.

THREE ARRESTED AT MEDFORD

Two German Aliens and One Alleged Slacker in Custody.

Two German allens and alleged slackers were arrested today by Deputy United States Marshal Ernest T. Mass and will be taken to Portland for examination. August Faske, proprietor of the East Side woodyard, and William H. Schultz, a barber, both registered as enemy allens, were taken into custody ing all roads the advantage of efficiency of the state of for having firearms in their possession, and M. J. Miller, a young man who re-cently drifted over the California line, is held for failure to register for the

draft.
These are the first a rests of the kind here since the declaration of war. Paske and Schultz have been in Med-ford several years, have many friends, presidents of railroads. perial "W" beneath, and schultz possessed a shotgun and .38-caliber revolver. Both men said they knew nothing about a law compelling them to
give up their firearms and had used
their guns for hunting for several
Because of its

Bakers' and Butchers' Shops Stormed by Crowds at Christiania.

MANY PUT UNDER ARREST

Great Suffering From Lack of Food in Norway Reported-Special Commissioners Come to

U. S. to Get Relief.

LONDON, March 7 .- Rioting today in Christiania, in consequence of which many arrests were made, is reported in press dispatches reaching Copen-hagen and forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph. Crowds stormed bakers and butcher shops and there were demonstrations before the Parliament build-

AN ATLANTIC PORT, March 7.—
Richard Bjerke and Lauritz Derenfelt, special commissioners from Norway to the United States on the food situation in their country, arrived here today from Christiania. They said they would go immediately to Washington. In Denmark, according to Peter Oscar de Treschow, Consul General for Denmark at Chicago, also a passenger, food conditions were "worse than any one who has not experienced them can know."

"The people are actually starving." be able to assist in arranging some plan which would alleviate the distress.

tribution and more rigid control of food supplies by means of ration cards, the last Winter in Germany was not so severe on the poor people as was the previous Winter, according to Miss Elizabeth McCann, an American, who with her three sisters, arrived here teday on a Danish steamship. They seft Germany last December, she said. after residing in that country for 14 years, and were on their way to make their home in Philadelphia.

"The people are hoping for peace to come soon," Miss McCann said. "I do not believe there will be an uprising of any consequence as long as the war lasts, for the Germans apparently have every confidence they will win."

FRANCE HONORS FOREIGNERS FOR SERVICES RENDERED.

Many Decorations Bestowed Upon the Workers From This Side Who Have Helped Republic.

AMSTERDAM, March 7.—Official ansouncement was made in Berlin today of the signing of a peace treaty between Germany and Finland, and also of trade and shipping agreements and a supplementary protocol. The treaty was signed at neon today.

Intervention by Germany in Finland and the consequent ill-feeling against Germany in Sweden is criticised severely by independent Socialists and Progressive members of the Reichstag, a Berlin dispatch says.

Baron von dem Bussche-Haddenhausen, Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, in reply said that Sweden no New York; Mrs. Sophie Coolidge.

CLUB RAISED OVER NEUTRALS

In recognition of her devotion to French soldiers interned in Austria-Hungary, and Mrs. Sharp, wife of the American Ambassador, for her untiring war work

since her arrival in France.

The second-class medals are of silver and have been given to 58 persons, including these Americans: Walter Abbott, director of the Amer-ican clearing-house: William B. Bourn

In an obviously inspired article, the semi-official Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung warns neutral states in conew of the Red Cross and publicity

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Seventy-ive third-class medals of Seventy-two third-class medals of bronze have been distributed. The fol-lowing Americans are among those decorated:

Miss Blanche Cahen, of San Fran-cisco; Ridgely Carter, Mrs. J. B. Cas-serly, of San Mateo, Cal.; Miss Chloe Dirings; George Fusenot, of Los Angeles; Persifar Gibson; Dr. Walter Clinea, Miss Rebecca Godehaux, of San Francisco; Hugh Reed Griffin, Mrs. J. P. Jones, of Los Angeles.

in such negotiations is an act hardly \$100,000,000 TO BE SAVED consonant with neutrality.

(Continued From First Page.) activity and money market conditions

Through the central organization will be bought locomotives, cars and steel rails, the principal big quantity purchases of railways, and an effort will be made not only to economize by wholesale buying methods, but to many. The papers there explain the favorable echo the proposals have evoked in Austria by stating that the objectionable parts of the President's address do not apply to Austria as vitally as they do to Germany.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utab, March 7.—

Governor Simon Bamberger, having been advised that opposition to the draft law has developed on Indian reservations and that many Indians of Cross-ties and lumber are to be bought principally by the roads along their

"All other supplies needed for cur-rent operations will be purchased for the time being," said Director-General McAdoo's statement, "through the pur-chasing departments of the respective roads, but all contracts for periods of

six months or longer must be approved

MEDFORD, Or., March 7.—(Special) pletion." As fast as possible all purchases will be centralized, and the regional com-mittees are to draft recommendations for the accomplishment of this. In addition, these three regional bodies will be expected to report de-

> cient methods, which may have been Members of the central advisory ommittee and the regional committee will be appointed soon.

sources that Prince William of Hohen-zollern, brother of King Perdinand of man subjects. Faske had in his pos-Roumania, was to succeed his brother session a German army rifle, stamped ters respectively in New York, Chicago, The regional bodies, to be composed with the imperial crest and the im- and Atlanta, and are to work in close co-operation with the regional rail executive directors with headquarters

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18 and 27-inch Shadow Flouncings in white and cream—also Metal Flouncings in gold and silver patterns, in 12 and 18-inch widths, on cream or black nets—42-inch Silk Flaished Nets in white black and wanted Spring colors—Fine beading, top points in new filet patterns—Net Laces with Venise Edges, etc. The most 45c beautiful laces ever sold in this city, on sale Friday, yard

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At this special price we place on sale a fine lot of Women's Amoskeag Gligham Petticoats; good styles in gray and blue-stripe patterns. Come early—they'll not last long. Bargain Fri-45c

Extra! For Friday!

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> at, Yard..... 7 Yards for \$1.00

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A very special sale of Fine Cedar Polish, 15-ounce bottles and full pint cans—both on sale for one day 25c only, today, at, each.

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at, Yard..... Just Half Regular-

Only 600 yards in this assortment of Fine Hemstitched Curtain Scrims to close at the above price reduction Comes in white, cream and ecru. Only

ATTEMPT TO AMEND OVERMAN MEASURE DEFEATED.

Legislation Involving Federal Control of Railroads and Finance Corporation Makes Progress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- Administration forces today won on the first test of strength in the Senate judiciary committee's consideration of the Overman bill, sponsored by President Wil-short-line railroads, the bill is virtually

legislation believed necessary or de- nois, Republicans, and Hardwick sirable. Three Republican members oined seven Democrats, defeating th

Neither faction, however, regarded the vote as finally indicative of action on the Overman measure, or settlement of the committee's controversy over Final agreement on the Administra-

tion bill to govern Federal control of the railroads was reached today by the Senate and House conferees. Leaders hoped tonight to have the measure ready for the President's signature by Saturday. With the exception of limiting Fed-

man bill, sponsored by President Wilson, to give him greater powers in to-ordinating and reorganizing Government departments and agencies during the war.

By 10 to 7 the committee voted down a resolution by Senator Reed, of Missouri, Democrat, to have members of the vote was 74 to three, Senators

the Cabinet inform the committee of Harding of Ohio and Sherman of Illi-Georgia, voting against the measure,

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