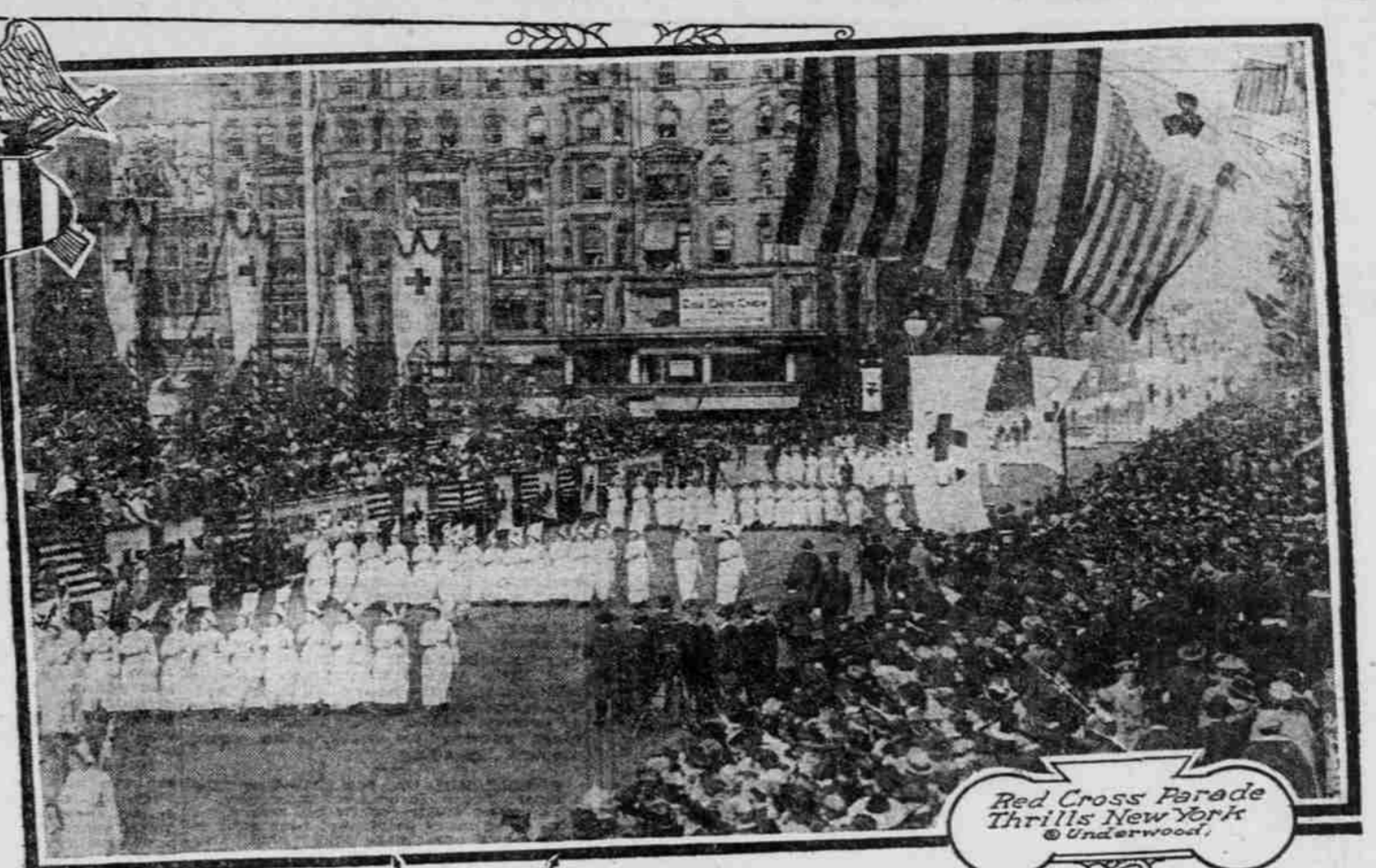


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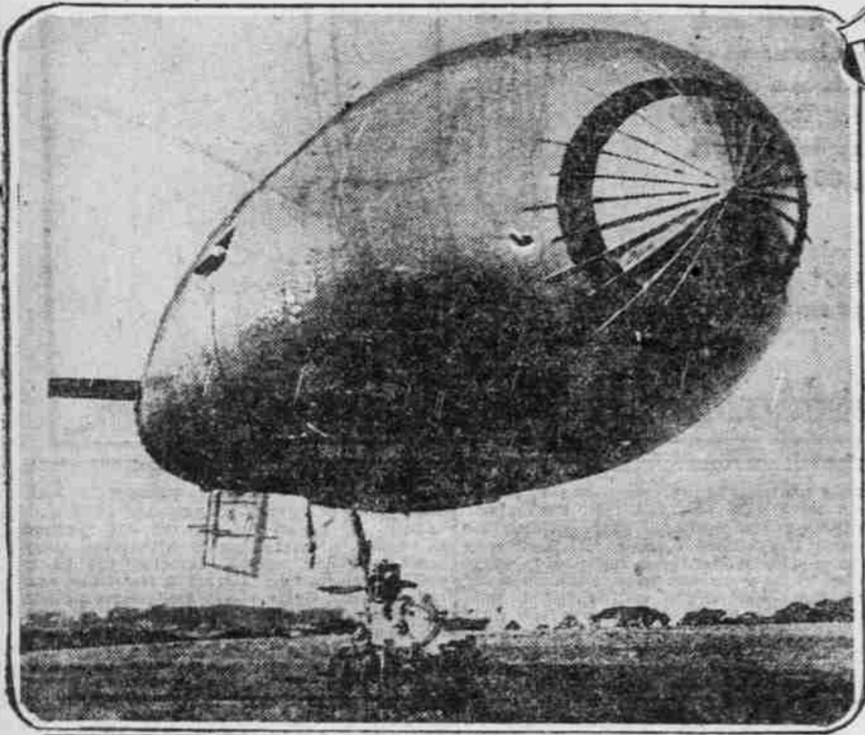
Night and Day Cannonade of Powerful Howitzers Continues, Steadily Reducing Man Power and Morale of Teutonic Forces.



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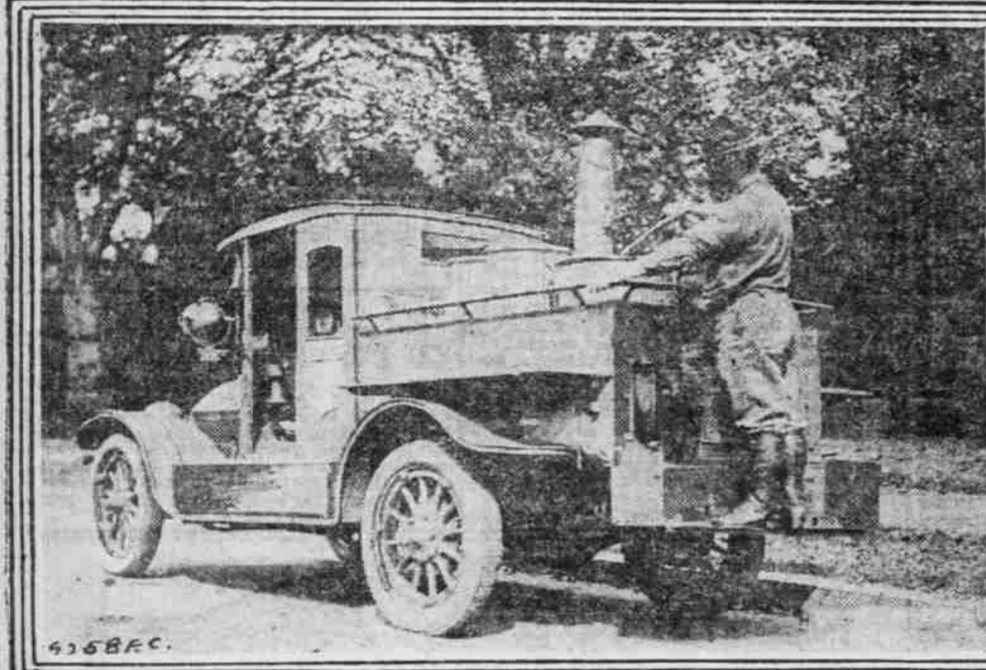
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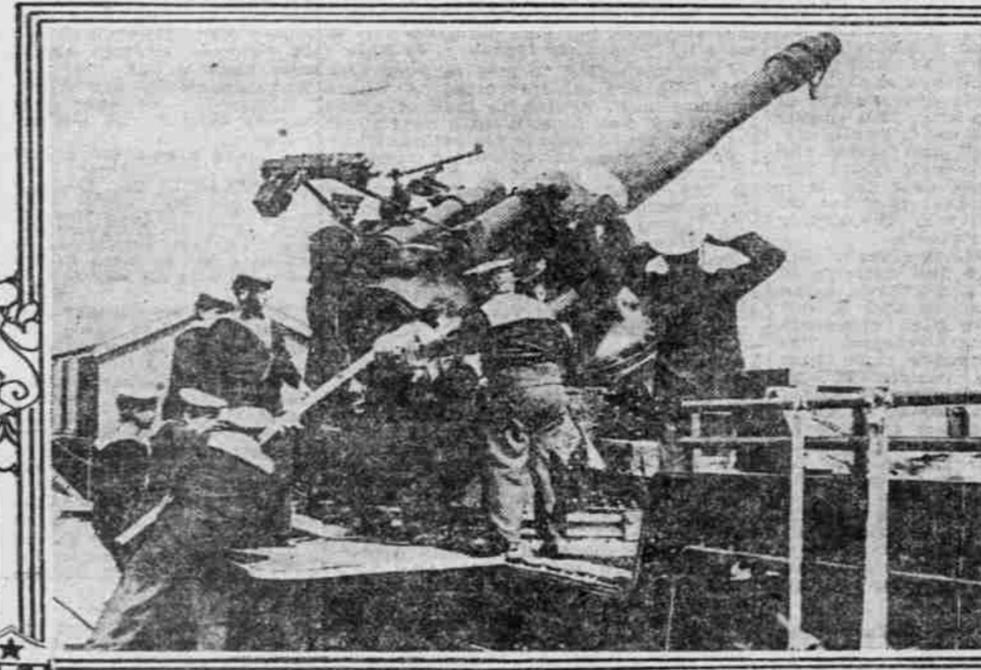
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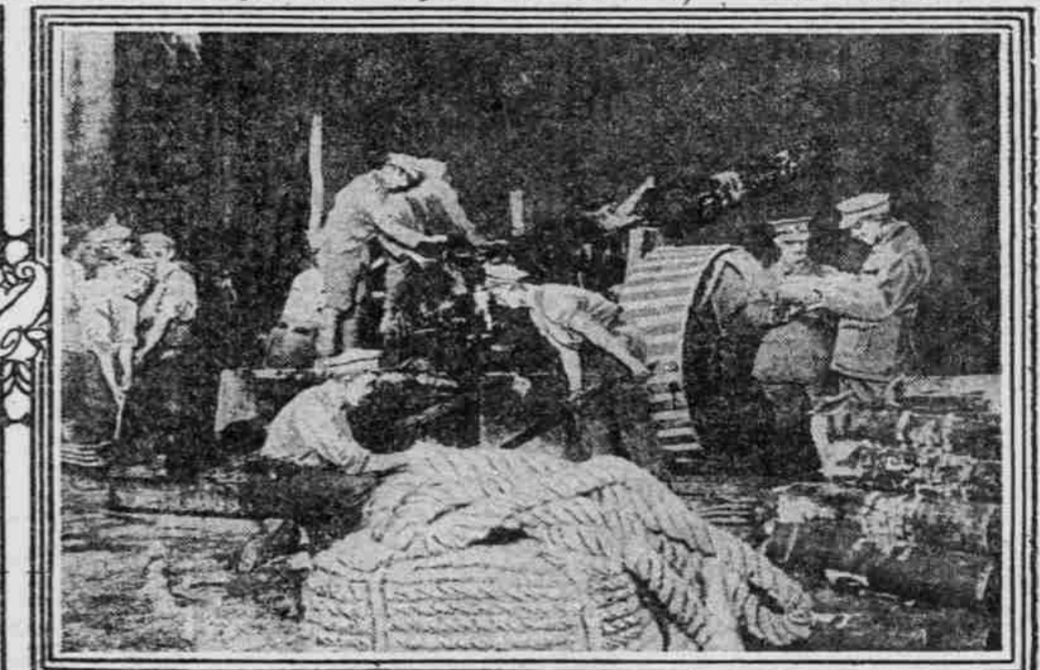
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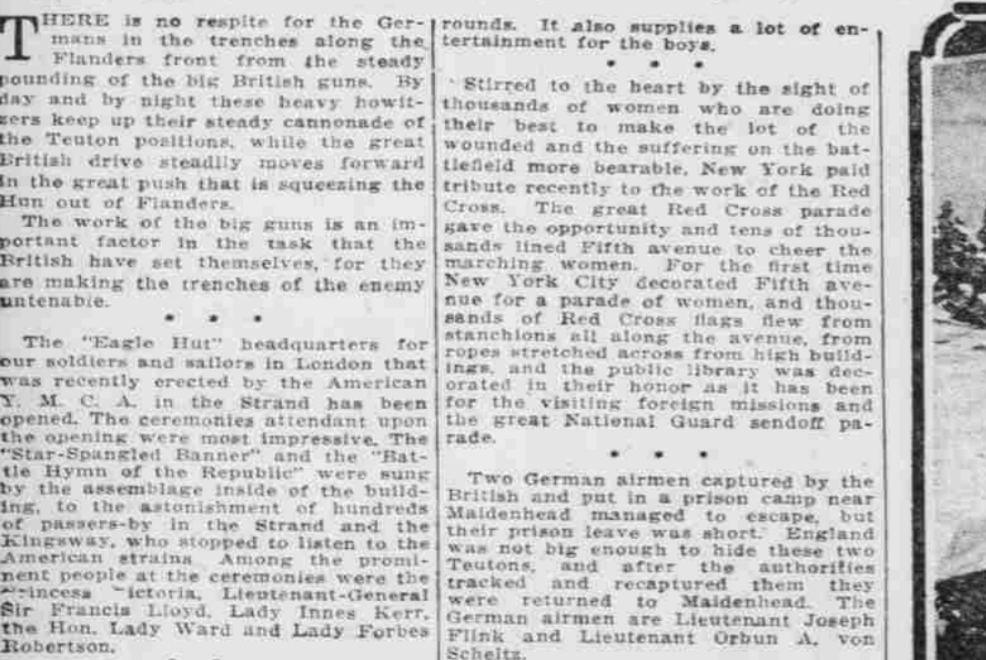
American Field Kitchen. Clingman, Photo. © Underwood.



British Anti-Aircraft Gun. © Underwood.



British Manning Artillery at Night. © Underwood.



Bluejackets Test Boating Skill. © Underwood.

There is no respite for the Germans in the trenches along the Flanders front from the steady pounding of the big British guns. By day and by night these heavy howitzers keep up their steady cannonade of the Teuton positions, while the great British drive steadily moves forward in the great push that is squeezing the Hun out of Flanders.

Stirred to the heart by the sight of thousands of women who are doing their best to make the lot of the wounded and the suffering on the battlefield more bearable, New York paid tribute recently to the work of the Red Cross. The great Red Cross parade gave the opportunity and tens of thousands lined Fifth avenue to cheer the marching women. For the first time New York City decorated Fifth avenue for a parade of women, and thousands of Red Cross flags flew from stanchions all along the avenue, from ropes stretched across from high buildings, and the public library was decorated in their honor as it has been for the visiting foreign missions and the great National Guard send-off parade.

Two German airmen captured by the British and put in a prison camp near Maidenhead managed to escape, but their prison leave was short. England was not big enough to hide these two Teutons, and after the authorities tracked and recaptured them they were returned to Maidenhead. The German airmen are Lieutenant Joseph Flink and Lieutenant Orbn A. von Schilt.

It is not known how these two airmen were captured, whether they were brought down in a raid over England or whether they were brought to earth in France.

"Goulash cannon," as the new rolling military kitchens are called, will soon be a part of the United States Army regular equipment. A board of men headed by Major R. E. Willie, of the General Staff, has completed an exhaustive test of various types, both of foreign and domestic makes, and has submitted a report indorsing one type.

The new kitchen will be capable of supplying 250 men, this being the strength of the new company, and has a reserve capacity for feeding 250 more.

The most important feature of the new kitchen is that it will enable the commissary to furnish hot meals to the men whether in camp or on the march.

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Uncle Sam's tax in a naval training station have many a bout before the other members in the station. Boxing is looked upon as more of a sport than a part of the training of the tar, but every future naval fighter is taught how to defend himself. Every one of the tars like to put on the "big mitts" and take on one of his pals for a few

rounds. It also supplies a lot of entertainment for the boys.

The anti-aircraft piece is evidently a naval gun, for it is manned by a gun crew of sailors. It is mounted on an automobile body and the chef can work while the machine is moving along with the rest of the unit.

British airships are active in keeping a sharp lookout for "U" boats and enemy aircraft. Frequent raids by the Huns through the air keep the British craft on the alert.

There is waiting for the Hun aviator who comes within range of the big British guns an exceedingly warm welcome. The gun and its crew are stationed somewhere along the east coast of England and they are on the lookout for manifestations of ruthlessness from

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Pretty girls who are making munitions for the allies formed a picturesque part of the celebration of Anglo-American day at Blackpool, England, recently. They are extending a hearty welcome to the arriving Americans by joining in the procession that was organized to greet the visitors. America was represented at the ceremonies by Dr. Wallace Buterick, Sir F. E. Smith, the British Attorney-General, and the Mayor of Blackpool joined in the celebration of Anglo-American day.

The "Eagle Hut" headquarters for our soldiers and sailors in London that was recently erected by the American Y. M. C. A. in the Strand has been opened. The ceremonies attendant upon the opening were most impressive. The "Star-Spangled Banner" and the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" were sung by the assemblage inside of the building, to the astonishment of hundreds of passers-by in the Strand and the Kingsway, who stopped to listen to the American strains. Among the prominent people at the ceremonies were the princess Victoria, Lieutenant-General Sir Francis Lloyd, Lady Innes Kerr, the Hon. Lady Ward and Lady Forbes Robertson.

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The sailors on the high seas will also cast their ballots in a similar fashion.

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