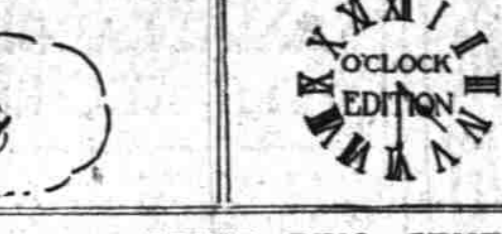


IT'S ALL TRUE and IT'S ALL TRUE



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THE WEATHER: Tonight rain and cold; Thursday rain; in order a few southwest winds. Humidity 80.

AMERICAN ANTI-SUB DEVICE SUCCESSFUL

HUNS WANT PEACE OR MOVE FOR PETROGRAD

German General Staff Said to Be Determined to Force Hand of Russians; Quick Thrust to Be Made if Peace Plans Fail.

Civil Strife Within Russia Said to Be Widespread; Poles Are Said to Be Fighting Bolsheviks; Fighting in Sebastopol.

ZURICH, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—Germany favors issuing of an ultimatum to the Russian Maximilians, demanding immediate acceptance of the Teutonic peace terms, and in case of refusal will march on Petrograd, was the belief expressed in diplomatic circles today.

German troops are said to have been concentrated at strategic points on the eastern front, for the express purpose for a quick thrust at the Russian capital, in case the armistice is terminated.

WAR PARTY FIGHTS SOCIALISTS OPENLY

Strike Crushed, but Strong Undercurrent of Ill Feeling Still Exists.

Amsterdam, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—The war-Germans (militarists) have openly declared war on the Socialists in Germany, according to a copy of the "Vorwaerts" received today from Berlin.

(Vorwaerts is the official organ of the German Socialists and has been suppressed a number of times since the war began for its attacks against the militarists and their annexation policy.)

While the strike movement has collapsed the drastic measures taken by the government have left a strong undercurrent of feeling on the part of the masses.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT WEST, BRITISH TOLD

LONDON, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—The Germans are stronger on the western front now than at any time during the war, but they are numerically inferior to the Franco-British forces, General Maxwell, director general of operations, declared in his weekly interview today.

AMERICANS WILL CARE FOR POLIUS

Two Sections of Ambulances and 200 New Drivers Arrive in Paris From This Country.

Paris, Jan. 9.—(By Mail.)—(I. N. S.) Two sections of American ambulances and about a hundred new drivers have arrived in Paris from the recruiting center in Allentown, Pa.

Ever since Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt opened the American ambulance at the beginning of the war, the institution has been distributing wounded "polius" who arrived—always at night—at the Gare La Chapelle, on the outskirts of Paris.

When the United States army took over the huge military hospital last autumn and put Colonel Peed in charge, he took over the entire work of distributing the wounded from the French and leave the latter to send their motor ambulances and drivers elsewhere.

Wilson Takes Step To Speed War Work President Precipitates Measure on Congress Authorizing Him to Consolidate Various Functions.

Washington, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—President Wilson today took direct steps to obtain legislative authority for sweeping coordination of war work.

German Peace a Hoax, States Northcliffe

New York, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—Lord Northcliffe is unshaken in his belief that German peace feelers are part of an insidious propaganda to hamper the war activities of the allies and he places no value on the reports now emanating from the Kaiser's realm.

MOVE BEGINS TO RELIEVE OF BREAD IS FREIGHT JAM BACK AGAIN

McAdoo Names Railway Chiefs to Make Survey and Divert Business to Routes That Are Less Congested With Freight Trains

Washington, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—Railways Director McAdoo today appointed a traffic investigation committee to study the traffic currents of the country and to take steps to divert travel from lines that are badly congested to those upon which movements are freer.

B. L. Winchell, Member of Committee, Should Be Familiar With Portland Situation, Having Visited Portland Last Fall.

Director General McAdoo explained their study will be independent of that undertaken by the three regional directors recently appointed by Director McAdoo.

Among the members of the traffic investigation committee appointed by Director General McAdoo, Portland will expect to appeal most confidently to B. L. Winchell, traffic director of the Union Pacific railway.

FUEL SITUATION IN EAST SERIOUS

Only Possible Relief in Many Quarters Can Come From Warmer Weather.

Washington, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—The fuel situation throughout the United States was desperate today. Officials who, up to the present, have been extremely optimistic, admitted this fact.

From almost every city and town in the east today reports were being received that vital industries either were shutting down or were about to do so.

Major Gen. March to Be Chief of Staff

Washington, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—Secretary of War Baker late this afternoon confirmed reports that Major General Peyton C. March, in charge of artillery under General Pershing in France, will return to this country to act as chief of staff.

EARTH SLIDE 500 FT. LONG ON HIGHWAY

THE Columbia river highway is blocked by a huge earth slide between Oneonta and Dodson in the vicinity of St. Peter's dam.

MORE HELPERS ARE NEEDED FOR DRIVE

Good as Is First Day's Showing in Armenian Drive, Additional Workers Must Volunteer.

Today's Returns Women's division \$ 864.90 Men's division 4,376.70 Total \$ 5,241.60

General Wells Gilbert, in charge of the drive, this morning gave out the following statement:

"We wish the public to understand the situation. A subscription now will save the lives of Armenians, Syrians, Jews, Greeks and other peoples in Western Asia.

SPECULATION IN COFFEES TABOO

Hoover Makes Arrangements With New York Stock Exchange to Stop Price Rise.

Washington, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—The food administration today took steps to curtail speculation in green coffee on the New York exchange.

This rule is effective today. It was read on the floor of the coffee exchange in New York.

Dealers in green coffee are prohibited from having more than a 20-day supply on hand.

Bolsheviki Badly Defeated by Finns

White Guards Capture Large Quantities of Arms and Ammunition and Are Bombarding Viborg, on the Coast.

Copenhagen, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—The Bolsheviki Red Guard were "surgically defeated" at Tervalla by the "White Guards" under Captain Jacobson.

U. S. GUNNERS DRIVE TEUTON ARMEN BACK

Repeated Attempts of Huns to Learn What Was Going on Behind U. S. Line Fail as Result of Barrage of Shrapnel.

Large Number of Gas Shells Fired at Pershing's Men Are Without Result; Signal Patrol Prevented From Tapping Wires

By Newton C. Parke With the American Army in France, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—Throughout Tuesday afternoon German airmen repeatedly tried to fight their way through a stiff barrage from American high angle guns.

Two German planes first tried to cross the American line but were driven back by our guns.

The enemy again fired a large number of gas shells at one of our batteries, but without any result.

PLAN IS TO REDUCE IMPORTS TO U. S.

Step Would Release Neutral Vessels for Traffic Aiding England and France.

Washington, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—A sweeping move to force neutral shipping into service almost exclusively between the United States and the allied nations is under consideration by this government.

President Wilson is expected soon to announce the creation of a new "imports board" designed to save tonnage by eliminating unnecessary imports into the United States.

Pressure has been placed upon Great Britain to contribute shipping for movement of American troops and supplies.

Liberty Loan Men In Meeting Today

The Portland Liberty loan committee will meet with Emory Olmstead, chairman, at the headquarters office in the Northwestern bank building today to perfect plans for the third Liberty loan campaign.

America Lending More to Belgium

Washington, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—Another loan to Belgium of \$5,000,000 was announced by the treasury department today.

British Announce Unique Device Is Making Good by Sinking U-Boats

London Statement That Torpedoes Are in Use Surprises; Daniels Confirms Report.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—America has adopted an unique anti-submarine campaign, which is successful, it was authoritatively stated today.

Just what these "new devices" are remains a military secret.

Some days ago Secretary Daniels told the house naval committee that a new anti-U-boat fighter had been developed which was "the most effective yet."

It has been known here for weeks that both the army and navy have completed effective means for combating the U-boat of the war.

Reames Resigns; Gets New Place

United States Attorney Will Be Replaced in Washington; Will Work on Coast.

United States Attorney Clarence L. Reames, who has held that office for the past five years, has resigned to become a special assistant to the attorney general.

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ROLL OF HONOR

Washington, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—The names of the American soldiers killed in action against the Germans last Sunday and the eight wounded at the same time were public by the war department late this afternoon.

Private James V. Lee, infantry; W. H. Lee, father, Garrison, N. C.

WHITLOCK ON BELGIUM

In the opening chapters of his account of the tragedy of Belgium, Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium, pictures in graphic fashion the security sensed in Belgium even after Germany, Austria, France and Russia were at arms.

GRILLING OF BAKER DEVELOPS INTO FARCE

Attempts to Press War Secretary for Tonnage Figures Meet With Reply He Would Compile Them Later; Critics Get Nowhere.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—The "grilling" of Secretary of War Baker before the senate committee on military developed into a farce.

Washington, Feb. 6.—(U. P.)—The submarine war is being won, Secretary Daniels said this afternoon, commenting on the statement from London that unique anti-U-boat methods by America were proving effective against the undersea terrors.

Finally the hearing died for lack of ginger.

Train Hits Snow Plow; Four Killed

Stalled Snowplow in Drift Causes Double Wreck on Maine Railroad; Blinding Storm With Temperature 20 Below.

Bangor, Maine, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—Four persons were killed and 13 injured early today when a train bound from this city to Caribou crashed into a snowplow stalled in a great snowdrift.

The accident occurred within a few miles of Caribou.

Five Killed in Ohio

Youngstown, Feb. 6.—(I. N. S.)—Five men were killed and four injured when an eastbound Pennsylvania flyer struck a construction gang near New Waterford, 15 miles from here, late last night.

Whitlock on Belgium

This powerful story, which will be published serially in THE SUNDAY JOURNAL, beginning February 17, is the greatest story that has come out of the war.