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**FORM INTER-ALLIED SHIPPING COUNCIL FOR MARINE CONTROL**

**Indorses Proposed Agreement With Switzerland On Exports and Imports**

By Lowell Mellett  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
Paris, Dec. 5.—An inter-allied shipping council was announced today as in progress of formation from deliberations of the committees of the recent inter-allied council.

The board's object is to co-ordinate the allies' action as to shipping, to establish a common program, to free tonnage available for transport of American troops and to make blockades effective.

The inter-allied council, it was announced, had, through its blockade committee, approved unanimously the proposal for an American-Swiss agreement on exports and imports. The United States will appoint delegates to participate in the deliberations of an international committee, meeting at Bern, and the inter-allied council will name delegates. They will meet at Bern.

Announcement was also made that a meeting of the newly created inter-allied naval council was being held in Europe. Chiefs of the marine staffs of the United States and Japan will be represented by appointed general officers.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Crosby, one of the American mission, and M. Klotz, French finance minister, indicated today there would be regular meetings of their committee of the inter-allied council, to prepare solutions relative to payment of credits and exchanges. A permanent organization of this committee will be effected.

**GERMANS STILL**

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not even reached.

The completeness of the failure of the German plans was illustrated in prisoners' statements today. German Uhlans (cavalry) were held for days in readiness behind the lines for a break in the British front that the Germans schemed to attain but which they did not achieve.

The artillery fire in the whole Cambrai sector was increasing today and the massing of more infantry forces forecast another drive. The German reinforcements have come from various parts of the western front.

I was at Elandres Sunday during a local British advance in the Passchendaele region and at that time comment was evoked on the fact that the German barrage was nine minutes late and of much lighter force than that in any previous fighting. The answer was apparent—either the British guns had knocked out the enemy artillery, or the Germans had been withdrawing their pieces for use on another front. The latter was undoubtedly the correct assumption.

Apparently Hindenburg and Rupprecht will continue the battle at Cambrai as long as troops are available. Every British officer and Tommy is confident that the foe will be unable to make much headway.

**Admit Guns Lost.**

London, Dec. 5.—"Some adjustment of the British line around Cambrai may be necessary," General F. B. Maurice announced this afternoon, as a result of the Germans' small gain in that section. He described the south flank gain as most important because it menaced supplies.

"For the first time since May, 1915, the Germans captured British guns at Cambrai," said Maurice.

"We captured 128 of the enemy's guns at Cambrai alone—therefore there is no reason for us to be ashamed at the balance."

"The enemy got us in an awful position," the general continued. "But even if a slight withdrawal north is necessary we still will possess the Hindenburg line on a ten mile front."

"On the other hand, the enemy may claim that this promptness in bringing up reserves definitely checked our advance."

"There is no doubt Quartermaster General Ludendorff planned and supervised the Cambrai attack. It was made simultaneously on both flanks and was followed by an attempt at penetration of the center. Both the stroke at Bourlon and in the center failed. To the south, the Germans succeeded, on account of the surprise nature of the attack and broke our line to a depth of 6,000 yards, overrunning our guns."

Of the Italian situation, Maurice said "I see nothing to modify my opinion that the Italian crisis is over. I see no immediate indication of a big enemy attack and the advance is definitely checked."

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**Want LaFollette Investigation Pushed**

Washington, Dec. 5.—Criticism of the LaFollette disloyalty investigation likely to burst forth in the senate soon. Members, who feel there has been too much delay and sidetracking, indicated today that they want action on the probe, which for two months has

been trying to ascertain whether Senator LaFollette made disloyal statements in his St. Paul speech last September. "This investigation apparently is getting no where," said one senator today. "Despite the fact that disloyalty is a serious charge, particularly against a United States senator."

Five million horses have died in the war.

**TO RAISE MONEY FOR WAR EXPENSES**

**Chairman Simmons and Kitchin Will Confer On Ways and Means**

Washington, Dec. 5.—Senator Simmons, chairman of the senate finance committee and Representative Kitchin, chairman of the house ways and means committee will confer this week on means of raising revenues necessary to continue the war.

Both favor tax legislation as well as bond issues. With more than \$13,000,000,000 to be raised for 1919, exclusive of any loans to the allies, provision must be made for adding to revenues provided for in the existing laws. It was estimated that the total revenue that must be raised for the remainder of this fiscal year and for 1919 will be nearly \$14,000,000,000.

Kitchin strongly favors getting much of this from heavier taxes on war profits. Simmons held to the view that business has been taxed nearly enough for the present, but is believed to be willing to agree to some war profit tax increases.

Senate advocates of wealth conscription have not yet lined up their forces. Kenyon has not returned from his visit to the war zone in France; Johnson of California will not reach Washington until later this week while Bismarck and Hollis have not definitely mapped out their activities along this line.

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**German Aid Raid.**

Paris, Dec. 5.—Another German air attack on Nancy, in which three persons were wounded, was reported by the war office today.

Raiding and artillery were the only war activities reported in the official statement. Around Craonne, German raids failed. East of Rheims the French carried out a successful reconnaissance, taking prisoners. Artillery fire was reported on the right bank of the Meuse.

**Berlin Reports Gains.**

Berlin, Via London, Dec. 5.—Sections of English trenches south of Marceau were cleared of the enemy, today's official statement asserted.

On the Italian front the official report announced "capture of some hill positions and seven communes."

**Fire On Steamer Loaded With Munitions**

An Atlantic Port, Dec. 5.—Fire broke out today in forward coal bunkers of a munitions ship in dock here. The ammunition is stored in the after part of the vessel.

The blaze was believed under control this afternoon. Holes were bored in the ship's side so a fire boat could get water to the flames.

**MARSHFIELD IS MEATLESS.**

Marshfield, Or., Dec. 5.—Two meat markets closed their doors temporarily here today because Henry Holln, their slaughter man and meat dresser, is a German and cannot cross Coos Bay from

the slaughter house to Marshfield with the meat without violating the president's proclamation, barring alien enemies from the water front.

Things to be thankful for: "That we don't live in Russia."

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