

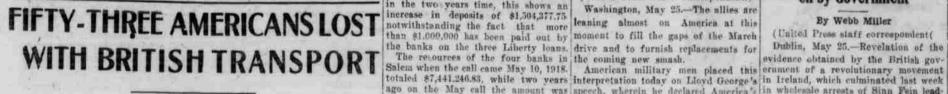
Representative Kitchin, who declares self. Shortly after Bassett was killed, cougress and not the treasury will write Horner began living with Mrs. Bashe bill, said it will

or one, anyway.

call to the banks for a statement of business at close of May 10, 1918 there was on deposit in the four Satem of Armies

to four billions to the nation's revenue from three selt. making a tax total of seven to eight War Savings Stamps are greatest lit-

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Moldavia Was Submarined In English Channel Thursday Morning

Washington, May 25.—Fifty three men, all members of Company B, Fifty Eighth infantry, Fourth division, were reported lost in the sinking of the Brit-ish transport Moldavia, the war department reported today. There was a total of 482 American

soldiers on the vessel, who all were a part of the 58th infantry.

The names follow: Corporals Fred Chappell, Philadelphia. Roy H. Shenk, Lancaster, Pa. Privates Oscar O. Armstrong, Bridge

port, Okla. Andrew Blackwell, Hominy, Okia. George D. Boosalis, Fargo, N. D. Clyde E. Bosley, North Troy, Vt. Erwin W. Bosley, North Troy, Vt. Leslie C. Bracken, Boyalton, Minu. Walter G. Bracken, St. Cloud, Minn. William A. Brown, Hoytsville, Utah. George N. Buchannu, Manette, Wash. Emil Bucher, El Centro, Cal. Joseph P. Callan, Milwaukee, Wis. Fred D. Canwell, Fall River, Mass. Louis V. Castro, San Jose, Cal. Edwin L. Clausing, Cratten, Wis. Virgil C. Cook, Hobart, Okla. William J. Cratt, Port Washington,

Wisconsin Herman Dichl, New York City. Herman W. Dietks, Braunfeis, Texas Courad Ekel, West Allis, Wis, Fred Gerhardt, Chicago. Edward L. Gerl, Manitowee, Wis. Redwald Gottenherg, Pidgeon Falls, Wis.

Guiappe Graei, Licati, Italy Charles F. Hackler, Mill Ville, Cal. Thaddeus Hodges, Mouni Carmel

Utah. Clem Johnson, Martin's Mill, Texas. Isador M. Kneip, St. Paul, Mian. John Kobus, Missouri avenue, South filwaukee, Wis.

Henry C. Lading, Stransberg, Ill. John S. Larsen, Chicago.

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Barney B. Williams, Dixon Ky. Frank Lewandoski, Chiengo, Clyde B. Lindsey, Clarksburg, Miss. Auton W. Lundell, South Chicago. James G. McCarthy, Boston. Frank McKinney, Stonington, Ill. Jesse Mars, Shelbyville, Ill. Rudolph Mikle, Depere, Wis. Jesse Milone, Olney, Ill. Frank Odell, Blytheville, Ark. Emil J. Bosh, Lankin, N. D. Frank Roux, Rice Lake, Wis. Lee Renser, Cedarville, W. Va. Walter G. Sautter, New Hartford, N

tle stickers on record. Buy some today

John Schuh, Portsmouth, Ohio, Joseph Sherman, Fort Totten, N. Lewis P. Spies, Nelson, Wis, Day Swartz, Pleasant Hill, Ohio. Maurice G. Sweetland, Albany, Vt. Willow Trapp, Arbor Vitce, Wis. Edward N. Weber, Trolley, N. D.

saw better discipline," declared Captain May 10 1918. The bank sold liberty bonds to the extent of 27 per cent of

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banks, \$6,331,079.46. Two years ago when the May I call

ame the deposits in the four city banks amounted to \$4,826,701.71. Withbanks announted to \$1,525,101,11, was an in the two years time, this shows an increase in deposits of \$1,504,377,75 leaning almost on America at this (United Press Staff Correspondent.) -

notwithstanding the fact that more than \$1,000,000 has been paid out by the banks on the three Liberty loans. drive and to furnish replacements for

ago on the May call the amount was speech, wherein he declared America's in wholesale arrests of Sinn Fein lead-entribution thus far had not been one. ers, caused widest discussion here to-

According to the published state ment on the May 10, 1918 call, the Ladd & Bush bank had on deposit of that da'e the sum of \$3,541,800.68.

Abe Martin

of Armies

By Carl D. Great,

ago the loans and discounts were raise an unlimited army is based up. America. Count Von Bernstorff, form-\$1,430,161.50. The resurcess of the on the need for a force which will not involved. The statement covered albank have increased from \$3,220,301. 30 on May I of two years ago to the sum of \$4.113,036.52 on the recent call of May 10, 1918. lion this winter

The United States National bank

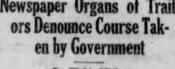
had on deposit May 10, 1918, the sum of \$1.490,695.51. Two years ago when the call came it was \$1.245,390.97. The loans and discounts and investments according to the call of May 10, 1918, were \$1.192,536.97. Two years ago the # bank's leans and discounts and in-vestments totaled \$934.391.57. The re-

Discipline Was Perfect. An English Port, May 25.—"I never \$1,718,718,59 on the recent call of

aw better discipline, "declared Captain Johnson of the United States infantry a survivor, in describing today the tor-pedoing of the transport Moldavia in the English channel Thursday moraing. "The torpedo struck the Moldavia forward of the engines on the port side" Johnson said. "All the troops were aleeping in bunks in thir uniforms "There was a loud explosion and the ship's whistle sounded the alarm. All assembled on deck alongside the boats in perfect order. It was just like the daily boat drill. I never saw better discipline.
"The Moldavia continued under her own steam for a time for the purpose of avoiding a second torpedo.
"The destroyers escorting us circled about and dropped a number of depth

"It he destroyers escorting us circled of \$200,090.25. The loans and dis-about and dropped a number of depth charges, but no one naw the submarine. "It is supposed that the force of the explosion cut off the means of scape for several men who were on the troop deck. The survivors lost all their per-sonal belongings. (Continued on page four) (Continued on page four)

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By Webb Miller

(United Press staff correspondent(Dublin, May 25 .- Revelation of the

involved. The statement covered alleged revolutionary and pro-German activities both before and after the Easter rebellion of 1916.

highest official sources on every phase "It is an exparte statement," de-cared the Irish Independent, a Nation-"It is an exparte statement," de-c'ared the Irish Independent, a Nation-alist organ with Sina Fein sympathies "The accused have not been heard. It is thus a question of ereditibility, upon which British and Irish opinions may come to widely diverse conclus-ions. "It is a question of ereditibility, ions. "It is a question of the present German military and governmental authorities as absolutive interval of the present German military and governmental authorities as absolutive interval of the present German military and governmental authorities as a present of the the state interval of the present German military and governmental authorities as a present of the state interval of the present German military and governmental authorities as a present of the state interval of the state of the

"All sections of the nation have a profound interest in having the issue solved clearly and immediately. "Ireland is not, and never has been

pro-German. No appreciable number of Nationalists, no maiter how extreme, want to rid themselves of one domi front, the wireless station at the uer-man Imperial Headquarters on the westnation to fall possibly under worse. "The glaring weakness of the gov

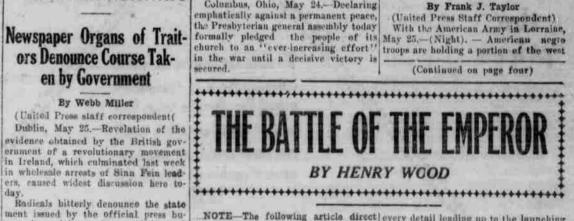
rnment's case is that it rests so large ly on the public speech of Sinn Fein-ers. It is a curious sort of 'conspiracy' that is proclaimed from the house

ever countenance the extremists here

Railroad Freights and Fares To Be Increased

Washington, May 25,-Inereased rates ranging from 15 to 28 per cent on freight traffic and from 1-4 to 3-4 of a cent

known here late today.



NOTE-The following article direct | every detail leading up to the launching that date the sum of \$3.541,\$00.68. while two years ago on the government call the amount was \$2.670,588.83. The loans and discounts on this last call were \$2.056.941.78. Two years ago the loans and discounts were sago the loans an whole constitutes the sago the sago the sage the based and the loans and the loans discounts were sago the sage the s France. The story is not merely our correspondent's interpretation of the battle, but is the most complete resume of absolute facts established by the ent moment.

Necessity of the Battle.

By Frank J. Taylor

INEVITABLE and NECESSARY for

the following reasons:

From an economical point of view it was recognized that Germany would not With the French Armies Affield, April be able to provision herself from the conquered Russian provisions, while the great battle now raging on the French front, the wireless station at the tear. entual ruin and defeat. From a military

and imperial Headquarters on the west-ern front announced in grandiloquent terms to the entire world that Kniser Wilhelm himself had assumed the per-sonal command of the big German offen-sive about to be undertaken. In less than a week, when the allies

Proparation of German Public Opinion.

of the kaiser definitely disappeared Although the German imperial staff from all sponsorship of the battle and announced several times during the bas never been heard in that connection months preceding the offensive their in-

tention to undertake it, it is officially The battle, however, is most likely to known that the date had to be postpon-

pass down in history as the 'Battle of ed repeatedly, owing to the accessity of the Emperor,'' if not indeed, ''The Imperial Battle of the Emperor,'' for en-perial Battle of the Emperor," for ch-tirely aside from the kaiser's original sponsorship and aubsequent desertion, the battle from every point of view-conception, plan, purpose, effectiveness, execution-constitutes the most imperial undertaking of the kind the world has yet seen.
 The yet is a moderate party backed by Minister a moderate part of the middle classes, all of the middle classes, all of

Under the seperate headings that fol- -low will be found a complete resume of

By HENRY WOOD.

(United Press Correspondent.)

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a mile on passenger traffic have been decided upon by Director General McAdoo, it became

