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YANKS SMASH COUNTER ATTACKS TAKING MORE GERMAN PRISONERS

FIERCE BARRAGE ISOLATED FORCE SENT TO ATTACK

Entire German Column Was Annihilated by Yankee Defenders

SIXTY MACHINE GUNS TAKEN IN OPERATION

American Aviators Defeat German Airplane Offensive Chateau-Thierry

By Lowell Mellett
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

With the Americans on the Marne July 3.—(Evening)—The Americans utterly demolished an attempted counter attack on their new positions west of Chateau-Thierry this morning taking 97 additional prisoners.

Our artillery laid down a terrific barrage that entirely cut off the attacking force, while the American machine gun and rifle fire annihilated them.

A number of light machine guns were captured in this fighting, raising the total taken since last night to more than sixty. Final checking up of the boche prisoners taken in last night's and today's operations is expected to show more than 600.

Last night's advance progressed farther at some points than was first reported. It is now established that the minimum penetration was about a kilometer and a half, or nearly a mile.

While the German counter attack was under way this morning, eight American flyers attacked nine boche directly above the scene of last night's battle. The fight lasted 35 minutes.

Two Germans, from a height of 13,000 feet, dove through an American patrol hoping to draw the latter down into an ambush. The Americans saw the trap and attacked in battle formation at 9,000 feet. A free for all resulted in these were destroyed.

John McArthur of Buffalo is credited with two of the enemy victims; while Albert Grant of Denton, Texas,

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Chance To Observe America's Great Day

By Andre Tardeau
Commissioner of Franco-American Relations
(Written for United Press)
Paris, July 3.—The first fourth of July to be celebrated by the French as a national holiday will be observed tomorrow. Both chambers decided in perfect agreement with the government to thus manifest the unanimous sentiment of the French people.

OLD-FASHIONED FOURTH PLANNED FOR LONDON

Army and Navy Will Play Baseball On Famous Chelsea Football Field

London, July 3.—American baseball players who will take part in the army-navy baseball game here tomorrow have a regular old-fashioned Fourth of July celebration planned for them.

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BRITISH BEATEN BY GERMANS WHO RETAKE POSITION

General Haig's Forces Have Been Driven Back From Ridge Into Old Line

AUSTRIAN LOSS HEAVY IN RECENT FIGHTING

Below and Mackensen, Famous German Generals, Reported to be in Italy

By William Philip Simms
(United Press staff correspondent)

With the British Armies in France July 3.—As a result of the Germans retaking the ridge northwest of Albert last night, the British are now back along their old front line, established when the enemy drive was stopped here last spring.

Apparently the Germans considered the British positions over-meninging to Albert and Avroly wood and determined to take it at any price. This was the fourth attempt they had made since the British success in the same region Sunday night.

Austrian Losses Heavy

With the Italian Armies in the Field, July 3.—The previous estimates of 1500 Austrians killed in the recent mountain fighting is now considerably increased. It is known that two enemy regiments, one of which was entirely fresh, were entirely wiped out, all of their members being killed or captured.

Czech-Slovak units in hand to hand fighting, killed an Austrian colonel and his entire staff.

From prisoners and captured documents it is learned that the support from Austrian artillery was very poor. The attacking party numbered less than the enemy prisoners captured.

Port of Naples Enlarged

Rome, July 3.—A government decree authorizes enlargement of the Port of Naples, including construction of a canal from Baiae to connect Lake Lavinus with the sea, transforming the lake into the largest drydock on the Mediterranean.

Baiae, a favorite watering place of the old Romans, lies ten miles west of Naples. Lake Lavinus which is situated a short distance from the bay of Naples, was regarded by the ancients as the entrance to the infernal regions, because of its forbidding aspect and gloomy surroundings.

Below and Mackensen

Rome, July 3.—Field Marshal Mackensen and General Below, who led the German Austrian offensive last autumn, are reported in a Berne dispatch today to have gone to Austria. Von Below is generally credited with having been made commander in chief of the Austrian armies on the Italian front.

All On Board Save One Boat Load Perished

London, July 3.—All of those on board the hospital ship Llandover Castle when she was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine, excepting the single boatload of survivors already rescued, undoubtedly perished, the admiralty announced last night.

Mrs. William Story Pleaded Not Guilty

New York, July 3.—Mrs. William Cumming Story and her two sons, Allen and Sterling, pleaded not guilty today to a charge of conspiracy in the case of Mrs. Story for grand larceny which grew out of allegations that a "fifty-fifty" arrangement had been made with a solicitor to get contributions to the National Relief Society, one fifth of which was to go to Sterling Story. Mrs. Story is president of the society. Allen Story is a lieutenant in the army.

Eighty-five names On Daily Report War Casualties

Eighteen Americans Killed In Action and Twelve Severely Wounded

Washington, July 3.—General Pershing's casualty list of 85 today was divided as follows:
Killed in action 18; died of wounds 9; died of disease 4; died of accident or other causes 6; severely wounded 12; missing in action 36.
The list follows:

- Killed in Action**
Lieutenants B. Crawford, Tarentum, Pa.
R. V. Curry, Plains, Pa.
Sergeants A. Cornell, South Manchester, Conn.
E. H. Foley, Philadelphia.
Corporals W. M. Batjer, Rogers, Ark.
A. Lehner, Detroit, Mich.
Wagoner Delbert F. Callender, Elkhart, Ind.
Privates C. J. Brewster, Newport, N. H.
E. B. Coxwell, Gadsden, Ala.
W. LeRoy Day, Blue Springs, Neb.
P. K. Eskew, Franklin, Ky.
D. Gonzales, Tucuman, N. M.
J. A. King, Chestnut Hill, Mass.
J. Massorra, Rochester, N. Y.
F. W. Calsgrove, Phillipsburg, N. J.
N. Reichland, Chicago.
J. K. Shoemaker, Waterbury, Conn.
H. V. Traynham, Arbucla, Cal.
- Died from Wounds**
Lieutenant H. L. Smith, Oshkosh, Wis.
Sergeant W. Hackman, San Francisco.
Bugler A. Bailey, Springfield, Ohio.
Privates J. Farrell, New York
L. S. Kozak, Roxbury, Mass.
J. J. Kirkpatrick, Jr., Holyoke, Mass.
J. C. McKee, Nelsonville, Ohio
M. Niota, Burgetstown, Pa.
S. Owens, Owana, S. D.
- Died of Disease**
Corporal E. P. Carth, Yonkers, N. Y.
Privates J. Francois, Scott, La.
H. Hoffman, Beattie, Kan.
R. D. Wentzel, Telford, Pa.
Died from Accident and Other Causes
Lieutenant A. E. Crocker, Jr., Elkhart, Ind.
Corporals E. T. Hadley, Texarkana, Ark.
D. Smith, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio
Privates J. Bloodough, Salisbury, N. Y.
W. H. T. Breisch, Allentown, Pa.
L. B. Porson, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Privates G. M. Libhart, French Camp, Cal.
D. C. Waite, Davenport, Iowa

German Officer's Dog Victim of War--"Tommy", Famous American Pet

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(United Press Staff Correspondent)
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War Summary of United Press

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WORLD'S LARGEST FLAG

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THREE PRO-GERMAN BROTHERS

Los Angeles, Cal., July 3.—Three brothers, charged with violating the espionage law, were interned at Fort McArthur today. They are Wilhelm, Henry and Anton Melmann, natives of Germany, former residents of Pomona, who, after being charged with pro-German utterances, were arrested on the border as they tried to enter Mexico.

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Forty Marine Corps Casualties Are Reported Today

Thirty-Three Killed in Action and Four Died As Result of Wounds

Washington, July 3.—Forty marine corps casualties listed today were as follows:
Killed in action 33; died of wounds 4; wounded in action 3.
The list follows:

- Killed in Action**
Second Lieutenant V. L. Somers, Bloxom, Va.
First Sergeant J. A. Sissler, New York.
Sergeants C. L. Brockway, Utica, N. Y.
H. Carman, Jamaica, N. Y.
P. Conway, Chicago.
A. F. Ware Post Scott, Kan.
Corporals H. W. Elliott, Minneapolis, Minn.
A. Hughes, Madrid, N. Y.
R. W. Laidlaw, Cuba.
N. J. Leblanc, Chicago.
H. T. Lyon, Hattiesville, Ark.
H. H. Stone, Detroit, Mich.
Privates P. A. Adwell, Renville, Minn.
I. Brandon, Clearwater, Fla.
G. L. Chandler, Waverly Hall, Ga.
M. R. Collier, Olathe, Kan.
H. D. Dunlavy, Goose Creek, Texas
J. P. Eaton, Corning, N. Y.
E. A. Ellsworth, Cripple Creek, Colo.
H. J. W. Field, Hatfield, Pa.
T. C. Grant, St. Louis, Mo.
J. A. Hammer, Bogalusa, La.
G. W. Lockhart, Wallburg, Utah
George W. Luce, Oxford, Mass.
A. McBride, Clarendon, Ark.
W. A. May, St. Louis, Mo.
R. H. Neisen, Milwaukee, Wis.
H. Pankow, Chicago.
P. W. Schukie Quincy, Ill.
M. T. Sattles, San Marcos, Texas
D. Tartikoff, Malden, Mass.
A. E. Weisbaker, Newark, N. J.
- Died of Wounds Received in Action**
Sergeant W. Hoffman, Milwaukee, Wis.
Corporal R. B. Hess, St. Paul, Minn.
Privates R. E. Benson, North Woodstock, Conn.
E. R. Murray, New York.
- Severely Wounded**
Corporal H. E. McCurdy, Chicago
Private H. E. Clausen, Chicago.

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AMERICANS NOT READY FOR OFFENSIVE CAMPAIGN

General Foch Will Probably Continue to Hold Pershing's Men in Reserve

By J. W. T. Mason
(United Press War Expert)
New York, July 3.—The arrival of America's first million troops in France does not mean the time has come when America's major offensive should begin.

Old Indian War Claims May Finally Be Settled

Washington, July 3.—After more than a quarter of a century of litigation the present session of the court of claims will see the passing of the last of the "claims of property of citizens of the United States taken or destroyed by the Indians without just cause or provocation." Assistant Attorney General Huston Thompson announced today.

A total of more than 10,000 claims were filed under the Indian Depredation act passed on March 31, 1891, totaling nearly \$44,000,000. More than \$6,000,000 have been awarded those claimants which came from every state east of the Mississippi and many states west of that line. The largest claim was \$1,351,250 and was filed by Charles D. Poston, a prominent figure in the early history of Arizona.

His losses were at the hands of the Apache Indians.

Every Indian war is recorded in the files of these cases from that with Tecumseh in 1812 to that with Sitting Bull in 1890-91.

About the best thing the government can do now is to put Garabed to bed and forget about it.



Who remembers when all th' prominence in a family was in th' father's name? Elmer Moots has quit workin' in th' little Gem resturant as his hair is not long enough in front.

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