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WATSON OF INDIANA MAKES FIERCE ATTACK ON SECRETARY BAKER

Damms Newspapers Usually But Forces His Attack On Article In One.

Washington, Aug. 30.—An attack on the war department that for a time threatened to hold up senate approval of the conference report on the man-power bill developed today. Senators hurled charges of "political propaganda," "misleading the people and deceiving congress" at the head of Secretary Baker.

A wordy squabble arose when Senator Watson, Indiana, inquired what authority the war department has for its reported plan to take over four hundred American universities and colleges to educate men of 18 and 20 at the government's expense.

Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the military affairs committee declared he knew of no such plan. Watson produced a long newspaper article to prove that such a plan is under way.

"This is another step in the paternalistic, socialistic scheme of things being worked out with the approval of socialist officials high in the government," said Watson.

"It is being done without warrant in law."

Senator Wadsworth declared that no such plan exists, adding that "for the purposes of political propaganda to smooth over any trouble that may arise, the impression is being given to the parents of 18 year old boys who will be called in the draft that the government will educate them free."

"It is a lie," said Wadsworth. "It's all on four. On four with the deception of the American people with regard to the aircraft program and other features of our war preparations. It's just meant to quiet apprehension and remove worry. The war department never planned to do it and couldn't do it."

Senator Johnson, California, declared that if the saving of the nation depends on educating the boys at government expense, he favors it. He criticized those who assailed the war department.

Senator Sherman, Illinois, declared the plan is merely the war department's way of adopting the idea of universal military training, previously rejected "because it came from a member of congress originally."

Samuel Gompers Guest Of British Government

London, Aug. 30.—Samuel Gompers and his party of American labor leaders were guests of the British government at a luncheon today. Among the hosts were Premier Lloyd George, Lord Reading, ambassador to the United States, Lord Cecil, assistant secretary of state for foreign affairs; Lord Milner, war minister and Winston Churchill, minister of munitions.

Gompers made a stirring speech in which he again pledged the labor people of the United States to stay with the allies in this struggle until the end. He was roundly applauded.

"In the valleys of the Lave and Lys we continued to push forward."

"In spite of the destruction of bridges, our advanced troops crossed the Somme both south and west of Peronne. Clery-Sur-Somme (three miles northwest of Peronne and Comble, three miles north of Clery-Sur-Somme) have been taken. Here alone over 200 prisoners and a few guns were captured yesterday."

"North of Bapaume, London and West Lancashire troops made important progress yesterday east of the Scarpe river capturing Bullecourt (two miles east of Croisilles), Heudencourt (a mile and a quarter north of Bullecourt) and Les Ganicourt (five miles east and north of Croisilles and four miles across the Hindenburg line) after hard fighting, together with the powerful German trench systems, protecting them."

BOCHES SHOW FIGHT

By Frank J. Taylor (United Press staff correspondent)

With the American Armies in France Aug. 30.—The Germans are attempting continuous raiding in the Yorges mountain sectors, using specially trained units for night invasion of No Man's Land, in efforts to reach the American line.

The boches are showing considerable fight in this region contrary to their usual custom. They are using numerous tricks in attempts to catch American patrols, but the latter are too keen and skilful. The doughboys are beating the Germans at their own game, trapping them in guerrilla fighting.

An increased number of German deserters are coming into the American lines, including Prussians, in addition to Austrians and Poles.

American flyers shot down a German Fokker plane in Lorraine yesterday.

British Cross the Somme

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In yesterday's fighting the British pushed more than four miles beyond the Hindenburg line in this region.

British troops also are pushing ahead in the Lave and Lys valleys on the Flanders front.

"Between Heudencourt (two miles and a half east of Croisilles) and the Arras-Cambrai road (three miles to the north) an attack by Canadian troops early this morning was reported developing favorably," the statement said. "Atride the Scarpe, British and Scottish divisions continued to advance yesterday afternoon and gained valuable ground in the direction of Eterpigny (eight miles east and south of Arras) Hamblain Les Pres (two miles north of Eterpigny) and Plouvain (four miles northwest of Hamblain Les Pres.) We hold Remy (a mile west of Eterpigny.) A number of prisoners were taken in these operations."

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(Continued from page one) "On the Somme and in the North and regions last night there was no change," the communique said. "Between the Ailette and the Aisne, German counter attacks east of Paisy (a mile and a half northwest of Soissons) were repulsed and the French gains maintained. "On the Vesle and in the Champagne region, German raids were re-

pulsed." THREE MILES PAST LINE By Ed L. Keen (United Press staff correspondent) London, Aug. 30.—The question today is not whether the Germans will retreat to the Hindenburg line, but whether they will stop there. In the Arras region the British are now two to three miles past the Hindenburg line on a front of about twelve miles. They are already beginning movements designed to crumple up the end of the line and fold back

the enemy's northern wing. Fall of Nevon and Bapaume in a single day illustrates the momentum of the allied steam roller at a time when it might be expected to be slowing up. Peronne is practically lost and the Germans seem to have definitely abandoned all pretenses of holding the south Somme and the west Somme. There is only one point of resistance on this side of the river now—the angle where the river turns southward near Peronne. Capture of Juvigny by the French and Americans is extremely important as this town is located on the heights north of the Aisne, which form the gate way to the Chemin-des-Dames, behind the Germans on the Vesle. In the capture of Morlencourt, General Mangin turned the Neve-Noyon canal line, where General Ludendorff undoubtedly intended to make a stand.

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the hail of shells burst harmlessly over us, roofing the squadron with a mantle of smoke, shot through with sleet fire. "Dazzling beams from scores of searchlights made the city light as day, illuminating the buildings and actually guiding us toward our targets. The crashing burst of the barrage fire and the rattle of the machine guns combined in one great crescendo of tumult, as we wound in and out. "We were so low that we dropped our bombs with the deadliest precision. Every missile found a billet. "Bumping and swaying wildly in the explosive concussion of our own bombs we opened the throttles and sped westward, keeping low until away from the batteries. Then we regained our height and flew homeward without the loss of a single machine. "Poison gas is an immensely important modern warfare manufacturing center and had large munitions plants which have supplied the ammunition for the French sector of the western front."

Indian Murderer Of Family Captured

Bakersfield, Cal., Aug. 30.—Sheriff D. B. Newell brought Frank Elario, half breed Indian, into the county jail here early today, having captured him late yesterday near the Indian settlement at Tejon Canyon after a half hour battle. Sheriff Newell and a posse trailed the Indian eighteen miles through a

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near wilderness yesterday. Finally they caught up with him. Finding him self cornered the Indian showed fight with the result that there was a spirited exchange of shots until Elario's ammunition was about exhausted. No one was hit during the exchange of shots. Elario is charged with having shot and killed Alfred Yucca and Mrs. Francesca Luva and Miss Isabel Yucca Sunday at Yucca's home. Elario said he was intoxicated when he did the shooting.

AVIATORS KILLED

Wichita Falls, Texas, Aug. 30.—Capt. Ellis B. Babcock, son of Brigadier General Babcock, U. S. A., now in France, and Lieutenant F. R. McGiffin, instructor of aerial acrobatics at Camp Field, were instantly killed today when their plane fell 2000 feet, while executing a loop. Lieutenant McGiffin's home was in Canada. He married in San Francisco in May when he was commissioned and his wife was at the field when the accident occurred.

Jap Will Help Develop Siberian Gold Mines

Tokio, Aug. 20.—Fusaoosuke Kuhara Japan's biggest mining man and other mining interests of this country, will join Russians at Vladivostok in a \$20,000,000 company to develop the gold and copper mines of Siberia, it was officially reported here today. Surveys recently made resulted in the decision to develop Siberian mining resources, it was said. General belief is that it will be the one passed yesterday by the senate which prohibits the manufacture of intoxicants except for medicinal and sacramental uses after May 1 next and the sale after July 1 until the American armies have been demobilized.

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Prohib Jubilant Over Outlook For Bone Dry

Washington, Aug. 30.—Prohibitionists in and out of congress today jubilated over the practical certainty that the nation is going bone dry. Both houses have now adopted amendments to the food stimulation act, prohibiting the manufacture or sale for the period of the war of any malt, vinous or spirituous liquors in the country. The manner in which the amendment is written into the law is certain—there will be some sort of

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