

Happenings of the World Tensely Told

European War News

Five entente allied armies, Britain, France, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and the United States, are engaged in the most fierce fighting since the start of the war. The German offensive in the West has been checked, and the Allies are now on the offensive in the East.

In a stirring address before a patriotic mass meeting of labor at the Lexington theater in New York, Secretary of the Navy Daniels indicated that the Russian people may hope for help from America if they resist the invasion of Germany.

The Illinois supreme court at Springfield refused to interfere with the execution of "Chicken Joe" Campbell, the man sentenced to the gallows for the murder of Mrs. Oletta E. Allen, wife of Edmund N. Allen, former warden of the Joliet penitentiary.

U. S. "Tonic" War News

Our patrol fleet Americans from units under instruction in the regions of the Danube and the Rhine have been ordered to return to America for their annual leave.

A French mortar projectile fell on one of our trenches in France, killing three and wounding eight. The enemy bombardment on the American sector northwest of Toul continues.

The first American-built battleplanes are on route to England. The number will exceed the original schedule.

The German garrison attempted a raid against the American line in France, but the raiders were discovered and the artillery responded.

The MarCaspio, a Spanish steamship, 2,738 tons, was sunk by submarine shells fire. It was announced at Madrid.

The British have captured Jericho, in Palestine, the London war office reports. The city was entered by Australian troops.

Bolshevik leaders declare that if the German advance continues they will defend Petrograd. The Bolsheviks say this is the last battle of the war.

A further advance of 3 1/2 miles on the front of 7 1/2 miles has been made by the British in Palestine, the London war office reports.

Great Britain spent \$40,000,000 a day for the four weeks ended February 13. This statement was given in the House of Commons.

Lieut. Roland G. Garsco, the famous French aviator, and Lieut. Antoine Marchal have reached Holland.

French detachments made a heavy attack on the Germans in Lorraine, overrunning German lines and capturing more than 400 prisoners.

Domestic

Letters indicating that Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman were cooperating with Her Dayal, a German spy and Indian revolution propagandist, were forwarded to the War Department.

A civilian flying instructor and two cadets at the United States aviation training school at Park field, near Dayton, Tenn., were killed in a collision between two airplanes.

Eight clothing manufacturers, two employees and a clerk in the quarters of the master's department of the army were indicted by the federal grand jury at New York, charged with being conspirators in the counterfeit clothing scheme.

Unless the United States treaty celebrates her social evolution she will remain a thing of the past.

The war trade board published a general license through the customs service authorizing the entry into the United States of individual items of personal property.

A revolution in Germany was predicted by Doctor Cohn, independent socialist deputy, in an address to the United States Congress.

The introduction of the price raising bill had begun to check the flow of wheat to market.

A Revolution is in progress in Costa Rica. The present government of Costa Rica is being overthrown.

Dr. Richard von Kuehmann, the German foreign secretary, at the opening session of the League of Nations in Bern, delivered an address to the members.

Francisco Villa's forces were defeated at Laguna de la Estrella, south of Mexico.

The British government has instructed its agent at Kiev (the Ukrainian capital) to make no declaration that peace in the east which involves Poland without a previous consultation with Russia.

NEW RUSSIAN INVASION BY GERMANS



The dotted line shows the approximate boundary of the territory Germany demanded in its peace proposal made to Russia in November 1918. The territory includes the Baltic coast from the Gulf of Finland to the Gulf of Gdansk.

103 DIE WHEN SHIP RUNS ON SHOALS

RED CROSS LINER FLOREZIL WRECKED DURING HEAVY SNOWSTORM.

43 SAVED BY RESCUE BOAT

Efforts to Escape From Steamer in Small Boats Hopeless, No Help Possible From Shore.

St. John's, N. F.—The crack Red Cross liner Florezil, which was wrecked on the shoals of the Cape Race during a blizzard February 24 and is believed that 103 on board were lost.

EXPECT 3 MORE YEARS OF WAR

Arkansas Governor Says This Is Belief of Washington Officials.

Blair—According to Governor Blair of Arkansas, as reported in the office of official Washington, it is his belief that there will be three more years of war.

U-BOAT KILLER PLANT STARTED

Buildings to be Completed By May 10.

—Will Employ Nearly 15,000 Men.

St. Louis, Mo.—The construction work on Henry Ford's shipbuilding plant for the building of anti-aircraft boats has been started in River Rouge.

WHEAT PRICE IS SET AT \$2.20

President Fixes Market Price For Coming Season's Yield.

Washington—A price of \$2.20 a bushel—the same as for last year's crop—has been fixed by President Wilson for the coming season's wheat yield.

OLD EXEMPTIONS ARE NOW VOID

Men Rejected in First Draft Subject to Call in Deferred Quota.

Amsterdam—Speaking before the Reichstag on February 25, the imperial German minister of war, Gen. Hertling, made the following declaration:

London—The Japs according to reliable authority, will take action in Siberia in an early date.

JAPS PLAN MOVE IN SIBERIA

Intimated They Will Assist Anti-Bolshevik Forces.

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DETROIT AVIATOR IS KILLED

Mudent Flyer Falls 100 Feet At Dallas Training Field.

Detroit—B. E. Stall, of Detroit, was killed Monday when his machine fell 100 feet at Love field, near Dallas, Texas.

Detroit Combines War Fund Work.

Quoted—Five companies were represented in an important good road meeting, which included the projected improved midland highway, exceeding \$20 million in length from Detroit north by way of Saginaw to Mackinaw.

Michigan Markets 100 Years Ago.

The Detroit market quotations taken from the Detroit Gazette of June 25, 1817, more than 100 years ago, show prices that are interesting today.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

GUARD IN FRANCE

CABLE FROM OFFICER SAYS THAT 125TH REGIMENT HAS ARRIVED SAFELY.

Washington—The One Hundred and Twenty-fifth regiment of French military command national guard, of which Company M, of Owosso, is a unit, has arrived safely in France after an eventful journey, according to a cable received by the finance of one of the officers.

MANY UP-STATE MEN IN UNIT

Members of Old 31st and 33rd State Guard Form Part of Contingent.

That is Now "Over There."

Lawrence—Samuel Renels, 32 years old, first white resident of Lawrence county, is the oldest of the "Old Guard" to bring presence to the German people to revolt.

Port Huron—Terrance Trainor, of Melvin, was brought to Port Huron by a motor bus which had a foot amputated, the result of frostbite.

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