

# SWEDEN ARRAIGNED BY U. S. AS HAVING VIOLATED NEUTRALITY

Acted as Enemy's News Channel According to Despatches Made Public by American Government

Washington, Sept. 10.—An international sensation was furnished by Secretary Lansing on Saturday when he gave to the press copies of despatches containing unneutral information for the German Government, sent in the Swedish code through the Swedish Legation in Buenos Aires by the German Charge d'Affaires at that capital. These despatches, with a brief introductory note by Secretary Lansing, amount not only to a direct charge of unneutral conduct against the Swedish diplomatic representative to Argentina, but a virtual accusation of double dealing against the Swedish Government itself.

The Secretary of State's disclosure makes the Swedish Government, already suspected of pro-German tendencies, stand accused before the world of having acted as a go-between for the despatch of military and other unneutral information valuable to Germany, otherwise cut off from obtaining advice concerning the operations of enemies. Whether the United States Government and the Governments of the other allies will break relations with Sweden remains for the future to develop.

## Ask Sweden to Explain

An opportunity to explain will be given the Swedish Government before further steps are taken by the United States. It is inevitable that the German Charge d'Affaires at Buenos Aires will be dismissed by the Argentine Government, and not unlikely that relations between Germany and Argentina, already strained, will be severed. It is also inevitable that the Swedish diplomatic representative at Buenos Aires will be recalled unless the Argentine Government hands him his passport without waiting to hear the disposition of the Stockholm Government. No other course would satisfy

the United States and the nations engaged in war against Germany.

Part of the information sent by engaged in war against Germany. Buenos Aires through the Swedish Legation under cover of the Swedish diplomatic cipher code, guaranteed by the good faith of Sweden against use for unneutral purposes, was notice to the German Government that Argentinean steamers were nearing the port of Bordeaux, France. With a true respect for the policy of "rightfulness," the German diplomat recommended to his chiefs in Berlin that these vessels "be spared if possible, or sunk without a trace being left."

## GAME FORFEITED TO THE WHITE SOX

Score Was Tie in Tenth When Umpire Owens Helped Chicago

THREW BALL AWAY  
Decision Came After White Sox Batter Struck Out in the Tenth.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—With the score tied at 3 to 3, Umpire Owens forfeited yesterday's game to Chicago 9 to 0, in the tenth inning because of the dilatory tactics of the Cleveland players. As a result Chicago is now seven games ahead of Boston in the pennant race.

The Cleveland players protested Owens' ruling in the tenth when with two men on bases and no one out, he called Craney out in a close play at third base. The game was delayed for ten minutes because of arguments. When the Cleveland players finally resumed play they hurled their gloves in the air and two or three of them rolled into the dirt to express their displeasure.

After Pitcher Danforth, the first man up in Chicago's half of the tenth, struck out, Catcher O'Neill, of Cleveland deliberately threw the ball into centerfield, whereupon Owens forfeited the game. Score:—

R. H. E.  
Cleveland .. 1000020000—3 0 1  
Chicago .. 2000010000—3 6 3  
Batteries—Covaleski, Coumbe and O'Neill; Russell, Faber, Danforth and Schalk.

At St. Louis, Mitchell held St. Louis to five hits in the first game yesterday, while his team-mates drove both Sothern and Koob from the box in the third inning, making five runs, and Detroit shut out the locals 7 to 0. St. Louis turned the tables on Detroit in the second game when they drove Ehmske from the mound in the third inning, scored five runs on Burris' error, a single, doubles by Pratt and Severoid and Johnson's home run, and won 6 to 2.

As St. Louis went to bat in the ninth of the first game the players were called to the plate and presented with the \$500 cheque offered by the American League to the club winning the army drill competition.

First game— R. H. E.  
Detroit .. 025000000—7 12 0  
St. Louis .. 000000000—0 5 1  
Batteries—Mitchell and Stange; Sothern, Koob, Wright and Severoid.

Second game— R. H. E.  
Detroit .. 101000000—2 7 2  
St. Louis .. 00500010x—6 10 1  
Batteries—Ehmske, James, Cunningham and Stange; Davenport and Severoid.

## BASEBALL RECORD

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Toronto .. 85	59	.590276	
Baltimore .. 82	58	.588765	
Providence .. 82	58	.585714	
Newark .. 82	61	.573426	
Rochester .. 68	76	.472	
Buffalo .. 60	80	.433	
Montreal .. 54	86	.386	
Richmond .. 51	88	.367	

Saturday's Scores  
Buffalo 5-0, Toronto 3-5.  
Providence 3-5, Richmond 2-7.  
Rochester 7-9, Montreal 2-0.  
Baltimore 11, Newark 5.  
Sunday's Scores.  
Baltimore 8-3, Newark 3-4.  
Providence 8-5, Richmond 3-7.  
Toronto at Montreal—Rain.

To-day's Games  
Toronto at Montreal (two games)  
Providence at Baltimore, 2 games  
Rochester at Buffalo (two games)  
Newark at Richmond (two games)

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
New York .. 82	46	.644	
Philadelphia .. 72	56	.559	
St. Louis .. 73	62	.540	
Cincinnati .. 68	68	.500	
Chicago .. 68	68	.500	
Brooklyn .. 60	66	.476	
Boston .. 54	69	.439	
Pittsburg .. 43	87	.330	

Saturday's Scores  
Boston 4-3, Philadelphia 3-5.  
Chicago 6, Pittsburg 2.  
Other games—Rain.

Sunday's Scores.  
Chicago 1, Pittsburg 0.  
St. Louis 6-2, Cincinnati 3-0.  
To-day's Games.  
Philadelphia at Boston.  
Brooklyn at New York.  
Cincinnati at Chicago.  
Pittsburg at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Chicago .. 91	47	.660	
Boston .. 80	50	.615	
Cleveland .. 73	62	.540	
Detroit .. 68	67	.504	
New York .. 61	69	.469	
Washington .. 60	69	.465	
St. Louis .. 52	87	.374	
Philadelphia .. 47	81	.367	

Saturday's Scores  
Detroit 1, St. Louis 0.  
New York 2-0, Washington 0-3.  
Chicago 2, Cleveland 0.  
Boston at Philadelphia—Rain.

Sunday's Scores.  
Chicago 9, Cleveland 0.  
Detroit 7-2, St. Louis 0-6.  
To-day's Games.  
Boston at Washington.  
New York at Philadelphia.

## LEAF BROKE EVEN WITH THE BISONS

Lost First Game After They Looked to Have It Tucked Away

BY THE SCORE OF 5-3  
Thompson Shut Out Herd in Second Contest By Score 5 to 0

In their farewell engagement of the season the Bisons and Leafs broke even in a double-header Saturday at the Stadium. There was a sting, though, to the victory of the visitors, which came in the initial clash, as the locals were leading 3 to 0 at the end of the fourth. This looked good enough to land the bacon, but in the next inning, Kelly, by a very bad piece of fielding, allowed Jackson's fly to fall safe, and over-scrampered two runs. After this the Bisons had much the best of the contest, scoring three runs in the seventh inning on a single, a double, a triple and a single. This made the score 5 to 3, and so it remained, as both Tyson and Gould were airtight for the balance of the contest.

On a couple of occasions the locals started what looked like rallies, but two of them were cut off by double plays. Incidentally, it was a mild game to what used to happen in the olden days in the fight for the pennant. In those days the Toronto club, if they were behind, would have schemed to quickly have all the old balls out of the game and some new ones thrown in in order to give them a better show. Saturday they were content to keep slamming at dead ones.

Thompson had much the best of the Ring in the second game, only allowing five scattered hits, and two of these were scratchy. Ring was

bombarded for a dozen, and that's the reason the score was 5 to 0 in favor of the locals. Over 5,000 witnessed the two games.

Joe Kelley Here.  
Scout Joseph Kelley, of the Yankees, and former Leaf manager, witnessed the second game, dropping off here on his way to Indianapolis.

The score:—  
First game— R. H. E.  
Buffalo .. 000020300—5 12 1  
Toronto .. 001200000—3 13 0  
Batteries—Tyson and Daly; Gould and Lalonde.

Second game— R. H. E.  
Buffalo .. 000000000—0 5 1  
Toronto .. 00301000x—5 12 3  
Batteries—Ring and Daly; Thompson and Kelly. Umpires: Bedford and Finneran.

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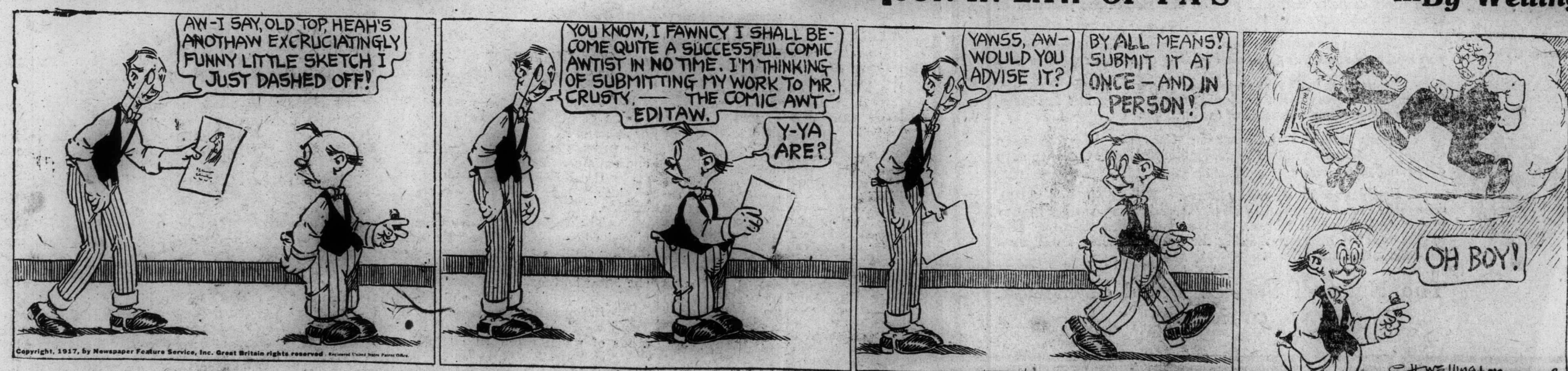
TO WAR'S CREDIT.  
The war has done some good, and Boze is scared and hollow-eyed he skulks, where once he strode in pride, the heart within him sick. The Beast is doomed; so let it die; the war has shown the critter why it's neither safe nor sane; so we may view the world-wide fray more patiently, the while, and say, "The war is not in vain!"

**BOWLING TOURNEY**  
Entries are coming in very satisfactorily for the lawn bowling tournament that is to be held in the city on Wednesday afternoon and evening Sept. 12, in aid of the Red Cross fund. Games will be played at the Heathers, Pastime and Dufferin clubs in the afternoon with the play off for the winners at the Brantford Club at night. Booths at which refreshments will be served in aid of the Red Cross will be located on each of the greens, and spectators are cordially invited to attend.

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