

# GERMAN RAID LOSSES.

## 511 Persons Killed and Injured

### "Red Terror" in Germany--More German Ships Surrendered--Strike Armistice Declared.

#### RESULT OF RAIDS DURING WAR.

LONDON, Jan. 11. In raids on the United Kingdom by Germans during the war, 5,511 persons were killed or injured, of whom 4,750 were civilians. An official summary of the casualties caused by German airplanes and airships during the war shows that the sea was the scene of the heaviest fighting. In the air, 1,508 men, 1,100 women, 772 children, 310 soldiers and sailors were killed and 1,488 civilians and the injury of 1,488 civilians and the injury of 1,488 civilians and the injury of 1,488 civilians.

#### LIEBKNECHT SHOT!

LONDON, Jan. 11. The Berlin correspondent of the Evening News, telegraphing under Sunday's date, declares he has received from a most reliable source that Dr. Liebknecht, the Spartacan leader, had been killed during severe machine gun fighting near the building of the Tageblatt. Liebknecht is reported to have been shot through the head. No confirmation of this report is obtainable in London.

#### THE EBERT GOVERNMENT.

PARIS, Jan. 12. Semi-official advices from Berlin indicate that the insurrection is decreasing in power and it no longer seems doubtful that the Ebert-Baumgarten Government has been sustained by the loyal troops, whose discipline has been strengthened by the presence in the city of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg. The Spartacans appear to have transferred the struggle to the provinces, where they seem to be gaining what they have lost in the capital. Karl Liebknecht is reported to have proclaimed a "red terror" and a dictatorship. The proletarians declare a general strike to

"save the revolution" has been called for Jan. 19th, which has been fixed as the date for the election of the general assembly. While the Spartacan activity in Berlin has developed into guerrilla warfare, with the plunder of food shops as the main purpose, serious fighting has developed in Munich, where the Government has forbidden all demonstrations. Disorders in Dresden have been quelled, but in Stuttgart the Spartacans are masters of the city hall, and the Municipal Council has been dissolved. Strikers in the Westphalia region now number 100,000.

#### PLANT RECAPTURED.

BERLIN, Jan. 11. The plant of the Vorwarts was recaptured by Government troops this morning in heavy fighting. Three hundred Spartacans are reported to have been taken prisoners. More than twenty Spartacans were killed and forty wounded in the fighting. The Government losses are said to be light.

#### IN NORTHERN GERMANY.

LONDON, Jan. 11. The situation in Hall, one of the most important railway junctions in Northern Germany, was reported yesterday as critical. Machine guns were mounted on several buildings and street fighting was expected.

#### FIGHTING IN BERLIN.

LONDON, Jan. 12. Fighting has been resumed in Berlin, according to advices received from Copenhagen here to-night. The Spartacans are said to be still holding a portion of the Tageblatt building. The Spartacans losses since the outbreak of the revolution are about 1,300 persons killed.

#### NEW YORK STRIKE SETTLED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. With New York's Harbor strike ended to-day by the decision of 16,000 members of the Marine Workers' Affiliation to return to work, pending arbitration by the National Labor Board, Joseph Moron, President of the New York Towboat Exchange, announced to-night that private boat owners would attend the hearing of

the Board here to-morrow, and under certain conditions would "receive with the utmost respect any suggestion it may decide to offer." The four government departments, Army, Navy, Railroad and Shipping Board, have agreed to abide by the rulings of the Labor Board.

#### BULGARIA'S LOSSES.

SOFIA, Jan. 6. Bulgaria's losses in the war were: Killed and missing, 101,224; wounded, 1,152,699; prisoners, 10,925. These figures do not include the losses during the retreat from Macedonia, when many died of influenza, exhaustion and famine, and 90,000 were taken prisoners.

#### GERMAN SHIPS SURRENDERED.

LONDON, Jan. 11. The German super-dreadnought Baden has arrived in Scapa Flow and has been interned there with the other vessels of the German fleet. The surrender of this warship was demanded in place of the battle cruiser Mackensen which was not sufficiently completed to leave Germany. The Baden is a vessel of about 27,000 tons similar to the Queen Elizabeth class, mounting eight 15-inch guns and steaming nominally 23 knots. Another flotilla of German submarines numbering sixteen is to leave Germany to-morrow for surrender to the Allies. There are still seven submarines in neutral waters which are about to be surrendered, and 44 U-boats in German ports which must be given up. One hundred and seventy are in various stages of building, but the majority of them are mere skeletons and further construction work on these vessels has been suspended.

#### FRANCE OBJECTS TO BOLSHIEVISM.

PARIS, Jan. 11. The British Government recently submitted to France a proposition involving an effort to obtain a truce in Russia which if successful, would have led to the admission of delegates of the Russian Soviet Government to the peace conference, according to a statement made to-day by Stephen Pichon, the French Foreign Minister. The Foreign Minister declares in his

statement the opposition of the French government to any plan which would give the present Bolshievik regime in Russia any recognition whatever. The "Criminal Regime of the Bolshieviks," he insists, "does not entitle them to recognition as a regular government, and France was resolved to continue treating the Soviet organization as an enemy."

#### FOR CONFERENCE TO CONSIDER.

PARIS, Jan. 11. When the peace conference officially inaugurates its work on January 20, according to the Echo de Paris, there will be brought for its consideration a memorandum of a French demand for the Sarre Basin. The memorandum will also include a plan for the internationalization of the nation of the Rhine with special advantages for nations.

#### INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.

GENEVA, Jan. 12. It is reported that the International Socialist conference at Lausanne will be postponed indefinitely because of differences among the representatives of different countries, coupled with the disinclination of the Swiss Socialists to receive the delegates until the peace conference has been ended.

#### LUXEMBURG A REPUBLIC.

PARIS, Jan. 12. A republic has been proclaimed in Luxembourg. Grand Duchess Marie has withdrawn to her chateau near the capital.

#### BOLSHIEVINS NOT WANTED.

PARIS, Jan. 12. If France took the initiative in refusing to deal with the Russian Bolshievik Government, declares the Excelsior, the London and Washington Governments made it known that they agreed, absolutely with the French viewpoint.

#### SINN FEIN QUARTERS 'RAIDED'.

DUBLIN, Jan. 11. The headquarters of the Sinn Fein organization in Harcourt Street were raided this morning by the police. The raiders found pamphlets addressed to American soldiers in Ireland. They contained this question, "Did you win the war in order to knit Ireland's claims?" The pamphlets added "we helped to win your independence; will you help to win ours?"

#### CLEMENCEAU PRESIDENT OF CONFERENCE.

PARIS, Jan. 11. George Clemenceau, Premier of France, will be permanent President of the Inter-Allied Peace Conference as a mark of proper tribute to the Premier of the country in which the Conference is held. This appointment is by common consent of all the delegates.

#### RAILWAY HORROR.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 12. Between 15 and 25 persons were reported killed and 10 seriously injured on the New York Central Railroad, three miles east of Batavia, early today in a rear end collision between the Wolverine Special and the Southwestern Limited, both west bound. The Southwestern had stopped at the foot of a grade to take on an extra engine when the Wolverine crashed into it, destroying the rear coach. Passengers were asleep at the time.

#### PADERWISKI WOUNDED.

LONDON, Jan. 12. Ignace Jan Paderewski, the Polish leader, has been slightly wounded by an assassin who entered the rooms of his hotel at Warsaw and fired one shot at him, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen, reporting advices from Vienna. Several Bolshieviks implicated in the plot to kill him have been arrested.

#### DELEGATES LEAVE.

LONDON, Jan. 11. The British delegates to the Peace Conference left for Paris this morning. Premier Lloyd George, with the Premiers of the Dominions and the representatives of India travelled by the ordinary route. Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, made the trip by airplane, as he invariably does when he goes to France. Premier Lloyd George's party was accompanied by an army of officials and newspaper correspondents.

#### POLES AND GERMANS FIGHTING.

BERLIN, Jan. 11. (By the A. P.)—Heavy fighting is reported between Poles and Germans in the province of Posen. The Germans captured Carikau in the northern part of the province, taking the place by assault. They were compelled later, however, through the arrival of Polish reserves to withdraw to the north bank of the Netze. The Germans have likewise been compelled to abandon Kolman in the face of superior numbers, but they are reported holding the north bank of the Netze. Fighting is in progress at Wisniensose and Wissek with the trend favouring the Germans.

#### CASTALLA SINKING.

HALIFAX, Jan. 11. The steamer Castalla is sinking fast sixty miles south of Canso. News of the sinking came in the following wireless message just received by G. H. Harvey, local agent of the Marine and Fisheries Dept.: "S. O. S. Castalla, 40 north, 60 west, sinking fast, condition critical, ship drifting east; want immediate assistance." A later

message received from the steamer Bergensford, an eighteen knot boat, states she is 170 miles from the steamer Castalla and rushing to her assistance. The steamer Pijian, a ten knot boat, which sailed yesterday from Halifax also reports she is steaming to the assistance of the Castalla. In addition the Lady Laurier, at Sydney, has been notified to proceed to the scene. The Castalla was being brought around from the Great Lakes for overseas service.

#### SOCIALISTS TO MEET.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 11. (Havas)—Socialists from Allied countries will be called to meet at Brussels in the near future, according to an announcement made by the Belgian Labor Party. Among other work to be done, will be the re-establishment of the Socialist International Congress.

#### ROUMANIA MUST BE FED.

PARIS, Jan. 11. At the first meeting of the International Food Commission here today, will be considered a pressing appeal for food from the Allied Ministers in Roumania. The Commission having absolute control of food relief, the Ministers having turned to it to avert what they say will be a most disastrous situation if Roumania is not fed.

#### NEWFOUNDLANDER MISSING.

OTTAWA, Jan. 11. Casualties, Machine gun company, missing, G. E. Doyle, Avondale, Nfld.

#### INTER-ALLIED COUNCIL MEET.

PARIS, Jan. 12. The Supreme Inter-Allied Council met at three o'clock this afternoon at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Those present were: Premier David Lloyd George and Foreign Minister A. J. Balfour, of Great Britain; President Wilson and the American Secretary of State, Robert Lansing; Premier Georges Clemenceau and Foreign Minister Stephen Pichon, of France; Vittorio Orlando and Foreign Minister Baron Sonnino, of Italy; and Marshal Foch, Georges Leygues (French Minister of Marine),

Etienne Clementel (Minister of Commerce), and Louis Loucheur (Minister of Industrial Reconstruction).

#### MCGILL PRESIDENT PARALYZED.

MONTREAL, Jan. 12. In the presence of many prominent citizens and a large audience assembled in Emmanuel Church to hear Harry Lauder this afternoon, Sir William Peterson, principal of McGill University, who was present at the meeting, was stricken with a paralytic seizure, as a result of which it was necessary to convey him at once to the Royal Victoria Hospital. Sir William complained of feeling unwell, and the Rev. George Adam tried to dissuade him from attending the meeting, but he insisted, and was helped to the platform by the pastor. It was during the singing of a quartette that attention was called to Sir William's condition. He was at once attended by Dr. Armstrong and other medical men in the audience, and was found to be suffering from a stroke which affected his entire right side, and it was further stated that there was a hemorrhage on the brain.

#### FAMOUS ACTOR DEAD.

LONDON, Jan. 12. Sir Charles Wyndham, the actor, died in London this morning. Born in Liverpool in 1837, Charles Wyndham was the son of a prominent physician. His parents intended him for the Church, and there was great consternation in the family when he displayed his predilections for the life of an actor. Sir Charles was a favourite in fashionable society, off as well as on the stage. The late King Edward bestowed Knighthood upon him at the time of the Coronation in 1902.

#### BIG FIRE IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Jan. 12. Over a million dollars worth of damage was caused this afternoon by a spectacular fire which destroyed the plant of Jennings and Company, 15 Wellington Street. One hundred and forty automobiles, including nine ambulances to the order of the Canadian Government and ready for shipment, were a total loss, and the premises of the Hudson's Bay Company and S. J. Carter and Co. were seriously damaged when the flames spread temporarily beyond the control of the firemen, at one time leaping across to the premises of the Hudson's Bay Co.

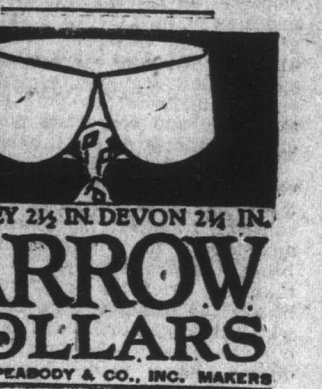
#### Wedding Bells.

##### BARTHE-HORWOOD.

The S. A. Citadel, New Gower Street being crowded to its utmost capacity was the scene of a very interesting event Tuesday evening, January 7th; when Miss Annie Bartum Barter daughter of Mr. Jonas Barter president T. P. U. was united in the silken bonds of Matrimony to Mr. Sam. Burke Horwood son of Capt. J. P. Horwood, H. M. C.

The bride was supported by her two sisters Misses Nellie and Ida, while Mr. Andrew Horwood brother of the groom performed the duties of best man. Sergeant Walter C. Taylor, Royal Nfld. Regiment acting as bride's boy. The ceremony was performed by Lieut-Colonel Adby, Provincial Commander of the S. A. Forces in the Colony and after the customary speeches were made by the best man, first bride's girl, the father of the bride, Adjt. Tilley, Mrs. Adjt. Oxford, Mrs. Colonel Adby and Mr. R. Piercy respectively; all paying glowing tributes to the characteristics of the contracting parties. The S. A. band was in attendance and rendered music appropriate to the occasion. After a drive countrywards the happy party returned to the S. A. School, Springdale Street where about one hundred and fifty guests sat down to a sumptuous repast.

The groom's present to the bride was a set of Taupe Lynx Furs, to the bride's maids Silver rings and to the best man a watch fob and bride's boy a stick pin. Many and varied presents received, including a beautiful Morris Chair from the Band of which the groom is a prominent member and a Silver Marmalade Dish from the Sunday School where the bride is a teacher of long standing.



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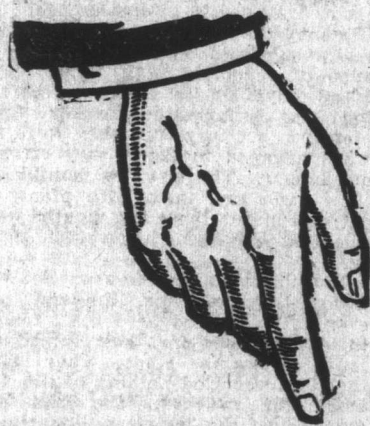
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