

FROM CANADA TAKE TOWN; BRITISH WIN IN HEAVY FIGHT

WANTS FLAG OF U.S. ON FIRING LINE

Roosevelt Delivers Notable Address on the War Before Chicago Audience. Appeals to the People of the Middle West. Urges All to Back up President Wilson and Make War Real One.

Chicago, April 29.—Put the American flag on the firing line in France, Flanders or the Balkan peninsula at the earliest possible moment and keep it there as long as the war continues over a constantly growing fighting force until the war brings victory, was the appeal delivered here tonight by Theodore Roosevelt to the people of the West in the Stockyards Pavilion under the auspices of the National Security League.

Appeals to West. "I come here tonight to appeal to the people of the West, the people of the Mississippi valley, the people who are the main heirs of the great ideas of Lincoln and Washington, declared Roosevelt. "When once waked up to actual conditions, you have always stood with unflinching courage and iron endurance for the national honor and the national interest. I appeal to the women as much as to the men, for our nation has risen level to every great crisis only because in every such crisis the courage of its women has been as high as the courage of the men."

"I appeal to you to take the lead in making good the President's message of April 2, in which he set forth the reasons why we are unescapably duty to make war upon Germany. We can make the President's message stand among the great state papers in our history; but we can make it good only if we fight with all our strength now, at once; if at the earliest possible moment, we put the flag on the firing line and keep it there over a constantly growing army, until the war closes by a peace which brings victory to the great cause of democracy and civilization, the great cause of justice and fairness among the peoples of the world."

"Let Us Fight." "We Americans are at war. Now let us fight. Let us make it a real war, not a dollar war. Let us show that we have the manhood to pay with our own bodies, and not merely to hire other men to pay with their bodies. Let us fight at once. Let us put the flag at the front now, at the earliest possible moment, and not merely announce that we are going to fight a year or two hence."

Canadians Capture Arleux-En-Gohelle In Brilliant Dash Gallant Lads From Dominion Take Village and Hold it Against All Counter-Attacks.

BAYONETS AND RIFLE BUTTS USED IN DESPERATE HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING. Teutons in Reckless Disregard for Losses Mowed Down by Galling Fire—Field Marshall Von Hindenburg Drives His Men to Slaughter Like Sheep to Shambles.

British Headquarters in France, April 28, via London.—(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press)—There was more desperate fighting along the British front today, and the Germans, evidently spurred on by the declarations from Field Marshal Von Hindenburg that they must hold their present positions at all costs, are making a resistance more stubborn than any heretofore encountered. At various points captured in the first onward rush by the British, the Germans have been ordered into counter-attacks with a reckless disregard for losses.

Use Bayonets. Under this galling fire the attack utterly broke down. In some places there was ferocious hand-to-hand fighting. The British got in well with the bayonet, but there was one bit of fighting in which even bayonets were forgotten and the men went at each other's throats with their hands. Many Germans went to their death from blows from rifle butts.

Canadians Win. The Canadians, who had been more or less resting since they swept the Germans off both slopes of Vimy Ridge on Easter Monday, made a brilliant assault against Arleux-En-Gohelle and captured that village and held it against all counter-attacks. The British also crossed the German lines just west of Oppy, and there has been fierce fighting about that village all day.

PLEGGED THEMSELVES AT TOMB OF WASHINGTON. Mount Vernon, Va., April 29.—The flags of Great Britain, France and the United States floated proudly together today over the tomb of George Washington. Beneath them, spokesmen of the three great democracies paid homage to America's great soldier and statesman, and pledged themselves, each to the other in the name of the dead, to prosecute the present mighty struggle against autocracy on the lines he himself had followed in bringing America into being.

ST. JOHN PASTOR PREACHES IN CHURCH AT ST. STEPHEN. St. Stephen, April 29.—Rev. W. H. Harracough, pastor of Centenary church, St. John, preached at both services in the Methodist church here today and was heard with great acceptance by large congregations, presenting the aims of the Educational Society at the morning service. On Monday evening the reverend gentleman will lecture in the vestry of the church on "The Pathfinder in Africa."

MAN IS SHOT AND KILLED AT CANOBBE

John McCarthy, the Victim, Broke Into House of Neighbor with an Axe. HAD BEEN IN PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL AT FAIRVILLE. Wesley Peters in Gloucester Co. Jail Charged with Killing McCarthy.

Special to The Standard. Bathurst, April 29.—John McCarthy, a demented man of Canobie, a settlement about twelve miles from Bathurst was shot and instantly killed on Friday night near his home under most distressing circumstances. It appears that McCarthy had been subjected to fits of insanity and has been confined in the provincial hospital several times, but on decided improvement in his condition had been returned to his home.

ELEVATOR ATTENDANT IS KILLED. George Morrissey, While at Work in Sugar Refinery, Killed at Early Hour this Morning.

George Morrissey, aged seventeen years, elevator attendant, in charge of the freight elevator in the Atlantic Sugar Refinery, was killed at 12:45 o'clock this morning. In some manner he became caught between the third and fourth floors and then fell down into the pit of the elevator, which is about eight feet below the ground floor. When picked up, Dr. Bentley was summoned and on the latter's arrival he pronounced that the boy was dead, having received a fractured skull. It is thought that the young fellow was almost instantly killed.

MORE TALK OF PEACE. London, April 28.—Count Hertling, the premier of Bavaria, says a despatch from Munich, by way of Amsterdam to the Central News, is going to Vienna to confer with the Austrian cabinet ministers regarding peace prospects.

LABORITES DEFEATED. Wellington, N. Z., April 29, via London.—All the laborites who opposed conscription have been defeated in the municipal election in New Zealand.

British Forces Win Again In No. France Capture Village and German Positions on Front of More Than Two Miles North and South of Arleux.

SEVERE FIGHTING SATURDAY FROM THE SCARPE TO ACHEVILLE-VIMY ROAD. Heavy Battle Also in Neighborhood of Roeux and Oppy—Huns Deliver Many Violent Counter-Attacks but All Fail, Enemy Suffering Severely

London, April 28.—The British troops have captured Arleux-En-Gohelle and German positions on a front of more than two miles north and south of that village, says the official report from British headquarters in France tonight. Northeast of Gavrelle, between Gavrelle and Roeux and north of Monchy-Le-Preux, gains were made. The Germans counter-attacked bitterly with large forces and suffered heavily from the British fire. Several hundred prisoners were captured.

UNITED STATES WILL ENLIST MEN BY DRAFT. Selective Draft Bill Passes Senate by Vote of 81 to 8 and House by 397 to 24.

Washington, April 29.—By overwhelming majorities both the senate and house passed, late last night the administration bill to raise a war army by selective draft. The final roll call brought into line behind the bill many senators and representatives who had fought for the volunteer system until routed by decisive defeat of volunteer amendments earlier in the day in both houses.

DEFENDER OF VERDUN HONORED BY FRANCE. Paris, April 29.—General Petain, who commanded the French army during the critical stages of the battle in Feb. and Mar. 1916, is to be appointed chief of staff at the ministry of war. The cabinet decided upon this this afternoon. The cabinet meeting was presided over by President Poincaré, and was held after a session of the war committee. After a general discussion it was determined to restore the post of chief of staff at the ministry of war and to appoint the post to Gen. Petain.

GUATEMALA BREAKS WITH THE GERMANS. Washington, April 28.—Guatemala has broken off diplomatic relations with Germany, handed to the German minister his passports and cancelled the exequators of German consuls there.

MEN OF N.B. APPEAR IN CASUALTIES

Several North Shore Infantrymen Killed in Action. C. WOODWORTH, MONCTON, DIES OF PNEUMONIA. J. H. Donnelly and V. M. Joyce of St. John Wounded—Dalhousie Man Missing.

Ottawa, April 29. Killed in Action. J. R. Frenette, Petit Roche, N. B. U. J. Garry, Campbellton, N. B. W. J. Hill, Cassilis, N. B. E. F. Noble, Glenlivet, N. B. B. O'Brien, Loggville, N. B. H. Robertson, Cabuliac, N. B. W. E. Stancombe, New Glasgow, N. S. N. Watson, Upper Mosquodoboit, N. S.

Died of Wounds. J. Hurshman, Halifax, Wounded. A. Miller, Oxford, N. S. D. L. Dort, Cole Harbor, N. S. F. Beckler, Stellarton, N. S. E. F. Lowther, Chisecto, N. S. Wm. J. Matohet, Newscastle, N. B. C. McDonald, Trenton, N. S. R. H. Wiseman, Stonelaven, N. S. S. E. Spinney, Centray Argyre, N. S. Wm. S. Cole, French River, P. E. I. Lieut. R. D. Reid, Milford Station, N. S.

INFASTRY. Killed in Action. L. L. Green, St. Stephen, N. B. M. A. Marshall, Core Head, P. E. Island. M. C. Gilroy, Springhill, N. S. M. S. McLaughlin, Tracadie, N. B. J. F. Theriault, Paquetville, N. B. G. L. Anglin, St. John, N. B. P. Clark, Red Rapids, N. B. W. D. Felch, Millville, N. S. W. A. Michotte, Copper Lake, N. S. A. Monro, Whitehead, N. S. I. A. Savory, Loggville, N. S. P. C. Bartheaux, Moshell, N. S. A. Daigle, Point Sapin, N. B. T. P. Doucet, Upper Caracout, N. B.

D. Kelly, Point Sapin, N. B. P. Bernatchez, Campbellton, N. B. L. J. Ganning, Wards Brook, N. S. A. Clary, Londonderry, N. S. L. H. Carter, Dalhousie, N. B. L. Daigle, St. Ignace, N. S. P. Maloney, Shubenacadie, N. S. J. A. Finn, Halifax. F. Cranton, Margaree, N. S. H. Cooper, Halifax. H. W. Borden, Avonport, N. S. D. E. Darcy, Digby, N. S. R. Dea, Halifax. D. J. Portune, Sydney, N. S. J. Fleming, Upper Misquodoboit, N. S.

C. E. Garron, Shag Harbor, N. S. R. Grace, Springhill, N. S. H. J. Keefe, Halifax. P. E. Kuhn, Dartmouth, N. S. A. M. Lloyd, Bigport L'Hebert, N. S. J. C. Melver, Nyanze, N. S. H. H. Robbins, Granville Ferry, N. S. F. Riley, Halifax. M. Harris, Gabarous, N. S. B. V. Gass, Shubenacadie, N. S. Wm. K. White, Halifax. Wm. Wiseman, Glace Bay, N. S. J. Lloyd, Joggins Mines, N. S. Corporal G. P. Hillis, Dominion No. 4, N. S. J. Arsenault, New Aberdeen, N. S. E. Coole, Fox Point, N. S. Corporal A. J. McDougall, West Lake, N. S. (Continued on page 2)