

U. S. SENATOR WARNS AGAINST OVER-CONFIDENCE

DEFEAT OF GERMANY WILL ENTAIL GREAT SACRIFICE

Senator Reed Declares Central Powers Hold Advantage in Having Guns on Every Front—United States Will Have to Extend Draft Age Limits and Wants Preparation in Wholesale Fashion.

Washington, June 27.—Speaking on the \$12,000,000 army appropriation, Senator Reed declared in the Senate today that although Germany eventually will be defeated, it will be accomplished only after the Allies have suffered tremendous losses. He said the Central Powers hold the advantage in having guns on every front.

Senator Reed asserted that America has no heavy guns except those that have been taken from the supply of the navy department and that it will require nearly two years to get a sufficient supply.

The United States will have to extend the draft age limits, declared Senator Reed. The Central Powers, he said, have a greater population than the Entente countries and were better prepared for war. Italy, he said, was "totally unprepared in arms and material when she entered the war," and added that the break in the lines last fall cannot be disregarded for both French and British divisions are still kept on the Italian front.

IRELAND HAS FAILED.

"Ireland has failed to its duty in this war," he asserted, in support of his claim that the complete man power of the allies could not be mustered against the German.

Senator Reed said he was opposed to preparing for the prosecution of this war "in a piecemeal fashion," and warned against overconfidence.

"Let us not deceive ourselves," he declared "that Germany up to this day has been triumphant in this war," he said. "It is time to quit day-dreaming." Senator Reed asserted, "Germany has today even with the million Americans on the front, an advantage in men, according to information I get. I am sure she has an advantage in metal. I am also very sure if the war is won it must be by the United States putting forth so great an effort that we have not begun to dream of it."

BRITISH WAR REPORT

London, June 27.—The war office communication issued tonight follows: "Casualties were inflicted on the enemy during the night in patrol encounters in the neighborhood of Boyelles. There is nothing further to report, except artillery activity by both sides on certain sectors."

SUFFRAGE LOSSES

Washington, June 27.—Because of determined opposition efforts to secure a vote on the woman suffrage resolution today in the Senate were formally abandoned. Chairman Jones, of the Woman Suffrage Committee, late today withdrew his motion to displace the army appropriation bill but announced that after the pending measures are passed the resolution would be brought up and held before the Senate until disposed of.

GOUGH NOT TO SHIFT

London, June 27. (via Reuters' Ottawa Agency)—Replying to Hon. Joseph Martin, East St. Pancras, in the House of Commons today, James Ian Macpherson, under-secretary for war, said it is not the government's intention to appoint General Gough to some important position in connection with the Canadian forces.

BURKE FOR ST. LOUIS

St. Louis, June 27.—Jimmy Burke, coach of the St. Louis Americans to night was appointed manager of the team, to succeed Fielder Jones.

BODY FOUND

Halifax, June 27.—A body of a man, thought to be that of Fred Croft, who was employed as a stablesman by the British Remount Commission, and who has been missing since the disaster that occurred from among the ruins of the Fisheries building at the Exhibition Grounds.



THE ALLIES NOW FACING SUPREME CRISIS OF WAR

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west of Chateau Thierry. No counter-attacks have been made in an endeavor to regain the lost ground. The latest account of the American's victory shows that the troops from overseas, in addition to killing or wounding many of the enemy, took 311 prisoners, eleven machine guns and ten automatic rifles and a large quantity of ammunition and other war stores.

Quiet on Piave

All is quiet along the Piave front in the Italian theatre, where the Italians are secure in the positions from which they drove the Austrians from the west bank of the river. In the mountain region there has been considerable fighting in which the Italians seem to have had the upper hand.

Announcement has been made by Secretary of War Baker that a regiment of American troops from the expeditionary forces of General Pershing has been ordered to the Italian front. On their arrival, which is expected shortly the Austrians will have facing them men from Italy, the United States, Great Britain and France.

AMERICANS CAPTURE OVER 300 PRISONERS

With the American Forces on the Marne June 27.—(By The Associated Press)—The number of prisoners captured by the Americans in their drive on the German positions in the Belleau Wood sector Tuesday night was unofficially increased to 311. The Americans also captured 11 big machine guns, 10 automatic rifles, a quantity of small arms and ammunition and other material. The Germans have not yet made any attempt to counter-attack.

Last night was comparatively quiet on the whole Marne front.

ITALIAN STATEMENT

Rome, June 27.—An Austrian advance post in the mountain region was surprised by Italian troops yesterday and wiped out, the war office announced today. Along the front as a whole the activity yesterday was nowhere of marked intensity.

"On the slopes south of Col Del Rosso, our patrols, after a brisk struggle, invested the enemy's advanced posts, capturing 31 men and two machine guns. The enemy promptly replied by twice attacking in force our advanced line, but was singularly repulsed.

"The number of prisoners captured on the 25th inst. during the operation of extending the bridgehead of Capo Sile, it has been ascertained, was eight officers and 501 of other ranks."

MONCTON LANDMARK IS DISAPPEARING

Ancient Wooden Bridge Over Petitediac Being Dynamited.

Special to The Standard
Moncton, June 27.—The old wooden bridge spanning the Petitediac at Moncton and which has recently been replaced by a steel structure, started by the Murray government, is being dynamited out today. One large span was successfully blown out and safely landed to the shore. The work of tearing out the huge wooden structure will occupy some time.

CANADA CAR MEETING

Montreal, June 27.—The directors of Canadian Car and Foundry Limited, after a meeting this afternoon made special reference to the demand by A. Hicks Lawrence, New York director of the company, for full access to the books and records. This demand was made some time ago but since it has subsequently been followed up by the issue of a writ of mandamus, the directors merely noted that the matter was now out of their hands and must take its course in the courts.

RIOTS IN PETROGRAD

London, June 27.—According to a Petrograd message transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Correspondent at Copenhagen the food situation in Petrograd is desperate. Riots are taking place daily, it is declared, and are being suppressed by the Bolsheviks with the aid of machine guns.

HIGHER CAR FARES

Washington, June 27.—Approval for increased passenger fares and freight charges on short lines and electric roads to conform with advances recently ordered by the railroad administration was given today by the interstate commerce commission.

SERIOUS IN AUSTRIA

Paris, June 27. (Havas Agency)—Swiss despatches received here today say that owing to the seriousness of the food situation in Austria-Hungary martial law is expected momentarily to be proclaimed throughout the empire.

THE KAISER FURIOUS

London, June 27.—According to an Amsterdam despatch to the Central News the German Emperor has sent the Imperial Chancellor, Count Von Hertling, "a furious telegram" about Dr. Von Kuehmann's speech.

UNITED FRUIT OF N. S. HOLDS ITS ANNUAL SESSION

Kentville, N. S., June 26.—The United Fruit Companies of Nova Scotia, Limited held its meeting here yesterday. At all three sessions there was ample evidence that much of the talk heard during the last year in regard to the lack of stability of the cooperative body was "moonshine." While there was criticism and some keen debate it was plainly seen that the farmers and fruit growers as a whole are cognizant of the benefits brought to the valley by the organization and that there is a strong determination to still further centralize in the distribution of farm products and the purchase of farm supplies.

At a meeting of the directors at Berwick some three weeks ago the policy was decided upon of hereafter compelling companies which did not want to ship apples through the central organization to give notice before the first of August. Last season there was much inconvenience and loss because of the action of some of the companies.

It was generally known before the meeting that John N. Chute intended to retire from the secretaryship and there was considerable interest taken in who would be his successor. Several names were mentioned but the meeting today elected Kenneth L. Pineo, formerly manager of the Waterville Fruit Company, to the position. F. W. Bishop, of Paradise, was elected president and T. L. Harvey of Wolfville, vice-president. John Donaldson, of Fort Williams and T. L. Harvey were the retiring members of the board of management. Mr. Harvey was re-elected and C. W. MacKeen, of Kingsport, was also elected to the board.

The general opinion seems to be that A. E. MacMahon will be reappointed general manager.

LONG REACH

Long Reach, June 26.—Mr. Robert Watters, of St. John, spent the weekend with friends at this place.

A reception was held in Victoria Hall for Private Graver Besley who has just returned from overseas.

Lee W. McKiel arrived home after spending a few weeks in Chatham, Campbellton and other places in the northern part of N. B. Mr. McKiel was attending to some business for H. W. Robertson, J. L. B., of St. John.

Sergeant George Fullerton left his home here a few weeks ago for overseas.

The many friends of Miss Jessie L. McKiel will be pleased to learn that she is rapidly improving after passing through a very successful operation performed by Dr. W. W. White of St. John.

A reception was also held at the home of Rev. J. E. Shanks on Thursday night. Mr. Shanks, who has been on a very successful tour of the past four years is leaving for Springfield, N. B.

NO MONETARY DISTURBANCES FOR SIXTY DAYS

New York, June 26.—Reactions in the general stock market do not go far or last long. Investigations suggest that the reason for this is that they are professionally inspired, that the floating supply is small and that buying orders are found when stocks are offered down. There is a special demand for Steels, Oils and Equipments.

We think the active list will continue to reflect pool operations in special stocks, and believe that more attention will be given to rails, especially low priced issues. Am. Can. Car Pk. is expected to go higher. Ins. Copper is well taken on recessions, also R. B. C.

In banking circles statements are being made by well informed quarters that no monetary disturbances need be expected for at least sixty days, when the crop demands may make some transfers necessary. The mid-year disbursements are said to have been provided for. Never in the history of American finance has there been so co-operation now seen. It is inferred that if liberal terms were made in the railroad contract for the specialties of the Kansas City, Mex. Pac. and Orient, the same kind of treatment is now expected with other reorganized carriers, such as Miss Pacific, Rock Island, P. W. and W. Va. In consequence speculative attention is being turned to low price rails. "Notwithstanding the extraordinary taxes expected this year we believe the leading steel companies will all be able to maintain their current large dividends," says a well informed stock exchange house closely connected with steel. It is recommending the purchase of B. S. B. and U. S. Steel common.

QUEBEC CITY TO PAY RIOT DAMAGE

Quebec, June 27.—The civic finance committee tonight studied the claims against the city for property damage caused during the riots here last spring. The claims aggregate a sum of \$5,000.

The city holds that it is not responsible for any damage caused after the militia took over control. The committee authorized Mayor Lavigne to effect a settlement for the damage caused March 28 and 29.

DEGREE CONFERRED

Ann Arbor, Mich., June 27.—The Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on Sir Robert A. Falconer, President of the University of Toronto, and Major General Leonard Wood of the United States Army at the commencement exercises of the university of Michigan here today. The degree of Doctor of Letters was conferred on M. Stephens Lanzaane, French Journalist and war commissioner to the United States.

A. SHUMAN, BOSTON MILLIONAIRE, DEAD

Head of Big Clothing House Friend of John Boyle O'Reilly Passes Away.
Boston, June 26.—A. Shuman, head of the wholesale and retail clothing house of A. Shuman & Co., one of the wealthiest of Boston's business men, and one of the leading Hebrews in the United States, died this morning. Mr. Shuman was born in Prussia in 1839. He emigrated a poor boy from Prussia and settled in New York state, where he worked on a farm and attended school until he was twelve years of age. Then he learned the clothing business. He was a bank director, trustee of the Museum of Fine Arts and head of the Boston city hospital. He was a close friend of the late John Boyle O'Reilly, and a prominent, active worker for Irish home rule. He leaves a family.

W. L. MACKENZIE KING LEAVES ROCKEFELLER

New York, June 26.—Study of industrial relations has been discontinued by the Rockefeller foundation owing to the war, it was announced today, and W. L. Mackenzie King, former Canadian minister of labor, who in 1914 was entrusted with the task of visiting leading countries to investigate and make constructive suggestions concerning industrial and social policies has severed his connection with the foundation. The war prevented him from making his studies and obliged a modification of his plan, it was explained. He will publish a report, but not as an official report of the foundation.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC.

June—Phases of the Moon.
Last Quarter, 2nd 1h. 20m. a.m.
New Moon, 8th 7h. 3m. p.m.
First Quarter, 16th 10h. 12m. a.m.
Full Moon, 24th 7h. 38m. a.m.

Date	D. of W.	Sun. Rise	Sun. Sets	H. Water, a.m.	H. Water, p.m.	L. Water, a.m.	L. Water, p.m.
28 Fri	5.42	9.11	2.58	15.22	9.16	21.43	

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Fresh easterly winds; fair.
Washington, June 27.—Northern New England: Fair Friday; Saturday showers; moderate east becoming southeast winds.

Toronto, June 27.—The Manitoba distance has been developed into an important storm, which is moving towards Lake Superior. Rain has been general in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and showers are occurring in Ontario. The weather has been warmer today in Ontario and Quebec and cooler in the western provinces.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	46	56
Victoria	48	62
Kamloops	48	72
Edmonton	50	72
Calgary	50	68
Prince Albert	50	58
Regina	50	68
Moos Jaw	50	68
Winnipeg	54	68
Port Arthur	44	54
Parry Sound	64	76
London	64	76
Toronto	68	78
Kingston	60	76
Ottawa	68	80
Quebec	76	80
St. John	48	70
Halifax	46	64

DILLON WANTS ALL IRISH CONFERENCE

Dublin, June 26.—The Irish recruiting committee professes to look for active support from the Catholic church and the Nationalist party, said John Dillon in addressing a meeting of the United Irish League here last night, but they would get neither the support of one nor the other until they handed over to Irishmen the government of their own country.

The Irish Nationalist leader suggested that an all-Ireland conference be held next autumn with the object of devising a scheme for national unity. Reiterating that the Nationalists would never adopt the aims and methods of the Sinn Feiners, Mr. Dillon declared that the government was employing the Sinn Fein party in order to create a situation which would discredit the Irish race throughout the world.

NO FURTHER TALK ON WILSON'S PLAN FOR WORLD PEACE

Amsterdam, June 26.—There will be no further discussion of President Wilson's four principles of a basis for general peace by Count Von Hertling, the Imperial German Chancellor. This announcement was made by the Chancellor in the Reichstag in the debate after the speech of Foreign Secretary Von Kuehmann. The proposal of a league of nations after the war is not looked upon with favor by Count Hertling, who intimated that such a league might make it uncomfortable for Germany.

Amherst, June 26.—The police authorities, the militia and an anxious livery stable keeper are looking for a soldier attached to the Canadian Engineers who "lighted out" of Amherst on Sunday with a hired rig. The soldier did not go alone. He took a young lady with him and she is also missing. The couple were traced as far as Dorchester where they spent the night. At a hotel and later were traced in the direction of Moncton. The police of several places have been notified by Chief Chapman to arrest the two on sight.

Washington, June 25.—Germany is preparing her people for failure to win the war this year by an extensive propaganda setting forth that in the event German armies are not able to overrun France this year, the situation next year will still be better for Germany than it was at the beginning of the present offensive, and that a movement will be made to put France entirely out of the war.

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