

ALLIES FORMALLY NOTIFY UNITED STATES OF THE EMBARGO ON GERMAN SHIPPING

Sec. Bryan Receives Communication From French and British, Ambassadors Outlining Policy to be Followed—No Word of What Steps Washington Will Next Take.

Washington, March 1.—Great Britain and France served notice on the United States today that they would hold themselves at liberty to stop all shipping hereafter to and from Germany. A communication outlining measures of reprisal on the part of the Allies for the submarine warfare on merchant ships conducted by Germany was delivered to Secretary Bryan by the British and French Ambassadors here, who called personally at the State Department together for that purpose. Secretary Bryan promptly approved President Wilson of the new move, but declined to make any statement. What the nature of the steps was not disclosed by the Ambassadors, who intimated that the State Department would make all announcements on the subject.

Fought in Battles of Mons and The Marne, Ontario Man Comes Home Wounded

Port William, Ont., March 1.—Pierced by German bullets in three places, one through the leg and two through the chest, with a bayonet wound in the shoulder and suffering from rheumatism contracted in the muddy trenches, Harry Gibson, of this city, British Army Reservist, is home from the war pending his recovery when he will return to resume the fight. He arrived in the city Saturday night after an experience that it falls to few men to go through and live. He left here in August and since the first little British army landed in France and stayed the curbs of the great German war machine, he has been in the thick of the fighting. He was in practically every engagement at Mons and around the Marne where the thin little line of Britishers held at bay the overwhelming forces of the Kaiser. Mr. Gibson is one of the lucky few still living of his regiment which was almost entirely wiped out.

THE HAMBURG AMERICAN LINE INDICTED

Charges of conspiracy to defraud Gov't by filing false records and manifests at Customs House.

New York, Mar. 1.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating violations of the customs laws in connection with the furnishing of supplies to German cruisers in the Atlantic, returned an indictment today against the Hamburg American Line and six men alleged to have been connected with the shipments. The indictment charges conspiracy to defraud the government through the filing at the Customs House of false records, false clearances of vessels and false manifests of cargo.

WILL ADVOCATE MILITARY DRILL AMONG SCHOOLBOYS

London, Mar. 1.—Lord Willoughby De Broke has given notice that he will call the attention of the House of Lords to the statement made by the President of the Board of Education that the board is not prepared to sanction the introduction of military drill into the elementary schools. Lord De Broke will urge that much will be gained for the national physique and preparedness for war if the Australian system is adopted, whereby all schoolboys are enrolled in the cadet corps, drilled and trained to use the rifle with the natural result that they join the militia after leaving school. The House of Lords is certain to support the motion and it is conceded that if introduced in the House of Commons will receive far more support even from the Liberals than it would have before the war.

AN AMAZING CURE FOR NEURALGIA MAGICAL RELIEF FOR HEADACHE

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Premier Asquith Announces Blockade of Enemy's Countries

(Continued from page 1) London, March 1.—The establishment of a virtual blockade of hostile countries is Great Britain's reply to Germany's attacks on merchant shipping, announced officially today by Premier Asquith in a momentous speech in the House of Commons. The plan of the Allied governments for the regulation of shipping to and from ports of hostile nations contemplates the prevention of commodities of every kind reaching or leaving the ports without, however, involving risks to neutral vessels or their crews. The Allies will hold themselves at liberty to capture goods presumed to have come from hostile countries or to be destined for them. They have no intention, however, of confiscating ships or cargoes which are detained unless they are liable to confiscation under normal conditions of war. The Premier revealed these measures of reprisals to parliament and the nation on introducing the third and fourth votes for credit to meet the expenses of the fleet. These respectively \$185,000,000 to balance the expenditures of the current fiscal year, making the total cost of eight months of war \$1,810,000,000, and another vote of \$1,250,000,000 as the first installment for the year opening April 1.

EVERY REASON TO BE CONFIDENT OF OUTCOME.

Referring to the new credit measure which the government presented, Mr. Asquith said: "The government is making this large pecuniary demand with the full conviction that after seven months of war the country and the Empire are every whit as determined as ever—if needs be at a cost of all we can command in men and money—to bring the righteous cause to a triumphant issue. There is much to encourage and stimulate us in what we see in the heroism of Belgium and Serbia, and in the unbounded tenacity wherewith our Allies hold their far-flung lines until the moment comes for an irresistible decisive advance. We have no reason to be otherwise satisfied with the progress of recruiting. I can assure the House that with all the knowledge and experience gained by the government, we were never more confident than today of the power and will of the allies to achieve an ultimate victory."

IF HEADACHY, DIZZY, BILIOUS, "CASCARETS"

Tonight! Clean your bowels and stop headache, colds, sour stomach. Get a 10-cent box now. You're bilious! You have a throbbing sensation in your head, a bad taste in your mouth, your eyes burn, your skin is yellow, with dark rings under your eyes; your lips are parched. No wonder you feel ugly, mean and ill-tempered. Your system is full of bile not properly passed off, and what you need is a cleaning up inside. Don't continue to allow a nuisance to yourself and those who love you, and don't resort to harsh physics that irritate and injure. Remember that most disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels are cured by morning with gentle thorough Cascarets—they work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your drugist will keep your liver and bowels clean, stomach sweet, and your head clear for months. Children love to take Cascarets because they taste good and never grip or sicken.

BOUGHT NO HORSES IN UN. STATES FOR CAN. CONTINGENTS

Ottawa, Mar. 1.—Militia horses and the tubing of penitentiary convicts were the chief subjects of inquiry under the heading of "Questions" on today's order-paper of the House of Commons. Gen. Hughes told Mr. Deslisle that no horses at Valcartier "had to be drowned," and that only twelve or fifteen had died in camp. "Some," added the minister, "went to the glue factory; others were buried."

SENDING CREW OF THE DACIA TO NEW YORK

New York, March 1.—The American flag which flew over the steamship Dacia captured last week by a French cruiser and taken into Brest, has been hauled down and the United States consul at Brest is sending the ship's crew back to New York, according to cablegrams received here today.

HALIFAX HOUSE HIT BY SHELL, PANIC AMONG INHABITANTS

Halifax, N. S., March 1.—A twelve pound explosive shell, presumably fired from one of the harbor forts during target practice, entered two houses in the residential district here today. No one was in the houses at the time. The people living in the vicinity were panic stricken for a while, thinking that an enemy's ship had fired the shell.

PASSENGERS SAY THE GRAMPAN WAS CHASED BY SUBMARINE

Halifax, N. S., Mar. 1.—Fast time was made on the voyage to Halifax from Liverpool by the Allan Line Grampian, chartered to the C. P. R., which has arrived here. The Grampian had fine weather and only a little fog. Her officers say that the voyage was without incident, while some of the passengers averred that when coming through the Irish Channel she was chased by a German submarine. They say that she maintained a zig-zag course at time and that naval signals had been received from the shore giving warning that a German submarine was in the vicinity. The next day Marconiograms stated that a steamer had been torpedoed a half hour after the Grampian had dropped her pilot and at the same place.

TWO RELIEF SHIPS REACH ROTTERDAM

Bring 7,000 tons of Flour and 9,400 tons of Supplies for Belgian sufferers.

Rotterdam, March 1, via London.—The largest amount of gifts from America to the destitute people of Belgium which has been received on any day since the relief work began, arrived today at Rotterdam. The steamer Great City, carrying 3,400 tons of goods docked here, as did the steamer South Point, which brought 7,000 tons of flour contributed by millers of Northwestern States.

OUR SOLDIERS SEEN ON THE IMPERIAL SCREEN

26th Battalion a big feature—Splendid Vaudeville and uproarious Comedy film.

The Imperial Theatre scored another hit yesterday with a programme that fairly bristled with novelty and merit. It was truly wonderful to see our 26th Battalion of khaki-clad boys marching through the streets at close range (so that every man could be plainly distinguished) and to watch them in spirited field tactics as well as to see the officers in portrait fashion. It was a splendid memento of the men who are going from New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island to fight the battles of the Empire and applause punctuated the picture throughout. This film will be the special feature again today and tomorrow. The other features of the pictorial included Charles Chaplin, the famous English comedian, in the two reel scream of merriment entitled "His New Job." This kept the crowds in absolute thunders of laughter and will doubtless create a lot of comment throughout the city today. There was another of the railway adventures of Helen and the Heart-Selg Weekly showed the Vancouver bridge and the would-be dynamiter, Van Horn, also views of the Italian earthquake. The quality of vaudeville this week upholds the best traditions of the Keith house. Reidy and Currier are a splendid duo of singers and Miss Currier is a most talented performer upon the queenly instrument, the harp. The programme purveyed by these people was of a popular and standard character and the setting in which they were was of a very tasty nature.

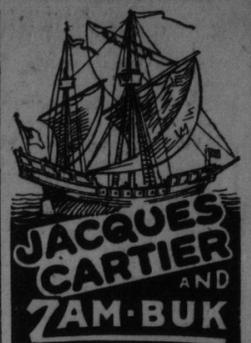
USE COCOANUT OIL FOR WASHING HAIR

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, the less soap you use the better. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain multifid coconut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair. Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage. You can get multifid coconut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

AH! HOW "TIZ" HELPS TIRED, ACHING FEET

Nothing like "TIZ" for sore, burning, calloused feet and corns. "Pull, Johnny, Pull!"

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In 1534 Jacques Cartier, discoverer of Canada, and his crew, were saved from a terrible and fatal skin disease by an herbal remedy composed of the juices and saps of certain herbs. Mr. J. Cartier, of 2192 Clarke St., Montreal, a descendant of the illustrious discoverer, has just been cured of eczema by Zam-Buk. Mr. Cartier is a Justice of the Peace and Assistant Clerk of the Circuit Court. He is a member of the family of the late Sir George Cartier, one of the Fathers of Confederation. Mr. Cartier writes: "Allow me to express my gratitude for the benefit I have derived from Zam-Buk. It is the best remedy for eczema to be found. I always keep it in the house as our family doctor. Its healing and curative power is immense. I wish everybody could know the high quality of Zam-Buk." Zam-Buk is the modern scientific representative of the crude essences and saps, which saved the life of Jacques Cartier in 1534. Zam-Buk contains these herbal extracts plus modern antiseptic properties unknown in the 16th century. Zam-Buk cures Ulcers, Piles, Eczema, Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Chapped Hands, Cold Sores, and other skin diseases and injuries. All drug and stores, 50c. box, 3 boxes \$1.25. FREE TRIAL BOX will be sent on receipt of this advertisement, name of paper, and 10c. stamp. Address Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.



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