

MANY GERMANS KILLED IN ATTACKS ON FRENCH

FIVE HEAVY ATTACKS BY GERMAN ARMY REPULSED BY GEN. PETAIN'S MEN

Enemy Bombardment in Region of Craonne Very Heavy—Italians Attack Triest—Little Land Fighting in Austria.

Paris, June 3.—Five heavy attacks were made by the Germans last night on the French positions on the Calonne and Vauclerc plateau. The war office today announced the complete repulse of all these assaults with heavy losses to the attacking forces.

The text of the statement followed: "The enemy bombardment reported yesterday in the region of Craonne was extended and continued during the night with extreme violence, especially on the entire front of the Vauclerc and Calonne plateau. The Germans finally launched five successive attacks with large effectives, of which three were upon the east portion of the Calonne plateau and two upon the west portion and the Vauclerc plateau.

Enemy Repulsed.
"The enemy was everywhere repulsed with important losses, notably in the region of the Calonne plateau where the enemy assaulting detachments were broken up by our fire. The enemy left a great number of dead in front of our trenches. A number of prisoners remained in our hands.

Italian Statement.
Vienna, June 2, via London.—An official statement issued from Austrian headquarters today reads: "Italian theatre: Early this morning an enemy attack near Gorizia failed. Otherwise there was only artillery firing on the Isonzo. There was great aerial activity and our air men brought down two hostile machines in air fights. During May our troops on the Tyrol front captured eight officers, 728 men, ten machine guns and three grenade throwers from hostile positions.

Trouble at Petrograd Unsettled.
Kronstadt May Be Cut Off From Rest of Country—Minister of Justice Nearly Lynched.

Petrograd, June 2, via London, June 3.—"Kronstadt will be declared morally boycotted, outlawed and cut off from the rest of the empire unless it immediately withdraws its defiance to the provisional government."

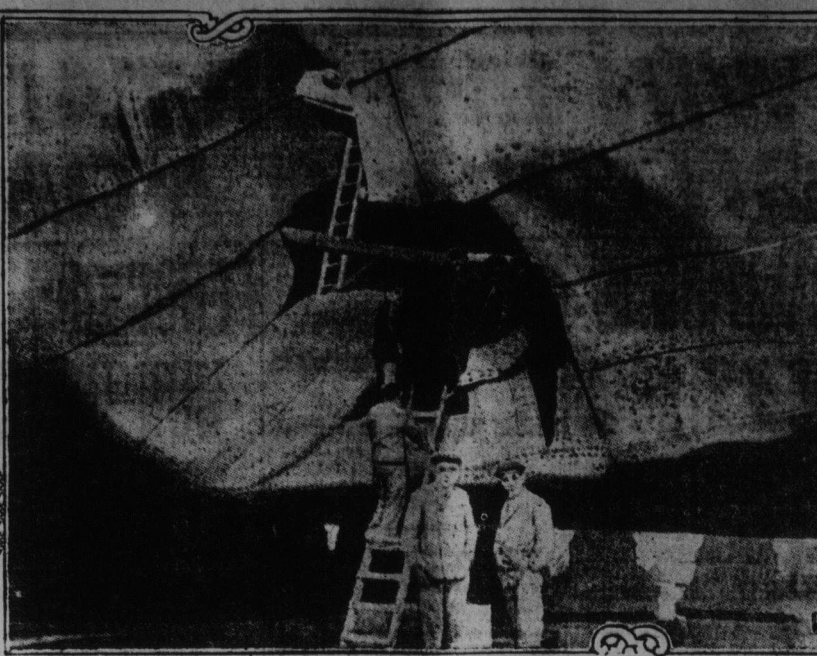
LABOR MEN VOTE AGAINST CONSCRIPTION
Ottawa, June 3.—After a momentous sitting Saturday the National Labor Conference passed a resolution against conscription, urging the organized workers of the country to oppose it with every means in their power.

German Official Statement Also Tells of British Attack Near Loos.
Berlin, June 3, via London.—The text of the official statement on the operations along the Franco-Belgian front reads: "Between Lens and Queant the firing activity was also lively. At night the British attacked near Loos, at the Souchez Brook and northeast of Monchy. They were repulsed. Fighting still continues in trench sections southwest of Lens.

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Barrie Man Tells of Perilous Headaches and Indigestion—Finally Found His Way to Good Health.

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THE WORK OF A TORPEDO FROM A GERMAN SUBMARINE.



BRITISH MAKE ATTACK IN DIRECTION OF THE BESIEGED CITY OF LENS

Capture Important Point Held by Teutons Who Suffered Severely—Fighting at Times Has Swirled About Asylums for the Insane, Cemeteries and Breweries.

From a Staff Correspondent of The Associated Press with the British Army in France, via London, June 3.—The infantry bill of several weeks was broken late last night, when under the light of a nearly full moon the British made an attack southwest of Lens and in the direction of that besieged city. The point of attack was west of Avion, which is one of the southern suburbs of Lens, the latter being the center of a mining district which sprawls for miles along the valley of the Souches river.

Captured Positions.
The British by early dawn had captured all the important positions and were still fighting today along the Lens-Arras road. They had captured the electric power station just south of the river where the Germans had been established for many months and which was fairly stiff with machine guns. The station had been pretty well blown about by artillery fire, but was still in operation.

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COALITION IS NOW STRONG PROBABILITY

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western Liberals are strongly in favor and it had been taken for granted that he would be of like mind. It has been known for some time that Mr. Carvell and his efforts and influence have counted for much. On the other hand another powerful New Brunswicker, Mr. Pugsley, has been exerting his influence in the opposite direction.

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WASTAGE OF HUN ARMIES VERY LARGE

More Than Thirty Divisions Withdrawn From British Front.

GERMANY HAS ABOUT MILLION INFANTRY

Enemy Constantly on Alert and Keep the Big Guns Busy.

Canadian Headquarters in France, via London, June 2.—(By Stewart Lyon, Special Correspondent Canadian Press)—The Germans on this part of the front are keenly on the alert and at night on the slightest sign of an unusual movement they turn on a heavy barrage. Early this morning one of their "S.O.S." signals set the whole front in an uproar, barges coming from both sides, the enemy's experience early Friday morning probably having made him more nervous.

Bombs from Airplanes.
Another form of warfare, which efficiently increases, is the use of bombs discharged from aeroplanes. A squadron of fifteen aeroplanes visited points on the German railway system east of Lens and dropped one bomb of two hundred and thirty pounds and twenty of 122 pounds. The effect was reported as most satisfactory.

Enemy Wastage.
The end of the month calculations of the enemy wastage are now available. On the western front the German army consists of 157 1/2 divisions, of which 107 1/2 are holding the line and fifty in reserve. Of the latter 33 divisions are exhausted troops withdrawn from the front after a period of service there. More than half of the divisions

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at the front are probably tired and in need of rest. After the heavy fighting of the past two months on the various parts of the line more than thirty divisions were withdrawn from German trenches facing the British front.

This wastage is greater than had been hoped for when the campaign opened. It must be remembered that German divisions are now reduced in numbers, few battalions having more than seven hundred men. The battalions on the western front probably do not master much more than a million bayonets available for the holding of the trenches. This of course is exclusive of artillery, army service, transport and auxiliary troops. Of cavalry the Germans have only two divisions on the western front, as horses are very scarce.

COLT KING CORIN WON.
Louisville, Ky., June 3.—The four-year-old Transval-Bibel Simpson Colt King Corin, owned by R. L. Baker and Company, of Lexington, Ky., under a masterful ride by Jockey Mack Garner, and favored by a light impost of 108 pounds, won the fifth renewal of the Kentucky handicap at Douglas Park here Saturday by a neck from John W. Schorr's three-year-old Bromstick Colt Cudgel, before one of the largest crowds ever witnessed the running of the stake. Half a length back was Andrew Miller's Roamer, which made his third try for the event.

The time of 2:04 1/5 for the mile and a quarter was remarkable considering the condition of the track, which was lumpy and slow.

The stake was worth \$12,200 net to the winner; \$1,500 to second; \$800 to third.

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