

GERMAN RAIDER BELIEVED TO BE SUNK

Commerce Marauder Destroyed by British Vessel According to Reports

Hun Raiders Now Mask Their Depredation Under the American Flag--Washington Now Takes Official Action

Buenos Aires, Argentina, Jan. 22.—"La Prensa" publishes a despatch from Rio de Janeiro saying that, according to a cablegram received at Pernambuco, the British cruiser Glasgow has sunk a German commerce raider 130 miles off Para. No details are given.

Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Jan. 21.—That there is more than one German commerce raider in the South Atlantic and that they are flying the American flag to deceive merchantmen is the report from Pernambuco.

The minister of marine has received a telegram from the captain of that port confirming a declaration made yesterday by the commander of the Brazilian steamer Maranhao that he had encountered two cargo vessels, accompanied by two auxiliary ships, believed to be Germans, all flying the American flag.

The Brazilian Government, in addition to sending out the coast defense ship Deodoro to guard the northern coast of Brazil, has decided to despatch a scout cruiser, which will cruise between Port Natal and Fernando Da Noronha Island and keep close watch on the coast in these waters. The vessels will leave for the north on Tuesday.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Inquiry has been made of Germany as to whether there were any Americans among the 103 neutral sailors brought in as prisoners of war on the German prize Yarrowdale, for having taken pay on armed merchantmen. The inquiry was made entirely on press reports and not on any official information, which has come to the state department.

Officials admit that the armed ships is at the root of the whole question. The views of the United States and Germany appear wildly divergent. Each case officials say, must be decided on its own merits, but out of all the difficulties that have recently arisen, it is believed, it may be possible to enunciate some general rule. It is said, however, that no definite program has yet been drawn up.

WILSON ADDRESSES SENATE ON THE FOREIGN QUESTION

Washington, Jan. 22.—President Wilson, in a personal address to the Senate to-day, laid down the question of whether the United States shall depart from its traditional policy of isolation and non-entangling alliances, and take part in a world league to preserve peace after the war.

DUTY BEFORE PLEASURE



"Well, if yer thinks yer ought to, I'll lend yer this bit of mistletoe of mine." Balmfather in the London Bystander

HUNS ALREADY PLAN NEXT WAR

Alsace May Be Surrendered To France, But Germany Plans To Retake It. BELGIUM Must Be Restored and Indemnified, It is Agreed.

London, Jan. 22.—(New York Times cable)—The Daily Express' Amsterdam correspondent telegraphs the following: A South American diplomat, who is leaving Berlin had luncheon last week with the imperial chancellor and Herr Zimmermann, the foreign minister. The possibility of peace was discussed and the neutral diplomat gives me the following account of what was said:

An unidentified young woman was apoplexied by fumes from a gas heater in a Detroit rooming house. She wore a gold watch with the initials "A.C." and containing a picture of an elderly woman and a baby.

FOOD SHORTAGE IS ON INCREASE

Even Margarine Is Now Almost Unobtainable In Berlin. THEATRES Are Ill Heated, and Audiences Wear Fur Coats During Performances

London, Jan. 22.—The scarcity of food stuffs in Germany, especially in Berlin, is increasing, according to an Amsterdam despatch to Reuters, quoting Berlin newspapers. From December 22 to December 23, according to the despatch, the maximum supply per head was three pounds of potatoes and four pounds of kohlrahi. From December 24 to December 27 ratios of seven ounces of flour were available, but for an entire week the consumer could only get three ounces of butter and no margarine.

RUSSIAN CZAR CALLS UPON PEOPLE FOR GREATER SACRIFICE

Makes Stirring Appeal For Union of the Empire to the Winning of the War

London, Jan. 22.—An Imperial rescript has been addressed by Emperor Nicholas to the new Russian Premier, Prince Golotzine, calling upon him among other things to see that the government devote its first attention to the question of supplies for the armies of Russia and concentrate itself upon the development on a large scale of the measures recently taken in this connection.

"ALLIED VICTORY IS A CERTAINTY"

Because It is a Duty, Says The French Minister of Manufactures.

SOCIALISTS Urged to Sink All Differences in Effort to Win the War

Paris, Jan. 22.—Albert Thomas, minister of manufactures, speaking at the anniversary commemoration of the death of Jean Baptiste Sennez, Socialist mayor of St. Gervais, exhorted the Socialists to sink all their differences and merge their efforts toward winning the war.

HUGE SWINDLE IS REVEALED

Italian Liquidated His Bank At Commencement of War

By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Jan. 22.—An alleged swindle estimated by different newspapers as amounting from 3,000,000 to 10,000,000 francs was disclosed yesterday in the arrest of Philippe Simeoni, of Italian origin, and Prince Henri de Broglie Revel. M. Simeoni was accused in 1912 of swindling the German Prince Friedrich Carl zu Hohenlohe-Oechringen out of 500,000 francs.

THE BYE-ELECTION

In Quebec Was Ordered By Laurier Liberal Candidate Reports This Statement

St. Rose, Que., Jan. 20.—"When Mr. Sevigny became minister of the Borden Cabinet I asked my friends to meet at St. Rose in connection, not as Mr. Sevigny says, on my own initiative, but at the demand and following the desire of the venerable head of the Liberal Party, Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

In these words Lucien Cannon, Liberal candidate against Hon. Albert Sevigny, minister of inland revenue, in Dorchester County emphasized even more clearly than before that he was a candidate, because of the approval of the Liberal leader and of his supporters in the County.

Mr. Sevigny's Trial After Mr. Cannon announced that it was Sir Wilfrid Laurier who had told him to call the convention, he proceeded: "I am obliged to hold Mr. Sevigny's trial, to bring accusations against him, to use severe language, and it is without malice."

"When the Government wanted to deliver Canada, tied hand and foot to England, and Laurier, the representative of our race, from speaking, Sevigny gave his vote that Laurier should not speak."

Laurier Against N. S. My attitude to national service is this," declared Mr. Cannon, "Laurier did not approve because he refused to join the commission, but as a good citizen advised the people to sign them. I signed my card, but I say that I am opposed to conscription, whether industrial or military.

Suburbs Get Hydro Power

The result for which the ratepayers of Echo Place, Parkdale, and Grand View have been striving for some time has at last been attained.—the electrification of these suburbs by the Ontario Hydro Electric Power Commission. This morning, Second Deputy Reeve, James A. Seace was in communication with the commissioners at Toronto, over the telephone, and received the information that the commission authorized the township to purchase all the equipment now in the possession of the Western Counties Electric Company, in the township, with the exception of the meters and transformers.

Buffalo's hold-up record continues. Three men were held up last night at the point of revolvers and robbed on the street.

Weather Bulletin

Toronto, Jan. 22.—A small disturbance, which was in Arizona on Saturday morning moved quickly eastward and developed into an important storm, which has given a heavy snow fall in Ontario and Quebec. It is now centered near Montreal. The weather is very cold in all the provinces.

The Forecasts High northwest winds, fair and colder. Tuesday, fair and decidedly colder.

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