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STEAMER FROM MONTREAL SUNK BY GERMAN PIRATES

London, June 22.—The British steamer Carlsbrook, from Montreal for Leith, Scotland, was sunk by gunfire from a German submarine on June 21 at a point 40 miles north of Kinnaird's Head. Eleven members of her crew were saved. Thirteen are as yet unaccounted for.

ITALIANS ARE ENCOUNTERING BETTER ORGANIZED RESISTANCE.

Rome, June 22.—Italian troops to-day renewed with vigor their assaults on all the Austrian positions. The storm that for the last few days had infuriated the military operations had cleared away. A drastic reagent's decree issued early today threatens grave penalties for those who publicly circulate any reports about military operations other than those contained in official statements.

WILLING TO ARBITRATE.

Boston, June 22.—President Howard Elliot, of New Haven, declares the road is willing to submit its differences with the railroad clerks to arbitration, but that if a strike is ordered the company will have to fill the places of those who leave its service and continue to do the business of the public as well as its own under the changed conditions.

REPORT INDICATES BUMPER CROPS.

Chicago, June 22.—St. Paul's crop report shows the condition of small grains unchanged. All its advice indicate bumper crops.

DE WET GETS SIX YEARS.

Bloemfontein, Union of South Africa, June 22.—General Christian de Wet, one of the leaders of the South African rebellion against the British Government, was to-day sentenced to six years' imprisonment and fined \$10,000.

RUSSIAN SUBMARINES ACTIVE.

Petrograd, June 22.—From an authoritative source it was learned to-day that the Russian submarines in the Black Sea have sunk a large enemy steamship and two sailing vessels. They were both sent to the bottom by torpedoes between Eregh and Kefen.

PRUSSIAN CASUALTIES, 1,408,489.

Amsterdam, June 22.—Prussian casualties in the East are estimated at 1,408,489 in an official statement issued at Berlin to-day.

PRO-GERMANS ARE DISMISSED.

St. John, N.B., June 22.—The superintendent of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries announced that two of the assistant superintendents—Messrs. Wagner and Giesler—of German descent, have been released from their positions. They claim to be Americans.

PRICE OF SPLITTER DECLINES.

New York, June 22.—The decline in splitter continues about as rapid as recent advance. A large concern quotes the metal at 16 to 18 cents, near delivery.

CANADIAN RAILS FOR STATES.

Candidate steel rails were recently shipped to the United States from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., the first shipment from the mill there.

ENEMY IS TRYING TO SURROUND RUSSIANS

Army Defending Lemberg Expected to be Withdrawn Before Austro-German Flanking Operations

FRENCH LINE WAS BENT

Germans Made Violent Attack in Argonne, but Most of Lost Ground Was Recovered—Frenzied Attack with Asphyxiating Bombs.

(Special Cable to Journal of Commerce.) London, June 22.—Austro-German forces, now within nine miles of Lemberg, are seeking to cut off and surround the Russian army there, and it is believed that the Grand Duke Nicholas will abandon any further serious defence of the Galician capital, and will withdraw immediately before the enemy's flanking operations in the direction of Rawa Ruska cut his eastward line of retreat.

Kaiser to Make Triumphant Entry.

Confident that his men are about to re-occupy Lemberg, the Kaiser is at the front, preparing to make a triumphant entry into the city with his troops after they have won it for him.

Companies Buried in Trenches.

The recent activity of the Germans on the western edge of the Argonne has increased, and they are making lavish use of asphyxiating bombs in that region. On both sides of the road from Vienne le Chateau to Binerville they delivered a violent attack preceded by the discharge of a great number of these bombs, which caused the French line to bend back. So violent was the preparatory bombardment that two entire companies were buried in the trenches. A counter-attack the French assert, resulted in the recovery of most of the lost ground.

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Two Forts.

The French advance in the Fecht valley in Alsace has resulted in the capture of the village of Metzeral, of which the Germans admit the loss. The French have progressed eastward beyond the village toward Meyerhof.

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DUNKIRK AGAIN BOMBARDED FROM A DISTANCE OF 20 MILES

Paris, June 22.—Throwing shells a distance of more than 20 miles, the Germans have again bombarded Dunkirk. Fourteen shells fell on the city, killing several persons. The bombardment occurred at night.

CABLEGRAM FROM F. ORR LEWIS.

Mr. J. W. McConnell has just received a cablegram from Mr. F. Orr Lewis from Enfield, England, as follows: "Please add to your list of contributions \$250 each from Mrs. Lewis and myself for the Red Cross Society." The interest which Mr. Lewis is taking in outside activities leads to the inference that he is recovering from his experience when the Lusitania was torpedoed.

DEVELOP HYDRAULIC POWER.

To develop hydraulic powers in the cities of Quebec and Three Rivers a company, promoted by Montreal, has secured a provincial charter. Those interested are the following: Mr. Chas. B. Ranschaud, of Outremont, broker; Milton Lewis Hervey, engineer, and Howard Murray, manager, of Westmount; Thos. McDowell, of Montreal, capitalist, and Julian Smith.

BRITISH WAR LOAN A SUCCESS.

London, June 22.—The British war loan has proved a success. There is heavy demand for bonds, especially from small investors. It is already evident that the loan will be entirely subscribed.

TUNNEL OPENED TO PUBLIC.

New York, June 22.—The Steiny Tunnel connecting Manhattan and Queen's Counties was opened to the public at noon.



SIR EDWARD GREY, Britain's Foreign Minister, who warns the Empire's subjects to keep away from Mexico.

GERMANY'S POTATO EXPERT MAROONED

In United States When War Began he Cannot now Secure Safe Conduct Home

TOILS FOR DAILY BREAD

Administration at Washington Gives Him a Job, But Contrary to View of German Aide, Refuses to Make Him An International Martyr.

Washington, D.C., June 22.—A privy councillor of the German empire is holding a job under temporary appointment in the United States Department of Agriculture, in order that he may have something to eat, and a place to sleep until the war is over and he can return to his country and his family and his income. German circles in this capital think it should be the duty and the pleasure of the American government to send this man home in a United States warship, if no other means can be found to insure his entire safety.

Dr. Appel the Marooned Man.

The distinguished German official thus compelled to toil in a strange land for his daily bread is Dr. Otto Appel, the foremost world authority on the disease of the potato. He came here in July upon the invitation of the United States to be the guest of this Government for three months, during which time he was to visit the potato belt of the United States and then to give the Department of Agriculture the benefit of a report on the best means to eradicate that which kills the American potato.

Alleged Discourtesy Denounced.

Being purely a matter of international courtesy between friendly nations, neither the German ambassador nor the German government appears to have felt free to "call" the loan of Dr. Appel. So they have said nothing. Nor will Dr. Appel say anything. But in the German circle the case is the subject of much bitter comment.

MAKING GERMANS WORK AGAINST INTERESTS OF THE FATHERLAND.

Occasionally you hear of the Motherland putting it over the Germans in quarters that are likely to be least expected. Germany is aiding Bethlehem Steel Co. in filling its large contracts to furnish Great Britain and her allies with munitions of war. Adjoining the Bethlehem plant is the Lehigh Coke Co., in which the Deutsche Bank of Germany has a 70 per cent interest. All coke and gas which the Bethlehem Steel needs to run its blast and open-hearth furnaces and much machinery is procured from the Lehigh Coke Co. The Lehigh Coke, furthermore, will soon be making benzol, as it is now putting up a \$350,000 plant for the purpose. It is said that the Bethlehem Co. threatened to have the Duponts put up a plant on its property if the Lehigh Coke Co. would not sell coke and gas.

U. S. NOT MAKING EFFORT FOR PEACE IN EUROPE.

Washington, June 22.—President Wilson made it clear that the United States is not making any active effort to bring about peace in Europe, but that this government would do everything possible to promote the proposed conference of neutrals.

WESTERN ATTACKS REPULSED, GERMANY OFFICIALLY REPORTS

Berlin, June 22.—Austro-German forces are now standing before the forts defending Lemberg on the north. The German War Office officially announced that the Russians in Galicia have retreated east of Zolkiew, which is about 15 miles due north of Lemberg. It is officially announced that battles northwest of Lemberg are continuing.

GERMANY SUSPENDS BERLIN PAPER.

Berlin, June 22.—That the German Foreign Office desires to avoid anything likely to interfere with peace and a full understanding with the United States was the interpretation placed to-day on the suspension of the Deutsche Tagzeitung. Announcement that the paper would not appear for an indefinite period was made last night.

BELGIANS CAPTURE MORE TRENCHES.

Paris, June 22.—Southwest of St. Georges, Belgium, the Belgian forces have captured more German trenches. Those of the defenders not being killed were captured.

VERDUN'S \$400,000 LOAN.

The Verdun Town Council has extended until noon on July 15th the time in which tenders for \$400,000 worth of bonds may be made.

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AUSTRIA OFFICIALLY REPORTS REPULSE OF ITALIAN ATTACKS

Vienna, June 22.—The official statement says: "The pursuing allied troops have advanced to Zolkiew, about 18 miles north of Lemberg and south of Lemberg to Skemierek Rivulet. The Russian troops on this line are everywhere being attacked. Near Tkolow and Zydaczow, the Russians are making a stand on the Dniester.

"Troops of General Pfanner repulsed strong Russian attacks with heavy losses to the Russians southwest of Plotok Zlopy, near Zale, Szczyk and on Besarabian frontier. The situation northward otherwise unchanged.

Regarding the campaign against the Italians the official report says: Our troops have repulsed two attacks near Preva. In district northwest of Kern, east of Karrefel, the enemy was repulsed from a position on the ridge. Our heavy artillery has successfully interfered with mountain fighting on Carinthian frontier. An attack by the enemy in the district east of Ploekem was unsuccessful.

"On the Tyrolean frontier district there have been no important events. The fire of the heavy Italian artillery against our fortifications has been unceasing. On June 19 a torpedo boat successfully bombarded the tank and harbor buildings at Monopol. The railway station at Bari and Brindisi have been damaged by the bombardment of our naval planes.

Constantinople, June 22.—The official statement says: "The Dardanelles front—Feeble artillery and infantry duels have occurred near Ari Burnu. Yesterday afternoon the attack of the enemy on the left wing near Sed el Bahr was repulsed by our fire. An attack on our whole front at Sed el Bahr was repulsed. Our Antolian coast batteries on Monday shelled with success the enemy's destroyers, mine sweepers and artillery trains. The enemy's aviators dropped 20 bombs on these batteries without damage.

NEW YORK'S BOND SALE.
New York, June 22.—In reference to the forthcoming New York City bond sale, Comptroller Frensdorff issues the following statement: "In answer to several inquiries relative to the 'all or none' principle as applied to the sale of corporate stock to be held on June 29, I would state that the charter of the City of New York provides 'that any bidder offering to purchase all or any part of the bonds offered for sale at a price at par or higher may also offer to purchase all or none of the said bonds at a different price, consequently 'all or none' bids must be for the entire issue of \$71,000,000 corporate stock."

DON'T VISIT MEXICO UNLESS ABSOLUTELY OBLIGED TO DO SO.
London, June 22.—In view of the existing state of affairs in Mexico, the secretary for foreign affairs (Sir Edward Grey) has issued a warning to British subjects against visiting that country unless absolutely obliged to do so by imperative necessity.

BRITISH AMBASSADOR TAKES HOLIDAY.
Sir Cecil Spring Rice, the British Ambassador at Washington, has gone to North Shore, Mass., to spend a week with his family.

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