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Germans Hurl New Army Against The French In Vain

Twelve New Divisions Fail to Check Nivelle's Offensive—London Reports Quieter Time on British Front

Paris, April 19.—The Germans threw twelve new divisions against the French between Soissons and Auberville last night. The war office announces that they were unable to check the successful offensive of the French.

CO-OPERATION IN COMBATING SUBMARINES

Report Sent to President Wilson by Rear Admiral Sims—Not Expected to Get All the U. Boats But Enough to Break Back Campaign

London, April 18.—The report of Rear-Admiral William S. Sims, U.S.N., dealing with all phases of the submarine problem, has been forwarded to Washington where it is being considered by President Wilson and the naval board, who will be guided by it in determining the manner in which the American fleet can best co-operate with the British navy in combatting the underwater craft.

LLOYD GEORGE PROBABLY WILL ANNOUNCE PROPOSALS TODAY TO SOLVE IRISH QUESTION

London, April 19.—The Manchester Guardian says that it is virtually certain that Premier Lloyd George will announce to parliament his proposal for the solution of the Irish question on Thursday.

ANTI-GERMAN DEMONSTRATIONS IN BRAZIL GO ON

Heavy Loss in Riots in Porto Alegre—German Newspapers Give Up—Huns Leave Parana

Rio Janeiro, April 19.—Telegrams from different parts of Brazil report the continuation of anti-German demonstrations. The president of the state of Rio Grande do Sul has issued a proclamation forbidding public meetings and declaring that any attempt to disobey this order will be met with force.

GERMANY OUT OF POTATOES AND WHEAT IN VERY FEW WEEKS

COMMANDER'S PRAISE OF THE MEN OF VIMY

General Home Says April 9 Historic One in Annals of Empire

(By Stewart Lyon, Canadian Press Correspondent in France) Canadian Army Headquarters, April 19.—Having heard somewhat of their achievements from the outside world, the Canadian troops have now had an opportunity of hearing, in an order of the day, the opinion of their army commander on the operations last week.

Table with columns for names and numbers, likely a sports or local events list.

HOME CHURCHES FOR THE CANADIANS IN LONDON

CLEARINGS ALMOST DOUBLED

Bank clearings for the week were \$8,066,000, compared with \$4,121,539 for the corresponding week last year.

GERMANS USED 19 DIVISIONS OF FRONT LINE TROOPS AGAINST FRENCH

DEFENCES VERY STRONG

Headquarters of the French army on the front, Tuesday night, April 17.—(Delayed.)—(From a staff correspondent.)—The success of the French in the great battle begun on Monday continued when, despite most desperate resistance from the Germans their front position was occupied along another twenty miles, extending eastward from Rheims to Auberville.

COMMISSIONER FISHER OPPOSED

Would Not Agree Unless Union Street Paving Included—Council Hears Delegation From Freight Handlers' Union

Although all the commissioners are agreed on the desirability of the work and all are willing that it should be done, the permanent paving will not be done in Main street this year.

DEADLOCK OVER PAVING PLANS

HOPE TO SEE RIVER OPEN BY TOMORROW

Clear Passage From Grand Falls to St. John Expected For -- Miss Sherman Going to Toronto

BERLIN SAYS NO SUBMARINE IN THE WESTERN ATLANTIC

A NEW COMET

THOUSAND DECIDE TO STRIKE

WEATHER REPORT

PLUMBERS' WAGES

MAY SAVE SIGHT

REGIMENT IS TO HAVE LITTLE GARDEN OF ITS OWN

BRUCHES ISLAND WOMEN GET PRESIDENTIAL SUFFRAGE

HEALTH AND PERDINAND

TRACING EDWARD McMILLIN

Major Hayes has received an inquiry from Lynn for information regarding Edward McMillin who is supposed to have enlisted in St. John in 1915.

London Papers Predict Early End Of The War

SEVENTY IN AMERICAN MARATHON

Long Distanced Race Today Over Roads Between Ashland and Boston

GREAT WORK OF TANKS

FRUIT HANDLERS

HUGHES WOULD LIKE TO SEE ROOSEVELT LEAD A CONTINGENT TO WEST FRONT

WEDNESDAY'S FIGHTING

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Helped Along by News From Western Front

WANTED TO READ PREDICTIONS

London, April 19.—(New York Sun cable)—Predictions of a speedy end of the war are general here today. They are helped along by the news of immense victories on the British and French fronts and of heavy German losses.

Kaiser Reported Very Ill at Hamburg—French Reports of Fearful Carnage Among Germans Confirmed From English Sources—London People Eagerly Buy to Read Predictions

RENEWAL OF THE REPORT THAT TURKEY, BULGARIA AND AUSTRIA ARE SEEKING A SEPARATE PEACE

TODAY'S BALL GAMES

BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE

AMERICAN LEAGUE

MEXICO TAKES OVER ANOTHER RAILWAY

COLLEGE PRESIDENTS IN TALK ON WAR AGRICULTURE

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