NEWS OF THE WEEK

CONDENSATIONS OF GREATER OR LESSER IMPORTANCE.

National, Political, Personal and Other Matters in Brief Form for All Classes of Readers.

WAR NEWS.

German losses to date total 2,-730,917, London newspapers figure, by

to the Gulf of Riga, is announced in an official statement given out in

the German cities held in Berlin, a road race at Corona. Fifteen were inmanifesto was issued in order to or- jured as a result of the accident, sevganize properly the distribution of eral of whom are expected to die. Burvictuals in the course of next winter, man's skull was fractured, several ribs the third year of the war.

The United States is disposed to consider that Germany, in the latest submarine note, virtually has admit-

Forty-two Danish ships, valued at 11,000,000 kroner, the cargoes of which | Chicago Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., were valued at 20,000,000 kroner, have defeated Bill Hokuff in straight falls. been destroyed by submarines and The first fall in 8:31, and the second mines during the war. Eighty-seven in 3:26. men have been killed.

An attempt to held a non-conscription and peace meeting in Trafalgar Square in London was unceremoniously broken up by thousands of persons who charged and dispersed the meeting and tore up the banners and

The German losses before Verdun up to the present time have reached the huge total of 200,000 men, one of the greatest battle losses in the whole range of warfare, according to estisemi-official source.

member of the British parliament de- time being 2:23 2-5. clared that the scarcity of shipping is becoming a serious problem in England. He estimates that since the dent of the international Olympic been lost from all causes.

York, secretary of the Albanian re- sible. lief committee, announced in Paris that 150,000 persons had died of starvation in Albania during the last eighteen months, and that 500,000 more were likely to die before normal condition in that country were re-

GENERAL.

several hundred sacked Sierra Mojada, five miles across the Coahuila line and eighty miles east of Jiminez, destroying many thousands of dollars' worth of property and looting the town of everything of value.

A nationwide photographic contest in the interest of the "Good Roads Everywhere" movement, with cash prizes of \$2,600 open to everybody, is announced at the National Highway association headquarters at Washing-

General Carranza, head of the de facto government in Mexico, has issued a decree calling for a new issue troopers of the Seventh cavalry, un of paper money to exceed \$500,000,000 der Major Tompkins, were fired upon to go in circulation May 1. The pres- by citizens in Parral, a Villa strong ent circulation will be recalled by hold in western Chihuahua, Mexico. December 1.

victory for the farmers. Only one provided for by the river and harbor company, the Bowman concern, failed bill, as it passed the house, carrying to sign the new scale, and its plant \$40,000,000. \$50,000,000 for improve was burned. As a result the retail ment from Kansas City to Sioux City price of milk in Chicago is now 9 with \$25,000 on revetment work. cents a quart.

The European war and the resultant high price of material, particular- was able to give them \$1,000,000 each, ly steel, has caused an increase in the he would still insist that each know selling price of a number of standard ho wto manage her home said Senator makes of automobiles. The new prices | Smoot of Utah, favoring federal aid in several instances, have been an- for domestic science study. nounced by agenta and dealers in this territory to their clients.

to death on the stage of the Garrick | department, which says that while theater at Hereford, England. It was most dyes are hardly obtainable bea children's entertainment to provide cause of the war, Easter dye supply is comforts for the soldiers.

"New York spends \$1,00,000 a day in dissipation and the nation winter wheat crop as compared with \$50,000,000 a year for moving pictures, the estimate of April 1, 1915, is indibut our religion is not costing us cated in a department of agriculture enough," declared Rev. W. A. R. report just issued. The yield will be Goodwin of Rochester, N. Y., at a 495,000,000 bushels, it was estimated. laymen's missionary movement in New York City.

president of the league to enforce ask congress for money to maintain peace, has invited the Commercial citizen soldier summer training club to Omaha to send delegates to camps. Representative Olney urged the national convention of the league that \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 be in Washington, May 26 and 27.

Richard Harding Davis, author and var correspondent, died at his home at Mount Kisco, N. Y., from heart

Four men, charged with complicity in manufacturing "fire bombs" which were placed aboard ships carrying munitions and supplies to the entente allies, were arrested in New York A BOILING DOWN OF EVENTS Three of the suspects are employes of German steamship lines.

> At least 30,000 men are expected to avail themselves of the opportunity that will be afforded for military training in nine camps to be conducted under the general supervision of the United States army this spring and summer, it was announced at New

Figures compiled at the leading adding the German official casualty packing centers of the country for the lists. Of these 681,437 have been first three months of the year prove conclusively that Omaha is the second greatest live stock mart in the world. A successful attack by four German In the first quarter Omaha outdisaeroplanes on a Russian aviation sta- tanced Kansas City, the other contion on Oesel island at the entrance tender for second place as a live stock center, by 361,000 head.

"Wild Bob" Burman died at Riverside, Calif., from injuries received when his automobile turned over as At a meeting of the lord mayors of he speeded 100 miles an hour in the crushed and both legs broken in several places.

SPORTING.

Jim Coffey, the Dublin Giant, knockted one of its submarines is guilty ed out Geyer of Denver, in the fifth of torpedoing the channel steamer round of a ten-round match in New York.

In the presence of 5,000 mat fans at

Champion Lightweight Boxer Freddie Welsh, through superior ring generalship and experience, had a slight shade on points in a ten-round no-decision bout in Milwaukee with Richie Mitchell.

Bill Edwards of Kansas City, middieweight wrestling champion of Iowa, Kansas and Missouri, won from Tommy Burns of Omaha at Kansas City. Edwards got the first fall in twenty minutes and the second in eight.

Herbert Vollmer of the New York mates made public in Paris from a Athletic club made a new world's record in winning the 220-vard national American Athletic union swim-Robert Patterson Houston, unionist ming championship in that city, the

Baron Pierre de Coubertin, presibeginning of the war, ocean-going games committee, stated in Paris re-British vessels of 3,000,000 tons have cently that though there will be no Olympic games in 1916 or during the war, that preparations for the games William Willard Howard of New in 1920 are being made so far as pos-

WASHINGTON.

General Carranza, in a note to the United States government asks for the withdrawal of American troops from Mexico.

The annual river and harbor appropriation bill, carrying \$40,000,000 A band of Villistas, numbering passed the house by a vote of 210 to 133, with every item as agreed on in committee unchanged.

> A national defense commission, a nevy general staff and an immediate increase in the navy were adopted at the annual convention of the Navy League of the United States.

> More enlisted men are in active service in the navy now than ever before in the country's history, Secretary Daniels announced just recently that the personnel for the first time had reached the 54,000 mark.

> Reports have reached the War department from General Funston that

A survey of the Missouri river from Chicago's milk strike ended in a Florence, Neb., to Decatur, Neb., is

A report issued by the comptroller Approximately \$200,000, consisting of the currency on conditions of the of four packages of federal reserve country's finances on March 7, show notes and one package of jewelry, that total resources of national banks was the loot taken by James Moran, was \$13,338,000,000, an increase of alias A. G. Maggs, and three com- \$2,271,000,000, or 20 per cent, within panions from a mail truck in New a year. Total deposits were \$10,790, York, February 26, according to a 000,000, an increase of \$2,198,000,000, confession which the federal officers or nearly 25 per cent within a yeara, said the prisoner made in Los Angel or an increase of \$411,000,000 since December 31, last.

If he had a dozen daughters and

Easter rabbits will bring eggs dyed in the brighest colors, as of yore, dye shortage or no dye shortage. This Five child performers were burned message comes from the commerce little affected.

A reduction of 24 per cent in the

Secretary Baker of the War department recently told Representative Ol-Former President William H. Taft, ney of Massachusetts he expected to quested.

NEBRASKA STATE NEWS

DATES FOR COMING EVENTS.

April 28-29-State T. P. A. Convention at Alliance April 24-25-Savannah to Seattle High-

way Convention at Omaha. May 2 - Omaha-Lincoln-Denver Good Roads association convention at Lincoln

May 13-East Central Nebraska High School track meet at Fremont. May 14-Proclaimed "Mothers' Day" in Nebraska.

May 16 to 18-State G. A. R. Encampment at Lexington. May 15-18-State Dental Society an-

nual convention at Lincoln. May 17-Nebraska Bankers' convention, Group One, at Beatrice.

May 23-24-25-State Harness and Saddle Makers' association meeting at May 24-25-State Association of Commercial Clubs' Convention at Omaha.

June 5 and 6-Pageant of Lincoln, presenting "The Gate City." June 5-6-Spanish War Veterans' State Convention at North Platte. June 12 to 15-Trans-Mississippi Bakers' Ass'n convention at Omaha.

tion at Alliance. June 13-14-15-Great Western Handicap Tournament at Omaha.

June 19-20-21-22-American Union of Swedish Singers, West. Div., concerts and convention at Omaha. June 20 to 24-State Stockmen's convention at Alliance.

June 21 to 23-Fraternal Order of Eagles, state meeting at Lincoln.

Abraham Vansaver, a packing \$11,600 was carried. house employe of South Omaha, on an hour had finished the task without he is "quitting business."

by the Elkhorn Valley drainage years in the locality. The wall will extend also great damage in Waterloo and the meeting in Omaha May 24-25.

To solve its electric light problem, which has arisen since the abandonment of the private plant, the village of Winnebago is considering the appropriation of the waters of Omaha creek for the purpose of furnishing power for lighting purposes, along the lines advocated by former Repre sentative J. J. McAllister of Dakota City. Arrangements are being made to investigate the feasibility of the

Work is progressing rapidly on Fremont's new hotel. It is to be six stories high and cost nearly \$150,000. Hastings won its its suit in counrailroad to pay for the installation and maintenance of electric street lights at all the railway crossings project has already begun. within the city limits. The judgment amounted to about \$300.

The Trans-Mississippi Master Bakers' association, which embraces the four states of Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, will hold a four-days' convention in Omaha June 12 to 15. The association will put on a big ex hibit of baking machinery, equipment and supplies of every description used by the bakers

The patrons of school district at April 24 for the purpose of deciding on the issue of voting \$17,300 bonds for the district for the purpose of erecting a new modern brick building and installing up-to-date furniture.

The week of August 7 to 11 has been named as tractor week for Fremont this year.

tating the building of a \$25,000 city

A barn on the farm of John Volesky near Barneston, Gage county, was destroyed by fire. A double corn crib, 4.000 bushels of grain, considerable farm machinery and harness were will be immediately drawn and a locaconsumed by flames. The loss will tion secured. aggregate close to \$5,000.

Officers of the Columbus Commercial club are planning on entertaining the members of the Nebraska Harness and Saddle Makers' association meeting , which will be held there May 23, 24 and 25.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of education at Homer till April 27 for the erection of an addition to the high school building and plant.

eral government for the construction of a new post office building at Falls City. Work is expected to begin June 1. A concrete bridge to cost in the neighborhood of \$65,000 is to be built

A contract has been let by the fed-

across the Platte river immediately south of Kearney. Fremont was chosen as next year's meeting place by the State Bowling association at the termination of the tournament at Lincoln. C. L. Weekes then turned the weapon on himself,

of Omaha was elected president. Of the 2,312 Hastings voters who they affiliated with the republican parand two prohibitionists registered.

completed, will cost about \$18,000.

The Union Pacific is working out he details for running a dairy special through the counties along the line of he road in the western part of the

state. A special of this character was run through Kansas and Colorado last year with great benefit to the farmers and dairymen. The Nebraska dairy special will probably be run early during May and will be out on the road a week. Stops will be made at practically all the towns and lectures and demonstrations will be give

en by dairy and live stock experts. The case of Fred L. Tiede against | Asserts But 1,000 Men Hereafter Shal the village of Orchard in which the former tried to have his land excluded from the corporate limits of the village, was tried in the district court and the request on the twenty-eight acres south of the track was granted, but the three-cornered tract on which the John Stelling house is located was ruled in the corporate limits. The village board voted to carry the case to the supreme court as they believe that the twenty-eight acres rightfully belong to the town.

Fire which broke out in the horse yards of Hilliker, Simpson & Smith at Grand Island last week, contractors for horses for the French and British governments, caused some loss to buildings and a general scare for the section of the city occupied as the yards. Seven hundred head of horses, already the property of the allies, June 13 to 16-State P. E. O. Convenwere run out and others led to other corrals, and not an animal was lost. The loss of hav, buildings, etc., amounts to about \$1,000.

> Directors of the Fremont Commercial club have voted to loan \$10,000 to President W. H. Clemmons of Frement college for the purpose of rebuilding the dormitory. The dormitory was destroyed by fire in December. A loss of \$30,000 was sustained by Mr. Clemmons and insurance of only

Following the recent "dry" victory a wager drank twenty-four pints of at the poils in North Platte saloonbeers and four dozen raw eggs. An keepers are already preparing to quit attendant prepared the feast in in- business. A "fire sale" in one of the stallments by pouring a pint of beer saloons has already started, the pro eggs into it. Vensaver stowed them that liquors, wines, cigars and other away, one after another, and in half stock will be sold out at cost, since

leaving his chair. He proposed to A disastrous prairie fire, aided by tackle two dozen more eggs on the hot, dry wind, did much damage in same basis on a \$10 bet, but there the vicinity of North Loup before it was got under control. Buildings were A dike twenty miles long and saved with great difficulty, although full significance they will gladly accosting in the neighborhood of much hay was burned. It was the \$50,000, is a project contemplated first disastrous project fire for several interest of peace and in line with the

along the east bank of the Platte braska Association of Commercial draw the troops. river in Douglas county and is ex- clubs, declared while in Omaha a few pected to prevent such floods as hap- days ago, that he expected 150 or pened in 1912, when \$16,000 damage more of those affiliated with the as was done to Douglas county roads, sociation to send representatives to

At a meeting of the Dodge county not to rebuild the old court house at have the semblance of invaders. Fremont, seriously damaged by fire cost between \$100,000 and \$150,000.

Preparations are being made in A very large attendance and a very successful festival is anticipated. The Rialto Realty company of Oma-

acres of land near the village of Rail tion the appearance of being somety court to force the Missouri Pacific ston for the purpose of building a thing more than its name suggests. motion picture city. The deal involved \$300,000. Work on the huge government has insisted in its notes

munity club is working to gain for punitive expeditions, extend not Mitchell the next sugar factory, farther than forty miles, nor, in our There are about 60,000 acres of irri- opinion, should punitive expeditions gated land in the vicinity, about 25 be allowed in the territory of either per cent of which is now available for country for an unlimited time. Our raising sugar beets. Professor Knorr of the government

the appearance of an alfalfa army worm which works in the crowns of the alfalfa and cuts the new sprouts. Niobrara will hold an election on There is fear that the first crop may be damaged considerably.

citizens of Madison for a new hotel structed during the summer.

More than 2,000 carloads of ma- of American troops from Mexico. terial will be shipped to Hastings for use in the eleven miles of new paving. The York Commercial club is agi- on which actual work has started.

000 were voted at Ainsworth recently. | tinued. Members of the Blair library board received word that the Carnegie library commission has granted the regranary and eight head of horses, quest for a \$10,000 library building phases of the Mexican problem raised for the city. Plans for the building

> Thirty-eight gailons of poison for gophers were sent to about 600 farmers in Gage county recently by Farm Demonstrator Libers. The gopher clubs recently organized in the county propose to make war on the pest

for the next few months. Miss Elizabeth Graham of Cozad has entered a contest being conducted by an Omaha newspaper to secure an attractive brunette for the inalso for the furnishing of a heating genue role in Chandler Trimble's \$100 photoplay, which the paper is to produce in the Metropolis this summer.

> Plans are being prepared for a new home by the Masonic lodge of Bridge port. The building will be a two-story brick affair. Ten new bridges have been order-

ed by the board of supervisors of Gage county. Charles Salisbury, a hostler em ployed at the Rasmussen livery barn at Blair, shot and killed his wife and

ending his own life. A number of the Gage county farm-Crop improvement association to send ty and 853 with the democratic. There Mr. Liebers, their county agent, to were forty populists, thirty socialists Wisconsin or some other dairy state to buy Holsteins for them. Two Work of excavating for the base- years ago the Crop Improvement asment of the Fairbury Masonic temple sociation shipped in several carloads is under way. The building when of Holsteins from Wisconsin, which have proven very satisfactory.

LIMITS EXPEDITION ?

DE FACTO CHIEF MAKES KNOWN MEXICO'S POSITION.

SAYS U. S. PLANS ILLOGICAL

Cross Border-Enemies Strive to Promote Grave Situation

Mexico City.-The Mexican governnent will insist with inflexible determination that any armed expedition of the United States which enters Mexican territory in the guise of a punitive expedition must be limited to 1,000 men of one service alone, cavalry, according to a statement made to the Associated Press by Juan Netfali Amador, substitute secretary of foreign relations, just re-

"The Mexican government has conended in all of its notes to the Washington State department," said the sub-secretary, "that the sending of neavy artillery and slow marching infantry on a punitive expectition is illogical and that the work of the present so-called punitive expedition has more than demonstrated this, for they have accomplished absolutely noth-"Mexico will and has in all of its

communications to Washington insisted that all punitive expeditions must be limited to certain restricted areas. The request of the United States that the present expedition be considered exceptional cannot be agreed to by the Mexican government for the very good reason that each day of its presence so far inland does nothing but excite our people. This is being taken advantage into a big stein and breaking two prietor announcing in flaming posters ists who are endeavoring to stage inof by enemies of the constitutionalcidents that will cause grave international complications. "The Parral incident is a case in

point. I consider this happening the last drop in the bucket, and believe that when the American people and the American government realize its cede to Mexico's request, and in the traditional friendship which exists J. W. Steinhart, president of the Ne between the two countries, will with-

"No one ever has questioned the honesty of the purpose of the United States in limiting the present military movement to a punitive nature, but it is hard to convince the population that a force of thousands of men of board of supervisors it was decided three branches of the service do not

"The attack on the Americans in last December. The board plans to parral was due to the influence of put up an entirely new building to enemies of the government. One of them fired point blank at an American soldier, killing him. General Omaha for the convention and musical shooting then began. Although the festival of the western division of soldiers had orders not to enter the American Union of Swedish sing | towns, these men were forced into ers, which will be held June 19 to 22 | Parral because they could get nothing to cat in the surrounding country and were so far from the border that it was impossible to send them proha announces the purchase of 156 visions, without giving this expedi-

"That is the reason the Mexican to Washington to the limits of the A committee of the Mitchell Com- zone which may be traversed by any note of March 18, article 8, specifies the number of troops which may pass experiment station at Mitchell reports the boundary line must never exceed 1,000 and there must not remain in the zone for more than five days, except in very unusual cases."

Ready to Consider Evacuation.

Washington. - Secretary of War A movement has been started by Baker has made it known that the United States is prepared to treat and it is certain that it will be con- with General Carranza, as proposed in his recent note for the withdrawal

Pending the outcome of the diplomatic negotiations, however, the status of the expedition will remain un-Sewer bonds to the amount of \$19. | changed and the pursuit of Villa con-This was the situation as officially

stated after President Wilson and his cabinet had considered the new by General Carranza's communica-

To Execute Mexican Bandits. Brownsville, Tex.-Jose Buenrostro and Melquiades Chapa, alleged Mexican bandits, were found guilty of murder here and a jury assessed the death penalty as punishment.

Turn Plotters Over to U. S. New York .- The four Germans arrested by the police here on the charge of manufacturing incendiary bombs and placing them aboard war supply shirts of the entente allies were turned over to the federal authorities for prosecution.

Fear Foreign Intervention. Peking.-Dispatches have been sent by the Chinese government to the revolutionary leaders urging that hostilities be brought to an end in order

Revolutionists Assassinated. Shanghai.-Three leaders of the revalutionary forces in Kwang Tung province were assassinated and several others were more or less seriously wounded during a military conference registered last month, 1,228 swore ers have asked the Gage County at Canton, capital of the province,

to prevent foreign intervention.

recently.

French Exchange Lowest New York.-French exchange fell to the greatest discount in this market April 13, within a generation. The Paris check broke to 6071/2, with cables at 607.

Diese Abteilung ist für die familienglieder, welche am liebsten Deutsch lesen.

Vom Schanplatze des europäischen

meifen Borruden ift die deutsche Front Rowel - Abichnitt, Bolynien, bis gur über die Sügel von Malancourt, Cu- rumanischen Grenze hinunter. mieres und Bethincourt in das Borlängere Periode der artilleristischen Ben ausgesprochen: Borbereitung an diefer Stelle ichlie-Ben. Die Teldichlacht ift wieder gum Offigiere, welche von der Front oulangfam borichreitenden Stellungs- rudfehren, glauben daß Berdun falfrieg jum Rampf von Graben gu len wird. Diefe Offigiere erflaren, Graben, von Stellung zu Stellung daß die Deutschen alle ihre Rraft an

trägt im übrigen noch dazu bei, den ficht Deutschlands, die Diskuffion der Fortschritt auf die Bahn bon Ber- Friedensverhandlungen zu eröffnen, dun nach Baris zu verzögern. Gin nachdem es, augenscheinlich für den Sugel reiht fid an den andern, da- moralifden Gindrud, foldje Wirfung wischen liegen dichte Balder, deren erzielt hat. Die englischen Offiziere Bildheit von den Frangofen mit icheinen ju glauben, daß dies noch großem Fleige herangezogen worden vor dem nächsten Berbst fich ereignen ift, abulich wie im Argonner Bald, und der Krieg dann gu Ende fein der feit Sahren unter der Dbhut des ird." irangöfischen Rriegsministeriums und nicht etwa des Landwirtschaftsminiiters fteht, der für feine Aufforftung gesorgt hatte. Die Natur muß dem menichlichen Erfindungsgeifte gu Silte fommen, der nur hier und da durch fünstliche Berteidigungsanlagen, Schangen und Erdbesestigungen iller Art verbeifernd eingreift. Das eben besprochene Borgelande

Berdun liegenden Forts von Marre, Bourrus und Fromereville ausgefest ift. Gelbit, wenn es den Dentichen gelingen follte, die Frangofen purch die Birfung der Artillerie que Dies einfach ein Umdrehen des Spie. ten oder Bilfefreugern angreifen gu jes bedeuten. Die Deutschen fagen laffen. m Balbe, und die Frangofen ichofvaldes ab, der in seinen füdlichen Bivendi bedeutet hatte. en feiner steil nach der Nisne abfal- denft, ift nech unficher. enbenllfer eine außerft günftige Bermois, einige Kilometer füdlich von Barennes, bis weit füdlich von Clermont find die hohen Misne . Ufer in rangofischen Sanden, eine Artillerictellung, gang nach dem Herzen der rangöfischen Führer und jeden Richers, der ihrer habhaft werden önnte.

Der 3med des Borgehenden ift auf de faum überwindlich scheinenden dwierigfeiten beim Borftog nach Bilden aufmerksam zu machen. Es

t eine Mahming gur Geduld.

In den letzten Tagen hat auch die en Berichten des deutschen General. abes eingenommen. Die Ruffen aben dies durch ihre gewaltige Dinsive auf dem nördlichen Abichnitt er ruffifchen Front vermocht. Biser ift ihnen trot der riefigen Opfer ein Erfolg beschieden gewejen. Man arf sich beruhigend fagen, daß das, vas Frangofen und Engländer im Monate langem Kampfe gegen die Migachtung ju ftrafen.

Und Arbeiten beift in diefem Falle, beiden Landern. die deutschen Bemühungen bei Berdun durch eine Gegenmagregel gu ftoren. Man fann mit abfoluter Giderheit borausfagen, daß diefer Truppen wieder einmal geopfert "Glettra" folgenden Bericht aus: morben, in ben fpateren Anlaufen Die "Eleftra" murbe am 18. Dars

noch weniger gelingen. Das Zentrum der gangen Front zwi- murden fcmer verwundet. Es iit ummt für Offenfiben größeren Sti- guftellen.

les faft gat nicht in Betracht. 63 gibt dort fein Gifenbahnnen, das eine idmelle Berteilung der Truppen ermöglicht und das unwirtlichepoljesje mit feinen unwegfamen Gumpfen und Bölferfrieges. Wäldern macht jede militärijche Operation unmöglich. Beide Teile, Rugfen wie Deutiche. Deiterreicher und Im Rampfgebiet von Berdun liegt Ungarn, werden ihre Sauptfrafte alber Schwerpunkt ber deutschen Di- jo auf den beiden Flügeln gur Entfenfive noch immer auf dem weftli- faltung bringen, im Dunaburg-Abden Maasufer. Im beinahe schritt- schnitt bis nach Riga hinauf, und im

Ein foeben erft von den frangofigelande von Avocourt und von Fort ichen und englischen Fronten bierber Marre und Bourrus getragen wor- Burudgefehrter Beobachter, deffen ben. Eben biefe Tatfache, daß ber Objeftivität in diefem Gall durch feideutsche Angriff erst jest das schwie- ne pro-alliierten Reigungen unterrigfte Gebiet in dem Borfiof nach ftrichen wird, hat fich, vorliegenden Suden erreicht hat, lagt auf eine Berichten entsprechend, folgenderma-

"Britische, sowohl wie frangofische Die Topographie des Geländes Wie verlautet, steht dahinter die Ab-

Alliierte entwaffnen ihre Ediffe nidit.

Bajhington. Alle Entente. Mächte haben durch ihre hiefigen Botichafter dem Staatsdepartement formelle Antworten zugehen laffen, in welchen der in einem Zirfular - Meit für das Borruden ber Teutschen morandum enthaltene Borichlag ver-Dadurch besonders ichwierig, daß es worfen wird, daß ein Modus Bivendi dem Flankenseuer . der weitlich von gefunden werden und alle ihre Handelsichiffe entwaffnet werden follen, unter der Bedingung, daß die Ber. Staaten versuchen würden, von ben Bentralmächten eine Berpflichtung gu erlangen, folde unbewaffnete Editie bem Gelande zu merfen, fo murde nicht ohne Warnung von Tauchtoo-

Edon vom Beginne war uneffien von den Forts binein. Die Bor- Biell in alliierten Landern erfant edingung des Erfolges ift alfo die worden, daß ein folder Plan von Ben Niederfämpfung der oben genannten Entente - Machten abgelehnt werden vorts, mas nicht gleichbedeutend mit wirde. Als Grund hiefür murde ihrer Einnahme ift, da es genügt, fie angegeben, daß man fich angeblich auf außer Gefecht ju feten. Doch da. deutsche Berfprechungen, wegen der mit find die Schwierigfeiten noch Behandlung Belgien's, nicht verlafnicht abgetan. Bon der weitlichen fen könne, hauptsächlich aber. daß Beite drobt eine andere Befahr. Die feine Menderung in den Pringipien lampfe fpielen fich, wie aus ber bes fogenannten internationalen Getarte zu erseben ift, swifden bem fetes mabrend bes Rrieges vorgeeitungsgürtel von Berdun und ben nommen werden follte, wie dies die illichen Abhängen des Argonnen. Annahme des obenerwähnten Modus

fusläufern noch von den Frangojen | Bas das Staatsdevartement in resett gehalten wird und ihnen me- der Angelegenheit weiter zu tun ge-

eidigungsftellung gibt. Bon Ban- Und doch erwartet man, bag bentiche II-Boote Sandelsdampfer marnen follen.

Wie fich die Staliener die "Defenfive" ber mit Geschützen bestifidten Sandeledampfer denfen, erfennt man aus einer aus Rom stammenden Meldung, die dortige Beitschrift "Marina Italiana" habe bereits 12,000 Lire als Beitrage gur Cammlung für eine Pramie an die Befatung desienigen italienischen Sandelsdampfere erhalten, der zuerft ein feindliitliche Front wieder einen Plat in Mehrere Schiffahrts . Gesellschaften haben Beiträge gezeichnet. Der Unterftaats - Sefretar des Marineminiiteriums Battaglieri bat feine Buftimmung zu dieser sogenannten patriotischen Initiative gegeben.

Mumanien friedlich.

Berlin. Die Begiehungen git eutiche Mauer im Beften vergebens ichen Rumanien und Bulgerier be versucht haben, wird dem schlechteren ben fich jehr gebeffert, wie die lieber-Soldaten im Diten, bem Ruffen, noch fee . Radprichtenagentur aus Sofia piel weniger gelingen, wenngleich es erfahrt, feitdem die rumanische Refalfch mare, die Kampfe leichtweg mit gierung den Gefandten G. C. Reruffi mit neuen Inftruftionen nach Go-Der ruffifche Riefe hat fich bon fia geschickt hat. Die Frage bes feinen fürchterlichen Schlägen im po- Durchgangsverfehrs in Rumanien rigen Jahre langfam wieder erhoben. Buriidgehaltener Baren ift erledigt; Er verfucht feine im Binter aufge- über andere wirtichaftliche Angele. fparten Kräfte im Anlauf gegen die genheiten find Berhandlungen im deutschen Stellungen, einmal, weil er Bange. Der bulgarifche Finangmivielleicht tatfächlich auf einen Erfolg nifter Tontfcheff erflärt, ber rumanihofft, andrerfeits aber aud, weil er iche Gefandte habe einen Entwurf bes "Nerbus rerum", des rollenden jum Abichlug eines Sandelsvertrages Rubels, bedarf, und den gablt Eng- und befondere Anweifungen gur Bileland nur, wenn Rugland arbeitet, ge guter Beziehungen zwifchen den

Die "humanen" Briten!

Berlin, brahtlos nach Capville. 3med ichon heute verfehlt ift. Bas Die öfterreichische Marineleitung im erften furchtbaren Anfturm nicht gab über die Torpedierung des öftergelang, wird, nachdem die beften reich - ungarifchen Sofpitalfdiffes

bon einem feindlichen Unterfreboot Trot der ungeheuer langen ruffi- torpediert. Es war flares und pradiichen Front ift das Terrain, das fich tiges Better. Gine Barning wurde sum Anseben großer Beeresmaffen nicht gegeben. Gin Matrofe ertrant eignet, außerordentlich beschränft, und zwei Rote Kreus - Schmeficen ichen bem Geengebiet von Dunaburg möglich, fich eine fraffere Berlepting und bem wolnnischen Teifungsbreich bes Bolferrechts auf hoher Gee por