

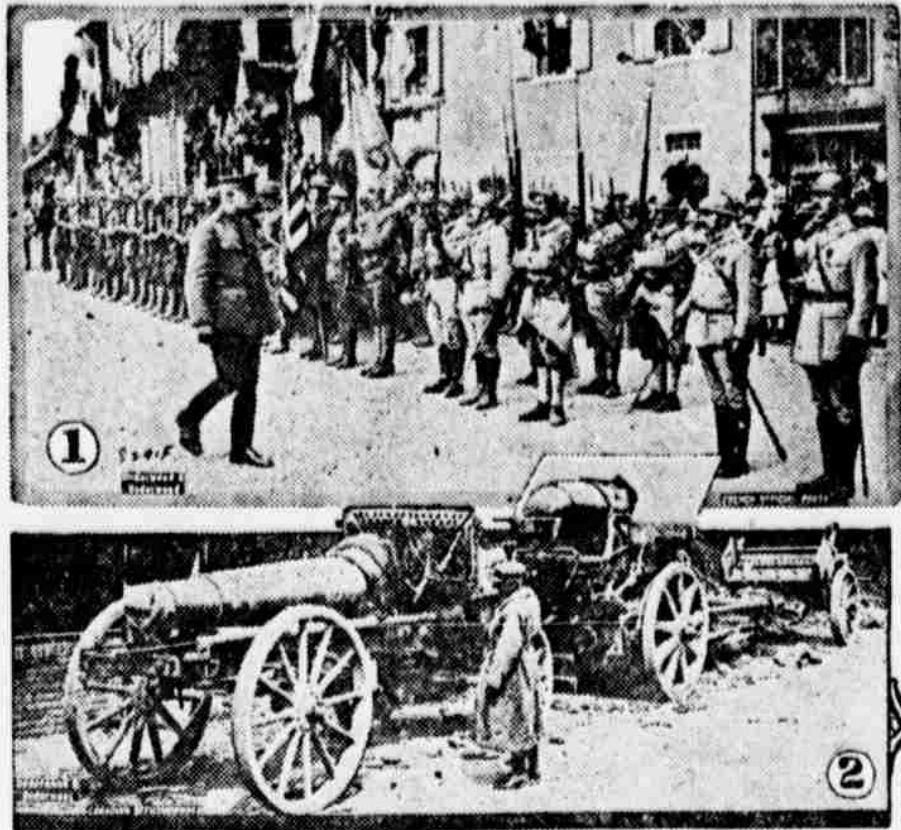
Why Dread Old Age?

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1—General Hann of the American army reviewing French and American troops in Alsace. 2—One of the large German guns captured by the Canadians. 3—King George of Great Britain decorating an American soldier on French soil for distinguished conduct on the firing line.



NEWS REVIEW OF THE GREAT WAR

Reorganized Serbian Army Starts an Important Offensive on the Saloniki Front.

BULGARIANS ARE IN FLIGHT

Franco-British Forces Closing Down on St. Quentin Despite Strong Resistance—Americans Shelling Metz—Austria's Peace Suggestion Promptly Rejected.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

With a regenerated and reorganized army, Serbia took the lead last week in smashing the Hun and his allies. Aided by French and Greek contingents, the hard-fighting Serbians struck at the Saloniki front held by the Bulgarians and certain German units.

This Serbian advance by the end of the week was seriously menacing the city of Philip, one of the chief bases of the central powers in Macedonia. It is not beyond the bounds of possibility that it may later be connected up with the operations of the allies in Albania, of which little has been heard lately.

With the Franco-British pincers slowly but surely closing down on St. Quentin, the French and Americans in possession of the western end of the Chemin-des-Dames and steadily pushing toward Laon and the Yankees firmly established on their new lines in Lorraine, shelling Metz and threatening the great iron and coal fields of the Briey basin, the German high command last week was still clinging to the Hindenburg line through most of its length.

After several days of preparatory operations Field Marshal Haig on Wednesday attacked on a 16-mile front northwest of St. Quentin, from Gouzenoucourt south of Holnon Wood. Before nightfall the British had smashed ahead to a depth of three miles, taking Peizerre, La Verguliere, Epheby, Ronssoy, Villeret and other towns and bagging more than 6,000 prisoners.

Simultaneously with Haig's attack, the French hit the Boches on a ten-mile front south of St. Quentin, advancing more than a mile and taking four villages and hundreds of prisoners.

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hard fight before he evacuates that keystone position.

Stubbornly hanging on to the west end of the Chemin-des-Dames and improving their positions there, the French repulsed many fierce attacks last week and advanced toward Laon along the southern edge of the St. Gobain forest.

On the new American front in French Lorraine the infantry activity during the week was confined mostly to operations for the solidifying of positions, though the Yankees did push forward along the Meuse for a considerable gain.

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In Russia the reign of terror instituted by the bolshevik to suppress the counter revolution continues and unknown numbers of the opponents of Lenin and Trotsky have been massacred.

All the allied ministers who formerly were at Jassy, Roumania, including Charles Vopicka of America, have been arrested in Petrograd, according to a report reaching The Hague.

Austria's suggestion of a "non-binding" conference of all the belligerents to make clear their war aims and peace demands met with the promptest kind of rejection by the allies.

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The various features of the revenue bill were swiftly approved by the house of representatives, one after another. Representative Moore of Pennsylvania proposed a tax of \$3 a bale on cotton, but the Southern members rose in a body to the defense of the main crop of their part of the country.

That there is no abatement in the stream of American soldiers being sent over to France is shown by the statement that 313,000 embarked for Europe last month. Of these, 180,000 were carried on British ships.

identified. A passenger train arriving at a station in Oklahoma with some two hundred soldiers, many of whom were officers, attracted the attention of two negroes as they paraded. As the officers walked by "Sambo" and "George" would exclaim, "Dat's a captin," or "He's a leftenant," as the case might be.

At last a French soldier in his blue-gray uniform passed by. "What's he, Sambo—a kunnel?" asked George. "No, George, dat's dis yere General Staff."

It's not the backsets that set a man back so hopelessly as the upsets.

Milwaukee is demanding home rule by legislative enactment.

Millions of particular women now and recommend Red Cross Ball Blue. All grocers. Adv.

Boston barbers now charge 50 cents for a haircut.

He knew differently. "A man cannot serve two masters." "The dickens he can't!" interrupted Cap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, Ark., who is blessed with a helpmate and 14 children. "I'm serving fifteen of 'em, and doing a mighty fair job of it."—People's Home Journal.

The Talkative Golfer. Parke—I see you have been playing golf with Perkins' wife. Is she a good player? Lane—Fair. She goes round in about a hundred strokes and a couple of thousand words.—London Tit-Bit

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Odds Too Much Against Her. My little daughter Margery plays all day long in the open air. She is careful for a youngster and a few days ago I noticed that she played nearly all day long in the house with her dollies. Presuming that she had a reason for staying in the house, and just to try out a suspicion I entertained that she had been in a childish scrap, I asked her why she did not go out to play. Her reply was slow, but finally she said, "Well, I can't fight two kids bigger than me."

No Regard for Nothin'. Not content with smashing records and Huns, the American soldiers are even going so far as to upset the laws of natural dynamics—puttin' the push in Yank.

Murderous. Bell—How did she cut him dead? Steel—Looked daggers at him.—Chicago Daily News.

United States has 330,503 army horses and mules.

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