

Berlin Owes U. S. \$1,479,064.313

Claim Presented to Mixed Commission for Damages Growing Out of War.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 21.—America's bill of war claims against Germany amounts to \$1,479,064,313 as it has been presented to the mixed claims commission for settlement.

The United States government itself is the largest claimant, asking for \$366,113,000, while the smallest of the 12,416 claims filed with the commission is for \$1.

Headline the list of claims by individuals are those growing out of the sinking of the Lusitania by a German submarine. They totaled \$22,000,000 and may be disposed of first by the commission, Germany having already admitted liability but not in definite amount.

The stupendous total involved in the proceeding is revealed for the first time in a report made to the State department by Robert C. Morris, agent for the United States before the commission. Work on determining the amounts Germany must pay already has begun by the commission which organized last October and which is composed of Edwin B. Parker, of Texas, American commissioner, and Dr. Wilhelm Kieselbach, German commissioner, with former Justice Day of the supreme court as umpire.

To Disregard Allied Claims. The American claims are to be disposed of without regard to the allied reparations claims, the report of Mr. Morris disclosing that the commission has entered a formal order that "the machinery provided by the Versailles treaty and the rules and methods of procedure thereunder governing the disposition of claims including reparations claims, so-called neutrality claims, claims growing out

of exceptional war measures to be dealt with by mixed arbitral tribunals, shall have no application to and are not binding on this commission. Neither is the door shut against the United States or its citizens to increase the amount of the claims presented, Mr. Morris having stipulated, on behalf of the American government, and Germany having accented, a proviso permitting the claims to be changed in amount later if circumstances and the facts should require.

The report of Mr. Morris also disclosed the machinery and rules set up for disposal of the American claims by the commission. Details of the commission's organization, with addresses by the American and German representatives indicating a friendly spirit and desire for accord also were made public.

Occupation Largest Claim. The largest claim listed in the report is the American government's of \$255,544,810 for costs of the army of occupation in Germany, now under negotiation with the allies, in Paris by Assistant Secretary Wadsworth of the treasury. It is understood, however, this claim will not be pressed in the event the Paris negotiations result in an agreement. Other government claims are for \$47,266,626 for general damages growing out of German submarine warfare; \$37,982,000, by the veterans bureau for risk premiums; \$5,380,000 by the railroad administration and \$40,075, for war risk premiums of the shipping board.

The \$1 claim is presented by Emery Roberts, for loss of property while a German prisoner of war. There are a few other small claims of \$1.50 and \$2 for loss of parcel post property by shippers, but most of the claims run into hundreds of thousands. Every class of American shipping, manufacturing and business concerns is found among the long list of claimants.

Chappell Trial May 25. Trial of 10 men on charges of violating the national banking laws in connection with failure of a bank in Chappell has been postponed from May 25 to June 20, United States Attorney Kinser said.

Sues Millionaire for Divorce



Mrs. Helen Marie Heyworth.

Chicago.—Charge that he deserted her is made in the divorce suit brought here by Mrs. Helen Marie Patterson Heyworth, N. Y., actress, against Otto Young Heyworth, heir to the \$16,000,000 estate of Otto Young.

Woman Drowns Herself in Well

Act of Mrs. William Fleming of Fremont Follows Breakdown.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Fremont, Neb., May 21.—Rushing heedlessly from her farm home seven miles south of Dodge, Mrs. William Fleming, 37, jumped into a well in the yard and was drowned at 10 Sunday morning.

Mrs. Fleming recently returned from a Lincoln sanitarium, where she was removed after suffering a nervous breakdown. Her seven children who were playing in the yard saw their mother, frantically desperate, unhesitatingly plunge into the well, which is 24 feet deep and contains nine feet of water. One or two of the older children rushed into the house where they told their father and others in the family of Mrs. Fleming's act.

Mrs. Fleming was dead when her body was recovered. The sheriff's office at Fremont was notified, but no inquest will be held.

Summer Closing Hours for Omaha Banks Are Set. Omaha banks will open at 9 and close at 2 during June, July and August, the clearing houses have decided. On Saturdays they will close at 12. Savings departments will remain open until 3 daily including Saturday.

Band Concert Broadcast.

The program of station WOAW for Monday evening was a concert by the Mt. Calvary band, of which A. A. Wedemeyer is director. The concert was broadcast under the auspices of the Hannan-Odell-Van Brunt company. The band consisted of 35 pieces. The numbers included an overture from the opera "Martha" and from the opera "Norma"; a march "Sommer Fiedeln" by Sousa, and a medley religion, "Refuge," Miss Pauline Lanyon and her sister, Lucille Lanyon, sang several numbers for the special benefit of relatives listening in at Pittsburgh.

Road Conditions

Furnished by the Omaha Auto Club. Lincoln highway, east: Roads good to Loveland; had detour between Loveland and Lincoln; fair to good to Omaha; good to Marshalltown. Roads fair to good to Schuyler; reported raining from Columbus to Grand Island; roads quite muddy at Central City. O. 1 D. Roads fair to good to Lincoln; no report west. Meridian highway: Roads fair. Cornsucker highway: Roads good. Black Hills Trail: Roads fair to good to Norfolk. Washington highway: Roads fair to good to Sioux City. Omaha-Tulsa highway: Roads fair to good to Topeka. Omaha-Tulsa highway: Roads fair to good to state line. King's Trails, north: Roads fair to good to Loveland; had detour between Loveland and Missouri Valley; fair to good, north to Sioux City. Trails, south: Roads fair to good to Kansas City. River to River road: Roads fair to good to Des Moines. White-Way highway: Roads fair to good; detour at Anita, Casey and Redfield all well marked. L. O. Shortline: Roads fair to good. Primary No. 4: Roads fair to good; detour between Abia and Ottumwa via Bikesburg.

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Ohioan Dances for 161 Hours

Youngstown Man Sets World Record—Wife Kept Up 132 Hours.

By International News Service. Niles, O., May 21.—James Yarnell of Youngstown, O., hung up a new marathon dance record of 151 hours and 35 minutes at Avon park here this morning. Yarnell and wife started dancing at 10 o'clock last Monday morning. Mrs. Yarnell left the floor at 10:27 Saturday night after having danced 132 hours and 27 minutes—a world's record for women. Yarnell quit at 4:20 today.

Man Cuts Throat After Argument With Brother

Lewis Anderson, 45, 1724 Lake street, slashed his own throat with a razor following an argument with his brother, Ben, Monday morning. Ben told police he had remonstrated with Lewis because Lewis had been drunk for several days. Lewis left the house, and a short distance from it whipped out a razor and inflicted the injury. He was taken to Swedish Mission hospital, where he is reported in serious condition.

The police report stated that Lewis had severed his jugular vein. He was attended by Police Surgeon Kinyoun.

In far off Africa the women wear American gold dollars in their nose.

24 Religious Fanatics Shot

Followers of Self-Styled "Prophet" Attack Officers in Philippines.

By Associated Press. Manila, P. I., May 21.—Twenty-four Moro religious fanatics on the island of Pata, near Jolo (Sulu), were killed by a detachment of insular constabulary, according to a dispatch received at the office of Gov. Gen. Leonard Wood. The dispatch said that Akbara, who styles himself a prophet, and his followers attacked a constabulary detachment under Lieutenant Angeles at the village of Kiput.

The dispatch said that 24 of the Moros were killed, but that there were no casualties among the constabulary troops. Akbara is widely known among the Moros as a religious leader, who, through his preaching, has gathered about 300 followers around him. They recently became more than usually active. Akbara told his followers he was a prophet, descended from heaven

and that he was bullet-proof. Today's dispatch did not say whether the latter statement was borne out. The fanatic also said he had power to cause airplanes to fall.

Governor General Wood announced Saturday he had ordered all forms of lawlessness practiced by the Moros stopped and that he had sent a constabulary force to Pata to enforce the order.

Poppy Day Flowers Bear "Made in Germany" Mark

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 21.—The red paper poppies, bought by an American Legion post here to celebrate poppy day, May 26, were discovered today to bear the label "Made in Germany."

The legion has called a meeting for tonight to decide whether to burn them. It has information that several other Iowa cities have similarly labeled poppies. The poppies were said to have been ordered from an Indiana firm.

6 Killed on Cog Wheel Train.

Lisbon, Portugal, May 21.—Six persons were killed and 30 others injured, most of them seriously, in an accident to a descending train on the cog wheel railway on Mount Bon Jesus, near Bragat today.

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La Tausca Pearls. \$20.00 necklaces, 24 inches in length with solid gold spring ring clasp. Each in velvet cabinet, special Tuesday **\$6.35** Main Floor

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