

GERMANS HAVE ENOUGH OF U. S. ON TOUL FRONT

Since Sunday Teutons Have Left Americans in Peace; French Make 600 Metres Gain in Raid.

(By Associated Press.)
 Since Sunday the Germans have left the Americans in comparative peace in their sector near Toul. Probably finding that their attempted forays were too costly, they have failed to launch further attacks and even have cut down materially their artillery fire and gas shell bombardments.
 Again the American gunners have worked havoc among the Germans by heavily shelling a large cantonment where troops are assembled.
 Near Warneton, southeast of Ypres, the Australians have carried out a big raid against enemy positions, killing at least 50 of the German defenders, destroying dugouts and bringing prisoners. Around Lens, the Germans have begun a rather intensive bombardment against the British troops besieging the great coal center.

French Make Gain.
 Nearest approach to a big battle on the western front has occurred between the French and Germans in the Verdun sector. Here the French troops carried out a brilliant attack against the Calonne trenches and penetrated the German positions as far as their fourth line.
 The point of penetration was over a front of 1,200 metres and to a depth of 600 metres, and 160 prisoners were taken in the operation. Attempted attacks by the Germans north of the Chemin des Dames, near the Malincourt wood and in Lorraine went for naught, owing to the accuracy of the French fire.
 In Palestine, General Allenby's forces again have dealt the Turks a hard blow, driving forward their front along 12 miles to a maximum depth of 3,000 yards. Little opposition was encountered by the British command against the Ottomans, whose morale seems to be deteriorating with each fresh attack.
 Military operations along the western front in France and Belgium daily are growing in magnitude until it seems apparent that fierce battles cannot much longer be delayed.

ALLIED MISSIONS FLEE TO SAFETY IN HELSINGFORS

Stockholm, Monday, March 4.—The members of the British, French and Italian embassies, who left Petrograd last week, are now at Helsingfors, according to information reaching the American legation here. The Swedish government will be asked to use its good offices to obtain a train to carry the diplomats to Tornea, on the Swedish-Finnish border.
 Two hundred and fifty other entente nationals, including some Americans, are now at Abo, on the western coast of Finland. They have been advised to attempt to reach territory under control of the Finnish government, as Sweden will not likely send ships to Abo.

African Warrior Is Killed Enacting Movie Scenario

New York, March 4.—Word of the death by drowning near Johannesburg, South Africa, of Colonel Johann W. Colenbrander, known for his leadership of various commands in campaigns against the African natives and Boers, was received here today. He was over 60 years of age. The veteran warrior, whose body was literally covered with scars of spear wounds received in encounters in the African jungle, was playing a part in a moving picture production when he fell from his horse while fording a river. He drowned before rescuers could reach him.

American Embassy Attache Arrives at Pacific Port

A Pacific Port, March 4.—Captain J. G. Miller, who has been in Petrograd as military attache of the American embassy, arrived here on a liner from the Orient.
 He said there is only one passenger train a week operated on the trans-Siberian railroad. Harbin, he asserted, is overflowing with wealthy Russians who have fled from the districts controlled by bolsheviks.

Mother and Baby Knocked Down by Automobile Truck

Mrs. Jack L. Norton, 566 South Twenty-eighth street, and her 2-year-old baby, Ebby, were struck and knocked down by a motor truck while waiting for a street car at Twenty-eighth and Leavenworth streets Tuesday morning. Their injuries are not serious. The driver of the car, R. G. Mohr, 3441 South Fifteenth street, asserted he could not see Mrs. Norton owing to the side curtains on his car.

Plunkett's Son Taken On Sinn Fein Charge

London, March 4.—The Central News reports that George Plunkett, son of Count Plunkett, was arrested this morning with a number of Sinn Feiners in the Boyle district in connection with cattle and land raiding exploits.

Obituary

LEWELLYN H. LAWSON, brother of C. S. Lawson, 321 Leavenworth street, died at Trinidad, Colo., of pneumonia. The body will be brought to Omaha Tuesday. Burial will be in Council Bluffs.
 MRS. ESTHER POBES, resident of Omaha for 36 years, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Rutter, 2851 Manderson street. She was 57 years old. Funeral services will be held at the residence of the sister at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Interment will be in Laurel Hill cemetery.

Brief City News

Have Root Print It—New Beacon Press.
 Lighting Fixtures, Burgess-Grandon. Robt. C. Drucsedow & Co., stocks and bonds and local securities, 850 Omaha Nat. Bank Bldg.
New Fire Station—City commissioners are considering a proposition to buy Eagle street for use as a fire engine house.
Five per cent on savings beats 50 per cent in the prospectus. Savings are safe and within reach at all times. Nebraska Savings & Loan Ass'n, 211 S. 15th St.
Enlarge Post Hospital—New additions to the post hospital at Fort Omaha are almost completed. The hospital is now large enough to contain 89 hospital beds.
Leaves for Kansas City—Federal Judge Woodrugh went to Kansas City Monday night, where he will preside in federal court for three days, returning to Omaha Saturday.
Auto Restrictions—Superintendent Kugel of the police department will direct that automobiles and taxis shall not be parked in downtown places where they will interfere with the operation of the near-side street car stops.
Patrick Scannell Dies—News has just been received of the death of Patrick Scannell, father of B. J. Scannell of this city, which occurred at Lawrence, Mass., on Sunday, March 3.
Referred to Planners—A recommendation of the Chamber of Commerce for opening of Twenty-second street, Howard to Farnam streets, has been referred by city council to city planning commission for investigation and report.
Enroute to Camp—Two hundred of the South Dakota boys, members of the national army, are in Omaha enroute to Camp Funston, where they will go into training. They comprise the last 20 per cent of the call that went out last fall.
State Bank of Omaha, corner Sixteenth and Harney streets, pays 4 per cent on time deposits; 3 per cent on savings accounts. All deposits in this bank are protected by the depositors' guarantee fund of the state of Nebraska.—Adv.
New Improvement Club—Lincoln Improvement club is the name of a new organization formed Monday night at a meeting in the Lincoln school auditorium. The discontinuance of the Southeast Improvement club some time ago necessitated a new club being formed. Another meeting will be held next Monday night for the draft of by-laws and election of officers.
Aid Relief Drive—The Advertising Selling league, meeting at the Fontenelle hotel Monday night, heard William F. Baxter present the need of the Armenian and Syrian people and at once entered into the plan to make Omaha's campaign next week a success. Mr. Baxter said this city will make a big drive next week to raise \$45,000. Many members of the league volunteered to help.
Insurance Men Score—The results of the first semester examinations of the junior night class of the Creighton university law school show three insurance men as leaders of the class. J. D. Cranny, connected with the Travelers' insurance company of Hartford, Conn., was first. C. E. Walsh, formerly with the Woodmen of the World, but now with the Cudahy Packing company, was second, and J. P. Moore, Jr., with Woodmen of the World, was third.
Captain Charles J. Glidden of Fort Omaha, who has driven an automobile 100,000 miles, twice around the world and is the donor of the Glidden trophy for touring in this country, will deliver an illustrated lecture at the Hotel Fontenelle on Thursday, March 7, at 8:30 p. m., for the benefit of the Omaha Girls' club. Subject, "The World and Its People as Seen from the Motor Car." Captain Glidden's lecture is illustrated by over 300 photographs. Admission 50 cents.—Adv.
Fine fireplace goods at Sunderlands.

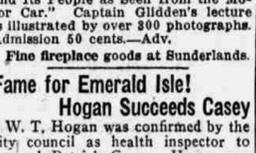
Fame for Emerald Isle! Hogan Succeeds Casey

W. T. Hogan was confirmed by the city council as health inspector to succeed Patrick Casey. Hogan was administrator of county charities.

NATION'S FIRE LOSS LARGEST SAVE 1 YEAR

Trenton, N. J., March 4.—Losses from fire aggregated \$230,000,000 in 1917 and were larger than in any previous year except one, 1906, in the nation's history, according to a communication received today by the New Jersey State Council of Defense from the Council of National Defense. The San Francisco earthquake and conflagration occurred in 1906.
 The communication asserts that a particularly ominous feature of the situation is a recent great increase in the number of fires of incendiary origin in places where they were effective in discouraging industry.

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you remark about its wholesome sweet taste. This is not "put there" but is developed from the wheat and barley of which it is made by twenty hours cooking under exact conditions of temperature.
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An attractive display, including such materials as linons, crepes and voiles, beautifully embroidered in vivid contrasting shades. Ages 4 to 16 years. Prices, \$3.75 to \$6.50.

THOMPSON BOUND OVER FOR TRIAL

Former Dance Hall Proprietor Accused of Attacking Crippled Girl; Juvenile Authorities Push Case.
 Chris Thompson, former proprietor of a dance hall at Twentieth street and Missouri avenue, was bound over to district court on \$2,000 bonds by Judge Madden in police court Tuesday morning on a charge of attacking Nellie Butlinger, a little crippled girl who lives at Twenty-third and P streets.
 Thompson pleaded not guilty. The girl took the stand and told that Thompson visited her twice while she was at home alone. Her mother is dead and her father, an employe at the Union stock yards, is away from home much of the time. Dr. F. O. Beck, who attended the

School Teacher Opposed To Government Dismissed

Anarchistic utterances of Miss Esther Larson, a teacher in Avery school, Sarpy county, caused her to be summarily dismissed by the school board.
 Miss Larson is a member of a religious organization known as "The Church of God, or Soul Sleepers," of which Almus Adams of Omaha is the head, and which is opposed to organized government.
 "When given a second chance by the board to retract her unpatriotic statements and support the government she strode defiantly to the blackboard and wrote, 'My answer is no,'" said W. R. Patrick, board member, "so of course we had to dismiss her."
Self-Denying School Board Agrees to Suffer Leaky Roof
 In its dingy room up under the roof of the city hall, the Omaha board of education held a brief meeting last night, transacting routine business.
 One member, pointing to the walls from which on every side the paint

Omaha Men Instrumental In Meatless Suspension

Officials at the Exchange building at the stock yards were instrumental in causing the food administration to suspend porkies Saturday and meatless breakfast. The suggestion to do away with some of the restrictions in regard to eating meat was sent to Administrator Hoover by an official of the Live Stock Exchange more than two months ago and the congested market and the discouraging effects on hog production were explained.

Omaha, are carrying the school warrants until funds are available for paying them.

"They are doing this purely as a public service to the extent of about \$250,000," he said.

HYMENEAL.

Marshall-Wedge. Maude Evelyn Wedge of Sioux City, Ia., and George Victor Marshall of Camp Funston were married by Rev. Charles W. Savidge Monday.

Twenty Year Record

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for 20 years with the best results," writes Mrs. M. F. Francis, Nashport, Ohio.

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"Smocks"—Just the sort of garment that appeals to discriminating women, simple—stylish—useful—inexpensive—one of the cleverest entries in the field of "sports" for the garden, street, and home wear, presented in models as practical as they are charming. We illustrate but nine of the many charming models offered to you Wednesday

The materials are the most desirable, including "Wonder-lin," "Trouville," "Japanese Crepe," "Triconette," etc. Hand smocked in variegated spring shades; you may choose from white with assorted floral patterns and colored smocking, also in attractive colorings.

Too much stress cannot be brought to bear on the real, true value importance of this announcement, because there is every evidence that "smocks" are to be in even greater demand the coming season than ever before, not alone for their practicability, but their simplicity, stylishness and satisfying comfort.

Sale starts Wednesday, at 8:30 A. M.

Featuring Model A---at \$5.00
 A particularly attractive smock embroidered with black and outlined with gold. Plaited panel front. Round Jap neck, slip-over style, colors green, copenhagen, and rose. The price, \$5.00.

Illustrating Model B---at \$4.50
 Another charming model of Wonder-lin in white with embroidery in rose and black. Tie of black silk, yoke back, finished with embroidery in assorted colors. Price \$4.50.

Then Here's Model C---at \$4.50
 A becoming smock of Trouville in rose color and copenhagen, with collar of white Wonder-lin. Beautifully embroidered in assorted colors. Price \$4.50.

You'll Like Model D---at \$3.95
 Made of Wonder-lin in slip-over style. Round neck, deep turn back cuffs and large pockets. The colors are gold, copenhagen, and rose, also white with black embroidery. Price \$3.95.

Here's Another, Model E---at \$5.95
 Fine Japanese crepe, with deep pockets, turn-back cuffs and flat collar. Trimmed with cretonne in fruit designs. An especially attractive garment for garden wear. The colors are leather, green, and rose. Price \$5.95.

A Simple, Stylish Model, F---at \$3.50
 And very inexpensive, too. Made of white Wonder-lin and embroidered in variegated colorings, slip-over style with belt. White only. Price \$3.50.

This "Red Cross" Model, G---at \$3.50
 This exquisite model is made of Wonder-lin with Red Cross designs embroidered on yoke. Smart collar effect, slip-over style. A pretty and becoming garment, at \$3.50.

Another Slip-Over Model, H---at \$5.00
 A very charming smock of Triconette, in white, rose, and gold, with embroidery in pink, light blue, and Nile green. The price, \$5.00.

And Then, Model I---at \$5.00
 White Triconette with black embroidery and patent leather belt. Coat model, especially smart for sports wear. The price, \$5.00.

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