

51 AMERICANS ON PERSHING'S CASUALTY LIST

Three Lieutenants Missing in Action; Five Sammys Killed Under Fire; Three Die of Wounds.

Washington, April 12.—Today's casualty list contains 51 names, five of them killed in action, three died of wounds, two died of accident, six died of disease, four wounded severely, 28 wounded slightly and three missing in action.

The three missing were Lieutenants Robert H. Jeffrey, Samuel Miller and Abraham Strauss.

The list follows:

Killed in action: Sergeant Lillard E. Ailor.

Coporal Jesse N. Martin.

Privates William C. King, Charles N. Lobb, Stanley Mauck. Died of wounds.

Privates William J. B. Gutherie, Roschick J. McLean, Warlow Wnorowski. Died of disease.

Privates Henry Davis, peritonitis; Willie Gordon, endocarditis; Anton Krchov, meningitis; Walter R. Lindstedt, pneumonia; James Longest, peritonitis; Daniel Monroe, pneumonia.

Wounded of accident: Privates Ben P. Gregory, John E. Sangster.

Wounded severely: Sergeant Leo F. Moquin, Privates Francis X. Murphy, Joseph T. Ryan, James F. Scott.

Wounded slightly: Captains Marvin Cappel, Woodrow Woodbridge, Lieutenant William J. Miehle. Sergeants Bannic Bendetti, Joseph Gottlieb, Victor Muller, Russel Sisemore. Corporal Orin C. Chisholm. Musician Albert Iver Coleman. Privates Phillip Beaudreau, Arthur H. Beck, Frank Blazek, Grover Carlson, Frank Cararra, James P. Conlan, Samuel Curione, Jay A. Deatur, Frank F. Deversaux, Edward E. Jarek, George M. McGrath, John Milia, Francis H. Morcan Norman E. Paden, Charles Pike, Alfred Schneider, Stewart W. Segerstrum, James A. Solstein, Herman H. Witte.

Two Casualties in Navy.

Washington, April 12.—Two navy casualties were announced today by Secretary Daniels. Seaman John R. Alexander, jr., of Altoona, Pa., was lost overboard, April 10. Electrician Howard Borune Neal, Brooklyn, N. Y., committed suicide April 8.

HOSTILE ARMIES AT DEATH GRIPS FOR GIVENCHY

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and was a most inhospitable place for the enemy.

The British withdrawal became necessary when the Germans on the north drove forward to the vicinity of Steenwerck, bottling up the city. By their operations the Germans had gradually thrust forward lines on either side of the city toward the west until at noon yesterday Armentieres lay at the bottom of a sack-shaped salient whose sides were 12,000 yards long and whose mouth near Steenwerck was only 3,000 yards across.

Mist Favors Germans.

The mists yesterday continued to favor the enemy and to hamper the defending gunners. It was partly on account of these fogs that the Germans progressed as far as they did above Armentieres. The situation here today did not appear to be critical. The enemy yesterday did not attack with the huge forces employed on other sectors since the opening of the offensive, although he undoubtedly used many more men than were holding the line attacked.

A small force of the British bicycle corps did brilliant work for a short time on Tuesday, when the Portuguese were forced back and it was necessary to reinforce the center of the allies' battle line below Armentieres. This little body of troops was thrown in and held on gallantly until the regular infantry could be brought up.

LIBERTY 'TANKS' MOVE FORWARD AS OMAHA DOES DUTY

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bert Kahn, second district; W. W. Koller, third district; W. R. McFarland, fourth district; G. L. E. Klingbeil, fifth district; J. M. Harding, sixth district; Charles L. Hopper, seventh district; George W. Platner, eighth district; H. B. Whitehouse, ninth district; G. A. Collard, tenth district; H. A. Holdrege, twelfth district; H. A. Tukey, thirteenth district; E. J. Phelps, fourteenth district; O. H. Menold, fifteenth district; F. R. Jones, sixteenth district; J. A. Rockwell, eighteenth district; E. R. Wilson, nineteenth district; H. M. McCormick, twentieth district; W. S. Shafer, South Omaha; M. C. Cole, Nicholas street; E. B. Boyer, North Twenty-fourth street; C. S. Phillips, diplomatic corps; George Sowards, Benson; John Riha, South Thirtieth street; L. J. Millard, Leavenworth; H. A. Harrison, Swift & Co.; R. E. Harris, Armour & Co.; M. R. Murphy, Cudahy; L. Hershey, Morris & Co.

Senate Insists on \$2.50 Minimum Price for Wheat

Washington, April 12.—In the controversy over increase of the government minimum guarantee prices for wheat to \$2.50 per bushel, the senate today again record itself in favor of the increase. It adopted the conference report on the \$26,000,000 agricultural appropriation bill and by a viva voce vote insisted on retention of the amendment increasing the wheat guarantee. The wheat question now awaits the vote of the house.

Representative Lever of South Carolina, chairman of the house agriculture committee, conferred with President Wilson and said afterward the senate amendment would be vigorously opposed in the house.

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British Rushing Armed Troops to Enforce Draft

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working order the nationalists should undertake to raise seven divisions by voluntary recruiting—a result which, it says, should persuade the government to abstain from enforcing conscription.

New Plan to Rule Irish.

The Irish convention laid the foundation for an agreement on the Irish question which is unprecedented in history. Sir Horace Plunkett, chairman of the convention, says in a letter accompanying the report of that body.

The convention did not find it possible to overcome the objections of the Ulster unionists, says Sir Horace. A majority of the nationalists, all the southern unionists and five of the seven labor representatives agreed upon a scheme of Irish self-government, which is given in the conclusions reached by the majority, which, he states, should be enacted into law.

Now Burning Question.

"We had every reason to believe the government contemplated immediate legislation upon the result of our labor," says Sir Horace. "The work of an Irish settlement, it is now felt, admits of no further postponement. In the dominions and the United States, as well as the allied countries, the unsettled Irish question is a disturbing factor, both as regards war effort and peace aims."

After every possibility of an agreement had been explored, Sir Horace writes, he was instructed to draft a report which would be a narrative of the convention's proceedings, with a statement for the government's information of the conclusions adopted unanimously or by a majority. This draft of the report was adopted by a majority.

Agreement Discounted.

Sir Horace adds that the public has been provided with no majority report in the sense of a reasoned statement in favor of conclusions upon which the majority agreed, but has been left to gather from the narrative of the proceedings what the contents of such a report would have been. The issue of minority reports by the Ulster unionists and a minority of nationalists has minimized the agreement reached and emphasized the disagreement.

In his letter, which is addressed to Premier Lloyd George, the chairman says the customs question became one of the vital points, and that upon a decision regarding it depended the extent of an agreement which could be reached.

Demand Fresh Powers.

The geographical position of Ireland imposed restrictions regarding naval and military affairs and the claim of home rule was concentrated on the demand for unrestricted fiscal powers. The nationalists made a strong case for such fiscal powers and were able to prove that a considerable number of the leading commercial men had come to favor fiscal autonomy.

A majority of the nationalists and of the southern unionists agreed, in order that a parliament might be established at once, to postpone the decision in regard to control of the customs. The nationalists were prepared to agree to free trade with England, but the southern unionists joined the Ulster unionists in opposing a satisfactory system of customs control.

\$400,000,000 IS LIBERTY LOAN TOTAL TO DATE

Washington, April 12.—Official returns at the treasury for the first four days of the third Liberty loan today showed a total of \$275,919,000.

These figures represent pledges backed by initial payments reported by banks and trust companies in 10 of the 12 federal reserve districts, but since many bank reports were not included in the total and the Philadelphia and Minneapolis districts were missing, it is believed the actual total has reached \$400,000,000.

Some New Laces

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"NOTHING DOING," U. S. ATTITUDE TO PEACE OVERTURES

American Who Discussed Subject at Vienna Bore No Credentials; Czernin's Visit Ends Abruptly.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, April 12.—Reference in a Vienna dispatch to the Berlin Tageblatt to peace discussions carried out in Vienna by a "Prof. Anderson of Washington" puzzled officials here today until they recalled that months ago, just before the United States declared a state of war with Austria-Hungary, a man named Anderson transmitted a report on news he had held with Count Andrassy, the former Austrian premier, and Count Aponyi, Hungarian statesman, for

many years identified with the Hague tribunal and movements in behalf of universal peace.

Anderson, who though he could not be definitely identified at the State department, is assumed to be an American of some prominence, who happened to be in Vienna, bore no commission from the American government and entered into the conversations solely as an individual. So far as officials here know he advanced no ideas of his own, but merely was called in by the Austro-Hungarians, to hear what they had to say about the possibility of terminating the war.

Austria Asked to Explain.

Considerable interest is manifested here in reports from Austria and Germany on the situation created by Count Czernin's recent speech and the French statement that Emperor Charles considered the French demand for Alsace-Lorraine a just one. An official dispatch from France today says the German newspapers are printing demands, semi-official in tone, asking the Austrian government to explain.

A message from Zurich says Chancellor Hertling has been called to headquarters by the kaiser to discuss the revelations concerning the Austrian emperor.

Czechs Against Czernin.

London, April 12.—The Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, Count Czernin, has returned unexpectedly to Vienna from a visit to German headquarters, where he conferred with Emperor William. The dispatch

up in a dispatch to the Berlin Tageblatt from Vienna that a "Prof. Anderson" had sought to open peace negotiations with the Austro-Hungarian government, recalled to acquaintances here the earlier peace activities of Hendrik Christian Andersen, a sculptor.

Mr. Andersen is understood to be an American citizen, although he has spent much time at his European home in Rome, where it is said he has been recently. He is a native of Norway and was brought to this country in infancy.

Mr. Andersen organized the World's conscience society, but he is better known, perhaps, through his efforts to establish "a world center of communication" or world capitol, which was to be the headquarters for international affairs and bureau of international documents. He is said to have urged his plan upon several governments and to have obtained options at one time on property in the vicinity of Brussels, Belgium, for the site of the proposed capitol.

Reasserts Loyalty to Kaiser.

Vienna, Via Paris, April 12.—An official statement giving the text of a telegram from Emperor Charles to Emperor William relative to the claim of Premier Clemenceau that the former recognized the claims of France to Alsace-Lorraine, was issued today. The statement reads:

"I accuse M. Clemenceau of piling up lies to escape the weight of lies in which he is involved, making the false assertion that I in some manner recognized France's claims to Alsace-Lorraine as just.

"I indignantly repel the assertion. At the moment when Austro-Hungary cannot be firing along side of the German artillery on the western front no proof is necessary that I am fighting for your provinces."

The statement concludes that no intrigue can endanger the perfect solidarity between the two empires.

Dodge Going Over Top.

Fremont, Neb., April 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The committee in charge of the Liberty loan drive in Dodge county offers the prediction that the \$1,000,000 mark will be reached in subscriptions. Reports from the towns in the county indicate that in nearly every township the quota will be over subscribed. Up to tonight the total in Fremont was \$300,000. The minimum quota is \$315,000.



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