



GERMAN ADVANCE HELD UP; NAVY BOAT, 293 MEN LOST

AMERICAN COLLIER CYCLOPS OVERDUE SINCE MARCH 13

Vessel Last Reported, at West Indies, March 4; Consul General Gottschalk, Two Naval Lieutenants and 54 Naval Enlisted Passengers Aboard.

Washington, April 14.—The big American naval collier Cyclops, carrying 57 passengers, 15 officers and 221 men in its crew, has been overdue at an Atlantic port since March 13.

The Navy department announced today that the vessel was last reported at a West Indies island, March 4, and that extreme anxiety is entertained as to its safety. It was bringing a cargo of manganese from Brazil.

GERMANS FACING GRAVE PERIL, SAYS MILITARY EXPERT

Success Obtained in Great Struggle of Doubtful Result, Is Opinion of Paris Temps Critic.

Washington, April 14.—The observations of the military critic of the Paris Temps on the German offensive, received here today, are as follows: "Two adversaries possessing about the same number of forces face each other. These forces on both sides are composed approximately of 200 divisions.

BOMBARDMENT OF PARIS CONTINUES; WOMAN KILLED

Paris, April 14.—The bombardment of the Paris district by the German long range gun continued today. One woman was killed.

Paris last night was subjected to its first nocturnal bombardment since the long range shelling began, the bombardment being resumed late in the night. No casualties had been reported as the result of the after-dark shelling. Yesterday's bombardment did not cause any casualties.

Most Critical Period of War Faces Entente of War Faces Entente London, April 14.—While the position of the northern line on the British front is a little less alarming today, the military authorities still take a grave view of the situation, according to the evening newspaper reviews.

Three Men Killed When Train Strikes Automobile Shelbyville, Ill., April 14.—Two men were killed instantly and the third occupant of the car died a few hours later as the result of a collision between an automobile and a Big Four train at Denison, Ill., ten miles east of here, today.

Money Pours In Too Fast for Loan Workers to Count; Patriotic Men and Women of City Forego Saturday Half Holiday to Assist in Compiling Figures.

Wealth of Omaha and Nebraska poured into the coffers of the Liberty loan committee Saturday. There was so much money it could not be counted, although scores of clerks and helpers were busy adding the subscriptions that were turned in.

Subscriptions Saturday noon, when a total was struck, reached \$4,000,000 for Omaha alone and \$10,000,000 for Nebraska.

FOREGO LUNCH HOUR. Patriotic men and women who donated their services to the Liberty loan cause stayed at their desks all day Saturday and did not leave the building for lunch. The task of checking up on the hundreds of thousands of dollars received was enormous.

The drive will continue Monday evening.

GERMANS FOILED IN ATTEMPT TO BREAK U. S. TROOPS' LINE

Two Attacks Near Toul; Following Night of Terrific Artillery Fire and Gas Bombardment, Unsuccessful; Enemy Loses Half of Specially Trained Shock Troop Battalion.

(By The Associated Press.) With the American Army in France, Saturday April 13.—After another night of terrific artillery fire and a bombardment with gas shells, the Germans continued today their efforts to drive through to the third line of the American positions near Apremont forest northwest of Toul. They made two attacks, but both of which failed.

The enemy's casualties in the four days' fighting are estimated at between 300 and 400. Of this number more than 100 were killed.

Although the enemy wasted fully a half of his specially trained shock troop battalion of 800 men he was unable to penetrate the American lines which remained unchanged.

GERMANS CLAIM SUCCESS. Berlin, (Via London)—April 14.—German troops, according to the official report from headquarters today, made a successful attack against the Americans north of St. Mihiel. The Germans claim to have inflicted heavy losses and to have taken prisoners.

SENATOR STONE OF MISSOURI DIES OF PARALYTIC STROKE

Prominent Among Democratic Leaders for Many Years and Chairman of Committee on Foreign Relations.

Washington, April 14.—Senator William J. Stone of Missouri, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee and for many years prominent among democratic leaders, died here today after a stroke of paralysis suffered last Wednesday.

German Naval Forces Reach Port of Finland Berlin (via London), April 14.—It is officially stated that a portion of the German naval forces which are supporting the German troops in Finland anchored before Helsinki today.

Paris Again Bombarded. Paris, April 14.—The bombardment of the region of Paris by long range gun was resumed today.

QUOTA OF OMAHA AND STATE NOW EXCEEDED, SAY COMMITTEE HEADS

Members of the committee said they could not even estimate the total sales. There is little doubt but that both Omaha and the state have exceeded their quotas and gone "over the top."

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John Rush, an ex-bank examiner, aged 72 years, volunteered to help with the work and was at his desk from early Saturday morning until night.

Liberty Bank Buyers. Saturday's list of subscriptions of \$500 and upward taken through the Liberty bank are as follows: \$10,000—Metropolitan water district of Omaha.

The drive will continue Monday evening.

4 KILLED AS TRAIN HITS AUTO

Mrs. Nancy Parisi and Three Small Children Meet Terrible Death at Florence; Five Others Injured.

Dead and Injured Carmelo Rabiolo, 2 1/2 months old infant, instantly killed, 2124 Laird street.

Marie Rabiolo, 6 years old, died few minutes later. Sam Rina, 10 years old, instantly killed, 2124 Laird street.

Mrs. Nancy Parisi, 32 years old, instantly killed, 619 Pacific street. Injured who will perhaps die are: Josephine Rabiolo, internal injuries, right arm fractured, 2124 Laird street.

Charles Rabiolo, 5 years old, head crushed, body lacerated, internal injuries, 2124 Laird street. Alfred Catania, driver of car, back wrenched, internal injuries, head lacerated. Lives at 805 North Eighteenth street.

Alfred Paridi, abdominal injuries, back sprained, lives at 619 Pacific street. Slightly injured: Sam Rabiolo, father of Rabiolo family, head cut, lives at 2124 Laird street.

Mrs. Nancy Parisi and three small children were killed Sunday afternoon at the railway crossing near the foot of Thirtieth street in Florence, when a Ford sedan, carrying nine Italians was struck by a special Northwestern coal train. Four were seriously injured.

HITS CAR IN MIDDLE. Witnesses declare the cause of the accident was the failure of Alfred Catania, driver of the car, to see the approaching train. Others declare Catania made the fatal mistake of attempting to beat the apparently slowly moving coal train to the crossing.

The train hit the light car squarely in the middle, carrying it several rods, dropping the dead on both sides and underneath its wheels.

Other machines which drew up to the crossing before Catania arrived, waited for it to pass, witnesses declare. Ordinarily there is no flagman stationed at the crossing, which is at the summit of a grade leading into Florence from the high road to the north.

The accident occurred at 3:20 p. m. Work of Rescue Starts. Hundreds of people, who were out walking during the bright sunny afternoon, were on the scene in a moment. The work of rescue, the sickening task of picking up the remnants of those instantly killed, and the labor of giving first aid to the injured was in progress when ambulances arrived on the scene.

The body of Mrs. Nancy Parisi was cut completely in two across the breast. Hundreds of people who flocked about the scene, shuddered as they gazed at the heartrending sight of the dead and injured children, lying about the tracks.

The head of Sam Rabiolo, jr., 10 years old, was nearly severed from the body. The body was found several feet from the automobile. The infant child of Sam Rabiolo was instantly killed. The infant had been baptised an hour before her death in St. Ann's Italian church, Twenty-fourth street and Poppleton avenue.

Child Dies Soon After. Marie Rabiolo, six years old, died shortly after the accident in Dr. A. B. Adams' home. She received a fractured skull and a broken back. The body was taken to Crosby's mortuary.

The automobile was thrown several feet into the air and turned completely over. One of the doors was open. The car was struck directly in the middle. Apparently, those who were killed had tried to jump out of the automobile when they probably

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BRITISH BEAT OFF REPEATED ATTACKS ON FLANDERS LINE

Entire Front Intact After Heavy Fighting on Sunday; Neuve-Englise and Baillieul, Vital Points, Remain in Possession of Haig's Army; Artillery Duel Resumed to South.

BULLETIN. London, April 14.—The Germans continue their powerful attacks against the British line in Flanders. The town of Neuve Eglise, an important strategic point, which has changed hands several times, remains in possession of the British, Field Marshal Haig's report tonight says.

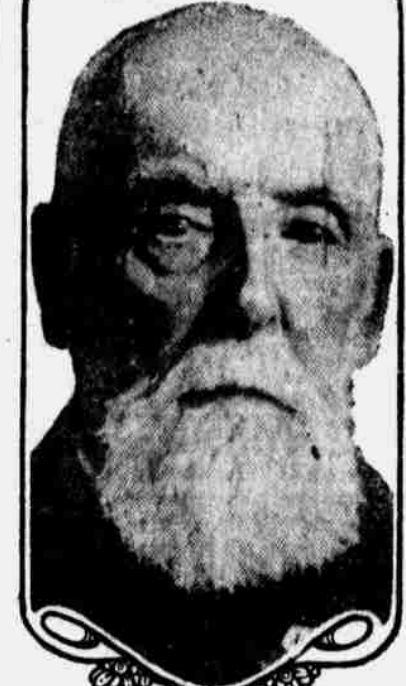
London, April 14.—After Saturday's heavy fighting, which continued during the evening, the British lines were reported intact last night along all parts of the Lys battle front, the war office announced today.

Fighting was resumed on the northern part of the front during the night near Neuve Englise, and this morning the engagement in this sector was continued by the launching of new enemy attacks in the neighborhood of Baillieul.

SAMUEL ROGERS, OMAHA PIONEER CITIZEN, DEAD

Active and Useful Life of Close to Century Spent in Central West Is Brought to Close.

Born in Felmingsburg, Ky., February 10, 1822, more than 96 years ago, Samuel E. Rogers died Sunday noon at the home of his son, S. E.



S. E. Rogers

Rogers, 504 North Twenty-second street, Omaha. Having lived in Omaha continuously since 1854, Mr. Rogers, at the time of his death is said to have held the distinction of having been the dean of the pioneers.

Mr. Rogers made his home with his parents for a number of years and then went to Michigantown, Ind., where he clerked in a store that was conducted by an uncle. There he met and in 1841, married his wife who died in Omaha, January 13, 1907.

Desires of securing an education, after his marriage, he and his wife moved to Crawfordsville, Ind., where he did odd jobs earning money to attend Wabash college, from which in 1848 he was graduated. Friend of Lincoln.

Mr. Rogers moved to Pekin, Ill., after admission to the bar, becoming a successful lawyer. It was there that

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FOURTH ATTACK FAILS.

Strong attacks by the Germans on the Meternwulverghem line were repulsed by the British after heavy fighting which began yesterday and lasted throughout the evening. Early in the night the enemy's fourth attack of the day upon Neuve Englise was repulsed.

The Germans also were beaten off in an attempt against the British defenses near Festubert, on the southerly side of the Lys front.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE IN SOUTH

Paris, April 14.—Lively artillery activity during last night on the front between Montdidier and Noyon where French also have been actively conducting reconnoitering operations is reported in today's war office statement. Otherwise, except for raids here and there, the front was quiet.

Calls Upon Every American To Get Behind War Work

Baltimore, April 14.—Vice President Marshall, who came to Baltimore tonight to speak at a dinner held at the Masonic temple in honor of the 125th anniversary of Concordia Lodge of Masons, summed up the duty of the American in the statement that President Wilson spoke the last word in Baltimore a week ago and that every American must now put himself fully behind the war work.

Gary Wins First Place In Wrestling Competition

Chicago, April 14.—With four of the eight championships to their credit wrestlers from the Gary Young Men's Christian association won first place last night in the National Amateur Athletic union wrestling championship meet at the Chicago Athletic association.

Court Grants Request for Postponing Mooney's Sentence

San Francisco, April 14.—Indications that further legal action would be taken in behalf of Thomas J. Mooney, whose sentence to death has been affirmed by the state supreme court were given yesterday by Maxwell McNutt, defense counsel, who asked that Mooney's resentencing to death be postponed until April 27. The request was granted. McNutt would not state what action he contemplated. Mooney was convicted of murder in connection with the preparedness parade bomb explosion here in 1916.

Wilson's Niece to Wed.

Baltimore, April 14.—The engagement of Miss Alice Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Wilson of Baltimore, to Rev. I. S. McElroy, jr., of Columbus, Ga., was announced here tonight. Mr. Wilson is the only brother of President Wilson.

Veteran Showman Dies.

Tacoma, Wash., April 14.—Solomon Edwards, 84 years old, veteran showman, and animal trainer and a buyer of orang-outangs and his snakes in Barneo for Barnum and Bailey, is dead at his home here.

The Weather

Hourly Temperature, Comparative Local Record, Highest yesterday, Lowest yesterday, Mean temperature, Precipitation, Normal temperature, Excess for the day, Total excess since March 1, 1917, Normal precipitation, Deficiency since March 1, 1917, Deficiency for cor. pd., Omaha, Cloudy

CHILDREN ANXIOUS TO RING BELL IN NEW LIBERTY BANK

People know they are making history when they buy a bond at the Liberty loan bank in front of the court house, and everyone wants to ring the bell. Little children are lifted up so that they may tug at the rope and ring out the news that Prussianism is dying.

Mrs. Ed Porter, 415 North Fifteenth street, is taking Liberty bond subscriptions, but her 9-year-old son, Le Roy, bought his bond in the Liberty bank at the court house, because he wanted to ring the Liberty bell.