IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

Pitchers Wild Save Davenport

ST. LOUIS TAKES A GAME FROM CINCINNATI GATHERED ERRORS CLEVELAND 11 TO 7-SEVEN-TEEN PASSES ISSUED BY TWIRLERS.

Results Yesterday. At Chicago Detroit, rain. At Cleveland, 7; St. Louis 11.

Where They Play Today. Detroit at Chicago. New York at Boston. St. Louis at Cleveland.

Philadelphia at Washington. Standing of the Clubs,

Washington St. Louis Philadelphia Cleveland, April 21 .- St. Louis de-

feated Cleveland 11 to 7 today. None of the six pitchers with the exception of Davenport, was effective, while all were wild, issuing 17 passes. St. Louis... . . 050 040 020-11 19 Gallia, Sothoron, Davenport and Nunamaker; Groom, Lambeth, Bagny and

Southern League. At Chattanooga, 4; Atlanta, 0, At New Orleans, 7; Mobile, 0. At Memphis, 3; Little Rock, 9. At Nashville, 3; Birmingham, 2.

IRISH TAKE COVENANT .. Led by Priests They Swear to Resist

Conscription by All Means. Dublin, April 21 .- By The A. P .-Throughout Ireland today the covenant

to resist the imposition of conscription by all possible means has been administered by priests and subscribed to in Catholic pulpit conscription was the subject of discourse and the action of

to read the pledge sentence by sentenced the people repeating after him. In other cases the pledge was given by the raising of hands or the signing of a

The bishops took part with the inpledge, addressing the people and genand unconsidered action. They urged obedience to the orders of the recognized leaders, who act in co-operation.

FORCE HOLLAND INTO WAR.

Germany About to Make Move That Will Compel Netherlands.

London, April 22 .- According to the Daily Telegraph's Rotterdam cornespondent, a plot is being hatched in Berlin deliberately designed to compel Holland to partcipate in the war, he says, may be faced in the course of the next few weeks, perhaps days, with the most serious perils she has encountered since the outbreak of hostilitles.

The facts have not yet been made public and cannot be stated, but the correspondent says he has reason to believe that the German government has made or is about to make, demands which, if pressed would force The Netherlands to enter the war on one side or

The writer intimates that the eGrmans first move has been made in the attempt o find a preext for complaint that Holland departed from neutrality by acquiescing to the entente's demands for her mercantile fleet.

WHAT LONG RANGE GUN DOES.

Has Kiled 118 Persons and Wounded 250-Compared to 1871. Paris, April 21 .- Analysis of the Ger

man long-range bombardment of Paris shows that shells have fallen on 17 days since March 23, and that with the figures for two days missing 118 persons were killed and 230 injured. Paris was shelled by nine German batterier from January 5 to Jan. 27,

1871, during which period 105 Parislans were killed and 369 njured. The long-range bombardment was re-Bumed today.

There were no casualties.

BRITISH DRIVE OUT HUNS

FROM ADVANCED ROBECQ POSITION

London, April 21 .- The British troops near Robecq, northwest of Bethune, today drove out the Germans from some of their advanced positions, according to Field Marshal Haig's statement issued by the war officettonight. Aside from artillery engagements there was little other activity along the front Sunday. The text of the statement fol-

"There was local fighting to our advantage this morning in the neighborhood of Robecq where the enemy's raine and in the Vosages." troops were successfully ejected from some of their advanced posts. The hostile artillery has shown considerable activity in this area.

'Apart from artillery activity by both sides on different sectors the day passed comparatively quietly on the other parts of the British front."

INSISTS THAT KUEHLMANN WILL RESIGN AS FOREIGN MINISTER

Amsterdam, April 21.-The Boersen maintains that the resignation of Dr. Richard Kuehlmann, secretaary for foreign affairs, may be

expected notwithstanding all contradiccessor Dr. Karl Helferrich or Admiral areas. Paul von Hintze, German minister to

Errors And Hits Bunched By Each

WHILE CHICAGO PLACED HITS FOR 9 TO 1 VICTORY-ALEX TAKES ONE.

Results Yesterday. At St. Louis-Pittsburg, cold. At Cincinnati 1; Chicago 9.

Where They Play Today. Pittsburg at St Louis. Chicago at Cincinnati.

Brooklyn at Philadelphia. Boston at New York.

Standing of the Clubs,

		Won	Lost	Pot
•	New York	4.	0	10
1	New York Philadelphia	3	1	-7
′	Chicago	2	1	6
,	Cincinnati	2	2	5
′	St. Louis	1	1	5
	Pittsburg		2	3
	Boston	. 1	3	2
	Brooklyn	. 0	0	. 0
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Cincinnati, O., April 21 .- Cincinnati bunched errors while Chcago was Cleveland . . . 111 010 210- 7 11 0 bunching hits in two innings of today's game and Alexander was turned a winner over Reuther by a score of 9 to 1.

Alexander and Killifer; Reuther and

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORT CLAIMS 183 AMERICANS TAKEN

(Continued from page one.) until late at night the troops that were hurled against the americans came full of bravado and errogance waving a quiet, uneffusive manner by hundreds their rifles and shouting like mad, but of thousands of people. From every the found more than they had bargained for.

When the Germans entered Seichethe bishops and political leaders was prey it was evidently in the belief that the Americans had gone ,but some of They assemblies where pledges were them remained scattered through the churches, sometimes in the open air with hand grenades, killing many of auspices of the North Carolina confersometimes in a hall. The practice fol- them. Furious hand to hand fighting lowed in many cases was for the priest ensued in the village streets, the begin at Trinity college on June 8, Americans falling back only when they were greatly outnumbered.

Planted Mines for Americans. Later the Germans were driven out of the village, but they had concealed there boxes containing high explosives ferior clergy in administering the to which they had attached wires stretched across the streets. Some of erally warning them against isloated the advance guards stepped on the wires, causing explosions, but steps were immediately taken to clear out these German traps.

LINES AT SEICHEPREY ARE RE-ESTABLISHED SAY FRENCH

Paris, April 21 .- The French lines north of Seicheprey, where the Germans inaugurated a heavy attack against French and Americans yesterda yhave been completely re-established, according to the war office tonight.

The text of the statement reads: "There was no infantry action, but both artilleries were active at various points on the some, the Avre and the Oise, as well as on the right bank of the Meuse.

North of Seicheprey our line has been entirely re-established. "The enemy bombarded where several fires broke out.

"Eastern theatre, April 20 .- On the eft bank of the Struma the enemy violently bombarded villages which the British and Greek troops had occupied. There were artillery actions in the Doiran sector and on the Vardar. Near Sborsko several Serbian detachments in driving back enemy advanced posts caused a movement of Bulgarian reinforcements which were caught under the fire of our artillery suffered appreciable losses.

FRENCH SAY AMERICANS BEAT OFF ATTACKS ON THEIR LINES

Paris, April 21 .- Fighting between Franco-American troops and German forces in the vicinity of Seicheprey, northwest of Toul, where the Germans yesterday kaunched a strong attack against the French and American positions continued throughout the night. The war office statement issued this afternoon says the French recovered nearly all the ground overrun by the Germans. Ameican troops fighting in this sector, the announcement adds, repulsed the Teuton assaults on their lines. The text of the statement reads: "Artillery activity continued on the eft bank of the Avre river and also

between Montdidier and Noyon. "A German raid north of Rheims was "The struggle continued throughout the night in the region of Seicheprey,

French troops regained nearly all the terrain which had been lost to the "American troops fighting in this region also repulsed a determined .. ttack

"Several raids were made by French troops on the German positions in Lor-

GERMAN HEAVY GUNS HAVE NOW BEEN BROUGHT UP TO FRONT With the French Army in France, Saturday, April 20, (By the Associated Press) .- German artillery especially of the heavier calibre which seem to have reached the front in considerable number has been extremely active along the front from Castel to the south of Noyon since the successful French attack between Thennes and Mailly-Raineval, northwest of Montdidier Thurs-

The French guns have been replying most vigorou sayind have been battering the German front lines and the tions. It mentions as his probabit suc- | concentation of troops in the back

In the vicinity of the river Atlette attempt will be made to sever the link

COMMENCEMENT WILL OPEN JUNE SECOND

Dr. Hugh Black, of New York, Will Visit Trinity Again.

immer School for Preachers Estab lished by Conference Will Begin June 5-Notable Men Engaged in Lectures.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Trinity College, April 21 .- The commencement of Trinity college this year will begin on June 2, when on the evening of that day President William Preston Few will deliver the baccaluareate address before the memhers of the graduating class, which this year is somewhat smaller than usual because a number of its members are in the military service of the United States, or are kept out of col-

lege on account of the war. Dr. Hugh Black, of the Union Theoogical seminary, New Yory city, who a few days ago captivated a Trinity college commencement audience with one of the most impressive sermons, that has every been delivered hero, will be back again this year, and will deliver the commencement sermon on Tuesday morning, June 4, at 11

The commencement address this year will be delivered by Gov. Samuel Walker McCall, of Massachustees, who is not only a distinguished speaker and public servant in his state, but is also an author of note. The college has been making an effort to get Governor McCall for a commencement occasion for a number of cars, but this year has been the first when he has found it possible to accept the invitation. He will speak on Wednesday,

A new, and what is expected to be an especially interesting feature of the exercise this year, will be held Monday, which day has been turned over entirely to the alumnae of the institution. The plans for that part of the program are in the hands of the alumnae executive committee and the college authorities, and will be announced sometime in the near future. The college alumnae have on foot plans for raising money with which to erect a ney gym, and it is expected a definite report will be made at this meeting. The business meeting of the association w'll be held on Monday evening. The dinner and address will be held at 1 o'clock on Montay. Preachers Summer School.

.The summer school for preachers, immediately after commencement, and continue for nine days. The two conferences are paying the expenses of the summer school, and the college will furnish the buildings and class rooms and lodging houses. The college authorities will also look after arrangements for board for the student ministers while they are on the campus. The course will be ree to the ministers, and in addition to the course which will be offered the under graduate ministers of the two conferences, a special post graduate course will be offered for the older preachers and special lecturees will be offered for all, and for the general public.

Few occasions will bring together such a large number of well known divines, or theologians and pulpit orators. The special lectures and speakers engaged by the board of managers of the two conferences include the following men:

Dr. Hugh Black, Union Theological seminary, New York. Dr. Franklin N. Parker, Candler

School of Theology, Atlanta. Dr. Worth M. Tippy, executive secre-tary for church and social service of the federal council, New York city. Dr. George R. Stewart, Birmingham,

Dr. Charles S. McFarland, general secretary of the federal churches of Christ in America. Dr. Charles L. Goodell, New York

Dr. E. C. Caldwell, Union Theological seminary, New York. The corps of instructors for the regular courses offered by the summer

Rev. H. E. Spence, Durham; Rev C. J. Harrell, Durham; Rev. H. H. Jordan, Gastonia; Rev. D. M. Litaker, Lenoir; President J. B. Craven, Davenport college, Lenoir; Dr. G. T. Rowe, High Point; Dr. E. L. Bain, Greensboro; Rev. H. M. North, Durham; Dr. W. I. Cranford, Trinity college, and Prof W. W. Peele, Trinky college.

Dr. Franklin N. Parker, of Atlanta, well known to North Carolina Methodists as former head, of the department of Biblical literature at Trinity college, will have charge of the graduate instruction.

The two North Carolina conferences are urging all ministers who can possibly do so, to attend this summer school, for in addition to being a very great aid to the undergraduate preachers in their courses of study required by the two conferences, it will also be an experimental milestone to North Carolina Methodists. Trinity college authorities are ma-

king considerable preparations for the unusually large attendance this first year of the summer school. Military Training.

Major F. P. Page, the Canadian officer, back from two years' service with the western allied battle line, who has taken over the work of giving military training to the Trinity students, has opened a special class for men near the draft age. Already there are about forty members of the college in this class, and they have been started off with an intensive course in military map work and other work which will stand the men in good stead when they are called to the colors, Major Page is also inviting men of military age, who will likely be called sometime soon, to attend his lectures and join this class. A large number of men in Durham county will probably take advantage of this offer.

to be a great possibility that another



GERMAN ATTEMPT TO PUSH THROUGH DEPEATED AT YPRES

London, April 21.-German troops last night made an attempt to push their way through the British lines northeast of Ypres on the northern battle front. The advancing troops were stopped by Rev. J. M. Ormand, Elizabeth City; the fire of the British artillery says today's war office statement. On the remainder of the Brtish front therewere minor operations.

The text of the announcement con-

"A hostile attack during the night n one of our posts south of the Scarpe

MRS. DOOLEY'S ADVICE TO

Milwaukee, Wis. -"I wish all girls who work and suffer from functional disorders would profit by my advice and take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Before I was married, when I came home from work at night, I would be just worn out with pains which dragged me down. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-

pound and it made me feel like a new woman. I can work from morning until night and it does not bother me, and I wish all girls who suffer as I did would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. H. Dooley, 1135 25th Street, Milwaukee, Wis.

51 Days for Wooden Ship.

Portland, Ore., April 21—What is taking each other's depots and canship construction—51 days after the laying of the keel—was achieved here last night by the Grant Smith-Porter Ship Company when at three minutes before the stroke of midnight the hull of the steamer Wakan entered the waters of the Steamer Wakan entered the waters of the Willamette river. The yessel is of 3,500 tons dead weight.

Si Days for Wooden Ship.

Only Enormous Sacrifices.

Hitherto, thanks to the magnificent handling and to the magnificent handling and to the magnificent handling and to the magnificent handling and to the magni

river was repulshed after some fight-

"An attempt by the enemy to advance northeast of Ypres was stopped "We carried out a successful local operation last night in the neighbor-

good of Robecq on the southern side of the Flanders sallent, in which a number of the enemy was killed and a few prisoners and several machine guns were captured. "Hostile artillery was active yester-

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duly petitioned the Board of Come sioners of said county, in acco with said act, to order an election be held in said County of New Ha

SPECIAL TAX ELECTION.

By virtue of the power and author contained in Chapter 71 of the Pub Laws of 1911, the Board of Education

of the County of New Hanover havin

"Whether there shall be levied on i taxable property and polls of said ty a special tax, of ten cents of \$100.00 valuation of property and cents on each poll to supplemen county school fund of said county Board of Commissioners of New ver County do hereby order election be held in said county by the hours of sunrise and sunset 8th day of May, 1918, to ascerta will of the people on the "Whether there shall be levied taxable property and polls of sal ty a special tax of ten cents

\$100.00 valuation of property and cents on each poll to supplement county school fund of said county At said election the ballots ter and cast by the qualited electors the have written or printed on them, Special Tax," or "Against Special".
All qualified electors who are in fi of said special tax shall vote "For cial Tax," and all qualified electors are opposed to said special tax and

vote "Against Special Tax." For the purpose of this election authorized by the said act, the w Board of Commissioners of New Ha ver County dothereby order a new n istration for said election and the lowing are designated as the poli places in said townships, precincts wards, and the persons herein nam are appointed registrars and judges sald election in said townships, cincts and wards, to-wit: Cape Fear Township-Johnsto Store, J. H. Johnston, registrar, J.

Winders, D. J. Joyner, judges of at Harnett township (7th mile)-Smile store, Geo. T. Smith, registrar; Geo. Shepard, Wm. Canady, judges of Es

Harnett township, Seagate-Rop stere, L. Larkin, registrar; G. H. R ers, R. L. Pitman, juages of election Harnet township, Winter Park Smith's store, F. A. Montgomery, reg trar; A. H. High, judge of election. Masonboro township (Whiskey Creek Lumsden's store, Walter Horne, re trar; E. E. Southerland, R. E. H. judges of election. Masonboro towaship, Sunset Park Baseball Bark, J. C. Long, registrar,

E. Price, J. H. LeGwin, judges of the Federal Point township—T. J. be nett's place, T. J. Burnett, registr S. T. Keyes, J. A. Biddle, judges of the First Ward-Engine House, Four and Campbell, G. H. Davis, registry W. K. Mintz, C. McD. Jones, judges

Second ward-Court House, W. Galloway, registrar; T. A. Shepard, B. Applewhite, judges of election. Third ward-Giblem Lodge, I Blake, registrar; L. B. Symmes, R. Villiams, judges of election. Fourth ward-McClellan's stable J. Furlong, registrar; W. M. Peck R Fox, judges of election.

House, Fifth and Castle; H. E. registrar; A. H. Ketchum, C. L. Ba judges of election. Fifth ward (Precinct 2)—Biddles Sixth and Castle, J. W. Gafford, re trar; Sion J. King, Henry He judges of election.

Fifth ward (Precinct 1)-Em

Sixth ward-Mann, Atkinson & ters' store, J. F. Mann, registrar; Womble, Vann Woodcock, judges The registration books of each to

ship, precinct and ward shall be open for the registration of ele twenty days preceding the day for close of the registration books he after provided, Sunday excepted, tween the hours of nine o'clock A and sunset on each day, beginning 4th day of April, 1918, and the books shall be closed for registrat on the second Saturday before the tion, to-wit, on the 27th of April, and on Saturday the 6th day of A 1918, and on Saturday the 13th day April, 1918, and on Saturday the day of April, 1918, and on Saturday 27th day of April, 1918, the registr shall attend with their registrati books at the polling places of their spective townships, precincts and w for the registration of electors. registrars shall attend the pol places of their respective towns preteding the election, to-wit: on 4th of May, 1918, from the hour of A. M. until the hour of three P. M. and where the said books will be to the inspection of the electors said township, precinct or ward,

object to the names, appearing on By order of the Board of Com sioners of New Hanover County.

any of said electors shall be allowed

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