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AMERICAN TALK

One of the greatest hinderances to America's winning this war, is that the people do not realize the seriousness of it.

The Americans have not yet opened their minds to the acceptance of the truth. They have refused to open their minds to the truth.

The object of this American Talk has been to bring some facts to the attention of our readers and to appeal to their higher and better Americanism to wake up and do the part of the full-blooded brave and courageous American.

That prince of brutes, that raven of humanity, that liar and damnable skulion of a burning hell—the Emperor of Murderland—said on one occasion, "Woe and death to those who shall oppose my will."

How far is this from us? In the first place, the Kaiser sent this nation word through its official representative, Ambassador Gerard, that he would attend to America.

We are appealing, not for fright, but determination. We are asking not that we stop work and go into mourning, but that we lay aside the things that hinder us and out of our selfishness rise to the full height of our Americanism and fight for America.

The prince of liars hath said, "I am the instrument of the Almighty. I am His sword, His agent," and then he proceeded to despoil humanity, burn and wreck the homes of nations and to ravage and outrage women and little children.

These German bloodthirsty Dutchshunds, holding by the sword autocratic power and thirsting for further conquest, represent the German nation, which aims to crush democracy.

HUNS MAKING DESPERATE EFFORT ON PARIS Making Some Advance Despite the Frightful Loss of Men



U-BOAT SUNK BY A BRITISH SHIP

German Submarine Which Would Attack British Liner Sent to the Bottom by a Clean Shot.

ARMY OFFICER SAW SHOT AND PRONOUNCED A HIT

Incident Occurred on a Sunday Morning and U-boat Was Only About 150 Yards Away.

(By the Associated Press.) An Atlantic Port, June 11.—A German submarine was attacked and apparently sunk by a British steamship a week ago Sunday morning off a British port according to passengers on a vessel which arrived here today.

Two destroyers which accompanied the British liner dropped depth charges at the spot where the submarine disappeared. The liner carried 176 passengers.

In Greensboro for Synodical College. Messrs. Dorman Thompson, J. L. Sloan, E. B. Watts, J. M. Moore, Rev. Dr. J. M. Clark, Dr. M. R. Adams, Dr. C. E. Raynal and Mr. W. F. Hall compose the Statesville delegation in Greensboro today to meet the committee of the Presbyterian Synod and make an offer for the location of the Synodical college.

These gentlemen passed through this city today en route to Greensboro, where, the Landmark says, Statesville will offer the building and grounds of the female college that has long been established in that town, now known as Mitchell college, together with a cash donation of \$50,000.

When our friends are present we ought to treat them well; and when they are absent, to speak of them well.—Epictetus.

devils incarnate—do not know the American spirit. They have no conception of what the fighting blood in the American man means.

ALDERMEN FIX THE SALARIES OF ALL THE CITY OFFICIALS

Police Captain and Patrolmen Get a Raise As Do a Number of Other Officers, Including Clerk and Treasurer—Chief of Police Salary Reduced.

The board of aldermen met in special session last night for the express purpose of fixing salaries of the various city officials and after this was done the meeting adjourned.

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The salaries as fixed are as follows: Chief of police, reduced from \$150 to \$115, on recommendation of Chairman Ludwick of the police committee. Salary of the captain of police \$100. That of patrolmen \$85.

On motion of Alderman Ruffy of the fire committee the firemen on duty at the city hall together with the janitor of the hall were given an increase of \$10 each per month, this raise was also made to apply to the superintendent of streets, superintendent of cemeteries, sanitary officer, firemen on duty at the city hall, janitor of the city hall, clerk and treasurer, while the salaries of the other officers remain the same with the exception of that of chief of police which was materially reduced.

The tax collector is to be allowed an assistant for a period of several months at a salary not exceeding \$60 a month. This was granted on account of a great deal of extra work falling on the tax collector in the compiling of assessments and interest and collection for special street paving work.

ALBEMARLE MAN IN THE CASUALTY LIST

THE ENEMY DRIVING FOR FRENCH CAPITAL

Every Report From the Battle Front Indicates Germans Are Determined to Take Paris.

FRENCH THRUST THEM BACK AND FIGHT DESPERATELY

Enemy Throwing Division After Division Into the Heavy Fighting.

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, June 11.—All advices from the front show that the enemy is putting forth every effort possible to push to Paris. They are throwing in division after division into the action.

In this effort the enemy is using a number of tanks which the French artillery were at first unable to destroy. The enemy succeeded in slightly widening the wedge by bringing up two divisions of the pick guard borrowed from the Bavarian army of Crown Prince Rupprecht.

The German peril lies in human wastage in their progress. The balances seem to be in favor of the French.

TOBACCO RATES INCREASED

Washington, June 11.—The railroads were authorized today by the Inter-State Commerce Commission to increase rates on manufactured tobacco from North Carolina to points in the middle west to conform with recent increases in the rate from Virginia.

WANTS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Cadet Party in Russia Anxious That Americans and Allies Send Men to Repel the German Invaders in That Country.

Washington, June 11.—An appeal to the United States and the allies to send an expeditionary force to Russia to repel the German invader was forwarded by the Central Commission of the Cadet Party in Russia and was transmitted to the United States today by the Russian embassy.

RYAN WOULD ORGANIZE AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION

Would Operate on Same Style Used by Shipping Board.

Washington, June 10.—Authority to organize one or more government-owned corporations was asked of congress today by John D. Ryan, director of aircraft production. It is proposed to apply to aircraft production the plan successfully used by the shipping board through its emergency fleet corporation.

A bill providing the necessary authority was sent to the senate and house military committee, with the approval of Secretary Baker and Chairman Chamberlain introduced it. Under the measure a corporation might be formed with maximum capital stock of \$100,000,000 owned by the government.

A proposal is made to erect in front of the parliamentary buildings at Ottawa a monument to the wives and mothers of Canadian soldiers.

THE GERMANS ARE LOSING HEAVILY

Despite the Frightful Losses the Enemy is Driving on at One Point in Their Line.

FRENCH REACHED POINT OF FINAL RESISTANCE

Germans Seek to Inflict Disastrous Blow to Allies and to Reach Paris.

(By Associated Press.)

Moving with steadiness, in spite of frightful losses inflicted on them, the Germans in their plunge on their line from Noyon to Montdidier have made gains here and there.

This line seems to be along the Aronde river, a small stream flowing northwest from the Oise, and paralleling the line of advance. The Germans, according to the war office announcements, have reached the "vicinity" of this stream.

This point marked the extreme limit of their advance and there the French immediately attacked and drove the enemy back to the line passing through Belloy, St. Maure, Marguettes and Valenciennes.

FORMER SALISBURY WOMAN DEAD

Mrs. John A. Holt Dies at the Home of Her Son, Mr. Vivian Holt, at Norfolk, Va.—The Remains to Be Brought to Salisbury.

Mrs. John A. Holt died at the home of her son, Mr. Vivian Holt, at Norfolk, Va., Monday morning about 10:30 o'clock. The remains will be brought to Salisbury tomorrow and the funeral will take place at St. Luke's Episcopal church, the hour being 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Holt was for many years a resident of this city where she and her husband, the late Col. John A. Holt, were held in high esteem by all who knew them.

DIFFICULTIES CONFRONT THE ENEMY

With the British Army in France, Tuesday Morning, June 11.—The difficulties confronting the enemy are very great, in the nature of the country he has now entered in his new drive. This comprises sharp hills, deep valleys and thick woods.

DEAD LITTERED WITH GERMAN DEAD

French headquarters in France, via Ottawa, June 11.—The enemy succeeded at an immense cost in pushing his advance from a mile to three miles deeper in the allied front yesterday. At Marguettes, the southernmost point of the salient, he is about seven miles from the starting point. The fighting was almost unprecedented in fury yesterday. The Germans continuing to attack in compact masses were mowed down by the allied guns. Wave succeeded wave in attack

FRENCH IN VIOLENT FIGHT WITH ENEMY

Retake One Village and British Strengthens Some of Their Battle Lines.

FRENCH OFFER RESISTANCE OF A MOST TELLING NATURE

Germans After Taking Positions Are Hurdled Back by the French.

(By Associated Press.)

London, June 11.—The British last night carried out operations to the east of Amiens by which their line to Morancourt was advanced a half mile on mile and a half, the war office announced today. The British took German prisoners to the number of 233.

FRENCH TAKE VILLAGE OF MORY

Paris, June 11.—The German drive between Montdidier and Noyon continued unremittingly during the night, the war office announced. On the left the French offered effective resistance and recaptured the village of Mory.

On the right the French are in violent combat with the enemy who have been unable to gain ground. The French withdrew their line to the west and south of Ribencourt.

CAPTAIN HARRISON OF THE POLICE FORCE DIED THIS AFTERNOON

Second in Command of the Police Force of the City a Victim of Bright's Disease—Was at His Post of Duty Monday.

Captain J. A. Harrison of the Salisbury police force, died at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at his home, 604 West Innes street after a desperate illness of less than a day.

Mr. Harrison was a leading member in several fraternal orders here, including the Eagles and only recently was chosen head of the local order of Moose. He was a big hearted, generous and kind man, and although his work took him into all the hard lines of life he had a heart as tender as a child's and it was as big as all outdoors.

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ALBEMARLE BOY IS WOUNDED IN FRANCE

In the Casualty List of Today Appears the Name of Several North Carolinians Among Them Henry W. Morrow, Albemarle—A Rocky Mount Man Killed; Gastonia Man Injured.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, June 11.—The army casualty list today contains 130 names divided as follows:

Killed in action 26; died of wounds 3; died of accident and other causes 3; died of disease 7, wounded severely 18; wounded but the extent not establish 43.

The list includes killed in action: Edward C. Pitts, of Rock Mount. Wounded severely, Henry W. Morrow, of Albemarle; John H. Tripp, of Gastonia.

Young Morrow is a son of Mr. J. M. Morrow, of Albemarle, one of the leading business men of the city.

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