

THE WEATHER
Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature. Light to general variable winds.

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GERMANS AND FRENCH KEEP BATTLE GOING

Initial Success of the Germans in an Attack Last Night Was Lost When French Beat Back the Crown Prince's Troops.

Heavy Fighting is Still Underway in Champagne—Only Raiding Operations Reported from the British Front.

(By The Associated Press.)
The engagement between the French and the Germans which began Wednesday with a German attack near Vaux-sillon southwest of Laon is being continued by the artillery, the infantry fighting have died down. Paris today reports an extension of the artillery duel eastward. It was raging last night along a front of about 10 miles as far as the vicinity of Bray on laonnis, reaching the official report said, "extreme intensity."

In the infantry battle initial successes for the Germans came to a halt after they had lost virtually all they gained. Only one small salient remained to the Germans.

In the Champagne also heavy fighting is in progress. After the disappointing result of the German attack yesterday between Mont Carnillet and Mont Bled, in which the crown prince's forces were not only repulsed but driven from their own position they attacked again, this time at Teton heights. This assault also failed, Paris says, all the positions being held.

Along the British front only raiding operations are reported.

The Austro-Italian front continues the scene of active operations, but official dispatches are lacking today to throw additional light on the situation. General Cadorna apparently is exerting heavy pressure along a wide sector of the Trentino front.

VETERANS RECEIVE VISITORS SATURDAY

Tomorrow is Daughters and Citizens' Day at the Local Camp of Confederate Veterans.

Saturday afternoon will be daughters and citizens day at the headquarters of the High Point camp, United Confederate Veterans. The meeting for visitors will be held at 3 o'clock or as near that hour as convenient. There will be no set program but music and tales of the veterans will aid in making the informal gathering enjoyable.

The Daughters of the Confederacy, the citizens who so generously aided in the uniform fund, the Junior order, which gave Old Glory and all who have been interested in the veterans and headquarters are invited. Ministers and newspaper men have a standing invitation which they frequently exercise.

The veterans will have a business meeting at 2 o'clock and all are requested to be present at that hour.

AMERICAN DOCTORS ARE GIVING A HAND

Have Taken Over Six of the Great British Field Hospitals in France.

British Headquarters in France, June 22.—(By Associated Press.)—Quietly and with little ceremony so as to escape practically all official attention, American doctors, nurses and enlisted men have within the last fortnight taken over six of the British great general field hospitals, releasing the English staffs for duty near their front. American surgeons have been rendering aid also in the forward casualty clearing stations during the battle of Messines.

This has been the quickest organized aid the United States has given British arms and has been greatly appreciated.

Chapel Hill, June 22.—H. H. Patterson, one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Chapel Hill, died today. Mr. Patterson, who was a retired merchant, conducted a place of business just opposite the university and he was known to hundreds of alumni. He was about 78 years old.

ARREST TWO PICKETS AT WHITE HOUSE

Miss Lucy Burns, of New York, and Miss Catherine Morey, of Boston, Refused to Move Their Banners and Were Taken.

"Silent Sentinels" Spring a Surprise By Holding Banners Inscribed With Phrases From the Addresses of President.

Washington, June 22.—The police today began dealing with the suffrage pickets about the White House with a firm hand.

It was ordered that no banners were to be displayed and 20 policemen were stationed about the White House fence.

Miss Lucy Burns, of New York, and Miss Catherine Morey, of Boston, carriers of a banner who refused to move in front of the gates, were arrested and taken to police headquarters.

At police headquarters they were told they had been arrested for blocking traffic and unlawful assembly. They were released on their own recognizance and no date was set for trial.

It developed that the suffragists took their banners out again today under advice of counsel but that they had sprung a surprise on the police. Instead of banners bearing inscriptions characterized as "treasonable" and "offensive" they bore banners inscribed with phrases from some of the President's addresses to congress referring to the dedication of America to the rights of democracy.

Suffrage leaders were undecided after the arrest of Miss Burns and Miss Morey whether another effort would be made to display the banners.

YANKEE TARS ARE HAVING A TIME

Are Fitting Up Club House and Are to Give a Show By "Marvelous Aggregation."

Base of American Fleet in British Waters, June 22.—(By Associated Press.)—Two American pool tables arrived in this picturesque old village today. They are the first American tables ever seen here and attracted a great deal of attention. They are the latest addition to the shore home for the crews of the American ships which has been named the "U. S. naval men's club" and which is being built with funds provided by American business men.

Although the dormitory feature of the club, which will provide sleeping quarters for 75 men, will not be completed for a month, the house will be formally opened Saturday. Moving pictures will share in the honors with a vaudeville program provided by the sailors. The program has been printed by the destroyers and printers and announces songs, dances, recitations and wrestling matches by "the most marvelous aggregation from God's country that ever set foot on anybody else's country."

A moving picture machine has been installed and the orchestra of the destroyers is busy practicing for its share. Another feature will be a minstrel show by a troupe of comedians formerly on the battleship Nebraska. The sailors were busy today putting the finish to their house which was formerly a public bath house and which has been converted into a hall which seats nearly 1,000.

FUNERAL MR. COFFIN SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral of Well Known Man to Be Held in Greensboro—Masons in Charge.

Funeral services over the remains of William E. Coffin, the well known freight agent of the Southern Railway company at Greensboro who died suddenly yesterday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock while seated on the front porch of his home at Greensboro at the age of 68 years, will be conducted from West Market Methodist Episcopal church, Greensboro, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Masons will have charge of the funeral services. Mr. Coffin was born near Jamestown and was known by a majority of people of this city and section.

ASKS MEXICO TO CUT BONDS OF GERMANY

El Universal, Leading Mexican Paper, Conducting Campaign to Have Mexico Sever Relations With Germany.

Reports Are Current That Efforts Are Being Made to Buy the Paper With German Money and Influence.

Mexico City, June 22.—Every possible pressure, including financial offers, is reported to have been brought to bear by Germans and pro-Germans to stop the campaign of El Universal for the severance of relations between Mexico and Germany. The campaign continues to be the topic of conversation here.

El Universal will say editorially tomorrow that in the flood of comment which has stand has evoked no paper and person has taken a pro-German stand or purposed that Mexico ally with the central powers.

DRAFT MACHINERY IS ALL PERFECTED

Total of 9,649,938 Men Were Registered in the United States on June 5.

(By The Associated Press.)

Washington, June 22.—Following receipt of war registration returns from Wyoming and Kentucky, making the final total 9,649,938, Provost Marshall General Crowder announced today that draft regulations will be ready for publication July 1, two months before the call. Details of the machinery governing exemption were not disclosed.

General Crowder foresees no more complications with the selection and exemption than was experienced with registration. Secretary Baker has given assurance the selection will be so fair that there would be no grounds for fear that any man will be favored by political reasons. In order that neighborhood knowledge of a man's work might aid, the country undoubtedly will be highly subdivided and the exemption districts be small.

RED CROSS FUND IS AT \$63,000,000

The Campaign Assumed International Proportions With Today's Activities.

Washington, June 22.—America's campaign to raise \$100,000,000 for the Red Cross today assumed international proportions when word was received here that the committees in London, Paris, Panama, Ecuador, Peru and other countries are actively soliciting funds. Promises aggregating several hundred dollars came also from Manila, Alaska and Guam.

Compilation here early today showed \$63,000,000 was obtained in four days and today's work was expected to raise it to near \$75,000,000.

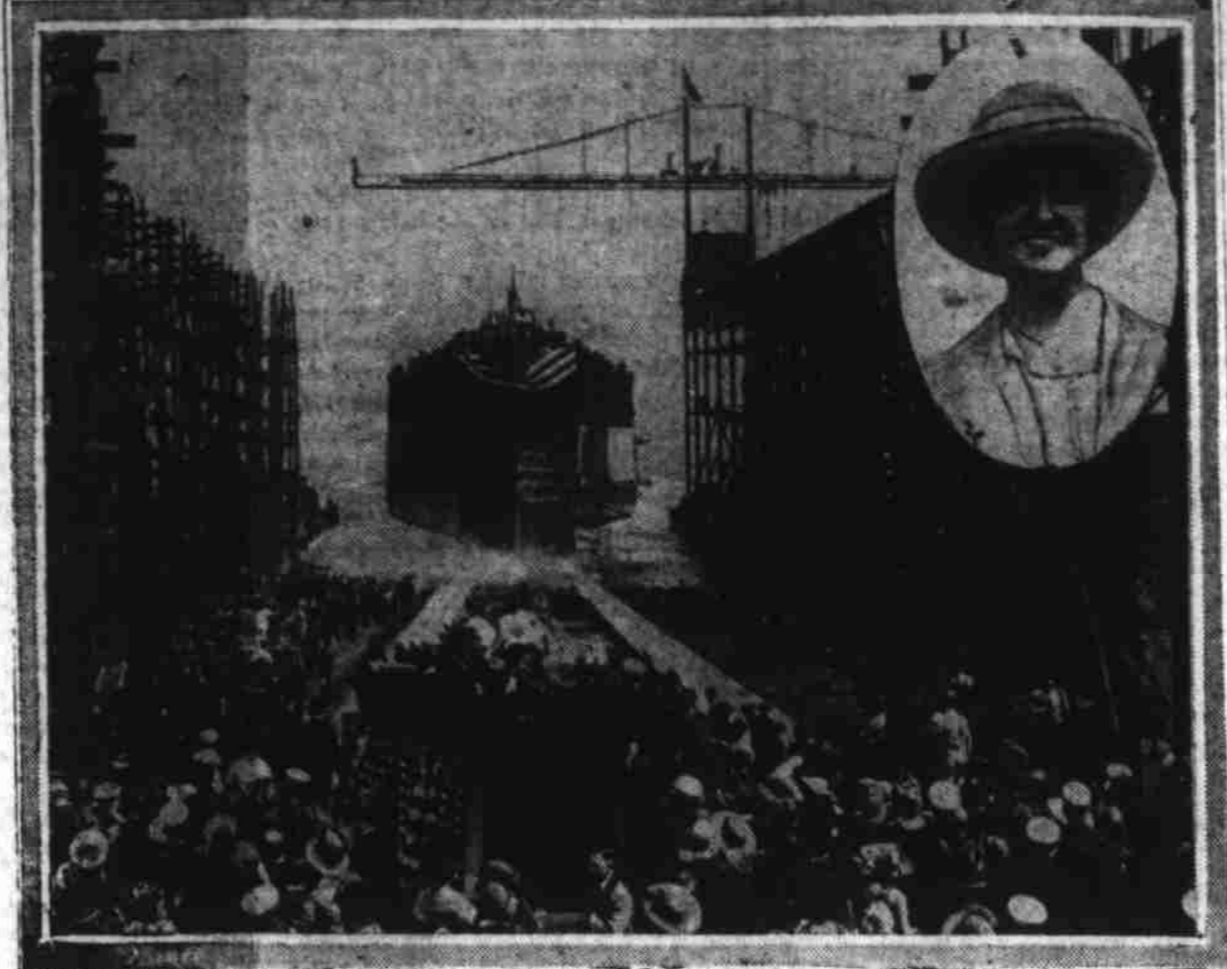
It was said today that the prospective field of work is developing so fast that \$100,000,000 might not be enough for long and possibly another canvass for funds would be made or congress would be asked for an amount.

CAPTAIN BELIEVES HIS SHIP SANK U-BOAT

An Atlantic Port, June 22.—The captain of an American steamer which has just arrived at an American port said today on his arrival that he believed his steamer sank a submarine June 4, when two days out from Liverpool en route to the Atlantic port. Beyond this statement the captain offered nothing further.

New York, June 22.—Cotton was quiet early today with fluctuations irregular. The opening was two points lower to nine points higher, with October selling at 25.18 and December at 25.32 after the call, or within a point of last night's close. Offerings were light and the market steadied on covering. October rallied to 25.40 and December to 25.50, or 19 to 23 points net higher. Cotton futures opened steady. July 25.30, Oct. 25.25, Dec. 25.40, Jan. 25.47, March 25.51.

BIGGEST WARSHIP LAUNCHED IN NEW YORK WITH LITTLE CEREMONY.



LAUNCHING OF U.S.S. NEW MEXICO. MISS DE BACA

The usual crowd was lacking when the giant battleship New Mexico was launched on April 23 at the Brooklyn navy yard. The spectators were confined to naval officers and the party accompanying the governor of New Mexico, numbering only about 300. The scene was in marked contrast to the launching of the great battleship Arizona, which recently took place at the same yard and which was witnessed by 30,000 persons.

The photograph shows the New Mexico taking the water. The insert is a picture of Miss Margaret De Baca, the sponsor of the vessel. Miss De Baca is the daughter of the late governor of New Mexico. (Passed by naval censor.)

SOME LAND SAVED FOR HIGH POINT BOYS

Local Scouts Are Asked to Meet Andrew Joyner at Armfield's Store and Put Out Plants.

The Boy Scouts of the city who are interested in farming are asked to meet Andrew Joyner, of Greensboro, the farming expert, at the Armfield store, on the Greensboro-High Point boulevard, promptly at 8 o'clock tomorrow, Saturday morning, if they wish to take advantage of the opportunity offered to cultivate a part of the Scales and Bernau farms which Mr. Joyner has saved for the local boys. In Greensboro a number of Boy Scouts and high school boys have been working under the direction of Mr. Joyner and now have a large number of acres in cultivation a short distance from the city. The Boy Scouts of this city are now to be given the same opportunity and further, it is stated, that 30,000 plants will be set tomorrow if the High Point scouts are as interested as were the Greensboro boys.

Scout Master W. M. Marr is asked to accompany the boys, as is J. J. Farris and Myron W. P. Hagan, citizens who are interested in the production of greater food crops. This afternoon Mr. Joyner telephoned in to the office of The Enterprise to have the three gentlemen come out immediately for a council of war but they could not be located. Therefore it is imperative that the three above named gentlemen get busy at once and have all the Scouts at the Armfield store, near the point where the road turns off toward Groometown, by 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Concerning the farming project and the plans he has underway for the High Point boys Mr. Joyner made the following statement yesterday:

"I have set apart a portion of the Bernau and Scales farms for the benefit of the Boy Scouts of High Point. So on Saturday morning, it is especially requested that the three companies of the high school military battalion, the two Boy Scout troops and the entire Boy Scout forces of High Point proceed in a body, by bicycle, motorcycle or automobile, horse, buggy or saddle, or on shanks mare, and witness the planting of the contest peas, and locate their particular section. All will be expected to be there by 8 o'clock sharp, and the organization which is not represented will have no part in the subsequent proceedings," he added. "It will interest any one to ride out there and see those boys work," he said. "I am going to let the High Point Scouts have a potato patch out there if they want it, as other boys have now set out on their other places 110 plants. I will have a setting of 30,000 plants Saturday, if the High Point Scouts are as interested as were the Greensboro Scouts. You see, with potatoes about the only work the boys do is to set the plant, the plow practically does the rest. With peas and corn, the machine does the planting and the boy will do his part of the work in picking the peas and gathering the corn." The work being done today is planting soya beans at the rate of six acres per day, one and two horses doing the entire work.

THANKS THE RUSSIANS FOR THE LONG REST

Petrograd, June 22.—Along the Russian northern front German airplanes have dropped leaflets which read: "Thanks, thanks, for the long rest during the fraternization enabled us to transfer troops to the west to hold up the attack of the allies. Now enough are transferred and we are going to fight and will fire on you."

Two Banner Towns In Raising Red Cross Fund

Hickory, June 22.—Three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars was the total announced for the Red Cross fund here this afternoon. It is believed \$5,000 will be raised.

Concord Raised \$5,000.
Concord, June 22.—Total subscriptions for the Red Cross here today totaled approximately \$5,000. Ten thousand will be raised.

WANTS THE PAPER MAKERS INDICTED

Claims They Have Conspired to Force the Price of Paper Upward.

Washington, June 22.—Formal charges against print paper manufacturers designed to force the federal trade commission to some action were filed with the commission today by Frank P. Walsh, former chairman of the federal industrial relations committee. Mr. Walsh charges that paper manufacturers for months have been using unfair methods for competition in production and sales. He asked that the commission conduct a public hearing.

The basis of the complaint is the commission's report. The manufacturers are charged with having conspired to control the industry, increasing the cost and limiting production and having divided the country in territory for the sales. In addition Mr. Walsh charges the manufacturers have discriminated in prices and have violated contracts made to furnish paper at prices found to be fair.

Many false claims and allegations, Mr. Walsh says, have been made to obtain and retain control of the field.

DENY STEAMER BROUGHT GERMAN PRISONERS TO U. S.

Washington, June 22.—Reports of a British steamer bringing to an Atlantic port prisoners from a German raider sunk or captured at sea were declared by navy officials today to be without foundation. They had conferred by telephone with naval officers at the port and were assured that while the steamer had arrived there they were unable to find any truth in the reports that she brought prisoners.

400 GERMANS PASS HERE EARLY TODAY

Were Being Transferred From New York to Hot Springs, for Internment.

Between 400 and 500 interned German sailors from the seized German liners in New York and Hoboken passed through High Point about 6:15 o'clock this morning en route to Hot Springs, Ark., where they will be interned for the period of the war.

The train consisted of 10 Pullman cars and 3 baggage cars, and did not make a stop until it reached Salisbury where the sailors were given breakfast and allowed to "stretch" their legs.

The sailors were healthy looking and appeared to be taking their fate with perfect good will. It is believed that they will be allowed to work where they are interned if they so desire.

Many See Them at Salisbury.
(Special to The Enterprise.)
Salisbury, June 22.—Many Salisbury residents were up early this morning to get a peep at the interned German sailors being transferred from New York to Hot Springs. The 10 car Pullman train arrived here about 7:15 o'clock and the men were given breakfast. Some of them talked interestingly of their experiences and none appeared anxious to have any other fate, not even transportation to Germany.

LIMITING DEBATE ON THE FOOD BILL

In the House Speeches Were Held Down to Five Minutes—To Pass By July 1.

Washington, June 22.—Prohibition proposals and pending amendments to eliminate licensing of food dealers were the principal subjects of contention in the house today on the administration food bill whose final passage is expected tomorrow.

In the house speeches were limited to five minutes.

Senator Reed of Missouri was ready to take the floor in the senate for a long speech in opposition.

Indications multiplied that the legislation would be enacted by July 1 as urged by the president.

VARIATIONS IN PRICE TO BE INIMICAL TO U. S.

New York, June 22.—A statement expressing opinion that pronounced movements in cotton prices are inimical to the best interests of the United States, is contained in a letter sent today to all members of the cotton exchange by the president, George M. Shutt. The board of managers, it says, "will look with extreme disfavor upon action of any member of the exchange which will tend to cause unnecessary and extreme variations in prices."

PROGRAM OF SECRETARIES' MEETING OUT

Semi-Annual Session of North Carolina Commercial Secretaries Association to Be Held in This City Next Wednesday.

Three Women Secretaries to Be Present—John Paul Lucas to Deliver An Address—Secretaries Discuss Many Problems.

The official program of the semi-annual meeting of the North Carolina Commercial Secretaries' association which is to be held in this city next Wednesday, June 27, was announced by the secretary of the organization, Miss Bessie Hackney, this morning. Leading secretaries of this state and one from a South Carolina organization are on the program to lead discussions, while the executive secretary of the North Carolina Food Conservation committee, John Paul Lucas, will speak on "The Market Proposition in North Carolina" during the morning session.

The attendance is going to be unusually large, it is stated, for a majority of the leading commercial secretaries of the state have already signified their intention of attending. Three of the very few women secretaries, Miss Bessie Marsh, of Fayetteville; Miss Lillian Ferguson, of Gastonia, and Miss Bessie Hackney, of this city, are to be present and two of the four "very busy secretarial bees" of the state will also attend. For the benefit of the layman it is stated that there are four secretaries in the state, all men, who are always too busy to attend conventions. Two of them will attend the local meeting—the other 50 per cent lives up to the reputation of being busy.

Immediately after the morning session the secretaries will be guests at a luncheon to be held at the Elwood hotel, this being the one social affair of the day. The afternoon will be devoted to the school for secretaries with the "teaching" done by John C. Forester, secretary of the Greensboro chamber of commerce. This school is nothing more or less than a meeting held for the purpose of threshing out and settling various problems that confront the secretaries from time to time; in fact it might be called a round able discussion with Mr. Forester as ring leader.

Among the secretaries who will be present are P. O. Leak, Winston-Salem; W. R. Timmons, Rock Hill, S. C.; Miss Bessie Marsh, Fayetteville; Miss Lillian Ferguson, Gastonia; A. T. Bowler, Raleigh; J. C. Forester, Greensboro; H. E. Barlow, Wilson; E. N. Farris, Charlotte; C. W. Roberts, Henderson; T. D. Brown, Salisbury; C. R. Pugh, Elizabeth City; W. G. Shepard, Farmville; Hal Hayes, Rocky Mount; N. Buckner, Asheville; Aleyis J. Coleman, Durham; E. B. Lewis, Kinston; Miss Hackney, High Point; Clyde L. Davis, Aberdeen.

The program is as follows:
Address by president, E. N. Farris, Charlotte, "The North Carolina Commercial Secretaries' Association—Its Purpose."

Paper, W. R. Timmons, secretary of the chamber of commerce, Rock Hill, S. C., "Publicity."

Paper, N. Buckner, secretary of the board of trade, Asheville, "Assistance Secretary Should Render Government in War Preparation."

Address, John Paul Lucas, executive secretary North Carolina Food Conservation committee, "The Market Proposition in North Carolina."

Paper, Clyde L. Davis, secretary chamber of commerce, Aberdeen, "Relation of Commercial Organizations to Town and Country."

Paper, Alexis J. Coleman, secretary chamber of commerce, Durham, "Work of the Chamber of Commerce Should Undertake."

Recess—Luncheon at Elwood hotel.
Afternoon session. School for Secretaries, led by J. C. Forester, secretary of the chamber of commerce, Greensboro.

NEWPORT NEWS BE PORT FROM WHICH SHIP ANIMALS
Washington, June 22.—Army orders today show that an embarkation establishment for the shipment of army horses and mules to Europe probably will be established at Newport News. Captain John P. Faigo, quartermaster corps, has been ordered there "to confer with the board of officers on the selection of a site for embarkation depot for shipment of animals overseas."
Rumors in London Here.
A Pacific Post, June 22.—A rumor is current in London that the United States has received here today.