

Front Today.

Belgium, striking early this morning! along a nine-mile front on the Messines-Wytschaete ridge, between Ypres and Lille. Success marked the opening of the offensive, the British winning all their initial objectives and pushing on. Their further progress is reported to be satisfactory along

the whole front. Juarez, Mex., June 7.-After three While a considerable stretch sepahours of hard fighting the governrates the field of this new offensive ment forces of General Cordova Esfrom that of Arras, the operation may pinoza defeated the command of of this city. considered as in conjunction with Francisco Villa Monday at Pueblito, the continuing battle on the Arras 6 miles south of Ojinaga, according to an official announcement by Gen-

A sweeping salient in front of the eral Gonzales, acting commander of ity of Lille has been created by the the Northeastern military zone. General Padulla, a Villa commandtas attack and in a broad sense this salient is now under threat from er, surrendered to the government forces at Escalor Tuesday with 80 both the north and the south. Belying the recent German boast men, General Gonzales also announc-

hat the British offensive from Arras ed. had come to a halt. General Haig ear-

er this week proved that he had not t his initiative there, by making successful drive to the south of CAMPAIGN IN NEW YORK Lens, carrying a mile of the German front north of the Scarpe.

(By Associated Press.) The reverbrations from this blow New York, June 7.—The campaign ad hardly died away before today's for donations totalling \$10,000,000 as Mack was launched on the other Side, New York City's share of the \$100,the Lille salient 000,000 fund for the Red Cross was

A sharp, well-defined curve in the begun today at a meeting of bankers, German line, about three miles deep lawyers and business men who have and the same distance across, is the been invited to join the Speakers' Buimmediate objective of this hew at- reau. The formal opening of the drive In common with other sections for contributions will begin June 18. the line in Belgium along a front It became known today that a plan is I tome 30 miles, its defenses had under consideration by prominent been subjected to a tremendous bankers to appeal to the large corporapounding by the British artillery, for tions profiting from war orders to declare a special dividend which could

he French front is comparatively, be diverted to the Red Cross with the The only development of note consent of the stockholders. If stock ight was a German attack north- holders generally surrendered their West of St. Quentin. - This was quich claims it was estimated that perhaps checked by the French fire. half of the \$100,000,000 fund would be

Condition in Russia appear more assured. romising from several angles. For he thing, the incident at Kronstadt, with its revolting fortress garrison; nd declaration of independence, has a adjusted, self-constituted Kronad authorities recognizing the auniv of the provisional government. sing control of the army situation ement of the threatened munition

in Petrograd. ^{foday} brings new indications o Val collier Jupiter, with 10,000 tons wheat has arrived at French port, ashington announces. Paris newsapers' accounts of the arrival of an Ojinaga fight. merican transport with wheat dethe the grain as intended for Amcan traces to come later.

For those troops, it is declared, a humber of bases, similar to those of he British army in France, have been



RED CROSS FUND

🕈 flag of the great American repub- 🐥

lic, have come to participate un- *

(By Associated Press.)

ment, about 6 miles east of the city, deliver an address to the students of tial airs of Dixie and the rebel yell

Carolina, who have been taking mili-

tary training for the past three months. Following the parade General Wood will deliver an address to the people of the city from the plaza of the State Capitol, after which he will hold a

public reception at one of the local hotels. The day will be closed with a ban quet in honor of General Wood this



Tragedy Before The Court.

Bessie, aged 13, and Joe, aged 12,

matic fashion.

VILLAIS INJURED BY KICK FROM HORSE

(By Associated Press.) Presideo, Mex., June 7-Francisco quickly follows indications of in- Villa was injured when his horse fell Minister of War Kerensky and the and kicked him in the chest during the battle of Sauceda, May 27. This became known when the man, at

whose house Villa stopped, at San count of the incident. The younger increasing part the United States Jose came here yesterday and said he had entertained Villa. He said fied that they killed their father at ditions were had. The day began not daily taking in the great war. The be had entertained willa. He said the older children's bidding. Each too hot for the comfort of the visitors. flew no flag. days, until he had recovered suffi- testified that Wilkerson frequently ciently to rejoin his troops. This ac-swore at them, but that they received counted for Villa's absence from the

> HEAVY FINE IMPOSED **ON CITY OF MONS** chair while little Otto, barefooted and

🕈 gray yelled as loudly as he could: 🏶 mersibles, because officials feel it (By Associated Press.)

Columbia, S. C., June 7.-Major * "To hell with Germany." The + marks the ship for further attack, as General Leonard Wood, commander, * President smiled. of the Department of the Southeast, 🕈 Chief Justice White, a veteran 🛊 Mongolia. It has been the policy also United States army, arrived in Co. * Confederate officer, came to the * not to identify the gun crews on mer-

lumbia from Birmingham, Ala., last 🕈 reviewing stand early but left 🕏 chant ships so as not to add to their night to be the guest of the city today it just before the Iouisiara delega. + hardships in case of capture. The at an elaborate reception and demon- + tion passed and marched with it + British have followed this same polsefore the President, arm-in-arm sicy because in cases where the Gerstration given in his honor. The senior general of the army * with another Louisiana veteran. + mans have identified a gun crew or a commenced the day by making a visit *

sunk one of their submarines, they to the site of the proposed canton- 🕈 🕈 🕈 🕈 🕈 🕈 🕈 🐐 have subjected the prisoners to un-Washington, June 7.-The Nation's following which he is scheduled to capital resounded today with the marusual severity.

Allen University, a negro institution as 10,000 Confederate veterans, carry-

the city, to be participated in by prac- Pennsylvania avenue and passed in submarine in the Mediterranean. "It weeks, with the rate of destruction tically every military and civic organ- review before President Wilson and was a splendid piece of work," Secre- falling steadily. The placing of Gerization of Columbia, the First South Vive President Marshall. The hopes tary Daniels said today, "and we are man tonnage in American harbors in Carolina infantry and a battalion of of a lifetime were realized when the now considering promotion for Clark, use and increased American ship con- lier Jupiter has arrived in France, students of the University of South gray clad hosts, many bearing their who well deserves it."

muskets and each waving a miniature | The Navy Department received word the situation. American flag, proudly paraded the some days ago of the action between

to the White House. Myron M. Parker, and led by their the battle was confirmed. Secretary on the country's stocks before. Offi- out in advance and is now at anchor

P. Harrison and his staff, the rem- to details of the fight already publish- gram soon will make the United nants of the men who wore the gray, ed.

formed in their old commanus under As turret captain of the dreadnaught the surviving leaders, and with steady Arkansas, Clark has held high rating steps and military demeanor marched among warrant officers for the navy in triumph, while 100,000 visitors and and was selected to command the thousands of residents who crowded guard on the Silvershell because of his ALLENG ARRESTED every vantage point cheered them to ability and steadiness proven through every vantage point, cheered them to ability and steadiness proven through the echo. years of naval service. In some other

The veterans rose early to prepare instances warrant officers are in comfor the climax of their reunion and an mand of the gun crews, although in hour before the pageant was to move the majority of cases the men are un they began gathering at Tweifth der commissioned officers.

street and Pennsylvania avenue, Secretary Daniels did not say what where they were to assemble. As the grade he was contemplating in the The Infant Patricides Enact the various commands would form, and, promotion of Clark.

led by one of the numerous visiting The other members of the Silver bands, marched to the place assigned shell's crew were George B. Brine them, the crowds would cheer and ap- Jameson, Md.; Thomas F. Atwell plaud. More than one of the Con- Providence, R. I.; Frank Brousseau,

Durant, Okla, June 7.—The four federate battle standards was borne Southbridge, Mass.; Joseph S. Celone, children of R. L. Wilkerson, the old-by a gray-clad old hero and none Ansonia, Conn.; Donald F. Chisholm, est of whom is 13, told Judge Lewis more thoroughly enjoyed the day. Jersey City; Walter R. Hearn, Bos-Pauldin in the county court today. During the waiting hour, bands ton, Mass.; Thomas J. Leahy, Springhow they planned and explained the would strike up "Dixie" and the thou field, Mass.; William Martens, Brookslaying of their father at their home sands of veterans would wave their lyn, N. Y.; Leo Maurer, New York on a farm here last Thursday night. hats and flags and give the yell that City; Jerrie L. Patterson, Forsythe At the request of the court, two of the resounded upon every battlefield from county, Georgia; Lawrence B. Ray, children re-enacted the tragedy in dra- Manassas to Appomatox. Burnsville, N. C.; Herman L. Sedorf,

The day dawned dark, and dreary, Brooklyn, N. Y. but before the thousands began their The State Department's announce march, the sun had broken through ment states:

the clouds, though not entirely dis-



DOING GOOD WORK mit the submarine to come within range. Then followed a fight lasting for an hour and a half. The subma-

Improving in Shipping.

Washington, June 7.-Two british * they believe was the case with the experts, Under Secretary J. A. Salter of the Ministry of Shipping, and Thomas Royden, a director of the Cunard Line, arrived here today to discuss the shipping situation of the allies. They came at the request of American officials and will aid in effecting an efficient shipping dis commander as having attacked or trbution.

> With the shipping board the commissioners will take up means to keep vessels from unnecessary danger and

William J. Clark, of New York, conservation of the tonnage by limitwarrant officer from the battleship ing cargoes and arranging new trade reception of American troops, the ing their battle-scarred flags with the Arkansas, commanded the armed routes. All officials here feel that newspaper says further. A number of This afternoon he will review a pa- Stars and Stripes, tramped through guard aboard the American steamer the shipping outlook has shown a bases similar to those of the British rade through the principal streets of blocks of cheering thousands along Silvershell, which sunk the German marked improvement in the past few struction have aided also in relieving

Twenty-one more merchant veshistoric thoroughfare from the Capitol the Silvershell and the submarine. In- vessels, it was announced today, quiries were made promptly of the are ready for launching at American an American port without any intima-Escorted by a band of Union naval gun crew at the port where the shipyards, which are hurrying to com- tion of her voyage having been given veterans, commanded by Colonel ship had arrived and the account of pletion more vessels than ever were,

commander in chief, General George Daniels said his advices added nothing cials believe the shipping board's pro- in a French port. States the leading shipbuilding Nation

of the world.



War-One, German, the

Other Russian.

(By Associated Press.) Richmond, Va., June 7. -Failure to register resulted in the arrest yesterday of Wolfgang Berger, an alien enemy. Berger admitted that he had not enrolled on Tuesday. He claims to have been born in Bavaria. From his statements he has been in every last year. United States Commissioner Flegenheimer ordered him held for trial.

Pleads Ignorance. Lynchburg, Va., June

"The submarine was first seen at persing them, and ideal weather con- about 7,000 yards. She had a six-inch here yesterday and committed to jail had been necessary. gun forward and another aft. She by United States Commissioner

Obrien for failure to register under "Upon sight of the submarine, the the draft law. He pleaded ingorance steamer hoisted the American flag and This is the first arrest of the kind waited for about ten minutes. As the made here.

submarine approached the steamer fired. The submarine responded. The NEW YORK BOMBARDED steamer kept a speed that would per- WITH BOND LITERATURE mit the submarine to come within

> (By Associated Press.) New York, June 7.-An aerial bom-

tions For American Soldiers, To Be Sent to Front.

(By Associated Press.) Paris, June 7 .- A large American transport containing wheat for American troops which are to come later. has crossed the Atlantic under the protection of American warships, the Martin announces. The transport is now being unloaded at a French port.

the newspaper says.

Preparations are being made for the army have been organized.

Collier Jupiter Carries Supplies.

Washington, June 7 .- The naval col-Secretary Daniels announced today. laden with 10,500 tons of wheat and other supplies. The ship sailed from

The Jupiter is one of the navy's largest colliers. She was the first electrically propelled steamer ever built and her performance was so good that it led to the adoption of electric drive for all new battleships and battle cruisers, the American navy being the only one in the world to adopt this type of propulsion. The Jupiter was built at Mare Island navy yard, San Francisco, and she has high speed for an auxiliary naval vessel, which would For Failure to Register For the enable her to escape submarine attacks under any but unusual corcumstances. Secretary Daniels did not specify what supplies besides wheat the big ship carried.

OVER THREE THOUSAND REGISTERED IN WAYNE

(Special to The Dispatch.) Goldsboro, N. C., June 7.-County important city in the South in the Clerk J.B. Hooks stated this morning that 3,558 men registered in Wayne county Tuesday. This was 500 more men than was expected by the officials, who declared today that all over the 7.- county the young men responded with Homieck, a Russian, was arrested patriotism and no evasion or arrests

FILIPINO TROOPS VOLUNTEER FOR WAR

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 7.- A force of 25,000 Filipino troops, wherever they may be needed, was offered to President Wilson today by Manuel Quezon, former Phillippine delegate in Congress, and now president of the Phil-

gave the court a comprehensive acchildren, Ruby, 10, and Otto, 8, testiwhippings not more frequently than

other children of their acquantance. When given a double barreled shot gun with a request to show the court how their father met his death, Ruby pointed the gun at a hat hung on a

