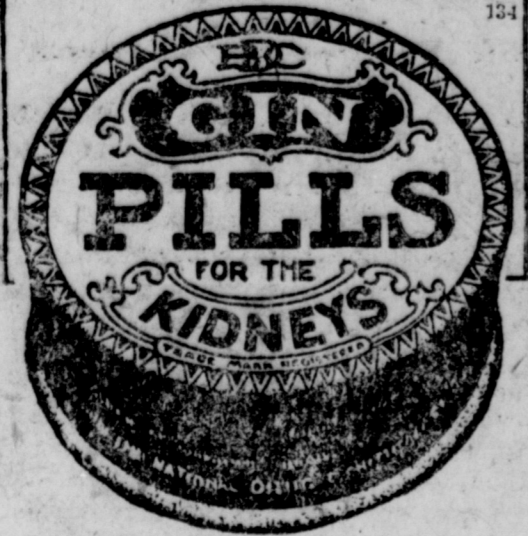


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Uneasiness Felt In Germany

London, May 3.—There is grave uneasiness in Germany over the news from the east, where apparently the German shortly will be confronted with overwhelming difficulties that will shatter the whole fabric of the Brest-Litovsk peace, says an Amsterdam despatch to the Daily Express. From Finland to the Ukraine there is over-increasing opposition to German oppression.

Venna reports, it is added, say that most of the Ukrainian crops were ruined by the peasants, who would rather starve than feed the Germans.

Stockholm, May 3.—The Swedish legation at Berlin reports an amendment to the German prize regulations, effective immediately. It provides that neutral vessels shall be considered to have been put into operation in the interests of the enemy's warfare, when the state whose flag the vessels are entitled to carry has made a tonnage contract with an enemy country or when the principal part of the merchant marine of a neutral state is making voyages for the enemy.

London, May 3.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency).—Dutch papers state that 107 severely wounded British who have arrived at Rotterdam for repatriation were not sent from Germany under proper conditions. No hospital train was provided and the Dutch medical authorities expressed forcible opinions regarding the transport of stretcher cases under such conditions. The German authorities, it is pointed out, must either confess inability or admit that no hospital trains are available owing to the German losses on the western front.

Harass Enemy From The Air

Amsterdam, May 4.—The effective work of Allied airmen in harassing the German supply service is evidenced by the newspaper Les Nevelles, of The Hague, which says that Allied aviators recently sank in one day twenty-three Belgian boats laden with gravel and road material for the German front in Picardy. The vessels at the time were twelve kilometres from the enemy rear line. The newspaper adds: "Three weeks ago the Luxembourg bridge at Namur was again badly damaged by aircraft. Two arches were destroyed and one boat was sunk. Three German sentries on the bridge were killed. The movement of vessels to the front never had been so intense since the opening of the German offensive and the destruction and devastation wrought by the Allied airmen never has been so great. Roads had been cut up so that the Germans experienced great difficulty in bringing up sufficient gravel and stones to fill the craters."

Les Nevelles ascertained that it was bombs dropped by Allied aircraft that destroyed a railway station in the province of Hainaut, Belgium, on March 22. A munitions train of sixty freight cars was fired on, and forty of the cars blew up in succession, killing and wounding many Germans. Vigorous measures were taken immediately to keep onlookers away from the scene of the disaster. A German officer estimated the loss in shells at one million marks.

London, May 4.—The British official communication dealing with a raid, issued last night, says:

"A thick fog Thursday interfered with the work of our air planes. Three and a half tons of bombs were dropped on Bapaume and other targets in the battle area. At times the fighting was severe.

"Fourteen hostile machines were downed and four were driven out of control. Five of our machines are missing.

"During the night five and a half tons of bombs were dropped on Chaumes-Jumelle, the railway junction at Bapaume and Caix. Three very large bombs also were dropped from a low height on the lock gates at Zebraegge.

"Friday another most successful raid was carried out against the railway station at Théniville. The Carlsbutte works again were hit and several bursts were seen on the station, sidings and gas works. "All our machines returned."

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Changes in Game Laws, 1918

1. The care and management of all migratory birds such as wild geese, brant, duck, shore birds, woodcock, snipe, etc., have passed by treaty and Acts of the Federal Parliament and the Legislature of this Province to the control of the Dominion Government.

2. Close Season on Caribou to 1921.

3. Close Season on Partridge to 1921.

4. Bounty on Wild Cats increased to \$2.00.

5. Bounty on Porcupines, 50 cents.

6. Bounty on Hawks and Owls, 25 cents.

7. The Sheriffs, Licensed Guides, Holders of Game Licenses, Labour Act Commissioners and Inspectors under the Intoxicating Liquor Act are ex-officio Game Wardens.

8. The Minister may pay one-half the fine to a Warden under certain conditions.

9. The holder of a Game License must sign and make oath to it.

10. Sale of Game prohibited.

T. G. LOGGIE, Deputy Minister of Lands and Mines. Crown Land Office, May 1st, 1918.

Germans Fling Boys Into Fight

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, May 1.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency)—The Australians to-day rushed an enemy post near Metz-en.

The German field recruit depots are being heavily drawn upon to replace recent casualties. The thirteenth reserve division has just received a company of 250 boys of the 1919-20 class who had only eight weeks' training and were not to be engaged in fighting unless absolutely necessary. But the fact that they are now with the division in the battle line suggests the anticipation that they may have to be used.

Prisoners say there has been a good deal of exploding away in progress behind the enemy's lines. When an attack is repulsed the German officers tell the men it was not seriously intended as an offensive manoeuvre, but merely as a reconnaissance in force to test the strength of the enemy.

London, May 2.—A correspondent with the French armies states that Allied unity of command implies not only sole direction of operations by General Foch, and utilization of reserves in common, but also complete fusion of the British, French and American armies. Henceforth divisions withdrawn from the battle sector may be sent to any other sector along the whole line from the sea to Switzerland. Hitherto there have been certain parts of the front set aside as British, French or American. Unity of command obviates all that.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FLANDERS, May 1. (By the

Associated Press)—The recent fighting in Flanders has furnished many unusual and interesting instances for civilians living near the front, but none of these was more amazing than that of two tiny French children who were in a British military hospital. These two were among the few unfortunate persons in Neuve Eglise when the Germans overran that place. The town immediately became a storm centre which was successively changing hands, and Germans took these two babies into their care for their protection. During a counter-attack the British returned and captured the trench. They found the little ones safe and sound and brought them back. The children had been living under terrific gun fire, and how they escaped death cannot be accounted for.

Another French baby was found by two British signal men at another place, as the child had no protection the soldiers took it with them to their billets in a barn. That night the signal men went to sleep with the baby between them, so that no harm might come to it. German airmen bombed the barn and both the "Tomnies" were killed. The child escaped injury and later was rescued by other soldiers.

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The Economic Weapon

[Toronto Daily News.]

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It is already certain that posterity will bring no enthusiasm for German goods in France, in England, in Canada, or in any other nation of the Alliance. If Germany has no market in the United States and stands internationally isolated, if the country is burdened by a war debt of appalling proportions, if it has little shipping left after replacing the torpedoed vessels of other nations, its dream of world empire will be early over, and its whole time may be devoted to "digging down" the reputation of its soldiery.

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