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## MANY SINN FEIN PLOTTERS ARE ARRESTED

### BRITISH AVIATORS BOMB GERMAN TOWNS -- HUNS ATTEMPT RAID ON LONDON

#### HUNDREDS OF SINN FEINERS ARRESTED THROUGHOUT IRELAND

GOVERNMENT HAD EVIDENCE OF ALLEGED PRO-GERMAN PLOT AND ACTED SWIFTLY—SINN FEIN HEADQUARTERS RAIDED IN DUBLIN AND IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS WERE FOUND

(Special to The Daily News.)  
Dublin, May 20.—The Sinn Fein element throughout Ireland received a rude shock on Saturday morning, when concerted action was taken by the authorities, when hundreds of known Sinn Feiners were rounded up throughout the country. Twenty-three arrests were made in Dublin and reports of further arrests have been received from Galway, Cork, Sligo, Dundalk, Kassel, Skibereen, Kilkenny, Fultamore, Drogheda, Athlone, Westport and Roscommon. The prisoners taken were mostly men who were formerly imprisoned in connection with the 1916 rebellion.

of Irishmen for their own ends. "That we hereby call upon all loyal subjects of His Majesty in Ireland to aid in crushing such conspiracy. "That, as a means to this end we shall cause still further steps to be taken to facilitate and encourage voluntary enlistment in Ireland in His Majesty's forces in the hope that, without resort to compulsion the contribution of Ireland to these forces may be brought up to the proper strength and made to correspond to the contributions of other parts of the Empire."

#### CZECHS IN RUSSIA RESIST INVASION

Washington, May 20.—Czechs and Jugo-Slavs taken prisoner by the Russians while fighting with Austro-Hungarian armies have organized an army which is now resisting the Teutonic invasion of Russia, the Serbian legation here was informed today in a telegram from London, quoting Lukuich, an officer of the Aeroplans who has arrived here. Lukuich said part of the Aeroplans had reached Japan and that he had planned to land armies at Salor.

Germany's violence created deep feelings, Lukuich said, and the (the Red Guard) organized a force of intense pride to a country whose sons always distinguished themselves and fought with such heroic valor in the past in the same way as thousands of them are now fighting in this war.

#### HILL 44 HAD GREAT STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE

With the British Army in France, May 16.—An important section of high ground near the Weyerbeeke river, north of Kemmel, has been captured by the French in a strong attack. Both Hill 44 and Goddezone Farm, which lie between Lacytte and Vierstratt, were stormed and occupied, thereby giving the French positions which had been a bone of contention for many days.

The Germans also received a knock on the southern battlefield where they made a detour in an attempt to capture the defence on the elevation south of Maitilly-Raineval. Here the enemy succeeded after hard fighting in obtaining a footing in the French front line at one place, but their success was short-lived for a prompt counter-attack drove them out, and besides their dead, they left more than 100 prisoners in the hands of the defenders.

The battle for Hill 44 was the outcome of the German attack on May 8. When the Germans assaulted, the Allies were holding the elevation. Bitter fighting ensued all day long, and the Germans in the course of time secured possession of the hill. The British immediately organized a counter-attack and forced the enemy out.

The next day the Germans again drove forward. They made such a heavy assault that they again captured the hill, which they held until Saturday.

#### ARTILLERY FIGHTING AND LOCAL RAIDS ARE REPORTED

(Special to The Daily News.)  
London, May 20.—The village of Ville-sur-Ancres, north of Morlancourt has been captured by the British and Australian troops. They made a successful raid during the night, during which they took three hundred and fifty prisoners and twenty machine guns. The German posts were also successfully raided south-east of Meteren, when heavy casualties were inflicted upon the garrison. General Haig's report reads: "We made a successful raid at Morlancourt, and in the sector south of Hullach this forenoon, taking a number of prisoners. In the Morlancourt raid, the Australians surprised the German garrison, capturing men and machine guns. The hostile artillery has been more active in the Villers-Brettonneux sector."

Berlin Says.  
Berlin, May 20.—West of Hullach, the British attacked with several companies, but were repulsed with heavy losses. Between Arras and Albert, the enemy was active and our batteries here were many times subject to a violent fire.

London, May 20.—An account of the destruction of the seven British submarines at Helsingfors was given to the Associated Press correspondent in a port where he met several of the members of the crews of the submarines and whence he travelled back to England on the same steamer with them. The British crews got out of Helsingfors only twelve hours before the Germans, entrance of the town assured the correspondent that they had destroyed their craft before leaving. The submarines, which had entered the Baltic at early periods and had been in conference since, were frozen in the ice in Helsingfors, which made their escape impossible. It was suggested that the ice be dug out around them and that they should then make an attempt to dive underneath the ice and reach clear water. After considering the plan carefully, however, the British commanders decided that it was impracticable. For the purpose of destroying the submarines large quantities of explosives were placed inside them and exploded by means of fuses.

#### NOTICE

The City of Prince Rupert, being desirous of forming a Roll of Honor would, like to have the names as early as possible of all the men from Prince Rupert, who have fallen in the war. Will every one who has lost a relative at the front, who formerly belonged to this city, please communicate with Mr. J. J. Hutchinson, secretary of the Great War Veterans Association, or Mrs. P. I. Palmer, president, or Miss Brand, secretary, of the Ladies Auxiliary.

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#### BRITISH CREWS BLEW UP SUBS BEFORE HUNS CAME

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#### SOLDIERS' FAMILIES TO RETURN TO CANADA

London, May 20.—The Canadian military authorities on this side of the Atlantic are still urging the return to Canada of the wives and families of soldiers in the overseas force, and apparently the response to the advice is not so quick as the official mind desires. It is pointed out to the men and their wives that it may not be possible to accommodate the dependents of soldiers returning to Canada in the same ship as their military relatives during the period of the war. Moreover, when demobilization comes, the shipping arrangements will render such arrangement impossible. Consequently, the return of women and children remaining here at that period will be greatly retarded.

#### RETAIL CLERKS

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#### BRITISH RAID GERMANS. GERMANS RAID LONDON

ALLIED AVIATORS DROP TWENTY TONS OF EXPLOSIVES ON GERMAN AERODROMES, BILLETTS AND RAILWAY STATIONS—GERMAN AIRCRAFT CROSS ENGLISH COASTS MAKING FOR LONDON

#### NO LIMIT TO U. S. EFFORT TO WIN WAR

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New York, May 20.—Opening with a speech here on Saturday night the Red Cross drive for a second hundred million dollar War Fund, President Wilson announced the purpose of the United States to set no limits on its effort to win the war.

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#### RUSSIANS RETAKE THE POST OF BAKU

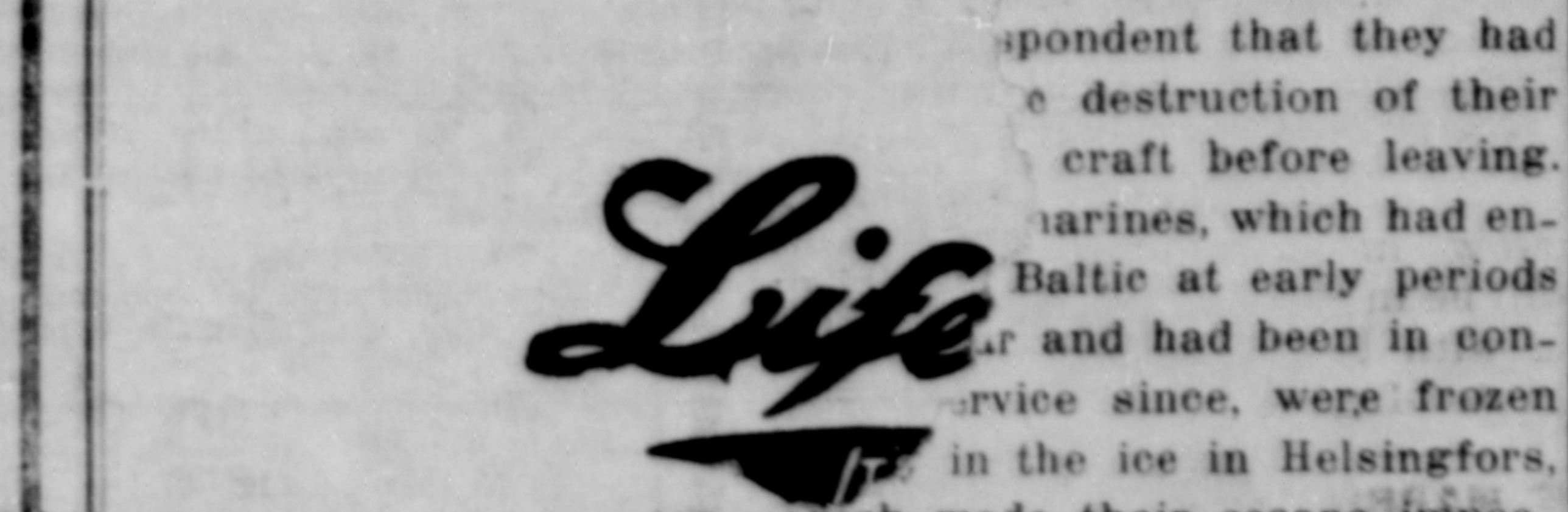
Constantinople, May 20.—Russian Bolshevik troops reinforced from Turkestan and Astrakhan, have recaptured the port of Baku on the Caspian Sea. The Bolshevik force crossed the Caspian Sea on Russian gunboats and attacked the Mussilmen, who, owing to lack of means of defence, were forced to abandon the town. The Bolshevik troops are vigorously continuing their attacks.

#### AT THE WESTHOLME

The play to be screened at the Westholme Theatre this evening is one of the best ever shown there. The play is full of excitement, life and incident, and is one continuous thrill from start to finish. "Wild and Woolly" as the West has been called in the years that are past, is the proper description of the play, as well as being its title. There is a great allurements in tales and pictures of this description, and those to be shown tonight are among the best ever. The name of Douglas Fairbanks is, of course, an attraction in itself and no one will have any regrets after witnessing the unfolding of this story. There will also be an official gazette, as well as a fine comedy.

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