

rails and stopped all telegraphic communication with the city. Hundreds of families have lost all they possessed in their frantic flight for safety. The identification of the dead will take sometime. The city was virtually at the mercy of the elements and torrential rains continue to fall. Schools, churches, and private residences are sheltering those rendered homeless by the catastrophe.

Leipzig, June 4th.—The formal acquittal of Lieut Karl Neumann, charged with sinking the hospital ship Dover Castle while he was in command of a German submarine during the war, was announced today. When the case of Neumann came up on May 31st, before the court trying those accused of war guilt, the proceedings were stayed, a preliminary examination having resulted in the establishment of Neumann's complete innocence.

Oppeln, June 4th.—Fighting between Germans and Poles continues in the vicinity of Schimischow, about five miles northwest of Gross Strehlitz. The Castle, owned by Count Stahwitz has been burned. The British are gradually reinforcing their troops in the Plebiscite area, bringing in fresh soldiers and many tanks. The inter-Allied commission for Silesia is reported to be considering the disposition of Allied troops here, so that clashes between the Poles and British may if possible be avoided.

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LONDON, June 6th 1921.

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than anything heretofore afloat. These monsters will have a displacement of 55,000 tons and will be 950 feet long, which is 30 feet longer than the Leviathan, built by the Germans and at present the largest vessel afloat. These battleships are to carry 20-inch guns and a crew of about 2000 men and they will be capable of making 35 or 36 knots with their great oil-burning engines. Each vessel will represent an expense of about \$50,000,000, and building is cheaper in England than in the United States. The six great battle cruisers America has under way will be dwarfed by comparison.—*The Pathfinder*, May 28.

HONOR GALLIENI IN DEATH.

General Gallieni, the military governor of Paris, during the first part of the war, has been made a marshal of France notwithstanding the fact that he died long before the war closed. The decree was signed by President Millerand following its authorization by parliament. Gen. Gallieni was credited with a large share of credit in turning the tide of war at the battle of the Marne when he rushed all available troops to the front in Paris buses which he commandeered for the purpose.—*Ibid*.

CUBA

Sugar King Flees Justice.

Having properties valued \$13,000,000 and owing \$30,000,000 J. I. Lezama, the

"sugar king" disappeared. His fortune mounted rapidly when sugar was 25 cents a pound and he had no difficulty in borrowing large amounts at the banks. When prices dropped and Lezama needed more money he forged checks and used duplicated warehouse receipts for collateral. Two banks in Havana each let him have \$7,000,000. From the Royal Bank of Canada he borrowed \$2,000,000 and from Armour & Co., of Chicago, \$300,000. It is said that the government is not anxious to find the fugitive because of the danger of involving high officials in his trial.—*Ibid*.

MEXICO

Radicals Kill 50 Catholics.

At Morlia, capital of Michoacan, a procession of Catholics were charged by the chief of police aided by a party of radicals and 50 of the number killed. The Catholics were parading as a protest against desecration of their churches on the previous Sunday by radicals who had entered the buildings and broken many of the images. When ordered to disperse by the police the paraders refused to do so. Many of them were women and children, and after the attack the survivors fled in terror. The disturbance was transferred to the legislative halls in Mexico City. Many stormy sessions were held, and radicals invaded the gallery with red flags and shouted for bolshevism. President Obregon declared that the government would investigate the affair and if officials were involved they would be punished.—*Ibid*.