

LENINE CLAIMS ALLIES CANNOT TURN DOWN PLAN FOR ARMISTICE

Governments of France and England Are Called Imperialistic and Confidence Placed in Masses Alone

GERMAN PEOPLE ARE WITH RUSSIANS IN STRUGGLE

Commander in Chief of Slav Armies Assigns Reason That Advantage Has Not Been Taken of Disorders in Russia

PETROGRAD, November 26 (Associated Press)—Emphatic denials that Russia is contemplating entering into a separate peace with the Central Powers or has even considered so doing and that any offer of an armistice will be made to those powers without consulting the Allies were made by Lenin yesterday when he publicly explained the meaning of the order of the Soldiers' and Workmen's delegates council relative to negotiations for an armistice and through such armistice for peace.

ORDER EXPLAINED

"The order was issued," declared Lenin, "in accordance with the policy of democracy that the masses should act for themselves and because we distrusted all bureaucrats.

"Russia does not contemplate a separate peace with Germany or with any of the Central Powers and has not considered anything of the kind. Before signing even an armistice we would communicate with the imperialistic governments of France and Great Britain proposals such that the reaction thereof would place those governments in direct opposition to the great masses of their own people."

GERMANY AFRAID

Speaking after Lenin the ensign and the commanders in chief of the armies both asserted that the reason that Germany had failed to take advantage of the disorders which have existed in Russia is because the "German proletariat is with us and would not allow official Germany to hamper in any way a single element of our cause."

AMBASSADORS CONFER

Last evening the ambassadors of the Allied Powers held a prolonged conference at which they considered the armistice proposals which Russia is preparing to offer to their governments through them.

NEW ASSEMBLY

A proclamation which was signed "Spiridonov, Chairman of the Assembly" and addressed to the army delegates appeared yesterday. It said in part that an "extraordinary assembly had opened" and requested the attendance at a conference of the delegates of all the Russian peasants.

WILL CARE FOR WOMEN

PARIS, November 24 (Associated Press)—The bureau of tuberculosis of the American Red Cross in Paris is conferring with the French authorities concerning the care of women and children in France affected with tuberculosis. It is expected that the American tuberculosis bureau shortly will begin work on a special institution where it will take care of a certain number of these cases. The Edith Wharton sanatorium for tuberculosis patients, which is a separate institution, will be ready for patients November 15.

TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES

WASHINGTON, November 26 (Associated Press)—Announcement is made by Secretary McAdoo that the treasury department will soon begin the issue of treasury certificates in an indefinite amount which will be due June 25 and may be used in the final payment of income taxes. In this way those who desire to practically make payment of their income taxes at this time may secure the certificates and deliver them over in payment of taxes when these are payable.

Daughter of Former Czar Free

Princess Tatiana Reported To Have Escaped By Pretended Marriage and To Be Enroute To United States; May Stop In Honolulu

NEW YORK, November 26 (Associated Press)—Princess Tatiana Romanoff, second daughter of Nicholas, former Czar of all Russia, is reported to have escaped from her prison home in Siberia to have made her way to Japan and to be now en route to New York.

According to a Russian civilian, a member of the Russian relief board here, Tatiana, second daughter of the deposed Czar of Russia, has succeeded in escaping from Siberia. This individual says that she managed to do this through a fictitious or "mock marriage" with her father's former chamberlain. Following this "marriage," he says, the princess was given a greater degree of freedom. She was permitted to leave Tobolsk with her "husband," but they had explicit orders not to attempt to leave the immediate territory, where her father and family are practically prisoners.

For a time after the supposed marriage ceremony was given to these orders until all suspicion was lulled to rest. Then seeing a favorable chance, an escape was undertaken with success. The couple made their way to Harbin and thence to Japan, whence they have taken or will take passage for the United States.

The princess, this person says, is now under the chaperonage of a Denver woman and may be expected to reach New York early in December, when she will take up residence in her new home.

Immediately upon reaching Japan she told the pretense of the marriage was abandoned, and the princess, traveling incognito, secured the chaperonage of the Denver woman.

DOCTOR FLEXNER OF ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES IMPROVEMENT ON "SALVARSAN"

PHILADELPHIA, November 26 (Associated Press)—Doctor Flexner, of the Rockefeller foundation announced yesterday that he has found and perfected an improved substitute for "Salvarsan" and that he is prepared to furnish the formula for its preparation to the medical fraternity without cost or charges.

Since the war "Salvarsan" now recognized as one of the most efficient remedies for virulent venereal diseases has been very difficult to obtain. Since the announcement of its discovery physicians have been working in the hope of securing a substitute and of eliminating the objectionable qualities of the medicine usually with little result. The discovery made and announced by Flexner will result in greatly reducing the expense of treatment with the remedy, place it in the control of the legitimate profession and tend to eliminate quack practitioners who have preyed upon sufferers under false pretenses while "Salvarsan" was a proprietary medicine and foreign.

"Salvarsan" was discovered by Paul Ehrlich, a German physician, in 1909 and its name was patented in this country in 1911.

SCULPTORS ARE FOUND USEFUL IN WAR DAYS

LONDON, November 15 (Associated Press)—Several prominent British sculptors are among the voluntary workers at a new war factory just opened in London to provide special splints and similar devices for injured soldiers.

The splints are made chiefly of water-proof paper-mache from plaster casts taken from the patients themselves, and are light as air and perfect fitting as compared with the old wood and leather splints.

NET CLOSING ON ENEMIES

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, November 26 (Associated Press)—The net is being drawn daily a little closer about the alien enemies still at large in Porto Rico. Certain persons and neutral firms suspected of having a hand in alleged use of Spanish mail boats sailing from this port for Spain are kept under surveillance. Spanish ships are searched and crew and passengers examined both by authorities. By the last mail boat to New York, three Germans who had managed to get out of American ports and had been captured here, were sent back as prisoners. It is said that recommendations have been made to Washington for more stringent measures in dealing with espionage here.

ACCIDENTS WILL HAPPEN

If it may be impossible to prevent an accident, but it is not impossible to be prepared for it. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is not beyond anyone's purse, and with a bottle of this liniment you are prepared for most anything. For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd. Agts. for Hawaii.—Advertisement.

BIENE SAUEN SIE MICH, YET SECURE MEDALS

Daniels Seeks Special Recognition For Those Distinguished In Fighting U-boats

WASHINGTON, November 26 (Associated Press)—Officers and crews of the two United States destroyers mentioned as having rendered signally excellent service in dealing with German submarines are to have their medals of honor even if they cannot receive them from Great Britain as that government proposes.

Secretary of Navy Daniels announced yesterday that he had taken the preliminary steps to secure medals for the men for whom he had to refuse the honors offered by Great Britain. He believed that these men, and others who may subsequently be found worthy of similar honors through signal services rendered in the campaign against submarines, should have and will have special medals awarded them.

Great Britain mentioned the officers and crews of two destroyers as worthy of special recognition and proposed to award medals of honor to each man. Secretary Daniels had no recourse but to inform the British government that the laws of the United States have not yet been amended as to medals of honor. He then started his efforts to secure a recognition of their services at home.

MAILED GERMAN AIR EXPERTS DOWNED

Thirty Aviators Who Claimed Four Victims Each Finally Meet Death in Warfare

PARIS, November 25 (Associated Press)—Thirty German military aviators, each of whom had brought down four or more of their adversaries, according to the German count, have been destroyed by the Entente Allies' airmen during the past year, as established by information collected from the mortuary columns of German papers. The list includes:

- Lieutenant Werner Moss, of Griefeld, with 47 machines to his credit; Captain Boelcke with 40; Lieutenant Voff; 33; Lieutenant Schaefer; 30; Lieutenant Altmeyer; 30; Lieutenant Richtofen; 24; Lieutenants Wintgens and Baldanus, 18 each; Lieutenant Pyschel; 17; Lieutenant Immelmann and Lieutenant Dassebush, 14 each; Second Lieutenant Nathaniel; 14; Second Lieutenants Fester and Pfeiffer and Lieutenants Maneschott, Hohndorf, Arigi, and Tuttschalt; 12 each; Lieutenants Von Kennel, Kirmaier, Theiller and Serfert; 11 each; Lieutenant Thulzer and Captain Behr, 10 each; Lieutenants Leffers and Schalte; 9 each; Lieutenants Parachan and Second Lieutenant Schilling; 8 each; Second Lieutenant Immelmann; 6; Lieutenant Riesinger; 4.

The records of the airplanes shot down by these men are contested here since the Germans are held to have counted every adversary machine that left the air during a fight, without assuring themselves that it had been destroyed.

TRAIN WRECKERS ARE HUNTED WITH HOUNDS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oklahoma, November 26 (Associated Press)—Rushing at full speed into an obstruction which had been deliberately placed on the tracks, a passenger train was last evening derailed several miles outside of this city and two persons were killed.

Immediately upon receipt of the news of the outrage a posse was formed and sent by a special to the scene of the wreck, taking bloodhounds with them. On arrival the dogs picked up the trail and, with the posse after them, went away baying in hot pursuit of the miscreants.

TWO SUBMARINES SUNK BY BRITISH PATROLS

CHRISTIANA, November 26 (Associated Press)—An account of the sinking of two German submarines by British patrols off the Shetland Islands, as printed in the Norwegian papers, The Aftenposten's despatch says:

"An armed patrol ship has arrived at Lerwick in the Shetlands with five or six German prisoners. The ship one morning came suddenly upon a U-boat which was in the act of sinking a sailing ship. The periscope of the submarine was smashed with a shot and the U-boat began to sink. At that moment another U-boat appeared and fired two torpedoes at the patrol, but both missed. Meanwhile a destroyer arrived on the scene and was fortunate enough to make a square hit on the second U-boat. Only a few survivors could be picked up."

AMBASSADOR RESIGNS

TOKIO, November 24 (Special to Hawaii Ship)—Impending changes in the Japanese embassy at Peking were yesterday told by the foreign office in the announcement that Baron G. Hayashi has tendered his resignation as ambassador. The Chinese government was advised of pending changes in the personnel of the staff of the legation at Peking.

NORWAY SUFFERS AGAIN

LONDON, November 26 (Associated Press)—Announcement was made by Lloyd's yesterday that the Norwegian steamer Kronstadt had been destroyed by a submarine in the war zone.

CHIEFS OF VENICE MAKE ALLAY AS DAYS PASS BY

Air Raid Does Not Serve To Quell Rising Hope That Follows Long Continued Holding of Enemy in Check

VENICE, November 26 (Associated Press)—Taking advantage of the bright moonlight Austro-German air craft conducted another raid against the city Saturday night and for nearly an hour bombed the city without doing serious damage.

Despite this air raid, following only a few nights after another, the feeling of alarm that has held the residents of Venice, those who have remained steadfastly here in the face of great peril, shows signs of abatement.

When news of the defeat of the Italian army across the frontier came to this city the more timid began to pack their belongings. As the extent of the disaster became known they left and others followed. As time has gone on and the Italian army has successfully held the enemy in check here in the morning press of driving back the enemy hordes. The assets that while the losses to the Italian army are great those of the Austro-Germans are far greater and that they believe the enemy will at length fall back in discouragement.

Scarcity of Fish Is Said To Be Due To Lack of Protection

Hawaiian Authority Says That If Fry and Spawning Fish Are Protected There Will Be Quick Increase of Supply of Edible Fish in Island Waters

Suggestions for the improvement of the fish situation in the Territory have been offered by Mrs. Emma Nakukina, who is one of the best living authorities on Hawaiian history and customs, and who takes a lively interest in the fish question as it stands today. Mrs. Nakukina is the expert on fish rights on the coast of one of the other islands. A federal fish hatchery would not be necessary here if proper protective measures were taken for the small fry and the fish with roe, says Mrs. Nakukina. It is owing to the fact that any one who wishes has been allowed to go along the shore and scoop out the fry by handfuls, and also to watch and net the adult fish in the spawning season, that there is at present a scarcity of fish in Hawaiian waters.

Mrs. Nakukina states her readiness to surrender the fisheries of Honouliuli and Hana, which she holds, on payment of their valuation, but says that she hopes the day when that will be done will be far off, as in her opinion the throwing open of all fishing rights to the public would mean the speedy extinction of all edible fish.

The appointment of a federal fish commissioner, with power to appoint fish inspectors for every district of the island beaches, is said by Mrs. Nakukina to be one of the necessary steps to the preservation of the Hawaiian fisheries, especially if the present private fishing rights are abolished. His duty should be to conserve the fishes of the Territory and to promulgate and enforce rules for the protection and preservation of the young fish.

If the private fishing rights are abolished, and no official is appointed who could promulgate protective regulations and punish all infractors thereof, Mrs. Nakukina says that fish will become scarce and higher in price until they are no longer obtainable. The present conditions are deplorable in the lack of protection for young fry and fish in spawning time, in the opinion of Mrs. Nakukina, and the appointment of a fish commissioner capable of giving them adequate protection would be advisable whether the fishing rights are maintained or not. The chief use to which her fishing rights have been put has been to protect the fry and fish with roe from pot fishers who are on the watch for quick catches, regardless of the damage done to the future supply of fish.

Huns Force Girl To Pilot Plane Over France

HELENA, Montana, October 30—A letter received today from Dr. Philip G. Cole of Helena, a surgeon with the American expeditionary force in France, says a German bombing plane recently forced to descend in the American sector proved to be piloted by a girl of sixteen, who said she was compelled under penalty of death, first to learn to fly and then to guide bombing planes over the Entente front. She said many other girls were operating war planes under the same circumstance.

LIFE SENTENCE IMPOSED

MONTREAL, November 26 (Associated Press)—Charles Monette, arrested and convicted of complicity in the plot which resulted in the dynamiting of the home of Lord Atholston, editor of the Montreal Star, was on Saturday sentenced to life imprisonment.

PICK-POCKETS BUSY

LONDON, November 19 (Associated Press)—Pickpockets are reaping a rich harvest in London this fall, especially on raid nights, when the crowds gathered in tube stations and various places of refuge give them an unusual opportunity.

M. C. A. WANTS MORE THAN ASKED

Campaign To Raise Thirty-five Million Dollars Brings Fourteen Million More

WASHINGTON, November 26 (Associated Press)—More than forty-nine millions of dollars was realized in the great campaign carried on by the Y. M. C. A. of the country to raise a great budget fund for the carrying on of the war and the army and navy work of the Association. Although the campaign closed last Monday night, final announcement of the results has awaited the receipt of belated returns and the figuring of conditional subscriptions upon certain amounts being raised from other sources.

The war fund campaign of the Y. M. C. A. lasted for eight days. It was purposed to raise thirty-five million dollars, and business men of every city and town in the country participated actively in bringing about its success. The result has been that forty percent more than was asked has been secured.

REGIONAL BOARDS TO CONTROL MILK PRICES

WASHINGTON, November 26 (Associated Press)—Regional milk control boards have been determined upon by the food administration.

It is only after long consideration, many conferences and numbers of consultations with heads of the various dairy industries that the food administration has reached its conclusion that there must be control of distribution and prices asked for milk. There has been an insistent public demand for action since the price of the commodity advanced with other foods after the entrance of the United States into the war.

VISITS HARBOR MADE FAMOUS BY PERRY

TOKIO, November 24 (Special to Hawaii Ship)—Roland S. Morris, the recently arrived American ambassador, today visited Shimoda, the harbor in which lay the American fleet under command of Commodore Perry sixty-five years ago on the occasion of his memorable visit which marked the beginning of the new Japan and the end of a hermit nation.

The new ambassador made a brief address in which he commented on the immense and fortuitous results that followed that visit and commented on the uninterrupted friendship that has since existed between the two countries and which in the past few weeks has become firmer and more secure than ever.

STRANGE FISH IS CAUGHT OFF MAUI

About eight o'clock Wednesday morning, November 21, a Chinaman named Asee caught a very extraordinary fish specimen in a net off Kihui. He has the creature in a tank and hopes to be able to preserve it alive, says the Maui News.

The body of the specimen is about eight inches in length, six inches wide and two inches thick, and the meat is soft somewhat like that of a jelly fish. The predominant color is pale red, bordering on pink, and it is very pretty. On the lower side the color is about the same, except that here are white spots.

All around the fish are delicate fins, resembling those of a gold fish. When swimming these spread out, and when the fish is at rest they fold up close to the body.

Native fishermen from far and near have flocked to the Asee place to inspect the strange creature. The very oldest of them declare that they never saw or heard of anything of the kind being found on Maui before.

GOES FISHING DOES NOT RETURN

Manuel Sardinha, with his two eldest children, went fishing on the beach at Malibu, Maui, Saturday night, November 17, going out on the rocks and leaving the children in a cave, says the Maui News. The sea rose high, washed into the cave and the children scrambled out and went higher up. They waited until they were very tired and then went home and told their mother that their father had not returned. The police were notified and have been searching ever since, but have found no trace of the man. Sardinha is a peddler in the Haku neighborhood. He has a wife and four children.

HIDALGO MEMORIAL

MEXICO CITY, November 20 (Associated Press)—The government is negotiating to purchase the house in the State of Guanajuato where Miguel Hidalgo, the liberator of Mexico from the rule of Spain, was born. The house now is a ruin and the plan is to restore it as a public monument.

MANY PRIESTS WITH ARMY

ROME, November 26 (Associated Press)—There are 18,000 priests with the Italian forces according to official statistics. One thousand are army and navy chaplains and the remaining 17,000 are combatants.

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IN THREE BATTLES ADVANTAGES COME TO ALLIED FORCES

French Take Trenches, Britons Gain and Italians Inflict Heavy Losses

NEW YORK, November 26 (Associated Press)—In two sectors of the Western Front and in the Italian war theater the results of yesterday's fighting were distinctly favorable to the Allies. The encircling movement of the British at Cambrai progressed well, the French launched a strong and successful offensive which took two lines of German trenches and the Italians not only held back the Austro-Hungarians successfully but by counters and offensive tactics succeeded in inflicting serious damage to the enemy plans. Another encouraging feature of the day's fighting in that theater was the fact that there are signs of a subsidence in the violence of the attacks which were hurled against the Latin positions.

POSITIONS RETAKEN

In the Cambrai sector the heaviest fighting again occurred in the vicinity of Bourlon and the Bourlon Woods. On Saturday the British forces took the woods, were later dislodged, returned and secured advantageous positions on higher ground. From those positions they yesterday launched fresh attacks, having been reinforced during the night. Bourlon was taken and held and a part of the woods was recaptured.

FRENCH ARE VICTORS

French forces in the Verdun sector inflicted a heavy blow against the Huns yesterday. Early in the morning an infantry attack was made upon a new salient of the enemy front and for several hours the battling proceeded with vigor, the French verve and spirit carrying them forward and well into the enemies' lines. The first attack took the first line of enemy trenches after hand to hand engagements. German reinforcements undertook to recapture these positions but were driven back and following in the wake of their retreat the French advanced into and took the Germans' second line of defenses. In the course of these engagements eight hundred prisoners were taken. All Teuton counters in efforts to retake the lost ground were successfully met.

ON ITALIAN FRONT

Following a heavy barrage the Austro-Germans launched strong attacks against the Italians in the sector which lies between the Piave and the Brenta Rivers where for days past they have vainly tried to make the breach that would open up the road through the Venetian plains and to Venice. These attacks were repulsed with a repetition of the heavy losses which have been daily inflicted on the enemy in the vain assaults which have been made. Yesterday it was noticeable that there was something lacking in the enemies' attack and the fighting was not of the whirlwind character that has previously marked it as the most desperate engagement in which the Italian soldiers have yet been called to participate.

HUNS ANNIHILATED

In this sector both sides are busy reorganizing their forces after a protracted engagement in which each day's fighting had seemed more severe and straining than the last.

DECISIVE REVERSES WERE ADMINISTERED TO THE HUNS ON THE BANKS OF THE PIAVE AND ON THE ASIAGO SECTOR.

Attempts were made to cross the Piave at new points with the use of pontoon bridges. These attempts were completely frustrated and the Austro-Hungarian advanced forces were annihilated.

IN THE ASIAGO SECTOR THE HUNS LAUNCHED A FURIOUS ATTACK IN THE MORNING BUT WERE BEATEN BACK AND THE ITALIANS THEN FOLLOWED UP THEIR ADVANTAGE WITH A COUNTER WHICH PUT THE ENEMY TO ROUT.

Signs were noted along the whole of the Italian front that there was a weakening in the offense of the enemy and it was evident that the slaughter that has been inflicted upon them during the more severe fighting of last week is weakening both stamina and man force.

LONDON TO PLACE JOY RIDING UNDER BAN

LONDON, November 26 (Associated Press)—The complete suppression of pleasure riding by automobile, and the restriction of gasoline consumption to strictly necessary purposes, is aimed at in a series of new petrol regulations just issued. After December 1, it will be illegal for any automobile owner to drive his car merely for his private convenience.

If a policeman sees an automobile standing outside a hotel or theatre, it will be his duty to find the owner and investigate the use which he is making of his car. If the car is being used for any purposes other than those provided in the new regulations, the owner will be prosecuted.

BARKENTINE HAWAII IS SAVED AT GOLDEN GATE

SAN FRANCISCO, November 26 (Associated Press)—The barkentine Hawaii, engaged in the nitrate trade with South America ports, had a narrow escape yesterday while rounding into the Golden Gate. A tug arrived at the time of need and just as she was about to ground, got a line to her and saved her from probable total loss.

TURKEY'S FUNDS SHORT

ATHENS, November 26 (Associated Press)—Nearly all of Turkey's annual revenue is now taken up by the payment of interest on her national debt, according to the report of the Turkish minister of finance in the course of the debate in the Turkish parliament on the budget for 1917. The total debt was given as 297,000,000 pounds on which the interest charges are 18,000,000 pounds. The total revenue for next year is estimated at only 19,800,000 pounds.