GERMANY MUST DISBAND HER ARMY AND SURRENDER NAVY

Clemenceau, Field Marshal Haig, Viscount Milner, British Secretary of State for War; William Graves Sharp, American Ambassador to France; Premier Venizelos of Greece, and Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, American representative to the Supreme War Council.

The precise information in possession of Col. House relative to the European situation rather amazes statesmen on this side of the Atlantic. They have not been aware that Col. House, as head of a bureau at Washington, had been receiving for eight months the results of original study from many sources of conditions in every belligerent country in Europe.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT ACTS FOR NATION ON PEACE

Bonar Law Tells Questioner There Is No Other Way to Represent Country.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—"Does the Premier intend to take steps to secure that the peace agreement shall in general principles accord with the wishes of the majority of the members of the House of Commons?" was the question submitted in the House of Commons yesterday by Sir Richard Cooper, Unionist for Walsall. Andrew Bonar Law, government spokesman, replied that the government must be the interpreter of the views of the House and the Nation.

Sir Richard then asked if the country would be committed to a secret peace agreement. In answer, Mr. Bonar Law said:

"I do not quite know what the honorable member means. I do not suppose he suggests that peace terms should be put up to the country as a referendum and I know of no other way in which the country can be represented except by the government."

ONLY FULL SURRENDER WILL SATISFY AUSTRALIA

Melbourne Council Insists on Indemnity to Be Enforced by British Navy.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Oct. 30.—The people of Australia will not be satisfied unless Germany surrenders unconditionally, it is declared in a resolution unanimously passed by the City Council of Melbourne.

The resolution requests that Great Britain insist on an adequate indemnity for Australia, the British Navy not to permit the German flag on any ocean until such an indemnity is paid.

ALLIED NAVAL LEADERS AT PARIS CONFERENCE

Military Chiefs and Statesmen Also Gathered in the French Capital.

PARIS, Oct. 30.—A naval conference was held at the Ministry of Marine on Monday. Sir Eric Geddes, First Lord of the British Admiralty, presided. Admiral Wemyss, First British Sea Lord; Vice-Admiral William S. Sims and Admiral William S. Benson, of the United States Navy; Vice-Admiral Thaon Di Revel, of the Italian Navy, and Admirals Grassi and Bon, of the French Navy, were present.

The following Ministers and military and naval chiefs of the Allies are now in Paris: Premier Lloyd George, Foreign Minister Balfour, War Secretary Milner, Field Marshal Haig, Sir Eric Geddes, Admiral Wemyss and Gen. Wilson of Great Britian; Admiral Benson and Vice-Admiral Sims of the United States, Premier Orlando, Vice-Admiral Thaon Di Revel and Foreign Minister Sonnino of Italy.

American Regiments at St. Etienne Fighting.

The artillery attached to the 2d American Division, which bore the brunt of the recent severe fighting in the Champagne and captured St. Etienne, consisted of the 15th, 17th and 19th Regiments. A cable despatch dated Oct. 9 said the 16th Regiment, instead of the 17th, was serving in this division.

Does Your Husband Stay Home Evenings?

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LATEST AUSTRIAN PLEA SHOWS FEAR OF GERMANY, VIEW TAKEN IN PARIS

Some Writers Still Look on Vienna's Moves for Armistice With Suspicion.

PARIS, Oct. 30.—The second note of Count Julius Andrassy, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, to President Wilson is interpreted as evidence that Austria is in a desperate plight and has exhausted her powers of resistance.

"The Danubian monarchy seeks an issue all the more promptly because it knows of the anger aroused across the Rhine by its defection and the desire of vengeance which inspires the Berlin Cabinet," say the Petit Parisien and other newspapers.

Other writers strike a note of caution. "It is essential that Entente troops have every latitude in occupying regions the inhabitants of which expect from us the fulfilment of solemn promises. It is also essential that, in the event of Germany not accepting our conditions for an armistice, the territory of the monarchy shall not constitute an obstacle to our military operations," says the Matin.

Lieut. Col. de Thomasson, in the Petit Journal says:

"Proposals for an armistice, presented separately by Germany and Austria-Hungary, place the Allied Governments in the presence of a delicate problem. We must decide to which of the two powers we shall first state our conditions. The solution which is adopted will evidently not modify the issue of the war, but may have the effect of lengthening hostilities."

AUSTRIA CONCENTRATES HER FLEET AT FIUME

Move Made at the Demand of Hungary, Says Report From Rome.

PARIS, Oct. 30 (Havas).—The Austrian fleet has been hastily concentrated at Fiume, according to a despatch from Rome to the Temps, under date of Oct. 27.

A few vessels remain at Pola, but all that were at Cattaro have left. It is said that the concentration was demanded by Hungary.

AUSTRIA REPORTED DEALING WITH CZECH GOVERNMENT

Foreign Minister Andrassy Said to Have Opened Relations With Paris Body.

BASEL, Switzerland, Oct. 30.—Count Andrassy, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, has entered into diplomatic relations with members of the Czecho-Slovak Government in Paris, according to the Hungarian newspaper Norody Listy.

PERU, TOO, HAS CLAIMS FOR PEACE CONFERENCE

Question of Two Provinces in Dispute With Chile to Be Brought Forth.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Peru will lay her claims to Tacna and Arica, now held by Chile, before the coming world peace conference, it was learned here to-day from authoritative Latin-American sources.

Chile took possession of the Peruvian provinces at the end of the war between the two republics, and an agreement in regard to a plebiscite to determine their sovereignty has never been reached.

The prospects of world peace are being followed with great interest at Lima, and the Peruvian press is unanimous that the Lima Government must demand the international settlement of the problem.

POLISH VETERANS PARADE.

Wounded Heroes Here to Aid Recruiting; Received by Mayor.

Twelve Polish veterans, who have arrived in this country to aid in the movement to raise a Polish Army here, were received by Mayor Hylan at noon to-day in City Hall. Each of the men has been wounded while fighting with French units on the western front, and each has been decorated with the Croix de Guerre.

Lieut. John Chodsko, who has been wounded twenty-three times, was in command of the veterans. They marched to City Hall from the Battery, proceeding up Broadway. They were escorted by the Polish Military Mission and many Polish organizations in this city.

After being reviewed by the Mayor the veterans and their escort continued up Broadway to Union Square, where they were disbanded.

CLASH AT SUBWAY HEARING.

Comptroller Craig Defends Contractor as Against Whitney.

Comptroller Craig and Public Service Commissioner Whitney clashed this afternoon at a subway contract hearing when the Comptroller declared that if the Public Service Commission forfeited the contract of the Interconti-nental Construction Company it would "hamstring and knife in the back" action proposed by the Estimate Board under the Lockwood agreement.

The Commission claims that only forty men are employed on the subway job in question, when there should be ten times that number, and that the work is virtually abandoned. The company pleads financial inability because of war conditions.

MOVE IN GERMANY TO BLAME WAR ON MILITARY CHIEFS

Cohn, Independent Socialist, Tells Reichstag It's Time to Fix Responsibility.

LONDON, Oct. 30 (British Admiralty Wireless).—Speaking in the Reichstag Friday Herr Cohn, Independent Socialist, declared it was necessary at this time to fix responsibility for the situation in which the German people have found themselves.

The war had not arisen, he said, from the faults of individuals, but from the whole political, historical and economic connection of things. Essentially predatory and desirous of power was youthful German imperialism, which was supported to this end by strong and offensive militarism asserting itself by means of force and lies.

A special edition of the Lokal Anzeiger, which announced mobilization was under way when it had not yet been ordered, that it might be telegraphed abroad, will not be forgotten, Cohn said.

Declaration of war on France was officially based on a French airman's attack on Nuremberg, which was a lie.

The civil government conducted negotiations with President Wilson. This did not suit the military, who thwarted negotiations by declaring an intensified submarine war.

How many hundreds of thousands were aware to-day, he asked, that von Moltke, Chief of the General Staff, and von Falkenhayn were already convinced in 1914 that after the first battle of the Marne the war was lost for Germany.

It was impossible for militarism to admit that it had committed any fault. The military authorities now attempted to evade the responsibility resting upon them. At the end of September Ludendorff wrote to Berlin that a government capable of negotiating peace must immediately be formed, which would have to address a request for peace to President Wilson. It now looked as though Hindenburg was trying to evade responsibility.

SCHWAB OUT OF BED; WON'T TALK POLITICS

Will Take It Easy Until Monday After Fighting Off Spanish Influenza.

Charles M. Schwab has so far recovered from the severe cold with which he has suffered several days that he relieved Mrs. Schwab of the task of receiving visitors to-day at his home at Riverside Drive and 73d Street.

"I thought for a time that I was on the verge of Spanish influenza," said the head of the Shipping Board, "but I managed to shake it off, and my physician assures me that I am on the safe side."

Mr. Schwab was asked if he had read Col. Roosevelt's speech at Carnegie Hall.

"My boy," said Mr. Schwab, "I will talk about my health, the war, the building of ships or the weather, but I will not talk politics. The subject does not interest me, never has and never will. While I might safely go to my office to-morrow or next day, I have decided to take no chances and will take it easy until Monday."

FAREWELL TO COOTIES.

New Vermin-Proof Trench Garment for U. S. Troops.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—A trench undergarment, chemically treated as a preventive against vermin, has been approved by the War Department, and shipments in quantity overseas ordered expedited. The garments are treated in the laboratories at the State University at Iowa City and were brought to the attention of Secretary Baker and other War Department officials by Mrs. Charles W. Eastman, widow of Prof. Eastman of the university. Similar garments are in use by British and Canadian troops.

2,000,000 SHOES FOR ARMY.

Great Contracts Awarded by the War Department.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Contracts for about 1,000,000 pairs of field army shoes were awarded to-day by the War Department.

LAUREL RESULTS.

RACE TRACK, LAUREL, Md., Oct. 30.—FIRST RACE—for three-year-olds and up; six furlongs.—Charles Loxdecker, 109 (Kummer), straight $4.10, place $3.60, show $3, first; Blazeaway, 111 (O'Brien), place $9.40, show $4.50, second; Blaite, 108 (Pease), show $6.10, third. Time—1.13. Onico, Sybil Loftus, Rapid Firer, Sir Edgar, Maud Bacon, Wheatcakes, Kerfhage, Irene and Whispering Hope also ran.

SECOND RACE—Redcoat Steeplechase; handicap; three-year-olds and up; two miles.—W. P. Knepelkamp, 138 (Turner), straight $14.70, place $4.20, show $3.10, first; Pebeto, 146 (Hennessy), place $2.60, show $2.40, second; New Haven, 140 (Scully), show $2.50, third. Time—3.52. Kingstown Pier, Fencer and Thistle Queen also ran.

To Prevent Grip and Influenza. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets taken in time will Prevent Grip and Influenza. E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.—Adv.

How the Map of Middle Europe May Appear After Peace Comes

PROF. MASARYK, President of the Czecho-Slovak Republic, recently recognized as a belligerent by President Wilson, said on June 2 last:

"In Carniola, Croatia, Slavonia, Dalmatia, Bosnia, Herzegovina, Montenegro (the home of the Jugo-Slavs), all eyes are turned to a union with Serbia.

"Three millions of Roumanians in Transylvania seek to join their brothers in Roumania.

"The Poles of Galicia will gladly join the Poles lying north to the Baltic Sea.

"The Slovaks lying south of the Carpathians will cast their lot with Moravia, Silesia and Bohemia under the name of Czecho-Slovaks."

The black portions of the map indicate the vast territories affected by the Czecho-Slovaks and the Jugo-Slavs, as well as Alsace-Lorraine, which Germany is about to lose, and also shows, in white, all that will be left of Germany and Austria.

LATEST OFFICIAL REPORTS

AMERICAN

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The following communique from Gen. Pershing, dated yesterday, was made public to-day:

"Artillery and machine gun fire continued heavy during the night on the front of the First Army north of Verdun, reaching particular intensity in the region of the Bois Belleau and the Bois d'Ormont. From the remainder of the front there is nothing of importance to report.

"On the Verdun front there has been heavy artillery and machine gun fire to-day west of the Meuse, especially in the region north of St. Juvin.

"With more favorable weather conditions there has been increased aerial activity on the front of the First Army throughout the day. Our pursuit squadrons engaged the enemy in numerous combats, in the course of which nineteen enemy airplanes were shot down. Five of our machines did not return. Our aviators also carried out important reconnaissance and photographic missions."

FRENCH.

PARIS, Oct. 30.—Following is the report issued to-day by the War Office:

"North of Guise our troops made progress along the east bank of the Oise and took Beaumont farm, west of Les Quelles.

"On the right bank of the Peron we made a new advance east of Monceau-le-Neuf and took some prisoners.

"In Lorraine two enemy raids were unsuccessful. The night was calm elsewhere."

BRITISH.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Following is the report issued to-day by the War Office:

"Apart from patrol encounters in which we made progress and secured a few prisoners, there is nothing to report."

ITALIAN.

ROME, Oct. 30.—Following is the statement issued by the War Office last night:

"The enemy, attacked frontally by the Eighth and Twelfth Armies and threatened on his flank by the Tenth Army, has been forced to abandon the heights on the left bank of the Piave and, hard pressed by our troops, is retreating.

"Several more villages have been liberated. Closely following the enemy, who blew up the bridges across the Monticiano, we have entered Conegliano.

"To the north, on the right bank of the Piave, other troops, in cooperation with those on the left bank, have passed beyond the Calcino torrent after a brilliant struggle. Bitter fighting is taking place in the region of Monte Grappa.

"The capture of another thousand prisoners is announced and more than 150 guns have been taken, many of them of medium and heavy calibre. A good part of those captured are already in action against the enemy."

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, via London, Oct. 30.—"In the region of Mont Spinoncia, two miles west of Alano, we carried out rectifications of our positions," the Austrian War Office announced to-day.

"In Albania our rear guards have evacuated Alessio. There has been no change in the Drina front. In Serbia yesterday our troops, who were not in fighting contact with the enemy, reached Palanka."

FLOOD OF BANK NOTES ISSUED IN GERMANY

Newspaper Warns People That Continued Hoarding Will Bring Money Catastrophe.

ZURICH, Oct. 30—The German Reichsbank has issued bank notes to the amount of 2,000,000,000 marks during the last four weeks, according to the Neueste Nachrichten of Munich.

The newspaper says this was caused by the hoarding of bank notes by the people, and points out that if the Germans do not give up their present "craze," a financial catastrophe is inevitable.

GERARD SEES DANGER IN REPUBLICAN VICTORY

Says Germany Would Misunderstand If Democrats Were Defeated and Would Stiffen Resistance.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—James W. Gerard, former Ambassador to Germany, in a statement made public here to-day by the Democratic National Campaign Committee, said the Germans cannot understand the American political system and that a refusal of the country to sustain President Wilson with a Democratic Congress will convince Germany America is not with the President. Encouraged by this belief, he added, the military resistance of the people will again stiffen.

ALLIED TROOPS IN RUSSIA FACING A LONG STAY

Size of Force May Be Increased for Police Duty After Germans Withdraw.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—American or Allied troops, or both, undoubtedly will have a long period of police duty in Russia after the Germans vacate. In fact, it was hinted to-day that the associated contingents may have to be increased rather than decreased when the Teutons haul out the remainder of their legions.

While the Germans have been evacuating the Baltic provinces and have stripped down their forces in the Ukraine, they still have a wide belt of influence and a considerable number of troops in the territory between the Gulf of Riga and the Black Sea. Military authorities foresee that if immediate evacuation of the Teuton is compelled, a reign of terror and lawlessness may ensue. Hence, there is some division of opinion as to whether this evacuation should be compelled hurriedly or gradually.

UKRAINE SENDS TROOPS TO SEIZE POLISH DISTRICTS

Cholm and Podlachia, Ceded in Brest Treaty, Objective of Ukrainian Hetman.

PARIS, Oct. 30 (Havas).—Gen. Skoropadski, the Ukrainian Hetman, according to a Zurich despatch to the Journal Des Debats, has sent three Ukrainian divisions to the Polish frontier with the object of occupying the districts of Cholm and Podlachia, which were given to the Ukraine, to the prejudice of Poland by the Brest-Litovsk treaty.

The Ukrainians intend to move into Poland whenever the German and Austrian groups withdraw.

The German authorities in the Ukraine, it is added, support Gen. Skoropadski. Numerous German soldiers have joined the Ukrainian divisions sent to the Polish frontier.

SURVIVORS HERE; ROWED 1,400 MILES AFTER TORPEDOING

Ship Sunk Two Weeks Ago in Mid-Atlantic and Captain and Seven Are Missing.

Ten Norwegian sailors were landed at the Battery this afternoon from a naval vessel and taken to the Norwegian Consul. They were part of the crew of the Norwegian freighter Stifinder, torpedoed about 1,500 miles from port ten days ago.

After spending fifteen days in an open boat the men were picked up by a steamship.

The men say their ship was in company with a British cargo ship and an American tanker when a submarine suddenly bobbed up and opened fire on all three.

The British ship made a run for it and got away. The tanker turned her stern to the U boat and gave battle. The sailors are of the belief that the tanker sunk the enemy.

Meantime the freighter made her escape, only to be overhauled two days later by another U boat, which sunk her.

The Stifinder was bound for Australia with a cargo of case oil. Capt. Birkeland and seven men went in one boat, while the ten occupied another. The men were in their boat fifteen days, rowing all the time until they were picked up off Barnegat, but far out to sea.

All were in bad condition from exposure. They rowed fully 1,400 miles, they estimated, and when picked up had only a few biscuits and very little water left.

WALL STREET PRICES FALL ON FORCED LIQUIDATION

Forced liquidation by order of the Money Committee, to place loans on the status of Sept. 16, resulted in pounding down the market leaders in Wall Street to-day. Prices all through the industrial and railroad list broke heavily, but without the evidences of attending panic.

Steel went to 102 1-8, a net loss of 5 7-8 points on the day's trading, but with the brokerage house credited with the heaviest holdings of the security appearing as the largest buyer, to cover sales at higher prices made in the upward market.

Marine preferred lost 3 points, Distillers broke two points, Mexican Petroleum was down 13 3-4 at 145 3-4, the closing figure, and Smelters at 84 1-4 showed a net loss of 3 1-4.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

With net changes from previous close.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Chge.
Allis-Chalmers	28	26½	26½	— 1½
Am. Beet Sugar	66¼	64½	65	— 1
Am. Car & Fdry	85¼	83	83	— 2½
Am. Can	44	42¼	42¼	— 2⅜
Am. Hide & Leath.	16	15	15	— ⅞
Am. H. & L. pf	80	79	79	— 1½
Am. International	37	35¼	35¼	— ⅞
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	87⅞	83¼	83¼	— 4¼
Am. Steel Fdry	89¾	87	87	— 2½
Am. Sugar	111	109½	109½	— 2
Am. Sum. Tob	106⅞	104½	105	— 1
Am. Tel. & T. Co.	109	105	105	— 1½
Am. Woolen Co.	50	48⅞	48⅞	— 1⅞
Anaconda Mining	79¼	68⅞	68⅞	— 2
Atl., Gulf & W.I.	108⅞	104½	106½	— 4½
Baldwin Locomotive	91½	79⅞	80	— 5½
Balt. & Ohio	56½	55	55	— 1
Beth. Steel B. cls.	99½	88	88½	— 1⅞
Butte & Superior	25	24¼	24¼	— ⅞
Central Leather	94	92¼	92¼	— 1⅞
Canadian Pacific	167½	164	163½	— 2½
Ches. & Ohio	70¼	66⅞	66⅞	— 2½
Chi., M. & St. P.	49	48½	48½	— 1
Chi., R. I. & Pac.	27⅞	26⅞	26⅞	— ⅞
Chile Copper	22⅞	20⅞	21	— 1½
Chino Copper	41	40	40	— 1½
Continental Can	71	69	69	— 2
Corn Prod. Co	44⅞	43¼	43¼	— ⅞
Crucible Steel	54½	53	53½	— 2
Cuba Cane Sugar	31⅞	31	31	— ⅞
Dist. Sec. Corp	47⅞	45⅞	46½	— 1
Erie	17	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅞
Gen. Electric	163	153½	152½	— 2⅞
Gen. Motors Co	127½	123	123	— 4½
Goodrich Co. B. F.	52½	50½	51⅞	— 1⅞
Gt. Nor. pf	94	92⅞	92⅞	— 1⅞
Gt. Nor. Ore	32	30⅞	30½	— 1
Inspir. Copper	54¼	52⅞	52⅞	— 1⅞
Inter. Met. N. J.	107⅞	106¼	106¼	— 1⅞
Inter. Nickel	32⅞	32	32	— ⅞
Inter. Paper	38⅞	38	38	— ⅞
Kennecott Copper	39⅞	38	38½	— 1⅞
Lack. Steel	73	72¼	73	— 1
Maxwell Motor	54	52⅞	52⅞	— 1⅞
Mer. Marine pf	29⅞	28⅞	28⅞	— ⅞
Mer. Marine cf	119⅞	116⅞	116⅞	— 3⅞
Mexican Petroleum	156⅞	145¼	145⅞	— 13⅞
Midvale Steel	45⅞	44⅞	45	— 1⅞
Mo. Pacific	25⅞	25	25	— 1
Nat. Enc. & St. Co.	45	44	44	— 1⅞
National Lead	60	59	59	— 2
Norfolk & Western	107⅞	107	107	— 1
N. Y. Central	78¼	77⅞	77⅞	— 1⅞
N. Y. & N. H.	39⅞	38	38½	— 1⅞
Northern Pacific	92⅞	90⅞	90⅞	— 1⅞
Ohio Cities Gas	42⅞	42	42	— 1
Pan. Am. Petro	67½	63½	63⅞	— 3⅞
Pan Am. Petro. pf	116⅞	111	110½	— 6⅞
Pennsylvania RR.	48⅞	47⅞	47⅞	— ⅞
People's Gas	56⅞	55	55⅞	— 2⅞
Phila. Co.	34	33½	33½	— 2⅞
Pitts. & West Va.	36	31½	31½	— 2⅞
Pitts. Coal Co. cls.	49¼	48¼	48¼	— 1⅞
Pressed Steel	69	66½	66½	— 1⅞
Ray Con. Copper	24⅞	24⅞	24½	— 2⅞
Reading	90	87½	87½	— 2⅞
Rep. Steel	81	79¼	80¼	— 2⅞
Sinclair Oil	35⅞	34	34	— 1⅞
*Sloss-Sheffield	58	52	52	— 5
South. Pacific	102⅞	96⅞	100¼	— 1⅞
South. Ry.	30⅞	29½	29½	— ⅞
Studebaker Co.	64⅞	62½	62⅞	— 1⅞
Texas Co.	187	181	181	— 4
Tob. Prod.	75⅞	73⅞	73⅞	— 1⅞
*United Cigar Stores	60⅞	59⅞	59⅞	— 2
Union Pacific	133	130⅞	130	— 2⅞
U. S. In. Alcohol	104¼	102	102⅞	— 1⅞
U. S. Rubber	67⅞	66⅞	66⅞	— 1
U. S. Smelt. & Ref	48	46½	46½	— 1
U. S. Steel	106	102	102⅞	— 5⅞
U. S. Steel pf	111⅞	111	111	— ⅞
Utah Copper	88⅞	87	87½	— 2⅞
Vir.-Car. Chem.	56	55⅞	55⅞	— ⅞
Wabash pf A	59	58	58	— 1
Westing. E. & M.	44½	43⅞	43½	— ⅞
White Motor	47⅞	46	46	— 1⅞
Wilson & Co.	61	59½	59½	— 1⅞
Worth'n Pump Co.	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	— 1⅞

*Ex dividend.

Stock sales, total, 971,900.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED.

	Period.	Rate.	Pay.	Books close.
C & S Ry 1st pf	SA	2%	Nov. 15	Nov. 9
U S Steel com	Q	1¾%	Dec. 30	Nov. 29
U S Steel com	Ex	2%	Dec. 30	Nov. 29
U S Steel pf	Q	1¾%	Nov. 30	Nov. 1
East Steel 1st pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 16	Dec. 2
East Steel 2d pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 16	Dec. 2
Jones & L com	Q	2½%	Jan. 15	Jan. 2
J G White Co pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 2	Nov. 15
J G White Ln pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 2	Nov. 15
J G White M pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 2	Nov. 15
Can P & P com	Q	1¾%	Nov. 15	Oct. 31
Can P & P pf	Q	1¾%	Nov. 15	Oct. 31
Rock Pine Lake		12	Dec. 14	Nov. 23
Stan Oil Cal	Q	$2.50	Dec. 10	Nov. 15
Int Harv N J pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 2	Nov. 8
Int Agric com	Q	1¾%	Dec. 15	Nov. 30
Int Agric pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 15	Nov. 30
Bar Arms 2d pf	Q	1¾%	Dec. 15	Nov. 30

WILSONSTADT IS CAPITAL OF NEW CZECH REPUBLIC

Name of the City Is Changed From Pressburg in Honor of the President.

PARIS, Oct. 30 (Havas).—The Czecho-Slovak Council of State has decided to make Pressburg the capital of Slovakia, according to the newspapers here.

Pressburg is situated on the north bank of the Danube, thirty-four miles southeast of Vienna, near the western extremity of the Carpathians, and is one of the finest cities in Hungary. Hungarian kings were crowned at the Cathedral of St. Martin at Pressburg for centuries. The population of the city in 1900 was 61,537. It was announced recently that the Czecho-Slovak Council had changed the name of Pressburg to Wilsonstadt in honor of President Wilson.

2,000 MEN HAVE DIED IN GERMAN PRISON CAMPS

British Home Secretary Tells Commons About Barbarous Treatment of Captives.

LONDON, Oct. 30 (British Admiralty wireless).—"The rules of international law, which were also the rules of humanity, have been observed in this country but have been over and over again flagrantly broken by our enemies," Sir George Cave, Home Secretary, said in addressing the House of Commons on barbarous treatment of British prisoners of war.

"Some of the German internment camps are reasonably well organized but there are other camps where conditions were almost unspeakable and inhumanities went on which were almost past belief. It is estimated that the number of deaths in prisoners' war camps since November, 1916, is 2,000, of all nations."

ITALIANS ARE PUSHING ENEMY FROM ALBANIA

Alessio, on the Coast, Captured—Retreat in Serbia Continues.

ROME, Oct. 30.—Italian troops are closely pressing the enemy rear guards in Albania, official despatches showing Alessio, on the coast, thirty-five miles northeast of Durazzo, was entered Oct. 27. The Italians were also reported marching upon San Giovanni di Meuma, a point directly on the west coast three miles northwest of Alessio.

"The withdrawal of our troops in Serbia is taking place without disturbance from the enemy and there was fighting yesterday only north of Kraguyevatz," says an official statement from Vienna.

Advices from Salonica say Gen. Danglis, Commander in Chief of the Greek Army, has arrived in Eastern Macedonia, and has expressed his satisfaction over the morale of the troops, who are declared to be impatient to continue the campaign for the deliverance of the Greek population in Thrace and Asia Minor.

ROME FIRM ON GUARANTEES.

Holds German Note Fails to Meet Wilson's Conditions.

ROME, Oct. 30.—Germany's latest reply to President Wilson is not responsive to his conditions, it was officially declared here to-day.

"We must insist on adequate guarantees of an armistice that will render renewal of the war impossible," said Italians high in authority.

OMETEPE VOLCANO ACTIVE.

New Dock at Juan Del Sur Destroyed by Eruption.

SAN SALVADOR, Oct. 30.—The Ometepe volcano, on the Island of Ometepe, is throwing out smoke and lava. The activity of the volcano has resulted in the destruction of the new dock recently built at San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua.

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CUMINGS.—MARTHA CUMINGS. Services at CAMPBELL FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th st., Wednesday, 8.30 P. M.

DAVIDS.—On Oct. 27, of broncho pneumonia, MRS. E. LOUISE DAVIDS, beloved mother of Lawrence, Grace, Leslie, Harold and Herbert.

Funeral services Thursday, 3 P. M., at Bayerstown Chapel, 43d st. and 8th av., New York City. Interment Cypress Hills Cemetery.

TOOMEY.—On Oct. 29, JAMES B. TOOMEY, after long illness, in his 57th year. He leaves his widow, Margaret, three daughters and one son.

Funeral from his late residence, 70 Throop av., Brooklyn, Friday at 2 P. M. Interment Holy Trinity Cemetery.

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