

YANKEE DIVISIONS IN FRANCE LOCATED

Positions of Forty-one Commands Given by War Department.

GENERALS ALSO LISTED

Points Occupied by U.S. Troops November 7 in Fighting Line and Depots.

- WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Location of forty-one American divisions in France, Nov. 7, with the names of commanding generals, was announced today by the War Department. The numbers of the divisions, their location and commanding general follow: First, Noyant and St. Dizier—Brig. Gen. Frank Parker. Second, Fosse and St. Dizier—Major Gen. John A. Lejeune. Third, Tannois and St. Dizier—Brig. Gen. Preston Brown. Fourth, Lucoy and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Mark L. Hersey. Fifth, Cune and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Hanson E. Ely. Sixth, Stone and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Walter H. Gordon. Seventh, Euvaux and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Edmund Wittenmeyer. Twenty-sixth, Braa, Troyon Sur Meuse, St. Dizier—Brig. Gen. P. E. Bamford. Twenty-seventh, Corbie, Beaumesne, St. Dizier—Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan. Twenty-eighth, Heudicourt and St. Dizier—Major Gen. William H. Hay. Twenty-ninth, Robert Espagne and St. Dizier—Major Gen. C. C. Morton. Thirtieth, Querrieu, via B. Ely—Major Gen. Edw. H. Lewis. Thirty-first, Brest—Major Gen. Leroy S. Lyon. Thirty-second, Aincerville and St. Dizier—Major Gen. William C. Haan. Thirty-third, Troyon and St. Dizier—Major Gen. George Bell Jr. Thirty-fourth, Castres—Brig. Gen. John A. Johnston. Thirty-fifth, Somme Dieux and St. Dizier—Major Gen. P. E. Traub. Thirty-sixth, Conde-en-Barrois—Major Gen. W. E. Smith. Thirty-seventh, Thiel, Dunckerque—Major Gen. Charles S. Farnsworth. Thirty-eighth, Le Mans—Major Gen. Robert L. Howze. Forty-second, Maisoncelle and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Charles D. Rhodes. Seventy-seventh, La Bassee, Valenciennes, St. Dizier—Major Gen. Robert Alexander. Seventy-eighth, Le Champy Haut and St. Dizier—Major Gen. James H. McRae. Seventy-ninth, Vacherauville and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn. Eightieth, Somme Dieux and St. Dizier—Major Gen. A. Cronkite. Eighty-first, Somme Dieux, Is-sur-Ville—Major Gen. C. J. Bailey. Eighty-second, Florent—Major Gen. G. P. Dupcan. Eighty-fourth, Neuville—Major Gen. H. C. Hale. Eighty-sixth, St. Andre de Capenne—Major Gen. C. H. Martin. Eighty-seventh, Fosse—Major Gen. S. D. Sturges. Eighty-eighth, Montreaux Chateau, Es-sur-Ville—Major Gen. William Weigle. Eighty-ninth, Tully and St. Dizier—Brig. Gen. F. L. Winn. Ninetieth, Villers, Dev, Dun and St. Dizier—Major Gen. H. T. Allen. Ninety-first, Oostrosebeke and Dunckerque—Major Gen. William H. Johnston. Ninety-second, Marbache and St. Dizier—Major Gen. Charles C. Ballou. Depot divisions, location of headquarters and commanding generals: Forty-first, St. Aignan and Noyers—Brig. Gen. Eli Cole. Eighty-third, Le Mans and Castres—Major Gen. E. F. Glenn. Seventy-sixth, St. Amand, Mont Rond—Major Gen. H. F. Rhodes. Eighty-fifth, Pouilly—Major Gen. C. W. Kennedy. Thirty-ninth, St. Florent—Major Gen. H. C. Hodges, Jr. Fortieth, Revigny and St. Dizier—Major Gen. F. S. Strong.

MANN TO SEEK SPEAKERSHIP. Physicians Say He is Well—To Have Opposition.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Definite word was received here today that Representative Mann (Ill.), former Republican floor leader of the House, has been assured by his physicians that they can find nothing wrong with him physically. This is interpreted by members of the House to mean that Mr. Mann will be a candidate for Speaker in the next Congress. However, since Mr. Mann's appearance in Washington a few weeks ago after an absence of many months several candidates against him have appeared. Many Republicans in the House are opposed to him because of his war record. Representative Gillett (Mass.), who has filled Mr. Mann's shoes since he was forced to give up his work here, is regarded as certainly a contender for the Speakership. The strongest possibility is Representative Foss (Ohio), chairman of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee.

LIFTS PAPER LIMIT ON ALL BUT DAILIES

War Industries Board Retains Control of News Print by Request.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Restrictions on the use of paper by publications with the exception of daily, Sunday and weekly newspapers were lifted today by the War Industries Board. At a recent meeting of the publishers of daily and Sunday newspapers the War Trade Board was asked to continue to exercise control over the use of news print for a time at least. The board has still under advisement, though indications are that it will go out of business in a few weeks, in which event this control would have to cease. A request was made today, however, that publishers of daily newspapers send in promptly their November reports on the consumption of paper. The request adds: "The regulations governing daily newspapers may be withdrawn within sixty days, but in case of further eventualities it will be very much to the advantage of the individual publisher for his complete reports to be on file so that should this work be turned over to any other department when the War Industries Board disbands it will have full and complete information at its disposal. "Restrictions governing weekly newspapers will be lifted December 1. In this the board is prompted by the fact that the amount of paper consumed by them is not sufficient to affect materially the news print situation, and as the holiday season is at hand it is felt desirable to remove the restriction so merchants and publishers may profit by the holiday activities. "All rules governing the manufacture of wall paper and wall paper designs are also withdrawn to take effect at once."

YEOWMAN HALTS THEFT.

Seize Man Who Says Took Blind Soldiers' Collection Box. After he had listened to Miss Adeline Eggers of 1847 Harris avenue, The Bronx, a yeowoman at the Brooklyn navy yard, testify how she had prevented Samuel Gross of 206 East Thirtieth street from stealing a collection box containing \$410 for the Permanently Blind Soldiers Fund from a bakery at 181st street and St. Nicholas avenue Magistrate Blau in the Washington Heights court yesterday turned to the prisoner and said: "You are the meanest, cheapest and lowest crook ever arraigned before me and hanging is too good for you." A Gross was held in \$1,000 bail for further examination Friday. Miss Eggers said she saw him thrust the collection box under his coat, that she followed him to the sidewalk, where she seized him and called for the police. Gross broke away but Detective Edward Nelson, a full-blooded Indian, caught him at 184th street and Audubon avenue.

REGAN CONFESSION FORCED BY CONVICTS

Reports Say Sing Sing Prisoners Used "Underground" in Baksa Case.

CALLED "MORAL PAUPER"

Self-Accused Slayer of Mrs. Hamel Has Long Record of Crimes.

Because there are convicts in Sing Sing who are not "moral paupers," such as alienists describe James F. Regan to be, Elizabeth Baksa, the nineteen-year-old girl on trial charged with the murder of Mrs. Helen Hamel, rooming house proprietress, may eventually go free. It developed yesterday that fear of summary punishment at the hands of fellow convicts caused Regan, alias Sellinger, alias Burns, to write to Judge Rosalsky, presiding over the Baksa girl's trial, offering to clear up the murder and subsequently to make a full confession, exonerating the defendant. By the mysterious "underground" system in the great prison other convicts knew of Regan's part in the Hamel murder, it is said. When the girl was placed on trial the same means was used to communicate to Regan, who is liable to be sentenced to a life term at any time, that it was up to him to clear the girl.

Convicts Threatened to Act. He was told that he could not be sent to the chair on his own unsworn testimony, and that a plea of guilty to a manslaughter indictment which would likely be offered to him, would not have any material effect on his present status. The penalty for this report receives more credence than any previous story advanced as to Regan's motive for confessing. Alienists who examined the convict on orders of the District Attorney's office will present Friday a report that Regan is "legally sane, but a moral pauper, without sense of right or wrong, a thief of the worst character and inherently bad." Investigation of his record has shown that he is under suspicion in connection with more than forty burglaries in Brooklyn, has been mixed up in several brutal assault cases, stabbed another youth when he was 16, and at present there are four bench warrants against him, waiting to be served for second convictions, on any of which he is liable to life imprisonment. All this is in addition to the six sentences he has served for larceny and burglary. "I ain't got the brains to pull a big job, but I always felt that I had a right to take anything I wanted, no matter who owned it," Regan told the alienists, Drs. M. B. Heyman of Manhattan State Hospital, and V. P. Garrison. He admitted stabbing several persons in the back, saying "they can't identify you in court if you attack them when they ain't looking."

Send for Regan's "Pals." Five convicts, two from Sing Sing, two from the penitentiary and one from the Elmira Reformatory, all of them known to have been "pals" with Regan in various criminal acts, have been sent for to be questioned by Judge Rosalsky, District Attorney Edward Swann and Samuel S. Koenig, chief counsel for Miss Baksa. Louis Kihlar, who was sent to Elmira about the same time Regan was convicted, is the one upon whom the authorities place most reliance in their effort to clear up the mystery. Capt. Caray of the homicide bureau has ascertained that Regan is known in the neighborhood of 507 West Twenty-third street, where Mrs. Hamel was murdered last February. Regan

says he knew Mrs. Hamel's custom of carrying considerable money in her pocketbook, much more than the prosecution was able to show that Miss Baksa spent, following her flight from the rooming house. Visitors were not permitted to interview either Miss Baksa or Regan at the Tombs yesterday afternoon. Charles Firestone, attorney for Regan at the time of his last conviction, talked with him, however, and later held a long conference with Judge Rosalsky. He would give no information of what transpired at either of these interviews. In a statement issued by District Attorney Swann yesterday afternoon he announced that the trial of Elizabeth Baksa would proceed Friday morning. The defendant's counsel is at liberty to use Regan as a witness," said the District Attorney. "We will leave the question of Regan's veracity to be determined by the jury. No bargain of any nature or description will be made with him. This office will re-

serve judgment as to what course will be pursued later." "We are much obliged to the District Attorney for his offer," one of Miss Baksa's attorneys said later. "As a matter of law, we can call any witness we see fit without the District Attorney's permission. There are District Attorneys, as there are individuals, who die hard."

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS

APPOINTMENT. The following police surgeon on probation having qualified as surgeon is appointed and assigned as indicated by the Police Commissioner: to take effect 15 P. M. November 28: Dudley H. Morris, 14th Surgical Div. TRANSFERS AND ASSIGNMENTS. To take effect 8 A. M. November 28: William H. Ward, 25th Prec. to 25th Prec.

To take effect 8 A. M. November 28: LIEUTENANT. James J. Lawson, 60th Prec. to 60th Prec. Det. assigned to desk duty. John Walsh, 8th Prec. Det. to 6th Prec. To take effect November 28: PROBATIONARY PATROLMAN. John J. Conway, No. 4687, to Headquarters Div., training school. BICYCLE PATROLMAN. Arthur A. Stehlik, 136 Prec. to 25th Prec. assignment to bicycle duty discontinued. To take effect 8 A. M. November 28: PATROLMEN. Michael Toomey, 10th Prec. to 79th Prec. Patrick J. Toomey, 11th Prec. to Bridge Prec. To take effect 10:30 A. M. November 28: From Division of National Defense (special way travel) to precincts indicated, indefinite leaves of absence are hereby revoked. Cyril T. Wanner, 89; Howard O'Leary, 89; Walter A. James, 23. TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENTS. LIEUTENANT. Edward M. Wright, 45th Prec. assigned to signal monitor duty on tour from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. for 31 days from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. December 1. SERGEANT. Charles Burns, 1036 Prec. to Headquarters Div., to duty in office of Fourth Deputy Commissioner, for 30 days from 8 A. M. November 27. PATROLMEN. From precincts indicated to let Insp. Diet. to duty in front of alleged disorderly hotels, for 15 days from 8 A. M. December 1. Edward Delaney, 81; Charles Daly, 158. From precincts indicated to 4th Insp. Diet. to duty in front of alleged disorderly hotels, for 15 days from 8 A. M. December 1. George La Clair, 10; Richard Holt, 48; John Sullivan, 48; William H. Daly, 81; David Eismann, 18; John J. Thompson, 49; James Quilman, 18; Peter McGuirk, 198. From precincts indicated to Division of National Defense, for 15 days from 8 A. M. December 1: William Anderson, 18; Michael Connolly, 11; Lawrence F. Ryan, 18; George Ritchey, 11; John Waters, 18; Robert Laurin, 23; Peter P. Quinn, 18; James W. McManis, 18; Daniel Murray, 48; John J. Woods, 48; John P. Conannon, 18; Francis Quilman, 21; Daniel Sheehan, 78; James V. Delaney, 41; Charles McGuirk, 87; William Woulter, 102; Thomas L. Fitzpatrick, 8; George Zaitler, 18; Charles

Westwater, 18; Frederick Russell, 19; Terence Harvey, 31; Vance C. Lavender, 21; William J. Jackson, 31; John Wagon, 37; George E. Grant, 37; Edward J. Horley, 48; Henry R. Hill, 41; Edward W. Ula, 47; John J. Lynch, 57; John A. Wagon, 71; John J. Dewitt, 74; George W. Leach, 74; James Oliver, 87; William V. Knota, 88; Leonard Hoffman, 102. ASSIGNMENT DISCONTINUED. SERGEANT. Oscar C. Reiner, 11th Insp. Div., to Fourth Deputy Commissioner's office (temporary), from 8 A. M. November 27. The following leaves of absence are authorized, without pay: PATROLMEN. Henry McCarthy, 20th Prec., for 1 day from 10:30 A. M. November 27. John E. Sheridan, 11th Prec., for 1 day from 10:30 A. M. November 27. John J. Shea, 14th Prec., for 1 day from 10:30 A. M. November 27. John P. Barry, 19th Prec., for 3 days from 8 A. M. November 28. Richard J. Donohy, 1036 Prec., for 1 day from 8 P. M. November 28. Patrick Clynes, Traffic Div., substitute A, for 1 day from 8 A. M. November 28. DEATH. PATROLMAN. John Daly, No. 1122, 14th Prec., died at 11:20 A. M. November 25, in Government Hospital from influenza and pneumonia. Funeral from St. Andrew's Church, 114 South Third street, Brooklyn, 10 A. M. November 28. Interment Calvary Cemetery.



Thanksgiving Day in the Leading Hotels and Restaurants

THANKSGIVING MATINEE AT 2 P. M. The Only Ice Skating Show in New York. The 1919 Edition of VICTORY REVUE IN THE GOLDEN GLADES. Reserve your table for an Exceptional Thanksgiving Table d'Hotel Dinner. Thomas Healy's Broadway & 66th St. N.Y. Presented Twice Nightly Dinner Show at 7:30 P. M. Supper Show at 11:30 P. M.

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