

# LORD NORTHCLIFFE ASSERTS THERE WILL BE NO TRAGEDY OF UNITED STATES IN WAR

British Editor Responds to Invitation of Lloyd George to Enter Cabinet.

AMERICA FITTED TO LEAD IN MANAGEMENT

Vigorous Admonition to British Government to Speed Up Its Efficiency.

London, Nov. 16.—Lord Northcliffe's letter to Premier Lloyd George, dated from the London office of the British mission to the United States, was as follows:

"Dear Prime Minister: I have given anxious consideration to your repeated invitations that I should take charge of the new ministry. The reason which impelled me to decline that great honor and responsibility are in no way concerned with the office, which is rightly to be set up. They are roughly as follows:

"Returning after five months spent in the virile atmosphere of the United States and Canada, I find that while these two countries are proceeding with their war preparations with a fervor and enthusiasm little understood on this side of the Atlantic; while the United States instantly put into operation conscription over which we wobbled for two years, and is making short work of sedition mongers; while Canada already has given such proofs of thoroughness as the disfranchisement of conscientious objectors and the denaturalization of all enemy aliens naturalized within the last 15 years; while we, for our part, are asking immense sacrifices from these peoples, there still are in offices here those who daily with such urgent questions as that of unity of war control, eradication of sedition, mobilization of the whole man and woman power of the country and the introduction of compulsory food rations.

**Personal Experience.** "I had personal experience while in America of the obstruction and delay in certain departments in London, which, for example, postponed sending Lord Reading's vital and most successful mission. I find the censorship still being misused and that men in various positions of authority who should have been punished, have been retained and in some cases elevated.

"The spirit of the men and women of Great Britain is clearly as eager and splendid as ever. We have, in my belief, the most efficient army in the world, led by one of the greatest generals and I am well aware of the fine achievements of many others of our soldiers, sailors and statesmen, but I feel in the present circumstances that I can do better work if I maintain my independence, and am not gagged by a loyalty that I do not feel towards the whole of your administration.

"May I also take this opportunity of giving warning about our relations with that great people from whom I come. We have had the tragedy of Russia, partly to lack of allied propaganda to counteract that of the Germans. We have had the tragedy of Italy, largely due to that same enemy propaganda. We have had the tragedies of Serbia, Rumania and Montenegro. There is one tragedy which I am sure we shall not have, and that is the tragedy of the United States.

**May Take Over Management.** "But from countless conversations with leading Americans I know that unless there is swift improvement in our methods here, the United States will rightly take into its own hands the entire management of a great part of the war. It will not sacrifice its blood and treasure to the incompetent handling of the affairs of Europe.

"In saying all this, which is very much on my mind, believe me, I have

none but the most friendly feeling toward yourself and that I am greatly honored by your suggestion.

"Yours sincerely,  
"NORTHCLIFFE."

## Eclipse of Broadway's Lusty Rays

Bright Lights of Great White Way Dimmed by Order of the Defense Council.

POWER IS APPLIED TO BETTER PURPOSE

New York, Nov. 16.—War's necessities dimmed Broadway's bright lights last night. For near three hours after dusk that famous thoroughfare was in semi-eclipse because of the federal fuel administrator's decree that the coal which has supplied current for huge electric signs can be used to better advantage. The home-going throngs of the rush hours did not need lanterns to find their way about, for the regular street lamps were lighted as usual, but the gloom was in marked contrast to the usual glare.

Promptly at 7:45, however, the millions of electric bulbs on the "great white way" flashed into life and they were greeted with cheers by the crowds that are ever present on Broadway.

The big signs blazed until 11 o'clock and then were snuffed out just as the theater throngs were pouring into the streets. Here and there were cases of light where modest signs illumined the portals of some famous hotel or restaurant. But it didn't seem like Broadway.

**AMERICANS JOIN CANADIANS.** New York, Nov. 15.—Fifteen regiments have been enlisted in the United States by the British and Canadian recruiting mission. It was announced here tonight by the mission.

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### IS NORA BAYES TO WED A MOVIE ACTOR



A horrible suspicion about Nora Bayes is abroad in New York—the rumor that she is to wed a movie actor. However, the fortunate man in question is not a run-of-the-mine movie actor, but Major Lord Royal Inniskerr of His Majesty's Royal Irish Guards, famous polo player with movie ambitions.

## RAIL LINES ASK FEDERAL LOANS

Thorne Agrees with President Rea as to the Policy of Loans to Carriers.

STILL WIDELY DIFFER ON MATTER OF RATES

Washington, Nov. 15.—The question of the government loaning money to the railroads was brought forward the first time officially today at the cross examination of eastern railroad officials in the 15 per cent advance rate case before the interstate commerce commission. Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania road, said that he believed that governments should be seriously considered, and later Clifford Thorne, counsel for many important shippers, stated he believed it the proper solution for the railroad situation. Mr. Rea testified, however, that should the money be forthcoming from the government it ought not to affect the proposed freight increase, while shippers counsel believed the plan should be made effective in lieu of the rate increase.

Mr. Rea's statement came after he testified that the Pennsylvania could not get more freight cars until the middle of next year, that he did not believe it possible to increase the output of locomotives because of the labor situation, and that he did not believe it would be right to attempt bond flotation while the government was attempting to make large war loans.

**NON-ESSENTIAL COMMODITIES.** Washington, Nov. 15.—Denial of rail transportation to more than 500 commodities classed as non-essential was recommended to the government today by the railroad war board. At the same time the board put out a statement declaring one country's railroads at the present rate of increase in traffic will be unable to meet demands that will be made on them this winter.

**HALE HOLDEN ON STAND.** New York, Nov. 15.—Railroads are handling the greatest traffic in the history of the country, and it is unfair, because there are unfilled car orders, to say they have broken down, declared Hale Holden, president of the Burlington railroad, and a member of the railroads war board, at a dinner given by the Industrial Traffic league here tonight. The league is holding its annual meeting.

Necessity of decreasing traffic by the elimination of unnecessary shipments and travel was emphasized by Mr. Holden.

It was only a little more than two years ago, Mr. Holden said, in referring to the tremendous increase on railroad traffic, that there were approximately 350,000 idle cars in the country. On May 1 last there was an excess of cars ordered over cars supplied of 148,827, he said, and in September this had been reduced to 31,591, or 78 per cent. Since then there has been a considerable increase in unfilled orders, and Mr. Holden predicted here will be a further increase. Since the war approximately 25,000,000 miles annually have been withdrawn from passenger service, Mr. Holden declared, and this has released a great many men for more important work and has accomplished a considerable saving in coal. The public may have to submit to further curtailment of passenger service and to forego some of the comforts and the conveniences which it now has, he added.

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## BISMARCK DISTRICT WENT OVER TOP WITH 144 PERCENT TOTAL

Splendid Showing for Slope Counties Indicated in Final Report of Chairman

The Bismarck district, with a quota of \$370,000, subscribed \$540,000, or an excess of 44 per cent, to the Second Liberty loan, reports District Chairman J. L. Bell of the First National bank, who this morning submitted final figures on the successful campaign. Burleigh county subscribed more than half the total in the district. Its quota was \$145,000, and it bought \$286,350 worth of bonds, or within a fraction of 200 per cent of its quota.

The district tabulation as prepared by Mr. Bell follows:

County	Subscribed	Quota
Burleigh	\$286,350	\$145,000
Acadian	121,500	95,000
Kidder	36,900	30,000
Logan	35,100	25,000
Emmons	59,600	70,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$549,600</b>	<b>\$375,000</b>

In calling attention to the splendid showing made by the state as a whole in subscribing for \$11,000,000 worth of the second loan, Mr. Bell notes the fact that twelve years ago the total bank deposits were but \$20,000,000, or less than 100 per cent in excess of the amount North Dakota has just invested in Uncle Sam's Liberty bonds.

### LEAGUE EXTENDING.

**Tax Commissioner Packard Tell of Growth of Order.**

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 15.—Frank F. Packard, state tax commissioner of North Dakota, predicted in an address before the National Tax association here today, that the Farmers National Nonpartisan league will be a factor of future congressional campaigns. Organized to enable the farmer to get a fair price on his commodities, the league, Mr. Packard said has spread to eleven states in the middle west and was steadily growing.

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day in allied legations and embassies here a feeling that German influence had played a part in starting this move, which may prove embarrassing to the kaiser's enemies.

## Kaiser Says Super U-Boat Yet to Come

Reports from Mexico City indicate some improvement in revolutionary conditions south of the capital.

**Declares Confidently the Submarine Will Determine Issue of War.**

## RUTHLESS CAMPAIGN CONTINUES TO END

Amsterdam, Nov. 16.—The German emperor, according to a Berlin dispatch, in addressing the U-boat crews in the Adriatic, and referring to the development of the submarines, said that a voyage of three or four weeks now was an everyday occurrence, and declared that the development of the U-boats had not reached its highest point. He expressed gratification at the amount of tonnage sunk in the Mediterranean, which, he said, showed that the U-boats had fulfilled what had been expected of them.

Submarine warfare would have a decisive part in the outcome of the war, the emperor declared, and would not be stopped until the enemy was annihilated.

The emperor concluded: "I am certain that our submarines will never rest until the enemy is subdued. But for this we need as well as the power of man, the aid of God."

## ERMANN INFLUENCE MAY HAVE REACHED MEXICAN PRESIDENT

Body of Troops Sent to Oil Fields to Oust Palaez.

Washington, Nov. 15.—International apprehension has been aroused by the apparent determination of President Carranza of Mexico to drive the long molested Manuel Palaez and his little rebel army from the oil fields near Tampico. "There was evident to

## WHITE SLAVING.

Grand Forks, N. D., Nov. 15.—Five Grand Forks young men were put on trial here today in federal district court on a charge of violating the Mann white slave act. The defend-

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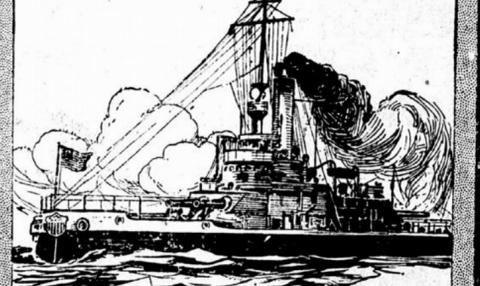
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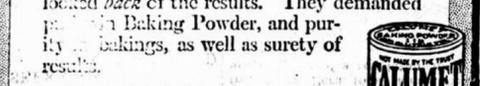
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ants are: Paul Williams, William Hogg, Roy Spriggs, Eugene Couler, and Clifford Bridgeman. Miss Adelaide Chapman of Larimore, N. D., is the complaining witness. The government rested its case late today.

## SALVATION ARMY SEEKS TO RAISE BIG RELIEF FUND

Will Undertake the Collection of Million War Chest.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Evangeline Booth, commander of the Salvation army forces in the western states, after a conference today with 500 officers, announced that the organization is undertaking the collection of \$1,000,000 for war relief. In a telegram sent to President Wilson, she said:

"Five hundred staff and field officers of the Salvation army gathered here in council, desire to pledge to you their loyal support in America's great battle for liberty and democ-

## REVOLUTION IN ECUADOR

Santiago, Chile, Nov. 16.—News from Lima, Peru, today announced the breaking out of a revolution in Ecuador. Several localities are reported in the hands of the revolutionists.

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