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THOSE LIABLE TO DRAFT CANNOT ACT UPON THE BOARD

Anaconda, July 25.—In accordance with the government ruling that a man who is between the ages of 21 and 30 cannot serve on exemption board, Clerk and Recorder F. E. Christensen, who is still under the age of 30, resigned from the board. His resignation was accepted with regret by the other two members of the board, who realize that Mr. Christensen is the best posted man in the county on the selective draft conscription methods. A prominent business man has been named to succeed Mr. Christensen, but his name will not be announced until the appointment is confirmed by Governor Stewart.

GOODFRIENDS WINNERS.

Anaconda, July 25.—With a strengthened lineup the Goodfriends tangled with the Knights of Columbus team on the diamond on the city common last evening and took the long end of the 5-5 score in one of the best games seen here this season.

ANACONDA BRIEFS.

Mrs. C. H. Luxton left today for Laurel, where she will join her daughter, Miss Melva, who has been visiting Mrs. C. B. Sande. Together they will be absent from the city for three weeks.

Andrew Gray of Marmarth, N. D., visited old friends here yesterday on his way to Aberdeen, Ida., to look after his ranch interests in that section.

E. P. Brogan has been appointed as assistant clerk on the local exemption board.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Valton and wife have left for a vacation trip through the state to visit friends.

Frank Leonard of Evanston, Wyo., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sullivan on Spruce street, returned to his home yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Quane, Miss Helen Quake and Mrs. Bart Hogan and son, Jack, leave tomorrow for Winona, Minn., where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Duval arrived home from Colorado Junction, where she has recently completed a course in nursing. She will spend the summer in Anaconda visiting her parents.

Charles Fox Davenport was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail today by Justice Sihla.

Walter Stenberger has been called to Helena to join the Montana state national guard.

Mrs. W. T. Matson has gone to Butte to join Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tucker on a trip through the Yellowstone National park.

Verberkmoes, optometrist.—Adv.

CALL TO THE COLORS INTERRUPTS HONEYMOON

Anaconda, July 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark returned from their wedding trip to Butte this afternoon. His bride was Miss Helen Kinney. They were married yesterday by Rev. Father McCormack and had planned a short wedding trip before coming back to Anaconda. This was sadly interrupted last evening, a telegram coming to Mr. Clark that he had been accepted as a member of the United States engineering corps, with orders to report at once to Missoula. He had taken the examinations several weeks ago, but as no word had come to him of his standing he did not think that he would be accepted and had made other plans.

WAS PRESENTED WITH THE FISH, IS HIS CLAIM

Anaconda, July 25.—Ed Kaufman was arrested last evening by Game Warden De Hart and Deputy Hill, who charge him with being a non-resident and fishing without a license. Kaufman pleaded not guilty before Justice Pringle, and gave bonds for his appearance. He claimed that he had not been fishing, but others had caught the fish which he had in his possession and gave them to him.

BERRY TRIO TIES UP TRAIN IN NEW JERSEY

Philadelphia, Pa.—The Berry triplets—Straw, Rasp and Blue—held up the Atlantic City local on its way to Camden for twenty-five minutes and got the train dispatcher across the river all "hot up" with the possibility of an accident.

The train left the shore at the usual time and was running true to schedule until Hammonston was reached. Orders had been received by the engineer to pick up two cars which were to be loaded with berries to take to Camden for delivery to the Philadelphia market today.

When the engineer drew into the Hammonston station he found that the cars were still unladen, with a force of berry pickers and merry villagers putting the juicy, succulent cargo into the cars. So he decided that in obedience to "Gen." Hoover and other food conservators, he would take a chance on making up time rather than desert the berries.

The berry pickers and the villagers mobilized other wayfarers and in a half hour the cars were loaded, sealed, and tacked to the end of the passenger local. The engineer made up five minutes on the way to Camden and then talked it over with the nervous dispatcher when he arrived.

SHORTS COVERED IN FINAL HOUR

Professionals Have Control of the Market—Trading is Dull.

New York, July 25.—Prices backed and filled in the course of today's dull and professional market; technical conditions favoring the long account. Sales approximated 400,000 shares.

Announcement of the placing of several larger war contracts indicate short covering in the final hour. The closing was firm, Liberty bonds 99.45 to 99.49.

Professional selling of the active list was resumed at the beginning of today's operations. Unsettled developments at home and abroad seemed to favor the short interest. War issues, shipyards, motors and associated specialties lost 1 to 2 points. Equipments, oils, industrial alcohol and Adams' Gulf and West Indies being most susceptible to pressure. United States Steel fell a large fraction with some rails as Union Pacific, St. Paul, Reading, New York Central and Baltimore and Ohio. Substantial rallies occurred in the first half hour on general support.

The market drifted idly during the balance of the morning, sales in the first hour totaling less than 150,000 shares. Most gains were offset by declines leaving the list without definite trend. Some early offerings were said to represent liquidation by discouraged holders. Bonds traded in scattered interest and 121 and 119% other industrials displaying similar indecision. Relative firmness of a few specialties enlisted no outside interest. Rallies at close suggested short coverings. Gulf and West Indies were more marked in the afternoon and prices manifested greater irregularity. Equipments and motors fell away on small dealings and utilities yielded 1 to 2 points. The general bond list also showed heaviness.

BLUEJACKETS PATRONS OF FRENCH SISTERS

Find Laundry Work Performed in France the Best in the World.

Base American Flotillas, British Waters, June 27. (Correspondence.)—Cloister nuns in a home for Sisters of the Good Shepherd, near the base from which the American flotillas are operating against German submarines, have been doing a thriving laundry business among the bluejackets. Through the intercession of two of their devoted women friends with the American consul and Vice-Admiral Sims, the nuns obtained permission to receive any work the American naval men were willing to turn over to them. When the Jack tars learned that this was virtually the only means of support the secluded women had, they at once showed an eagerness to aid. As a result, there has been a growing laundry list each week.

Although the nuns have been devoting many hours daily to this work, they never see the young Americans who have been so generous in their patronage. The laundry is sent to the convent in motor launches from the American destroyers as they return from patrol duty. The bluejackets declare the work is such as to make the modern American laundryman envious and at prices considerably lower than on the other side of the Atlantic.

The work the nuns are doing is, of course, only a small part of the fleet's washday output. The great bulk of it is done on board the supply or mother ship in an electrically operated laundry which is said to be the most complete ever seen in this part of the world. Prices charged the men are less than half of those charged by American laundries. Collars are 1 cent each, socks, per pair, 1 cent; negligee shirts, 5 cents, and towels 5 mills. Ninety per cent of the receipts are divided among the laundrymen, while the remaining 10 per cent covers the losses and cost of soap supplies. One of the features of the ship's laundry is a miniature soap factory.

MUSIC HATH CHARMS FOR THIS MOTORMAN

Chicago.—If you want a musical treat, take a ride on the Wilson avenue elevated express operated by Motorman James C. Darby, when you are in Chicago.

Darby, while an engineer on the Rock Island, discovered that the harsh "whoosh" of an airbrake could be converted into a concord of sweet sounds by the application of the index finger over the exhaust. He found the shrillness of the notes could be regulated by the pressure.

The airbrake virtuoso plays records which, in his mind, fit localities his train passes through.

When he whizzes by the stockyards, the airbrake aria renders "Where the Balm Breezes Blow." At Thirty-first street his passengers are entertained by "Walking the Dog."

As the car nears Madison street, Darby grins and grinds out "In the Heart of the City." Swerving onto Sheridan road near the shore of Lake Michigan, the tune is changed to "What Are the Wild Waves Saying," and at Addison street, near the White Sox park, one hears "Take Me Out to the Ball Game."

On the last run, as Englewood is reached, the Westinghouse jazz tenderly plays "The End of a Perfect Day." Then Darby folds up his lunch box and goes home.

BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
 At New York—R. H. E.
 Chicago..... 19 10 0
 New York..... 1 7 0
 Batteries—Cioetto and Shalk; Morigdo and Nunamaker.

WISE GUY.
 "Why do you always ask Stinger to lend you \$5 every time you meet him?" asked Binks. "You know that he is always broke." "I do it to keep him from asking me," replied Jinks.

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FEW TRADES, BUT STOCKS ARE FIRM

Steels Show Fractional Gains and Specialties Good Advances.

Although trading in the stock market today was a bit dull, prices held firm and the specialists, notably Industrial Alcohol, showed substantial gains. United States Steel, the leader, sold up to 121 from an opening of 120 1/4 and junior steels made similar fractional gains. Coppers were strong, but not in great demand. There was little activity in the railroad group. Total sales were under a half million shares.

Anaconda opened today at 75 1/2, was high at 76 1/2 and low at the close, 75 3/4. Butte and Superior was quoted at 36 1/4, North Butte at 47 1/2, East Butte at 11 1/2, Davis-Daly 5 and Tuolumne at 11-16.

The Hutton stock letter, received over wires of the Heilbronner company today says: "There are strong indications that congress and big banking interests are not altogether satisfied with the powers being exerted by the holding of the treasury. The situation in the shipping board by making an entire change may prove salutary for others who put their private opinions before public. Fluctuations are infinitesimal and the news which really counts is that published in the morning and afternoon papers, for it comes from Washington."

Stock opinions received over wires of the Lauzier-Wolcott company say in part:
 Goodbody & Co.: "Still hold to the opinion that most coppers are worth their present prices for a long hold."
 Clark, Childs & Co.: "For explanation of continued apathy of the public toward securities market one has only to consider the Russian situation."

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, July 25.—Closing quotations on the stock exchange today follow:

Alaska Gold	5
American Beet Sugar	91
American Can	48
American Car and Foundry	75 1/2
American Locomotive	71 1/2
American Smelting and Refining	101 1/4
American Sugar Refining	129 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	119 1/4
American Zinc, Lead and Sn.	24 1/2
Anaconda Copper	75 1/2
Atlantic, Gulf & W. I.	11 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	71
Baltimore & Ohio	69 1/2
Bathlehem Steel	125 1/4
Butte & Superior Copper	36 1/4
California Petroleum	109 1/4
Canadian Pacific (bid)	159 1/4
Central Leather	86 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	59 1/2
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	69 1/4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. Cfs (bid)	49 1/2
Chino Copper	53 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	48 1/2
Corn Products	35
Cruible Steel	89 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	89 1/2
Erie	24 1/2
General Electric	154 1/2
General Motors	113 1/2
Great Northern Preferred	104 1/2
Great Northern Ore Cfs	19 1/2
Illinois Central	102
Inspiration Copper	54 1/2
Inter. Merc. Mar. preferred	88 1/2
Kansas City Southern (bid)	40 1/2
Kennecott Copper	42 1/2
Lehigh Valley	62 1/2
Louisville & Nashville (bid)	122 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	94 1/2
Missouri Copper	32 1/2
Missouri Pacific	32 1/2
Montana Power	90
New York Central	88 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford	36 1/2
Norfolk Southern (bid)	40 1/2
Pacific Mail	26
Pennsylvania	53 1/2
Ohio Gas	58 1/2
Ray Con. Copper	26 1/2
Reading Preferred	105 1/2
Republic Iron & Steel	90 1/2
Southern Pacific	93 1/2
Southern Railway	26 1/2
Studebaker Co.	54 1/2
Texas Co.	190 1/2
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	160
United States Steel	121
U. S. preferred	117 1/2
Utah Copper	40
Wabash preferred "B" (bid)	26 1/2
Western Union	92 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	49 1/2

MONEY MARKET.

New York, July 25.—Mercantile paper, 4 1/2 per cent.
 Sterling—60-day bills, 4 1/2; commercial 60-day bills on banks, 4 1/4; commercial 60-day bills, 4 1/4; demand, 4 1/4-1/2; cables, 4 1/4-1/2.
 France—Demand, 5 1/4-1/2; cables, 5 1/4-1/2.
 Gold—Demand, 41 1/2-1/4; cables, 41 1/2.
 Silver—Demand, 21.20; cables, 21.30.
 Mexican dollars—61 1/2.
 Government bonds—Steady.
 Railroad bonds—Heavy.
 Time loans—Market easy; 60 days, 4 1/2 per cent; 90 days, 4 1/4 per cent; 6 months, 4 1/4 per cent.
 Call money—Market steady. High, 3 per cent; low, 2 per cent; ruling rate, 2 1/2 per cent; last loan, 2 1/2 per cent; closing bid, 2 per cent; offered, 2 per cent.

RUSSIAN ARMIES RETREATING NOW TO FORMER LINE

Petrograd Believes Reorganization Will Minimize Disaster.

THE WAR SUMMARY.
 Russia's shaken armies in Galicia are still in a retreat which bids fair not to end until they reach approximately the line occupied by them last year before General Brusiloff began his big offensive. Despite this extensive retrograde movement, covering virtually all the front between the north Galician border and the Carpathian foothills, the tone of both official and unofficial dispatches from Petrograd shows confidence that the disorganization in the army will be adequately dealt with and a firm front again presented to the enemy.

For one thing the Germans by their own admission have not the men to spare to start a sustained offensive on a large scale on the eastern front. The British and the French are keeping them too busy and they are too apprehensive of some extra forceful stroke in the west to transfer any great number of troops from the Franco-Belgian war area.

For another, the Russians have big reserves of men and Premier Kerensky, with the vast powers now in his hands, will find it possible, it is believed, to weed out the dilatory elements rapidly from the front ranks and replace them with the hosts of dependable troops Russia still possesses.

The inherent strength of the entente positions in the west has just received a fresh illustration on the Alsne front.

Here the French have just emerged victorious in a long drawn out struggle with the Germans for possession of the important high ground in the Craonne region.

Yesterday's brilliant attack gave General Petain's troops renewed possession, in almost complete measure, of the slight area gained by the crown prince in his costly series of attacks. The French even pushed beyond their old line at some points.

This morning came the test of the German reaction. It was directed against the positions recaptured by the French on the Craonne plateau. Although delivered after a violent bombardment, it was entirely futile, the French retaining the rewon ground and consolidating their gains.

KAISER WATCHES ATTACK.

Berlin (via London), July 25.—The advance of the Austro-German forces in eastern Galicia continues uninterrupted, the war office announces. Tarnopol has been captured and the Germans are nearing Buczacz.

STRIKING PANORAMA OF RUSSIAN ROUT

Copenhagen, July 25.—A semi-official German report describes as a striking panorama the retreat of the Russian armies in Galicia. Retiring columns stretching to the horizon plainly to be observed from numerous vantage points. The retreat occasionally deteriorates into a full rout, particularly under the influence of the Austro-German field guns which are abreast the infantry vanguards and dash forward to a hilltop from where they pour a demoralizing fire into the masses crowded in the roads.

Additional quantities of munitions, provisions and six heavy guns were captured. Another report says that airplanes heavily bombed the station at Monasterzyzna and the road for the Russian troops south of the point from which regular communication has been severed.

TRAITORS ARE TO BE SEVERELY DEALT WITH

Petrograd, July 25.—The present line of the southwestern forces is approximately that occupied after General Brusiloff's drive last summer, except before Tarnopol, where the enemy succeeded in pushing further into Russian territory. The fate of the latter town was virtually decided with the Germans holding the suburb just across the Sereth river, within easy gun range.

The Germans chose the junction point of the seventh and eleventh armies for beginning their offensive, the former blow being struck between Zhoroff and Pabeko on a 20-mile front. Without great effort, as is admitted in the Russian official communications, they pursued their advance to the line of the Sereth. This uncovering of the Russian positions south of Tarnopol forced a retirement all along the diagonal line southwestward, cutting the Sereth and Zlota Lipa to Halex, and the Lomna.

The Russians have been obliged to retire to the right bank of the latter river and the Halex is seriously threatened, with a prospect of a further retirement to the original Russian positions east of Stanislaw, occupied before General Brusiloff's advance.

One of the first results has been a general agitation for the restoration of the death penalty for insubordination in the army and for treasonable conduct on the part of agitators. General Kornloff, commander of the southwest front, has issued orders to all subordinate commanders to open fire on deserters and troops refusing to obey orders. Premier Kerensky has sanctioned the effort to restore discipline. Many Maximilists to whose

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WOMAN'S BATTALION ON FIGHTING FRONT
 Petrograd, July 25.—The Russian women's battalion, raised by the twice wounded girl officer, Vera Butchkeroff, was in action on the front at Krevo yesterday for the first time. They are reported to have been successful, although the battalion suffered some losses, the extent of which is not yet known. The Novos Vremya correspondent at the front reports that the women behaved in an exemplary way, gaining the respect of the men soldiers.

"The Command of Death" is the official title of the battalion raised by Mademoiselle Butchkeroff. It recently left for the front after a review by M. Kerensky. Most of the recruits are from the higher educational academies or secondary schools, with a few peasants, factory girls and servants. Some married women were accepted, but none who had children. Most of them are between 18 and 25 years old, of good physique. They wear their hair short or have their heads entirely shaved. The girls carry the cavalry carbine, which is five pounds lighter than the regular army rifle. They were drilled under the instruction of male sergeants of the Kolynsky regiment.

BOMBARDMENT HEAVY.
 Berlin, July 25 (via London).—Continuation of exceptionally violent artillery fighting in Flanders is reported in today's official account of operations on the western front.

GERMANS ARE REPULSED.
 Paris, July 25.—The Germans attacked this morning on the Alsne front, at the Craonne plateau, in an effort to recapture the positions from which they were driven out yesterday. The war office announces that the attack was repulsed. The French are consolidating their new positions.

PERSHING AT THE FRONT.
 Paris, July 25.—General Pershing, accompanied by General Joffre, yesterday visited the French front and reviewed incidentally one of the most famous battalions of French chasseurs which figured in the July 14 review in Paris. General Pershing expressed high admiration of the dash and smartness of the men.

RAZVOSOFF NAMED.
 Petrograd, July 25.—Rear Admiral Razvosoff has been appointed commander-in-chief of all the Russian naval forces in the Baltic.

SUB SINKS SUB.
 Berlin, July 25 (via London).—The British submarine C-34 has been sunk by a submarine. It was officially announced today. The sole survivor was taken prisoner.

BRITISH SHIP LOST.
 London, July 25.—The British merchant cruiser Otway was torpedoed and sunk in northern waters on July 22. Ten men were killed. The remainder on board were saved. This announcement was made officially.

ON THE FRENCH FRONT.
 On French Front, Tuesday, July 24.—The furious attack of the Germans along the Chemin Des Dames sector on the Alsne front has brought them nothing but death and the failure of all their plans to obtain possession of the ridge and the observation places.

At daybreak today the French launched a counter attack with such vigor that they turned the Germans out of the few hundred yards of trenches they had succeeded in occupying in the first onset, and sent them rushing back to their old lines. The famous 152d regiment led the attack.

The Craonne plateau was the scene of the most furious fighting. The Germans, who had gained a footing there, were driven out everywhere except at one small point, which is not of much importance.

On the Casemates plateau the result was similar. At almost every point the French compelled the retirement of the Germans. Subsequently the Germans tried once more, but in vain, to drive out the French. The artillery tonight is as work most heavily. The front line is as light as day from flashes of the shells.

BROUGHT TO STANDSTILL.
 Berlin, July 25 (via London).—Russian troops, taking the offensive south

FOEY!
 "She says her husband ought to I speak for Mrs. Hawking; Though walking makes her breath, It's different with talking."

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