

ADMIRAL SIMS SEEN AS MAN WHO WILL "GET" THE U-BOATS



VICE ADMIRAL Wm. S. SIMS

"If there is a solution to this submarine problem, Sims will find it." This remark, made by an American naval officer when Vice Admiral William S. Sims had been in charge of the American fleet in European waters is echoed by entente admiralties who have placed him in charge of the allied naval forces in the Irish sea.

pointment of John Paul Jones as an admiral in the Russian navy, which is its only parallel. And Sims is equal to the job. His early naval career was an incessant fight against moss-covered naval tradition and fossilisms which had endured since the old frigate days.

ing unit of the navy. (3) Changes in the war college and naval maneuvers to get best ultimate results. Failing in his first examinations to enter the naval academy, Sims, then 17, secured another chance, "boned" for a month, took the examinations and passed them. He was graduated from the academy in 1880.

ideas for efficient gunnery. His letters were filed, many unopened. For his pains he was relegated to Paris as naval attaché at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war.

Even as rear admiral, Sims would not be kept down. At a banquet in London in 1910 he bluntly declared that "America would give its last drop of blood and its last cent to aid England" if that country were threatened.

British officers asked when he would be ready to join the blockading fleet. "We are ready to start at once," said Sims.

STRIKE GUARD SHOTS WHEN CALLED "SCAB"

Motorcycle police officers were holding themselves ready Wednesday to answer riot calls expected to develop in the express wagon drivers' strike situation, following the wounding of two men by an armed guard Tuesday afternoon.

toward the pavement. Bullet Glances. Cox explained that personal animosity toward Nash was the reason for his attack.

The bullet, which penetrated Cox's leg, glanced from the pavement and grazed the hip of Kallor, who was a bystander.

WOMEN HAVE UNTIL 9 P. M. TO REGISTER. Seattle women have until 9 p. m. Wednesday to register under the Herbert Hoover food conservation plan.

FILE GRAVE CHARGE. J. E. Bertrand, 414 Howard ave. N., Tuesday afternoon was charged with manslaughter in Justice Gordon's court.

DRAFT TO BEGIN WITHIN SHORT TIME, REPORT

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RUSSIA IN THROES OF "HOME-RULE" ROW

BY WM. G. SHEPHERD. United Press Staff Correspondent. PETROGRAD, July 18.—Russia is in the throes of a "home rule fight," which today has assumed importance second only to the war.

out the agreement they had signed. There was an immediate storm in the meeting. The cabinet members refused to ratify the pledges.

FAMOUS AMERICAN FLIERS IN FRENCH ARMY TO JOIN U. S.

BY W. S. FORREST. United Press Staff Correspondent. PARIS, July 18.—Within a fortnight the LaFayette Escadrille, France's fighting American airmen, will be formally transferred to the American army.

disorganized but its personnel retained, except for displacement of the French commanding officers. Lieut. Wm. Thaw, of Pittsburgh, of the French army, will become Major Thaw, U. S. A., and "pursuit squadron commander" of the unit.

GERMANS FAIL IN COUNTER ATTACK

PARIS, July 18.—Repeated and violent attacks by the enemy in fruitless attempts to recapture ground gained in yesterday's French drive around Verdun, was reported in today's official statement.

The Germans bombarded Verdun violently and thrust the night sent their attacking waves against the new line held by Gen. Petain's men. The enemy lost heavily and gained nothing.

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TWO DIE AFTER AUTO ACCIDENTS

Automobile accidents Tuesday resulted in the death of Florence Ahrmenius, 10, and John Jorgenson, 20, and in serious injury to Frank Ferlan, who is in Providence hospital with a dislocated shoulder.

By United Press Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18.—In 1916, there were 1,067,322 more motor cars registered in the United States than in 1915, an increase of 43 per cent.

Suffragets Are Not Gay Wearing the Prison Gray

By United Press Leased Wire. OCCOQUAN, Va., July 18.—Garbed in prison gray and guarded by armed men in uniform, Washington's 16 would-be White House picketers began the first of their 60-day term here, sewing buttons on shirts for more men prisoners.

Some of the 16 prisoners, who have babies, may succumb to the home call and permit their fines to be paid before the 60-day sentence expires, it was hinted today. The others will stay in prison.

NAVAL MILITIAMEN MOBILIZE AUGUST 1

Commander Miller Freeman, of the Washington naval militia, has received orders to mobilize the five divisions of the organization at the new training station at the University of Washington, August 1.

Prizes were awarded by comparison of lists sent in with the following correct compilation by W. P. Williams, Public Accountant:

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Peoples Savings Bank	117
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