MORE OF 36TH DIVISION BACK

111th Ammunition Troops Train and 142nd Infantry Are Homecomers.

New York, May 31.—With 1997 troops, the steamship Louisville arrived here today from Brest. Units included company D, three officers and 115 men of the 111th ammunition train, 36th division, for Camp Bowie, 32nd, 36th, 84th, 106th and 112th aero squadron and casuals.

The Louisville carried also 45 wives and 115 children of soldiers; one officer and 547 men of the navy and 32 wives and three children of sailors, and a few nurses and civilians.

The cruiser Pueblo, also from Brest, carried 1799 troops of the 142nd infantry, 36th division. Detachments of officers of companies G, I, K, L and M, and a detachment of officers and men of company F were not with the regiment.

Notice T. P. B.

You are requested to attend the regular meeting on Monday evening, June 3, at 8 o'clock at K. P. hall, Lanier Bldg. Elections of officers. Please be present.

Kate Murtle, Pres.
Rosalie M. Ashley, Treas.—Adv.

Day Paramount, $1.50; $2 June 5.—Adv.

32 U. S. Divisions Soon Will Have Returned Home

A. E. F. Cut to 7 Divisions By Combatant and Skeletonized Units' Return.

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Twenty-five combatant and seven skeletonized divisions will have been returned home when the movement of the 91st and 90th divisions, now in progress, has been completed. In announcing this today, Gen. March, chief of staff said the expeditionary forces now are virtually reduced to the seven regular divisions, four of which have been released for early return.

Demobilization of the army, Gen. March said, has returned 2,276,199 officers and men to civil life.

340TH ARTILLERYMEN ARE DUE HERE LATE NEXT WEEK

The 828 soldiers from overseas who will leave Camp Upton, N. Y., Sunday are from the old 140th field artillery (Arizona and New Mexico) which was changed to a machine gun battalion. It is reported here. These men will arrive at Fort Bliss for demobilization next Friday or Saturday.

Eighty two men from the 143d casual detachment, who left Camp Merritt, N. J., Wednesday for Fort Bliss, will arrive here Sunday afternoon or Monday morning, as will also three officers and 167 men of the 343d and 344th infantry who left Camp Upton a few days ago.

ALLIES STOP GERMAN NOTES AS FOE RENEWS REFUSAL TO SIGN

Teutons Notified Period of Delay for Comment Has Expired; Can Be No Modification of Terms, Thus No Need for Further Talk; Germans Claim Full Treaty Suppressed in Entente Lands; Plenary Session.

PARIS, France, May 31.—(By the Associated Press.)—The greater part of the objections raised in the German counter proposals have, in the opinion of French diplomatic and political circles, already been set forth in separate German notes and duly answered by the allies. Consequently, it is said, there can be no modification of the peace terms and there is no necessity for verbal discussions in which the Berlin government desires to involve the allied powers.

The German peace delegation has been notified that the period of delay for presenting observations having expired, no further notes will be accepted.

The German counter proposals were accompanied by a covering letter of 16 typewritten pages. The letter apparently is the work of count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, as it is more conciliatory and adroit than the counter proposals, which were elaborated by the Berlin government. The letter paints a most gloomy picture of the fate to which the peace terms condemn Germany. It refers to the sacred character of treaties, disavows the treaty made with Russia at Brest-Litovsk and concludes with the following phrase.

Says Foe People Must Assent.

"We shall only undertake those obligations which we are sure of keeping, because it is the German people, who in the last resort will give its assent to the treaty."

The secret plenary session of the peace conference to hear the peace terms to be submitted to the Austrian delegation met at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Indications are that the presentation of the peace terms to the Austrian delegation will be postponed beyond Monday, when it had been expected they would be handed over. The plenary session of the peace conference this afternoon was to decide the question.

While awaiting the convening of the plenary session of the peace conference, met for 2 o'clock this afternoon, for reading of the peace treaty to be presented to Austria, president Wilson filled a number of engagements to receive individuals.

Jugo-Slavs Stand Firm.

The council of four held no meeting this morning. Meanwhile the Jugo-Slav delegation conferred with the American delegation. The conference was over the Adriatic question. No decision was reached, the Jugo-Slavs standing firmly for their claims. It is understood that they are less disposed than the Italians at present, to give ground in the controversy.

President Wilson joined the other members of the American delegation at the Hotel de Crillon at 2:45 o'clock. The American conference discussed phases of the German peace terms, as well as the Adriatic and other pending problems.

Premier Clemenceau, as president of the peace conference, today replied to the last two German notes. The official statements on the replies have not yet been issued.

The allied and associated powers, the Paris newspapers declare unanimously, says a Havas summary, will accept no important modification of the peace terms as a result of the German counter proposals. The allies also will reject all verbal discussion.

The Echo de Paris says that the answer of the peace conference to the German counter proposal will be very short. The answer will reject almost entirely all the German suggestions, the Excelsior says. A few points on the detail of territorial clauses, it adds, may receive some retouching.

German Rejection Restated.

Berlin, Germany, May 31.—(By the Associated Press.)—The German foreign office has reiterated categorically and emphatically a statement made on behalf of the cabinet on May 29 that Germany declines to sign the terms laid down before it.

In the meantime, the statement, which was given originally to the Associated Press, has been circulated throughout Germany by the official Wolff bureau with credit to the Associated Press.

The original statement was translated from the German into English after the German version had been the subject of a long debate at the foreign office. It was then sent from the foreign office to the correspondent by special messenger.

English Version Submitted.

The English version was then submitted to the foreign office for approval. It was stamped by an official with a fluent knowledge of English. It has been indicated that the preamble to the German counter proposals contained many phrases similar to those of the statement of May 29.

German newspapers are commenting more and more upon the alleged fact that the full peace terms have not as yet been published in any entente country, saying that, on the contrary, the German league of nations union has issued the complete text in French, German and English, and is giving its widest circulation.

The newspapers declare the publication of the treaty text is especially curtailed in France where the German replies and answering notes are also said to have been suppressed.

It is claimed these methods deprive the entente peoples of the opportunity to judge of the aptness and justice of the German counter claims.

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Board Of Honor Students Who Died In Service

Names Will Be Inscribed On Pillars Of The High School Building.

The names of the six El Paso high school students who lost their lives in the world war will be inscribed on the pillars of the high school building. The school board Friday night ordered the inscription.

The names of the dead boys are A. R. Seamon, James Mears, Clifford Anderson, Paul Mclaren, Raymond Campbell and Charles Dickenson.

The greater part of the session of the trustees was taken up in discussing a budget, submitted by De Witt A. Bandeen, tax specialist of the chamber of commerce, and the report of recommendations relative to the teachers who will be needed next year and a schedule of salaries submitted by Supt. R. J. Tighe. It was announced, however, that most of the present teaching force of the schools would be reelected.

The opening of summer grade schools at Alta Vista and Bailey schools and school for the high school students at the high building was authorized by the board.

A vote of thanks was given mayor Charles Davis and the city council, the electric railway company and the Parent-Teachers' association for the aid given in ensuring the building of a street car line to the high school building.

All members of the board were present except Crawford Harris, who was absent in Arizona on business. He will return some time next week.

Gen. March, Giving Front Held By Allies, Slights Italians; Unintentional

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Attention of the war department has been called by the Italian embassy to the omission of any reference to Italian forces in a recent official announcement regarding the length of front held by the American and the allied armies in France last November. Gen. March explained today the omission was unintentional. Italian troops, he said, were holding 24 kilometers, or 2 1-2 percent of the western front.

INDIAN FANTASY ON CONCERT PROGRAM OF FIFTH CAVALRY

The Fifth cavalry band will play the following program at 8 o'clock Sunday evening at Fort Bliss:

March, "Fellowship" (Klehr).
Overture, "The Tambour of the Guard" (Titl).
Mexican gypsy dance, "Imosetta" (Barnard).
Spanish fandango, "Los Novios" (Schwartz).
Excerpts from the grand opera, "Aida" (Verdi).
Characteristic, "Parade of the Tin Soldiers" (Jessel).
Descriptive American and Indian fantasy, "The Death of Custer; or, The Battle of Little Big Horn" (Lee Johnson). Synopsis: (1) Sioux Indian war dance, night before the battle; (2) Bugle calls in Custer's camp. Before forming the line of march; (3) Custer's cavalry on march to Sioux' camp, sound of horses' hoofs; (4) Approach of cavalry, with band playing national airs, the Indians responding with their customary war music; (5) Battle of Little Big Horn June 25, 1876, in which Custer lost his life; (6) Indians rejoicing over the victory with scalp dance; (7) Arrival of reinforcements, Gen. Benting and cavalry; (8) Custer's burial, volley of shots, muffled drums and bugle sounding the last call over the general's grave.
Finale, "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

Henry Fleck, assistant bandmaster, will direct the band.

320,000 TROOPS RETURN THIS MONTH, ESTIMATED

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Secretary Baker in a letter today to secretary Daniels, thanking the navy for the expeditious conversion of eight German liners into transports, estimated the homeward movement of troops this month at 320,000 men, a new high record.

89 SHIPS BRING 280,000 SOLDIERS DURING MONTH

New York, May 31.—Of the 320,000 troops brought home from overseas this month, vessels operated by the cruiser and transport force of the navy carried more than 280,000, it was announced here today at the office of vice admiral Gleaves.

This represents the work of 89 ships, former German liners, converted battleships and cruisers fitted as transports. Several of the ships, including the Leviathan and Great Northern, made two round trips during the month.

200,000 YANKS OVERSEAS IN SEPTEMBER, ESTIMATE

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Estimates sent to congress by the war department provide for maintaining 889,000 men in France and Germany in July, 400,000 in August and 200,000 in September. Maj. McKay, of the army bureau of finance, told the house military committee that should an army of occupation be needed after October 1 congress would be asked for additional funds.

WAR DEPARTMENT'S WORD NOT SUFFICIENT—HOBBY

Austin, Tex., May 31.—Gov. W. P. Hobby must be satisfied personally that ample protection will be afforded Americans and their property in Mexico before he will give definite approval to the plan to send Mexican troops through Texas, the chief executive emphasized Friday.

In an exchange of telegrams with the state department at Washington the governor pointed out that mere assurances from the department that protective measures will be taken will not be sufficient, but that permission for the Mexicans to enter Texas will be withheld "pending definite advice from the department as to the precautions taken."

MORE EL PASOANS REACH PORT ON RETURN HOME

Hoboken, N. J., May 31.—El Paso soldier arrivals follow:

The 24th aero squadron, master electrician William L. Follett, wife, Lillian Follett, 418 Upson avenue.

The 644th aero squadron, private John T. Heath, brother, Eugene Heath, City National bank.

Company M, 120th infantry, corporal David M. Ortegon, wife, Lena Ortegon, 408 South Virginia street.

Casual Company No. 4421, corporal Lagrar Allison, wife, Eunice Allison, 2413 Biles street.

MAY EXTEND WAR CAMP WORK IN BIG BEND

Ralph E. Souers, district representative of the war camp community service, left Friday afternoon for Corpus Christi, whence he will visit the branches of the organization in that portion of the district. The latter part of next week, Ralph C. Lane, local executive secretary of the organization, will join Mr. Souers in a trip over the Big Bend district to consider the advisability of extending the service through that section.

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90TH DIVISION TROOPS ON WAY

Gen. C. H. Martin, Commander of Division, Is Mongolia Passenger.

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Transport expected arrivals announced today include:

Wilhelmina, Newport News, June 9; headquarters 179th infantry brigade; 359th infantry, less companies E, F, G; two casual companies and two convalescent detachments. Brig. Gen. Joseph P. O'Neill, commanding 179th brigade, is on board.

Includes Men of 90th.

Mongolia, Boston, June 7; headquarters 90th division and headquarters 180th infantry brigade; 358th and 360th infantry regiments, practically complete; mobile laundry unit 354; mobile bath unit 11 and 11 casual officers, including Maj. Gen. Chas. H. Martin, commanding 90th division, and Brig. Gen. Ulysses G. McAlexander, commanding 179th brigade.

Lockenbach Due June 8.

Edgar Lockenbach, Boston, June 9; detachments of motor and horse battalions; medical and ordnance detachments, companies A to G, 21st ammunition train; third battalion headquarters; medical detachment; companies I, K, L, and M, 354th infantry headquarters company, ordnance and medical detachments, companies A to D, 344th machine gun battalion; medical ordnance detachments and veterinary field unit, 215th train headquarters.

WARNS SOLDIERS AGAINST SPURIOUS "VICTORY RIBBON"

Washington, D. C., May 31.—Gen. March today warned discharged soldiers against procuring spurious "Victory ribbons," which are being offered for sale by many stores. Adequate supplies of the official ribbon have been ordered by the department and will be distributed as soon as received.

OFFICERS GO TO RIFLE SHOOT.

The officers stationed at Fort Bliss who have been designated to participate in the cavalry rifle shoot at Camp Dodge, Iowa, left for that post Saturday morning. They will compete for positions on the cavalry team in the national rifle shoot to be held some time this summer.

CAVALRY EXCHANGE POST.

Troops E, B and G of the Seventh cavalry have been designated to relieve the three troops of this regiment now on border patrol. The exchange of posts will be made next Wednesday.

CAPTAIN TO BE DISCHARGED.

Capt. Charles H. Moureau of the 29th infantry has been notified his discharge will be granted Sunday.

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begin at 7:45 p. m., and will be as follows:

March, Bersaglieri, Ellenberg.
Overture, William Tell, Rossini.
Cornet solo, The Sunshine of Your Smile, Ray.
Soloist, assistant band leader F. Newmeister.
Grand selection, from Verdi's opera, Macbeth.
Arrangement by Tobani.
Waltz, the Dollar Princess, Lumsdeen.
Remick's Hits, Lampe.
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Hebe Milk, Tall	11 1-2c	Bulk Coffee, lb.	35c
No. 3 Can Tomatoes	15c	Mixed Tea, lb.	50c
No. 2 Can Tomatoes	12c	Bulk Chocolate, lb.	40c
No. 1 Can Tomatoes	10c	1 doz. Barbers' Matches	35c
Extra Large Olives, pt.	30c	6 Bars Laundry Soap	25c
Swift Premium Ham, lb.	43 1-2c	Premium Bacon	60c

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