

NOTE WILL BE FORWARDED WHEN READY

PRESIDENT WILL NOT DELAY NOTE WHEN DOCUMENT COMPLETED

MINOR CHANGES HAVE BEEN MADE

Legal Authorities Suggest Alterations Which Require Further Consideration.

Washington, June 7.—President Wilson let it be known today that the note the United States will send to Germany with respect to submarine warfare had been prepared with the utmost expedition and had not been subjected to an hour's unnecessary delay since it was first drafted. The president's desire to have the document state explicitly the position of the United States so that it cannot possibly be misunderstood abroad or invite protracted discussion is chiefly responsible for the fact that the note has not gone yet.

Legal officers of the government examined the note today and sent it to President Wilson with some changes which may require further consideration by the president and cabinet tomorrow. High officials did not know tonight just when it would be cabled to Ambassador Gerard. It was stated in the highest authority that as soon as the president regarded the communication satisfactory in phraseology, it would be transmitted.

Questions of such serious import are involved that the president is anxious that the communication not only shall meet his own wishes, but shall be unimpeachable from the point of view of international law experts.

Special government agents corroborated every detail of the statement of the first American note that the Lusitania unarmed.

Washington, June 7.—The United States' note to Germany concerning the Lusitania disaster was virtually ready for transmission to Berlin today. The president worked late last night completing the note's phraseology.

The note is said to be a vigorous reiteration of previous demands that Germany exercise the right of visit and search before attacking unarmed merchantmen. The note has been delayed to enable the president to phrase it that there could not be room for doubt or further argument concerning United States' attitude.

It will probably be cabled to Ambassador Gerard tonight or early tomorrow at the earliest.

The German ambassador, who is going to the summer embassy at Cedarhurst, Long Island, confided optimistic. He believes his conference with President Wilson resulted in passing crises over the Lusitania incident.

Secretary Bryan conferred with President Wilson at noon today. It is understood they have gone over the final draft of the note to Germany with him. After leaving the president, Bryan refused to say whether the president had given him the note for transmission to Berlin or to discuss the subject in any way.

Washington, June 7.—Ambassador Gerard reported today that the German admiralty as yet had no report on the recent torpedoing of the American steamship Nebraska, but was investigating.

TWO KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Central of Georgia's Passenger Train Crashes Into Machine. Dead Socially Prominent.

Macon, June 7.—Miss Alice Wrigley was instantly killed and Miss Mary Pearson was injured, dying later, near Macon this afternoon, when a Central of Georgia passenger train struck the automobile in which they were riding. Both were prominent socially.

Three Germans Arrested.

Copenhagen, June 7.—Three Germans who described themselves as C. Gumprecht and T. Hausoff of New York and H. Haak of Copenhagen, were arrested today at Slesby, Denmark. They are reported to have been concerned in a plan to effect the escape of the interned German officers of the two Zeppelins wrecked last February off the Danish coast.

EVIDENCE OF CHEATING AT ANNAPOLIS

EXAMINATION PAPERS FOR FOUR CLASSES APPARENTLY STOLEN

EVIDENCE POINTS TO JAMES MOSS

Friends of Third Classman Distributed Information—Inquiry to Be Rigid

Annapolis, June 7.—The investigation of charges of irregularities in the naval academy examinations will be far-reaching, probably lasting ten days, it developed today at the first session of the court of inquiry appointed by the secretary of the navy. Reading the record of testimony taken before the board of investigation appointed by Rear Admiral Fulam, superintendent of the academy, occupied the court most of the day. Testimony read from the record showed that examination papers for the first, second, third and fourth classes in Spanish, to all appearances, were stolen.

That later there was general dissemination from the hands of friends of James Moss, a third classman, of information for all these classes.

KING CONSTANTINE'S CONDITION NORMAL

Washington, June 7.—The Greek legation tonight said a cablegram from Athens tonight saying King Constantine's temperature had virtually been reduced to normal. This is accepted to indicate that the crisis has probably passed.

OPPOSE FIGHT ON DEMOCRATS

SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION DEPLORES ATTACKS ON CONGRESSIONAL UNION

WORKS HARM TO SUFFRAGE CAUSE

Declares Union Has Failed to Benefit Cause in Suffrage States

Chicago, June 7.—The National Woman's Suffrage Association conference today went on record as opposed to attacks on the Democratic party by the Congressional Union. The resolution declared that the union had failed to benefit in suffrage states and has worked harm in states where women are still seeking the ballot.

Originally the union was a part of the association but the association no longer recognizes it, except as an organization, whose so-called militant activities are regarded by the association as inimical to the best interests of the equal suffrage cause.

Chicago, June 7.—Plans for vigorous campaigns to procure national suffrage were sketched at the mid-year conference of the National Woman's Suffrage association which opened here today. Leaders of district organizations of 41 states were urged to use all their influence on congressmen from their districts to vote for suffrage amendments at next congress.

The Susan B. Anthony amendment, which has gone to every session of congress in 41 years, will be introduced when congress convenes again, according to Dr. Anna Howard Shaw of New York, president of the national association. It provides that no state shall disfranchise its citizens because of sex.

SERBIANS CONTINUE ADVANCE ON ALBANIA

Rome, June 7.—The Serbians continue to advance in Albania from two directions. They are only two days march from Scutaria, according to a news dispatch from there. Advances met little opposition.

Albanian and Musselman troops are reported to have abandoned Scutaria days ago.

Most Recent Photo of the Pope



This is the best and most recent photograph of Pope Benedict XV. It shows him just as he appeared a few weeks before he gave an audience to Bishop Thomas F. Kennedy and a number of American priests. At that time he told them he hoped the United States would use her best efforts to end the European war. The audience was one of the very few granted since Italy entered the war.

The photograph was taken shortly before Italy declared war on Austria. It has been reported that the pope will leave Rome should the war become serious, and ecclesiastics of Spain have invited him to take up his residence there. There have even been suggestions that he move to England.

The photograph was made by Nicolai Perschid, who was sent to Rome for the purpose by Dr. Hartmann, the Archbishop of Cologne, in Germany. The photographer had considerable difficulty in getting his camera into Italy on account of the strained relations between Germany and Italy. Only on the intervention of Count von Reulow, the German ambassador to Italy, did he succeed.

STATE OF ANARCHY PREVAILS AT TRIESTE

Advices Say Mobs Have Been Sacking Buildings For Past Three Days—Italians Active

Udine, Italy, June 7.—Information has reached here that grave disorders have occurred in Trieste. It is stated that buildings have been sacked and that for three days anarchy has prevailed.

ST. AUGUSTINE ADOPTS COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

St. Augustine, Fla., June 7.—The commission manager form of government for St. Augustine was adopted at an election today by a majority of eighteen out of a total vote of 212.

GERMANS ARE CLOSING IN ON LEMBERG

AN ENCIRCLING MOVEMENT SAME AS THAT CARRIED OUT AT PRZEMYSL

HEAVY FIGHTING NORTH OF ARRAS

Heavy Losses Suffered By Both Sides—British Airmen Raided Zeppelin Shed

London, June 7.—If the Germans have transferred troops to the west as reported, they have held a sufficient number of men in the east to continue without relaxation the offensive which has carried them, with the Austrians, almost across Galicia. The forces which forced Przemysl to surrender are battering their way eastward, according to German and Austrian official communications. At one point in the southeast they are not more than 60 miles from the Russian frontier.

The troops which swept through Stry and equally beyond Lemberg, the position of which appears to be perilous. Further north they are 18 miles east of Przemysl. So, roughly speaking, the encircling movement on Lemberg is duplicating that at Przemysl.

The Germans are also on the offensive in the Baltic provinces. Heavy fighting, with heavy losses on both sides, which has been notable north of Arras, continues in the west.

Italy has been taken into the financial circles of the nations warring against Germany. At a recent meeting of the British chancellor of the exchequer and Italian minister of the treasury, an agreement was reached to pool the resources, as Great Britain, France and Russia had previously agreed.

Repeated Zeppelin raids on England have aroused British airmen to extraordinary vigorous actions. A raid on the Zeppelin shed near Brussels was made today.

London, June 7.—Telegrams from Vienna say Lemberg, capital of the Austrian crownland of Galicia, now in the hands of the Russians, may be taken at any moment by Austro-German forces, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph company.

One message from the Austrian capital says the Austrians are within 25 miles of the town, while another estimates the distance at only 10 miles.

Constantinople, June 7.—Official Turkish statement said allied troops on Gallipoli Peninsula have been driven back with heavy losses, and declares stubborn fighting on Suddul Bahr fronts have been successful for the Turks, which was achieved by the Turkish right wing counter-attack.

London, June 7.—Since the capture of Przemysl the Germans apparently have brought heavy reinforcements into the west, are distinct signs of resumption German offensive in northern Europe. Nevertheless, French reports show uninterrupted advance in a section north of Arras and important gains north of the Alsace river.

French official announcement from Paris says French troops, after a very effective bombardment east of Tracy-le-Mont and North Alsace, carried two successive lines of trenches on the front of one kilometre, together with several German works.

In the east the Austro-German advance is continuing. This move is regarded in London as the political idea of the German and Austrians, being to exert an influence upon Rumania.

Petrograd announces Russian success along the Pruth river near Kologme, where the Austro-Germans are said to have been forced back across the river. Petrograd also says the Russian lines of defense must be re-advanced on account of the use of poisonous gases by the Germans. The reason for this is that works, which chemically correct under ordinary conditions of warfare, become death traps when exposed to the new engine of hostilities.

Fighting along the central sector, of Isonzo river close to the Austro-Italian frontier, and has developed a series of fierce engagements, with the Italians finding increasingly stronger opposition, the Austrians being temporarily on the march.

The British public is informed today that their forces won a brilliant success at the point far from the

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DESTITUTE MEXICANS BEG FOOD

INTERRUPT SO-CALLED "NATIONAL CONVENTION" WITH CRIES FOR CORN

SOLDIERS FAIL TO QUELL DISORDER

Bayonets, Bullets and Even Statement of Acting President Had No Effect On Frenzied Mob

Mexico City, June 7.—For last three days sessions of the so-called national convention in the chamber of deputies has been the scenes of wildest disorder.

Not only the galleries, but at times on the floor, the speaker's tribune has been rushed by hordes of hungry men, women and children.

Shouts of "We want corn" drowned all others. Even the show of bayonets and firing by soldiers over the heads of the mob have not checked their vain, piteous search for food.

The Red Cross has been kept busy caring for women and children and in some cases old men, crushed and overcome in these manifestations.

Acting President Garza appeared before the convention and a portion of the mob today to tell them that the treasury was empty; that the old hope for the coming winter was that all Mexicans lay down their arms and begin tilling the fields.

Repeatedly the crowd answered him, saying, "Give us corn. Our women and children are dying of hunger."

It is estimated that unless relief comes from outside more than 13,000,000 people will be in danger of starvation.

AMERICANS ARE LEAVING MEXICO

NINETY CITIZENS OF U. S. ON TRAIN WHICH LEFT CAPITAL TODAY.

ARMY TRANSPORT AWAITING ARRIVAL

Will Meet Refugees at Vera Cruz With Food and Will Take Them to Galveston.

Brownsville, Texas, June 7.—Three Mexican generals and ten other Mexicans previously connected with Gullerrez's army were executed last week by Indiana composing a part of Carranza's army, according to Carranza advices made public at Matamoros tonight.

Washington, June 7.—Ninety Americans, 41 Englishmen, 127 Spaniards and 57 others of various nationalities, comprise a refugee party leaving Mexico City today on a special train for Vera Cruz, which the Brazilian minister has secured for the United States government.

Other refugees from the famine-stricken capital who will leave later and join the party at Vera Cruz will bring the number up to more than 600. The British consul has advised American Consul Stillman that many women and children are among the number.

Villa-Zapata authorities at Mexico City will send the train to Tlaxuca, where it will be met by a train from Vera Cruz in charge of Consul General Shauklin.

Emergency supply of American food has been ordered to Vera Cruz for the refugees. The Red Cross today telegraphed Galveston officials to ship 50,000 pounds of corn, 20,000 pounds of beans on an army transport, which goes for the refugees.

State department had no official advice today to confirming the reported Oregon victory over Villa forces at Leon.

Star of West Sunk. London, June 7.—A dispatch from Aberdeen says the British steamship Star of the West has been sunk by a German submarine. A trawler brought the crew to Aberdeen. The Star of the West is a small vessel.

ZEPPELIN IS DESTROYED BY AVIATOR

A DARING ENGLISH PILOT BROUGHT DOWN GERMAN AIRSHIP

FIRST VICTORY FOR AEROPLANE

Young Canadian Aviator Escaped After Victory in Most Hazardous Conflict.

London, June 7.—For the first time on record a Zeppelin in the air has been destroyed by an aviator in an aeroplane. Reginald Warneford, a young Canadian sub-lieutenant in the royal navy, performed the feat today. He is somewhere within the British lines tonight while the Zeppelin, wrecked, lies on the roof and grounds of an orphanage near Ghent, falling there a blazing mass after being struck by the aviator's bombs.

The Zeppelin's crew of 28 was killed, as were several occupants of the orphanage buildings. Some believe this is the Zeppelin that raided the east coast of England last night.

The huge craft was sighted far away soon after dawn, apparently headed for home. The Zeppelin, flying comparatively low, began to mount immediately. The British wasp, which was speedier, climbed, finally reaching a position over the German's vast hulk. From this vantage point Warneford pierced the Zeppelin's shell repeatedly with incendiary bombs.

The admiralty reports say the aeroplane was 6,000 feet up. To reach this altitude would require nearly 30 minutes. Meantime the Zeppelin could drive approximately 15 miles.

Then followed the maneuvering for position, and finally the dropping of bombs from which dirigible tried vainly to escape. Minor explosions occurred, then one of terrific force and the Zeppelin burst into flames.

Warneford must have been at close range over the dirigible, for almost simultaneously with the outburst the aeroplane turned completely over. For a moment he hung head down, the machine pitching and tossing. By a desperate effort Warneford righted the machine far above the earth, which he reached safely, landing behind the German lines. He alighted unhurt, then flew toward west.

BUDDHIST RIOTS AGAINST MOSLEMS

Governor Says Disturbances Are of Entirely Local Nature and Will Not Affect Europeans.

London, June 7.—Riotous demonstrations by Buddhists against Moslems in Ceylon have occurred, disturbances are due to racial commercial animosity and are directed against the European colonial government.

CONTRACT WAS AWARDED LAST NIGHT

President Taylor of company was in

Mr. Z. V. Taylor, president of Southern Public Utilities, arrived in Anderson yesterday morning and last night a meeting held in the office of the company this city to confer with Mr. H. A. regard to letting contract for car track paving in this city late hour last night Mr. Taylor said that nothing definite had been decided.

Several contractors have submitted bids. The material will be furnished by the Southern Public Utilities company and the contractor is to do the work only.

Mistrial in Sally Case

Washington, June 7.—The jury suit of D. J. Sally of New York against John Hays Hammond for a cover of \$1,500,000 for allowed contract, was discharged last night when it failed to agree. The jury was out more than 24 hours.