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LUXBURG MAKES ESCAPE TO CHILE

Former German Minister Reported to Have Fled From Argentina.

Buenos Aires, March 12.—It is reported here today that Count Von Luxburg, the former German minister, has fled Argentine territory, escaping to Chile.

Count von Luxburg's escape was suspected when reports came from Pto. del Inca, in the Andes, that the former minister, the former German naval attaché and a large group of other Germans passed there last night on the international train for Chile.

Missing for Several Days. Inquiry of the police here showed that Count von Luxburg had been missing for several days from the house in the suburb of Lomas de Zamora, where he was supposed to have been under strict surveillance. The count was permitted to live there because the German hospital authorities had informed the government that his mental condition required quiet surroundings.

The former minister is believed to have decided to escape when he saw the government was renewing its efforts to get him out of the country. These efforts were initiated two weeks ago and had resulted in the granting of a safe conduct for him to sail on a Swedish vessel about to leave port.

Count von Luxburg's escape on the eve of his enforced departure strengthens the long standing belief here that he was making every effort to remain in South America to direct the activities of German agents who have been fomenting labor troubles and harassing allied shipping.

According to Buenos Aires dispatches on Sunday, Count Von Luxburg had been granted a safe conduct by the British government to sail for Sweden and was expected to depart shortly on the steamer Valparaiso.

USE PRISONERS ON FARM LANDS

Montgomery, March 12.—An appeal was wired to President Wilson Monday by Gov. Charles Henderson to have German prisoners of war placed on the farms and on public works throughout the south and relieve the shortage of labor, which has reached such a crisis.

The governor says in his telegram that "considerable acreage of farm lands cannot be cultivated for lack of labor, which has abandoned the farm for the liberal wages paid at these public works."

Farm labor, the telegram says, would thus be released for agriculture if they can be brought over by April 15 and advance notice given of their coming.

Wilson Studies New CASUALTY LIST PLAN Washington, March 12.—President Wilson today personally considered the war department's new plan of issuing the names of American soldiers killed, wounded or who die in France, without their home addresses or other marks of identification.

There was no outward indication that the president would reverse the war department's ruling, which, it has been explained, was made for military reasons, but it was plain that protests from every quarter have grown to such number that the president had decided to inform himself of all the facts.

To Stop a Persistent, Hacking Cough

The best remedy is one you can easily make at home. Cheap, but very effective.

Thousands of people normally healthy in every other respect, are annoyed with a persistent hanging-on bronchial cough year after year, disturbing their sleep and making life disagreeable. It's so needless—there's an old home-made remedy that will end such a cough easily and quickly.

Get from any druggist "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" (60 cents worth), pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Begin taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending the cough that you never thought would end.

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To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffing, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

AUSTRALIAN TROOPS RAID HOSTILE POSTS

British Air Squadron Captures Two German Planes in Full Flight.

London, March 12.—"Australian troops carried out successful raids during the night upon hostile posts east and northeast of Messines," says today's war office report.

"The artillery was active on both sides during the night southeast of Armentieres and east and northeast of Ypres."

MAKE FIRST RAID WITHOUT FRENCH

Americans in Toul Sector Highly Successful in Independent Attack on Huns.

With the American Army in France, March 11 (Monday).—(By the Associated Press).—An American raiding party entered the German trenches along the Toul sector at 6 o'clock this morning after an artillery bombardment of forty-five minutes and brought back much material and information, but captured no prisoners.

The raid was highly successful as the enemy withdrew many men from the front line when the bombardment indicated that a raid might follow. The raiders reported that American gunfire had created destruction in the German positions and had torn gaps in the enemy barbed wire entanglements.

The Americans entered the enemy trenches behind one side of a "box" barrage which moved forward in front of them. They found numerous Germans hiding in the dugouts. In the hand-to-hand fighting which followed a number of the enemy were killed and wounded and left in the trenches.

Automatic Pistols Used. Going far beyond their objective the raiders penetrated the German line 200 yards. A few fights developed on the way but the Germans were driven off. The Americans failed to find most of the Germans, who had been withdrawn hurriedly from the front line, although they searched for them.

In the hand-to-hand fighting the Americans used their automatic pistols and rifles. During the raid the American machine guns placed a barrage in the enemy back areas in order to prevent a counter-attack.

The Americans fought so fast and did their work so quickly that the medical men who accompanied them had little to do. Every American who left the front line returned.

On their way back the Americans encountered a German listening post, which fired at them. In less than time it takes to tell it, the Germans in the post were silenced.

The Americans reached their own lines without a German shell having fallen anywhere near them, for it was all over so quickly the German batteries did not have a good chance to get into action. The Americans were inside the enemy lines for fifteen minutes.

GEN. BIDDLE TO POST IN ENGLAND

Washington, March 12.—Maj. Gen. John Biddle, who recently was relieved by Maj. Gen. Peyton C. March, as acting chief-of-staff, is to command all American troops in England, it is understood. Army orders today show the assignment of two officers as aides on his staff.

Gen. Biddle was appointed assistant chief-of-staff, just before Gen. Bliss made his first trip to Europe as a member of the supreme war council. He relinquished that post as well as his place as acting chief on the arrival of Gen. March and Brig. Gen. Wm. Graves is now acting as assistant to Gen. March.

Under new regulations, Gen. March has five assistants, all general officers. He is understood to be considering now the selection of officers to fill these posts permanently, the department having announced that the present incumbents held office temporarily; pending the arrival and action of the new acting chief.

Speculation Revived. Maj. Gen. Geo. T. Bartlett has been in command in England, where several American units, including engineers and heavy artillery, have been training at British camps. It is not known to what post Gen. Bartlett has been assigned.

The appointment of Gen. Biddle revived speculation as to the course the war department may take in regard to the proposal that American troops be trained completely with the British war machine as well as with the French. The plan included front line training in the trenches in Flanders, although after training was completed the forces would be sent to join Gen. Pershing's army.

DEMOCRATS MEET TO ORGANIZE CAMPAIGN Washington, March 12.—Democrats of both the senate and house will meet tonight to reorganize the democratic congressional committee to take charge of the fall congressional election.

Doremus, of Michigan, who has directed the last two campaigns as head of the committee, will resign from the chairmanship in order to devote his time to other congressional business, and Representative Ferris, of Oklahoma, chairman of the house committee on public lands, will be chosen to succeed him. The committee comprises a representative or senator from each state.

CHATTANOOGA BOOSTERS RECEIVE CORDIAL WELCOME AT SHEFFIELD

Jolly Party of Business Men Inspects Sites for Huge Dams and Nitrate Plants at Muscle Shoals—Find Col. Cooper Already on Job.

(Special to The News.) Sheffield, Ala., March 12.—The Chattanooga party of business men arrived one hour late, but found all things in readiness for the day. The party was met by a committee headed by Willis Waldo. Breakfast was served at the Sheffield hotel, of which Judge Frank Davis, formerly of Chattanooga, is manager.

C. W. Ashcraft, of Florence, made a brief address of welcome to the visitors and expressed deep appreciation for what Chattanooga had done toward assisting in securing this great nitrate plant. He welcomed the visitors as the big brothers of Sheffield. He said of all the people in all the world Sheffield and Florence appreciated what Chattanooga had done above all others. After breakfast, the party started on its day of inspection.

The party, consisting of fifty or more of Chattanooga's most prominent business men and manufacturers, left Chattanooga shortly before midnight last night, occupying two Pullman cars attached to the Memphis Special.

The trip was made without incident, except a good time for the excursionists, but when the train arrived in Sheffield the visitors found plenty to interest them. First and foremost, they were met by a delegation and from the train the visitors were conducted to the Sheffield hotel where an excellent breakfast had been prepared for them. After breakfast the citizens of Sheffield and Florence took the visitors in charge and carried them on a tour of inspection to plants one and two under course of construction. Returning to Florence at noon, the party was entertained by the Florence chamber of commerce.

This afternoon the party is making a boat trip through the government locks to the site of dam No. 2, known as Woodrow Wilson dam, and for which the money was recently made available. The party will return late this afternoon to Sheffield where the members will be guests at supper.

This proved an opportune time for a visit to the site of this great enterprise and every thing was found to be on the rush. The old town of Sheffield had some of the bustle and hustle of the old boom days way back in the early eighties when it first came into the limelight and when it promised to become one of the leading cities of the south. The boom burst and the wand Sheffield, like many others of its kind, settled down to the humdrum routine of an over-grown village, but judging from today's appearance it looks as if the faith of its old-time backers was about to be realized and the city take its place on the map as one of the largest of the southland. Sheffield's resources are great and the people say she is coming at last into her own.

There are thousands of workmen here and everybody seems busy as can be. There is no lack of employment. In fact workmen are scarce for the amount of work to be done. The recent spring-like weather has given an impetus to the work and the scene around the various plant sites is one of bustle and bustle.

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Col. Cooper is an engineer of international fame and was recalled from France by the war department to supervise this work. He is recognized as one of the greatest hydro-electrical engineers of the day. He has been identified with some of the most important hydro-electrical developments in the United States and Brazil. Col. Cooper arrived in New York last Sunday from France and came direct to Sheffield, accompanied by three members of his staff of his New York office—E. B. Coper, B. H. Parsons and R. E. Edzall.

Col. Cooper, in company with Maj. Winn, United States district engineer, in charge of the Tennessee river, at once made a preliminary survey of the site for the new dam.

The work on the nitrate plants at Muscle Shoals is being pushed with much speed. It is said that there are now employed on the cyanamid works fully 7,000 men and this number is being increased as rapidly as workmen become available.

In addition to the plant itself a great many houses are being built for the workmen; an electrical railway line is being built through the government reservation to connect with the Tri-City Interurban Line.

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In connection with the establishment of this great enterprise at Muscle Shoals the chamber of commerce of Florence is planning to celebrate the city's centennial. The date has not been definitely fixed, but it is expected that it will be coincident with the completion of one of the units of the great enterprise or the completion of the \$20,000,000 dam, which Col. Cooper is here to begin work upon.

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