

## EIGHT TRANSPORTS BRING TROOPS FROM OVERSEAS SERVICE

**Matsonia Arrives at Newport  
With 3000 American Soldiers  
Aboard; Montana Men Are  
on Way Home.**

Washington, April 26.—Transport sailings were announced by the war department as follows:

Battleship Vermont, Brest to Newport News, due May 4, with 42nd pioneer infantry, field and staff, headquarters company, medical detachment, companies A, B and C; casual company 827, scattered; company F and detachment of company E, 114th engineers.

Battleship New Hampshire, Brest to Newport News, no date given, with 53rd pioneer infantry, supply company, medical detachment, second battalion headquarters, companies D, E, F and G; evacuation hospital No. 14.

Transport Caserta, Marseilles to New York, due May 3 with 66th company, transportation company; 65th aero squadron 65th aero squadron; air service casual company No. 7; 50th aero squadron; casual companies Nos. 3901, colored, scattered; 3920 signal corps; 3946 coast artillery; 3948 Colorado; 3951 scattered, colored; special companies Nos. 3955, discharges; 3956, furloughs; 3958, discharges; 3959, discharges; 3960, furloughs; 3962, colored, discharges.

### MONTANA MEN INCLUDED.

Transport Maui, St. Nazaire to New York, due May 3, with headquarters 55th infantry brigade; 109th infantry; regimental headquarters, headquarters first battalion, sanitary detachment, 1st battalion, headquarters and sanitary detachments; machine gun companies A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, K and L; detachment 110th infantry.

Transport Sewall Point, Pauillac to Newport News, with casual detachment of 10 men.

Transport Alphonse XIII, Bordeaux to New York, due April 30, with 32nd division detachment of headquarters and headquarters troops, detachment 307th mobile veterinary section; 307th train headquarters, quartermaster detachment; 335th battalion, tank corps, complete; 336th battalion, tank corps, complete; 379th, 380th and 381st training and replacement companies, tank corps evacuation hospital number 33; cement mill companies Nos. 2 and 6; ordnance casual company No. 14; casual company A, tank corps; casual company 328.

Cruiser Frederick, Brest to New York, due May 1, with 119th field artillery, complete; casual companies Nos. 3448, Kentucky; 3458, Missouri; 2880, New York; 3399, Montana; 2420, Michigan; 2422, Ohio; ordnance casual company 377, scattered; 464th aero squadron.

## STAND OF ITALIAN

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was compelled to cover Wilson's name on his sign with a tarpaulin.

Signor Colosimo, minister of colonies, held a long conference with King Victor Emmanuel this morning and returned to lunch with the king.

Prince Colonna, mayor of Rome, issued the following proclamation:

### ITALIANS PROUD

"The country will declare it can not be separated from the government. The American nation, for whom we cherish the most sincere affection will appreciate the justification of upholding our sacred rights."

Telegraphing from Fiume, Gabriele D'Annunzio said:

"I was never prouder of being an Italian. Of all our heroic hours, this is truly the most solemn. There is nothing greater in the world than this Italy which does not fear to remain alone, opposed to everybody. With her strength multiplied by the sacrifices of the lean days, Italy today is great and pure in the midst of so much allied baseness, hatred, bartering and lies."

"The allies are iniquitous, ungrateful and forgetful. We must thank God, who exalts us, that we are worthy of this supreme trial, having had the great honor of exposing the false idol at whose feet we once all knelt. Now repeat the Flavian motto: 'Do not surrender an inch.'"

### WILSON FAILS

A member of parliament, known for his democratic ideas, was interviewed by the Tempo today.

"President Wilson's attempt to set the Italian public against its government has failed, thanks to Premier Orlando's reply," he said. "The echo of the denunciations in every city will tell Wilson that he deceived himself in believing the majority of the people will endorse his attitude."

Deputy Federsoni, writing in the Idea Nazionale, pointed out that while France again obtains Alsace-Lorraine, the Saar basin, Syria and valuable German colonies, while Great Britain grabs Mesopotamia, Central Africa and retains control of the seas, without rousing Wilson's ire, Wilson suddenly finds that Italy's moderate demands constitute imperialism."

### ITALIAN PRESS COMMENTS.

San Francisco, April 26.—Of the two big Italian dailies here, L'Italia has thus far avoided an editorial statement on the Fiume question. La Voce Popolo, however, has been outspoken. Del Popolo today declares that "We must not forget the president has shown himself to be in good faith in all his actions regarding the European embroglio." It urges the Italian people be given an opportunity to say

whether the attitude of the government is their attitude.

"It is the Italian people who probably would have to fight again if the Italian-Jugo-Slav question remained unsettled," said Del Popolo.

### BRITISH MAKE PLEA.

London, April 26.—The London Press continues to plead for moderation toward Italy, but an undercurrent of resentment at President Wilson's methods has appeared.

"Orlando's action and statement were natural and dignified in the face of Wilson's brusqueness," said the Chronicle.

The News regarded Orlando's reply as a "fair retort" to Wilson.

"The statement unfortunately was issued in a manner calculated to arouse strong resentment," the Telegraph declared.

Under the caption "diplomatic rables" the Express violently attacked the American president for "rushing in with a red flag at the moment differences were to be settled."

## AMERICA FEELS

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Orlando will in effect ask the Italian people to choose between their government and President Wilson. A vote of confidence will enable him to return to Paris and renew his demand for Fiume under threat of annexation or to order annexation of that city without the formality of returning. Failure to gain a vote of confidence will mean his overthrow and a victory for Wilson bearing out the latter's contention that the peoples are more powerful than governments.

### COMMENT WITHHELD

No official comment could be obtained on the visit to Italian headquarters yesterday of Ambassador Matsui, Japanese representative in France. Rumors persisted, however, that there is a possibility of co-operation between Italy and Japan in pressing their territorial claims.

There also was believed to be a possibility that Japan would again raise the racial equality issue in some form at the plenary session of the conference Monday. In addition to taking up the revised covenant of the league of nations, the conference then will consider the report of the responsibilities, commission and amendments to the report of commission on international labor legislation.

### WILSON LOOKED TO.

Chicago, April 26.—"If Italy is ever awarded Fiume and the Dalmatian coast it will be robbing Jugo-Slavia of its only hope of commercial life," declared the Jugo-Slavian and United Serbian daily, editorially, today.

"Serbia and Croatia never agreed to the pact of London," the editorial said, "and Jugo-Slavia newspapers decried the document when, at the time of the Russian revolution, the secret treaty became known."

"Fiume, neither now nor ever belongs to the Italians. The city's name of Rieka, given it by its Croatian founders, was changed by the Italians. Now they claim that the city has a majority population of Italians. As a matter of fact the city and country surrounding are 97 per cent Jugo-Slavia and only 3 per cent Italian and other nationalities."

"Jugo-Slovakia will leave the matter in President Wilson's hands."

"America is in the right because, while wanting nothing for herself, she seeks to tear down the evils of secret diplomacy and uphold rights of small states."

John R. Balandech, editor, asserted Italy has not only sent thousands of Italians to Dalmatia, but also has attempted to force native Croats, Slaves and Serbs to vote for Italian domination.

## THRESHER IS INVENTED BY IDAHO FALLS MAN

Idaho Falls, April 26.—Clyde Leonard, an employe in a local garage, is an inventor of a new threshing machine, which when perfected, stands to revolutionize the threshing industry. It is called the rotary thresher; will be all Hyatt roller bearing and gears. There will be no belts connected with the machine. It will be built with 20 and 24-inch cylinders and to have a daily capacity of 100 bushels. Work will start the first of May on one of the new threshers and it is expected to be completed by harvest time. The machine can be put on the market for about \$600, it is stated, and should the invention prove to be what is expected a stock company will be organized here and a factory built to manufacture the machine.

## TRANSPORT HUNTINGTON IS DUE IN PORT TODAY

New York, April 26.—The transport Huntington, carrying the 151st field artillery, the 67th field artillery brigade headquarters, the 106th and 1103rd aero squadrons, is due to arrive today, 48 hours ahead of schedule. Wireless messages received at the port of embarkation indicated the vessel would reach Ambrose channel, New York bay, about 4 p. m.

The transport Santa Clara has not yet reported by wireless, but no fears for her safety are entertained by army and navy officials. She probably has been delayed by storms. The Santa Clara carries the 15th engineers complete, 144th and 145th machine gun battalion detachments.

### WEATHER UNFAVORABLE.

St. Johns, N. F., April 26.—Weather prospects for trans-Atlantic flight today: Poor.

Springfield, Ill.—A patent medicine vender asked Mayor Bauman for a license to "spiel" in front of a local drug store. It was the mayor's drug store. Business is still good there.

## NOTES BEARING BIG INTEREST RATE ARE IN STRONG DEMAND

**Wide Distribution of Victory  
Loan Bonds Indicated by  
Subscriptions; Officials Are  
Pleased.**

Washington, April 26.—Eighty per cent of the Victory Loan buyers are taking notes bearing 4½ per cent interest, according to unofficial estimates at the treasury department today. The notes having an interest rate of 3½ per cent are finding few purchasers. Subscribers for notes of the higher interest rate, however, are buying large quantities, the figures show.

The war loan officials pointed out that the tremendous number of subscribers for notes of the higher interest rate, compared with buyers of the 3½ per cent rate, gave satisfactory evidence of a wide distribution. Reports from all federal reserve districts show, officials said, that average subscription in the present campaign is not as large, comparatively, as in previous loans. But they believed the results shown thus far were more favorable for the government and the bond buyers, in that a stable market price for the notes appears likely.

The lower interest rate makes the 3½ per cent notes distinctly a "rich man's bond," according to Louis B. Franklin, director of the war loan organization. He declared that unless a buyer of government securities could afford to absorb the low interest notes in quantities upward of \$500,000 the difference is more than sufficient to offset federal taxes applicable to the incomes of most holders of the notes.

### Rheumatic Pains.

When troubled with rheumatism bathe the affected parts with Chamberlain's Liniment. You will be surprised at the relief which it affords. For sale by all dealers.—Adv. T.T. Sat

## UNIVERSITY MEN DIFFER ON PROFESSORS' UNION

Chicago, April 26.—Two university heads in Chicago today took opposite views regarding the formation of a union by professors of the University of Illinois.

Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, University of Chicago, said tersely, "I don't care to discuss the question. In fact, I don't want to take any notice of the matter."

Dr. Thomas F. Holgate, Northwestern university, said he didn't see any harm in college professors forming a union.

"If, as it is stated, the union was formed to permit freedom of expression by the professors, I can readily see its use," he said. "Of course, professors can abuse a union like any other body of men. Conducted properly, much good can come of it. If conducted improperly much harm can be done."

Over a suggestion that a strike for higher wages might eventuate, Dr. Holgate laughed. "Well, it would not be the worst thing in the world," he said.

Chicago—Fred Schultz, returned soldier, dreamed he saw Oscar Butler rob him of \$210. "Your dreaming" said Butler when arrested. Schultz found reality today—the \$210 was missing.

## OMAHA WOMAN DIES AS RESULT OF POISONING

Omaha, April 26.—Mrs. Happy Van Wyck Benner, daughter of former United States Senator Van Wyck of Nebraska, died here last night from effects of poisoning. Mrs. Benner's son said she had taken mercury tablets by mistake Thursday night.

Mrs. Benner and Charles X. Thompson, manager of the Omaha Directory company and formerly city editor of the Chicago Examiner, were last week arrested in Thompson's office charged with intoxication and illegal possession of liquor. Both were out on bonds. Thompson's wife filed suit for divorce on learning of the case.

Mrs. Benner was divorced from her husband, H. T. Benner, a prominent New York real estate man here in 1917, following a sensational trial. She formerly was very prominent in society circles in the east.

### CONGRESS MAY MEET.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 26.—Congress may call itself into session if President Wilson does not act within the next few weeks. Senator Miles Poindexter, Washington, declared today. Poindexter arrived here last night and leaves today for Washington.

Portland, Ore., April 24.—Edward Haggard, "had" a divorce yesterday. A thief stole his papers last night.

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