

BERLIN IS DIVIDED ON REPLY TO NOTE

Von Tirpitz Fights Hard to Save Submarine System That He Has Developed.

U-14 RAISES NEW ISSUE

Country Emotionally Stirred by Belief That Fishermen Sank Attacker After Humane Warning Had Been Given.

By a staff correspondent of the New York Times. Published by arrangement with the Times.

BERLIN, via the Hague, June 18.—A fascinating and perhaps heroic drama is transpiring behind the scenes as a result of the American note, those in high places holding widely diverging views on the stand that Germany ought to take according as they attach supreme importance to Germany's political or military interests.

While powerful influences are working for *modus vivendi*, even at the cost of modification of the submarine warfare provided certain objects can be gained, it is known that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, who has the humane conduct made possible by the submarine warfare, sees in President Wilson's demand the ruin of his whole life work, and a surrender probably would be followed by one of the biggest sensations of the world war.

Emotion Factor Injected.

An important new emotional factor has been injected into the question by reports printed here that the destruction of the submarine U-14 was directly due to the humane conduct of her commander. She was fired upon and sunk by an English "fishing steamer" after her commander had signalled to the fishermen that he had five minutes in which to leave their vessel.

In this connection the Lokai Anseiger prints a column communication from "A Highly Placed Personage," bitterly recalling that King George had given the Distinguished Service Order to the merchant captain of the steamer Thoridis for ramming and sinking a German submarine, while the Admiralty made him a Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve, "thus rewarding, justifying and encouraging ramming and other hostile acts by merchantmen."

British Rights Held Forfeited.

The communication adds: "There is not the slightest doubt that England, by this official act of the King, forfeited all further claims upon our submarines to live up to the usual rules of naval warfare in the future. It would not be a practice of humanity, but of criminal weakness, justly challenging the scorn of England, to suggest to our brave submarine sailors who hourly risk their lives for the Fatherland, that in future they should first call upon and halt English merchantmen. From this viewpoint the procedure against other submarines, whether she was armed or not, was in all circumstances, fully justified, and similar procedure on the part of our submarines against other British merchantmen will be justified as a necessary measure and self-defense against the trickier attacks of English merchantmen upon German men-of-war in violation of international law, and which are openly praised and rewarded by King George.

"To Mr. Wilson's demand that in this case justice and humanity demanded the halting and peaceable stopping of the Lusitania by the submarine, King George has already given his answer that such considerations of humanity and international law were taken into account by the sinking of our submarine and the captain of the Lusitania would have been assured of the King's high reward."

Army Bitter Toward United States.

Another equally important emotional factor is the unanimous and bitter resentment of the army over American ammunition. Some interesting light was thrown upon this in the course of a conversation yesterday with a division chief of the army. They have only who had just returned from the front. He said: "After the Lusitania affair Americans perhaps are able to understand how we feel. They have only to think of their own indignation over the loss of a hundred and odd Americans to consider how we at the front feel over more than 50,000 German soldiers who were killed and twice as many maimed for life by American ammunition. So far this is a conservative estimate. It is cruel hypocrisy to tell us we must not sink ships bringing ammunition to kill our soldiers, because there happen to be Americans on board."

This general feeling in the army is most significant.

CHANGE OF NAME COSTLY

German Suspects Norwegian Vessel and Sinks Her.

CHRISTIANIA, via London, June 24.—That it is dangerous to change the name of a ship in wartime is drawn by the Norwegian Shipping Gazette from the attack on the Davanger by a German submarine. The Davanger formerly was the Ceylon and the latter name appeared on the ship's papers.

The captain of the submarine stopped the Davanger and demanded the vessel's name and nationality. He also asked for the ship's papers. When he observed the conflict in names he declared the Davanger not only was sailing under a false name but under a false flag.

He gave the crew 15 minutes to go and then fired on the steamer.

ROAD NAMES OFFICIALS

Son of Eccles Manager Appointed on Mount Hood Railway.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 24.—Raymond B. Early, a son of Charles T. Early, general manager of the Eccles interests in Oregon, has just been promoted to the office of general freight and passenger agent of the Mount Hood Railway Company, a local Eccles property. Mr. Early has been employed in the Hood River offices of the company since his graduation from the University of Oregon two years ago.

Ashley Wilson, who has been assistant superintendent of the line, has been made superintendent. Both appointments will take effect July 1.

MAILS TO BE RE-ROUTED

America to Use Steamers Going Direct to Neutral Ports.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Because of the reports that United States mails

destined for Norway, Sweden, Denmark and The Netherlands in transit through belligerent countries have been opened and censored. Postmaster-General Burleson directed today that until further orders all mails for those countries be sent on vessels sailing direct and not touching at any port of belligerents.

Direct lines, not touching any belligerent ports, are running to all the countries named, and the order will cause no serious delays to the mails. No action was taken in regard to mail en route to the United States, as the countries of origin control mail routing.

Mr. Burleson has not completed his investigation of the reports that mails to and from this country have been opened by British censors. The investigation was requested by the State Department after its attention had been called to the subject by the Minister from Sweden.

A protest is also said to have been lodged with the Foreign Office in London, and press dispatches have stated that investigation has been ordered there also.

HALIBUT SHIPPED EAST

FISH FROM PACIFIC COMPETE IN NEW YORK MARKETS.

Proximity of Banks to Coast Atones for Distance Overland and Speedier Delivery Is Possible.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 24.—Halibut caught in Alaskan and British Columbia waters and landed at Prince Rupert are being shipped by express and are competing in the New York and Boston markets with halibut caught off the New England coast, according to Consul-General Mansfield at Vancouver, B. C. Notwithstanding the long distance the Pacific fish are shipped, he says they get to New York a week sooner than their Atlantic Coast competitors, because the halibut banks of the Atlantic are far from the coast, whereas the northern halibut banks on the Pacific are close to the Canadian ports.

It is only recently that the British Columbia Government permitted the sale in British Columbia of fish taken in American vessels and the shipment of such fish in bond through Canada to the United States. This order of the Dominion Government has diminished the delivery at Puget sound ports and has brought forth a protest to the Trade Commission and Department of Commerce.

Those bodies, however, find themselves without authority to do anything, and Prince Rupert being the most convenient port at which to land halibut taken in Alaskan waters, this Government cannot interfere so long as the Canadian Government is satisfied.

FRENCH CABINET BLAMED

STORMY SCENE FOLLOWS CHARGE AGAINST WAR MINISTER.

Deputy Says Nation's Resources Are Disbursed Extravagantly and That Shells Are Defective.

PARIS, June 24.—M. Accambray, discussing the war appropriation in the Chamber of Deputies today, criticized the Minister of War. He declared defects in the army's supply services, but the subordinates felt that they were under a chief who was their inferior.

Protests from the right and the center frequently interrupted M. Accambray, while the left, largely Socialists, applauded and feeling among members rose high.

M. Accambray affirmed that he did not wish to criticize the leadership of the army, but solely the cabinet.

PASSPORT LINES TIGHTEN

France to Withhold Credentials From Americans of German Origin.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Official notice of France's decision to withhold passports hereafter from Americans of German origin reached the State Department today. Officials refused to comment, but it was understood they were examining treaties to determine what course to take.

According to press reports the French acted on the theory that naturalized Americans of German birth, if permitted to enter France, might give military information to German officials in the United States.

DELEGATES ARE CHOSEN

Ben Selling, Mrs. Osburn, F. Davey Go to Prison Association Meeting.

SALEM, Or., June 24.—(Special).—Ben Selling, president of the Oregon Prisoners' Aid Society, Portland; Mrs. Rose G. Osburn, member of the advisory committee of the same society, and Frank Davey, bookkeeper at the State Penitentiary, have been appointed by Governor Withycombe delegates to the convention of the American Prison Association, which will be held in Oakland, October 9-14.

It is probable that Mr. Davey will attend the convention, which is being presented by the provincial government to the British government, and will soon will be shipped to London, where

June White and June Clearance Sales!

BOYS' WASH SUITS IN A SALE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE

Every kind of wash suit boys from 2 to 9 years wear offered from ONE-THIRD TO HALF REGULAR PRICES

50c Regular Price 85c	98c Regular Price \$1.50 to \$1.75	\$1.19 Regular Price \$1.50 to \$2	\$1.59 Regular Price \$2.00 to \$2.75	\$1.98 Regular Price \$2.50 to \$4	\$2.49 Regular Price \$3.50 to \$5	\$3.98 Regular Price \$6 to \$10 Fourth Floor
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Clearance of Over 250 Trimmed Hats, Selling Heretofore From \$6.50, \$5 to \$3.95, Friday \$1.50



A New Hat to Finish the Season

Just What You Require—and Only \$1.50

Stylish, Attractive, Wonderfully Clever Hats

—For Summer wear—hats, picturesque and original, each one distinctly different. This group of hats represents the work of our own skilled millinery artists, as well as the newest styles direct from New York. Only the best materials are used, and made with the same care and attention as given to the highest priced models.

Small shapes—medium shapes—large shapes in Black, and every popular color for Summer wear.

Models of fine straw, many combined with silk and satin, or transparent crepe brims, trimmings of beautiful natural-colored flowers, smart wings and stick-ups, and every conceivable new millinery trimming, always with that "artistic" touch that makes the simplest hat "smart." Second Floor

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs of 25c Quality

—Corners embroidered in dainty floral and conventional designs, neatly hemstitched with quarter-inch hems. Special 12c First Floor.

Newest Neckwear Novelties Are Here

—ICELAND FOX SCARFS, the craze in New York this Summer, illustrated at the left. Special, \$3.95 and \$4.95.

—MALINE BOAS, in all white and all black, made of triple-pleated maline, and finished with satin bow, center illustration. Very special, \$1.29.

—OSTRICH FEATHER BOAS, of finest quality male African stock, extra long flues, in all-white and black, or black and white, brown and white combinations. 18 inches long, finished with silk tassels, as illustrated at the right. Introductory Sale, \$3.95. First Floor.

Featuring a Very Exceptional Sale of CORSET COVERS AND CAMISOLES

That are so necessary for wear with Summer waists.

Special 59c	98c	\$1.15	\$1.39 to \$1.98
Regularly \$1	\$1.50	\$2	\$2.25 to \$2.75

—Daintiest of garments, in the greatest variety of secco silk, nets, laces, lingerie cloth, long cloth and crepe de chine, trimmed in dozens of different ways with fine lace insertions, Van Dyke laces, organdie medallions, wide and narrow ribbons, dainty French rosebuds and lace edgings. Some have tiny cap sleeves, and others with ribbon or lace shoulder straps. These pretty garments are very necessary with the new sheer blouses. —Fourth Floor.

Here Is a Clever New Handbag

Easily worth \$1.50 We Offer Friday 98c

—They are just in by express—the latest shapes in Summer bags—of genuine seal, morocco and long grain leather in plain and pleated styles, mounted on gilt, nickle, gunmetal or leather covered frames. They are silk-lined, and fitted with mirror and coin purse, and fasten with plain or fancy knob. —First Floor.

Introducing an Unusual New Crepe de Chine Blouse

Special \$3.95 Regularly Sold for \$5

—Exactly as Illustrated.

—Of a very fine quality silk crepe de chine in white or flesh. Made with a new pointed collar and cuffs, yoke effect, effectively trimmed with double rows of fine hemstitching, novelty pearl buttons down the front. This waist is fashioned in the very latest "blousey" style. —Third Floor

50 Friday Sales in Economy Basement Store

Seasonable Summer Merchandise At Very Decided Reductions

It is to be erected in the Kew Botanical Gardens. The flagstaff is 218 feet long, and was trimmed from a perfect specimen of Douglas fir. The tree was five feet in diameter at the butt and 14 inches where cut at the top.

Dressed into shape, the staff is 32 inches square for a distance of 16 feet from the butt, for the next 160 feet is octagonal, and for the last 100 feet is round. The upper sections taper gradually to 12 inches in diameter.

A 49-foot American flag was raised at the top.

Mail and Telephone Orders Filled by Expert Shoppers

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Bathing Suit Time Is Here—NOW

Three Exceptional Friday Specials

\$7.50 SILK MESSALINE BATHING SUITS, \$4.45

—Exceptionally attractive suits, in black, with black and white trimming, or in all-black. Made in slip style, buttoning down front, short sleeves, turn-down collar, belted at the waist, plain skirt. In style exactly as illustrated on the left.

\$3.50 NEW KNIT BATHING SUITS, \$2.79

—The most popular and practical bathing suit made. In all-black, trimmed with wide bands of black and white, black and red striped material. Made in V-neck style, short under arm cap sleeves, slit skirt. This suit is illustrated on the right.

\$2.50 NEW COTTON BATHING SUITS, \$1.89

—In grey, and navy combination knit stripes of white, red and Oxford. Made with round neck, short sleeves, buttoned on shoulder. Skirt in slit side style. Remarkable suits at our Special Price of \$1.89. —Fourth Floor.



Taffeta Striped Silk \$7.50 Skirts Special \$5.45



For Men Today

1500 New Summer Shirts Just in

Which We Shall Offer Today and Tomorrow

At \$1.19 Each

They Are Really Worth More Than \$1.50 and \$2.00

—Do you need more shirts? We are sure you do, for what man with Summer and vacation time here, does not? And whether you need them or not, you cannot resist buying when you see these snappy, new patterns. The materials are varied enough to please the most discriminating taste.

Madras—Crystal Cloth—Soisette Satin Striped Shirtings—Flannels

—Two extremely attractive new models as illustrated. Made of fine chiffon taffeta in black with wide or narrow white stripes, or in all black. One style made with shirred yoke top; the other in a new yoke top effect, and wide box pleats all around.

—Both skirts would sell ordinarily at \$8.50. Our price \$5.45. —Third Floor.

in a perfect maze of handsome stripes—you'll scarcely know which you like best. They are made in soft bosom style, with soft, French turn-back cuffs. The flannels have a separate collar to match, and are just the thing for seaside and outing wear.

Warm Weather Athletic Union Suits \$1.23

THEY WERE REGULARLY \$1.50 AND \$2.00

—The well-known Shedaker make, that is famous for its perfect fit and trouser seat. They are made of panama cloth, satin striped soisette, mercerized mixtures and white-corded madras. All sizes. —First Floor.

Toilet Articles and Drugs—SALE PRICES

Special 6 cakes of Ivory Soap for . . . 18c	50c Rub'r Sanitary Aprons 39c
Limit 6 cakes to a customer, and no deliveries except where goods are purchased in the department.	35c Sanitary Napkins, 1 doz. to the package 25c
15c Mennen's Talcum 13c	25c Rosewater 16c
25c Rivers' Talcum 14c	25c Spirits Camphor 17c
30c Odorano Deodorant 39c	25c Benzoin 16c
15c Amolin Powder 17c	10c Household Ammonia 5c
35c Witch Hazel Lotion 23c	5c Bicarbonate Soda 3c
35c Almond Lotion 23c	5c Senna Leaves 3c
25c Flexible Nail Files 10c	5c Epsom Salts 3c
25c Nail Brushes 16c	25c Coconut Oil 17c
50c D. & R. Cream Tubes 33c	25c Peroxide 17c
25c Jetum for straw hats 19c	25c Witch Hazel 16c
25c Tooth Brushes 10c	25c Vanilla Extract 18c
50c Imported Face Cream 39c	1.00 Fountain Syringe 47c

—2-quart size, best rubber, heavy tubing, fitted with three hard rubber pipes.

No Phone Orders Filled First Floor.

A Sale—The Selfsame Pumps and Oxfords

We have been selling heretofore at \$7.50 You Can Purchase Friday for \$5.95

—2,000 pairs of this season's newest, most popular models in pumps and oxfords, including the "Fox Trot" oxford, illustrated on the extreme left. Seven different models and colors in patent colt, demicalf, bronze kid and white calf.

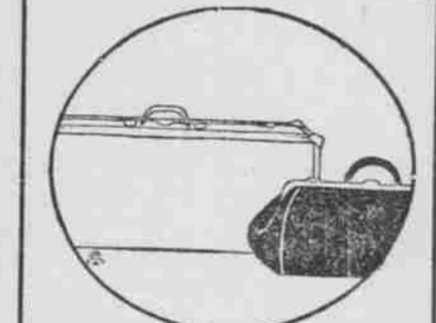
500 Pairs of \$6 Summer Pumps \$3.95

—Smartest models in all-patent colt and gunmetal with grey, fawn and sand quarters, Louis Cuban heels. All sizes and widths complete, in this collection of styles.

\$5 New White Canvas Pumps \$3.95

—Featuring the new colored tips and foxings in grey, black, blue and white, as well as tan and white, bronze kid and grey quarters. Most attractive new Summer novelties that we are introducing to the women of Portland.

—Five of the models on sale are shown in the illustration —Basement.



Going Away? Week End? Vacation? Traveling?

If YOU are—then don't miss this sale!

\$7.50 Cowhide Suitcase, for	\$4.98
—Genuine heavy cowhide case, with heavy leather corners, two straps all around, bolts and lock, shirt fold, cloth lined. Size, 24 inches. A suitcase that will stand the wear of travel.	
\$8.00 Genuine Cowhide Bag	\$6.38
—Extra heavy genuine cowhide bag, made on steel frame, with inside lock, lift catches, leather corners, pockets, and leather lined. Comes in all sizes. Exceptional even at the regular price, \$8.00.	
\$15.00 Canvas-Covered Trunks	\$11.00
—Extra large canvas-covered trunks, fibre bound, two center bands, brass bumper, two trays, cloth lined, two sole-leather straps, well riveted. —Basement	

How to Make Your Eyes Look Bigger and Clearer

(Woman's Tribune)

To make your eyes appear larger, wear things of the same color but of darker shade. For brown eyes, for instance, a gown or hat of deeper brown by contrast gives the desired effect. To heighten this effect, induce the eyebrows and lashes to grow thicker, longer, darker and silkier, which is easily done by merely applying ordinary pyroxin daily to the lash roots and rubbing some into the eyebrows. Druggists usually have pyroxin in little ounce jars.—Adv.

CENTRAL OREGON TRAIN

Changes Time. S. P. & S. Ry.

The train via the North Bank road and Oregon Trunk Railroad now leaving Portland at 7:25 P. M. will leave at 6 P. M. on and after Sunday, June 27. This is the train for Sherar, Maupin, Madras, Metolius, Redmond and Bend, with stage connections for Prineville, La Pine, Burns and other interior points.—Adv.

to succeed Mayor Nicholas, who resigns the people of the north country by the Indian Department holding up the opening of this big body of land, it seems to me in view of what I could find out, that the Department is pursuing a very mistaken policy in its dilatory practice. I pledge myself to the people of the north and also to the people of Wenasche to use my best efforts with the department for the immediate opening of the reservation."

Mayor Who Quit to Be Replaced.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., June 24.—(Special).—At the regular meeting of the City Council Tuesday night, an ordinance was given its first and second reading and will come up for the third reading next Monday night, which provides for a special city election to be held here July 27 to elect a Mayor