GERMAN SEA LORD MAY BE RELIEVED

Von Tirpitz Said to Have Ignored Kaiser.

SUBMARINE ACTIVITY ISSUE

Admiral Is Being Blamed for Sinking of Arabic.

DIPLOMATS ARE IN ACCORD

Pailure of Submarine Commander to Report Indicates Possibility That Diver May Have Been Sunk. Von Jagon's Views Change.

THE POSITION CALLAN OVERLINE WARHINGTON, Aug. 27 .- (Special.) Admiral von Tirpitz, Germany's sea lerd, may be relieved from office as a result of the submarine concessions made to the United States. This directing officer of the German navy, the real father of the submarine plan to destroy commerce with England, frremen and children, still is fighting a serious one. to respect the rules of humanity and international law upon the high sea.

There is a suggestion in diplomatic circles in Washington that Von Tirpitz for the cemetery be shut off immedi-is really responsible for the sinking of ately. In addition, he announced, there the Arabic. It is even said that when will be no more nightly washing of directed to being instructions to the streets. The thermometer reached directed to issue instructions to the passenger against procedure, he failed to do en, leaving these commanders to act STUDENT KILLED BY AUTO

Von Bernstorff Is Energetic,

Of far greater moment at this junc ture, however, is the prospect that Tirpits will endeaver to induce Emperor Wilhelm to stand behind his campaign and to refuse to make the congranted through Herr von Jaguw, German Foreign Minister, and Count von Benstorff, the German Ambassador in Washington.

In this connection, it is worthy of notice that Count von Bernstorff is laboring energetically to induce his government to make a formal and binding declaration to the United States similar to the informal representations which have been made and which are entisfactory, so far as they go, to this

Count von Bernstorff has advised his government of the determined attitude of President Wilson and Secretary Lansing and of the American people He has impressed upon Herr von Jaguw the necessity of complying with the American demands and the reports which have reached him and have been sent to the State Department by Ambassador Gerard indicate that the re-

Need of Change Recognized.

Poreign Minister and the Chancellor, \$400,000. Herr von Bethmann-Hellweg, who is redically changed.

lor and Admiral von Tirpits both have arranged to see and talk with His Emparor will disayow his Chancellor, It is far more likely be will repudiate Liberation From Mongol Invader in the head of his navy. Moreover, Herr von Bethmann-Hellweg would hardly have advised this Government that the submarine policy would be changed to meet the views of President Wilson without His Majesty's sanction. Nor is it instructions issued after the destruction of the Lucitania were not conveyed to the submarine commanders. that he will indorse such flagrant discbedience of his will.

Von Tirpits May Resign.

to remain at the head of the Admiralty. He may consider that his own selfrespect will not permit anything of

In the end, however, it is believed BRITAIN'S ENEMIES TAXED he will be induced to remain in his present office. He is too valuable to New Zealand Places Heavy Super-Germany to be allowed to pass into re-

No report yet has reached Berlin in regard to the destruction of the Arabic though something like two weeks have Aug. 27 .- A supertax of 50 per cent on elapsed since that catastrophe. This all incorporations from countries hos-long silence may mean that the submarine which fired the fatal torpedo today by the Minister of Finance, Sir has itself been destroyed. In such Joseph Ward in introducing the burget case Germany will be unable to give in Parliament, any explanation of the occurrence. The "A number of tariff schedules are to Foreign Office has declared formally be raised. Automobiles, chassis and that the reports of the sinking of the bodies are to pay 10 per cent ad va-Arable "cannot correspond with the lorem, and kerosums and petrol eight facts." this declaration being based cents a gallon. on the knowledge which the Foreign Minister had of the instructions Ad-

If the submarine has been sunk, von Fortress on Niemen River Is Aban Tirpits' position will be much better, ce the blame can be visited upon the dead commander. The United States old have to accept a statement from Germany that in the absence of official Russian fortress of Olita, on the Nicreports that government can only con- men River, 20 miles south of Kovno clude the submarine commander failed has been evacuated. receive his instructions in time or peliberately violated them,

ON GRAYS HARBOR ANNEXATION PLAN

2500 PERSONS, LONG IDLE, TO GO TO WORK SEPTEMBER 1.

Seven Clam and Four Salmon Canning Plants Are to Re-

sume Operations.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Aug. 27,-(Speial.)...The fisheries industry of Grays Harbor, employing 2700 persons, will esume operations September 17, tot- PEACE TERMS ARE OUTLINED swing a shutdown of two months. Seven class and four salmon canneries will reopen on that date.

1200 persons will be employed, and in the packing and catching of salmon 1550 will find work. Most of those en raged in the fishing industry on Grays Harbor have been idle for some time.

opening. The saimon canneries will be in steady operation throughout the remainder of the Fall, while the clan canneries probably will run continually for the next two months. Nevember, December, January and February are poor months for digging clams, and factories probably will operate only oc casionally during these months.

WATER IS SHORT AT BAKE?

Continued Dry Spell Threatens Famine, With Temperature 94 1-2.

BAKER, Or., Aug. 27,-(Special.)ecause of the continued dry spell, Baker faces a water familie. According to Commissioner Anderson Findley, temporarily in charge of the city spective of the fate of innocent men, water, the shortage will probably be a serious one. Instead of the city ential and centralized of the great reservoir being filled to the brim as economic organizations in Germany. usual, the water stood four feet be-low the overflow this morning.

Mr. Findley at once gave orders that the street flush tank and the supply commanders not to attack the degrees this afternoon, the hot-tiners, save under the

Christian Anderson Pinned All Night

by Car Near Parma, Idaho, BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 27 .- (Special) Christian Anderson, a freshman last be placed under German direction; con-year at the University of Washington, trol of the Belgian scaports; annexa-

and a resident of Farma, near here, was killed last night, when an automobile he was driving turned turtle, pin- a strategic necessity against attack ning him under the car. The tragedy from England; annexation of the Briey was not discovered until this morning. when early travelers appeared on the

Anderson had left his home for Wilder. When eight miles from Parma the automobile went over a steep em hankment, turned over and pinned him beneath it. Anderson was 21 years Hussian territory; that coal is one of the Sierras, Oregon and Washington, old and the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. effective means of political influence. the entire territory is dry. Anderson, wealthy ranchers.

Widow, Watch and Chain to Son.

The entire estate of Charles A. Aljeky, peris of the Ambassador have been under the terms of the will, which was fact, although I have it on what has 2,000,000 men and that the fate of the damage they found the mother and her There thus is no question that the by Mr. Alisky is said to be worth about

In the will, which is dated November Herr von Jagow's immediate supertor, 17, 1914, Mr. Alisky leaves his son, are in entire accord in insisting that Charles W. Alisky, his watch and chain. the submarine policy of Germany be This is the only bequest besides that of the entire estate to Mrs. Allsky. The Emperor must of necessity give The petition accompanying the will es the final decision. According to re- timates the annual income from rental parts circulating in Berlin, the Chancel- and profits at \$25,000.

RUSSIANS TO FAST 3 DAYS

1395 to Be Celebrated.

PETROGRAD, via London, Aug. 27 .-The Holy Synod has prescribed a period of fasting of three days, beginning terior has been requested to forbid entertainment and the playing of music throughout that time, although work

September 8 is the day of the celebration of Russia's liberation from the invader, Tamerlane, the Mongol lead-er who made his way at the head of Then the question will arise as to er who made his way at the head of whether you Tirpin will be disposed his men almost to Moscow in 1395. visiting unushal cruelties upon the

imposts on Many Imports.

WELLINGTON, N. Z., via London

irel von Tirpitz was directed to issue RUSSIANS EVACUATE OLITA

doned to German Army.

BERLIN, via Lundon, Aug. 27 .- The Official announcement to this effect

was made here today

CALLED "MADNESS"

Kaiser's Chancellor Opposes Demands.

In the clam branch of the industry Industrialists Want Belgium, Part of Russia and France.

Plenty of labor is on hand for the IRON AND COAL NEEDED

Otherwise, Says Memorial Prom Influential Forces, Including Krupps, Soldiers Would Get Nothing Except High Taxes.

BY KARL H, VON WIEGAND. pecial Staff Correspondent of the Ne World Copyright, 1915, by the Pre-shing Company, Special Cable Dispate shed by Arrangement With the World. COPENHAGEN, Aug. 20 .- "An epito

That is what Chancellor von Bethann-Hollweg is reported to have exclaimed when the memorial reached him from the six most powerful, infludemanding a general policy of annexation for conquered provinces as a basis

of peace. These demands upon the Chancello and the government include no premature peace; no easy-going peace; no peace that doesn't involve the full solitical exploitation of the final military successes, that the prize of victory must be commensurate with the sacrifices, the blood of hundreds of thousands, and the colonial empire.

Annexation Schemes Elaborated,

That Beigium be annexed in all but name, its legislation in respect to military, customs coinage, finance, postoffice, railways, waterways be Germatrol of the Belgian scaports; annexation of the French coast as far as the Somme, as an outlet to the Atlantic and to 71. strategic necessity against attack Departments du Nord and Pas de Calais: hat Verdun Belfort and the wetsern slope of the Vosges must be added to dermany for strategic reasons; that the

"An epitome of madness," the Chan-cellor is said to have characterized the or memorial, to which the Delbrueck Dernburg-Wolf memorial I cabled yes-Property Valued at \$400,000 Left terday is a protest and counter-mem-

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LIQUOR SCHEME FOILED California Dry Vote Balks Oregon

Warehouse Dealers.

ALTURAS, Cal, Aug. 27,-(Special.) No warehouse for the sale of liquor o persons in Oregon will be built in Modoc County, as supervisor district No. nized; all big economic enterprises to 3, whose northern boundary is the Oregon line, decided to remain dry at an their heads, hands and feet burned. election yesterday, b, a vote of 222

The district voted dry several years ago, but following the election in Alturas which closed saloons in that city, an effort was made to have liquor icenses in district No. 3. The state line precinct was the only one to give wets a majority. From the Nevada safety of East Prussia from Russia destate line near Reno to the Canada mands the annexation of the adjacent, boundary line through California east

Another Gigantic Army Is Being Raised to Pursue Campaign.

I specially state that I do not give vanoff, Russian Minister of War, an- roof of the house was burned.

Warren Pershing, Boy of 5, Only Is Left.

WIFE AND 3 CHILDREN DE

Home at Presidio Destroyed as Occupants Sleep.

4 OTHERS ESCAPE FLAMES

Wife of Lieutenant Boswell, Her Two Children and Maid, Saved by Leaping From Porch. Cause of Blaze Is Mystery.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27 .- Warren Pershing, five-year-old son of Briga-dier-General John J. Pershing, rescued which his mother and his three sisters, by all the latest methods known to States is inadequately prepared to re-Mary Margaret, Anna and Helen, were military engineers. The Russian armies sist invasion by a hostile European the home-coming of his father.

General Pershins, commanding supply of ammunition. For this reason troops on the Mexican border, left El military writers here are of the opinion Paso today when informed that his that Grand Duke Nicholas now should and the election of William Spry, Govwife and three of his four children be able to make a stand, as the Austrowere dead. He will arrive here Sunday morning.

United States Senator Francis E. Warren, father of Mrs. Pershing, will fall of Warsaw and the occupation of come here from Cheyenne, Wyo. Only One Child Left.

Warren, the only one left topight of General Pershing's family of five, is mothered by General Hospi-Lettermann picked up unconscious on the floor of his bedroom by officers and men who tories across the German border, crawled through the burning house searching for Mrs. Pershing and her four children. Warren revived quickly. The others were dead when the rescuers reached them, suffocated and

Mrs. Walter O. Boswell, wife of Lieutenant Boswell, Twenty-first Infantry and her maid, leaped from the porch roof to the ground, after throwing Mrs. Boswell's two children down to officers and men, aroused by her cries and the noise of crackling wood.

Cause of Fire Mystery.

The bodies of the four victims were padly burned. The fire is believed to cessions to be made Bulgaria. have been caused by a night lamp, although this was said to be only conjecture. A burst of flame rfom the roof of the General's big two-story frame house, which stands on the pa-RUSSIA CALLS 2,000,000 Trade ground directly in front of head-quarters' flagpole, was the first inti-later of Munitions, is being interpreted Federal or state, should give four years mation of trouble.

rushed to the house, and believing that of their leaders. the occupants had all escaped, centered LONDON, Aug. 28.-General Poli- their energies on the flames. Only the

Friday's War Moves

THE Germans, in full possession of the entire Brest-Litovsk line, have resumed the offensive in the Baltic provinces and are pressing the Russians both in the districts southeast of Mitau and to the east of Kovno, in an effort to reach the main line of rail-way which passes through Vilna and Dvinsk to Petrograd. This may in time prove the most important of the Ger man operations, although at present they are usin- more troops in the pur-

suit of the sains who are retiring from the view and the line on the course of the cou of Kovno, the armies of Field Marshal von Hindenburg will be rein forced and make another attempt to cut off the retreat of the Russians. It is believed, however, that it now is too late to accomplish this purpose,

The Russians apparently had evacu ated Brest-Litovsk and Olita before the Germans arrived, as the latter made no claim to the capture of guns and booty. The Austrian official report states that Archduke Joseph Fer dinand found the town of Kamienies Litovsk in flames when he arrived. There are indications, therefore, that the Russians still are carrying to the rear everything movable that might prove of use to the invaders, and burn ing what they are unable to take with

The intimation that the Russians have fortified another front pending an opportunity for a renewed offensive has early to-day from his burning home received some confirmation. It is stated at the Presidio of San Francisco, in that the new line is being strengthened ference today agreed that the United suffocated and burned, awalted tonight still are intact, with virtually all their force. guns, and prospects of a more plentiful German losses must have been very heavy, especially during the three the outstanding features of the closing session. Brest-Litovsk.

The capture of several German trenches in the Vosges was reported by Paris last night, but what is considered more significant is the contin tal at the Presidio. He was used activity of the air squadron, which taken there today when he was has been bombarding German positions in France as well as munitions fac-

from the Dardanelles or the Balkans. but it is now certain that Serbia is willing to make certain sacrifices to satisfy Bulgaria and gain her co-operation in behalf of the ailles. It may be several days, however, before the only upon the principle involved, and negotiations now are proceeding between Serbia, Greece and Roumania regarding the exact nature of the con-

Wales is threatened with another cal strike as the result of dissatisfaction among the miners with the way in which the settlement recently arby the mine owners. Some 10,000 men of military training to its students. The Presidio Army fire department already are out contrary to the advice

August 28, 1914. War conditions advance wheat prices Battle of millions on: allies fight to

rotect Paris. Armored cruiser North Carolina or-

of Americans. Japan begins bombardment on Kiau-Chau.

British government advised to keep plants being almost entirely within 150 miles of New York City. on "good side" of United States. Wilson holds war exists between Japan and Austria.

GERMANS ACCUSE FRENCH

Alsatian Teutons Pressed Into Military Service, Is Charge,

BERLIN (by wireless to Tuckerton N. J.), Aug. 27 .- "A captured French McGovern, ex-Governor of Wisconsin. officer," says the Overseas News Agency, "carried in his pocket an or- formed," he exclaimed, "by this interder from Minister of War Millerand, national propaganda for peace as it has showing clearly that the French Gov- been advanced in America. Our people ernment had pressed into army service have been over-persuaded by this move-German citizens, inhabitants of Al- ment which has dubbed the officers of

sace-Lorraine. The order divided these into two removed the incentive from office and classes and provided that those willing | man. to fight against Germany should be protected against the death sentence for high treason in case of their cap-

SIGNS UNIFORM ORDER Street Labels, Missing, to Be Re-

placed and System Revised.

Plans are being worked out for a new and modern system of street signs for Portland. Commissioner Dieck yesterday set Municipal Traffic Engineer Kirkpatrick to work devising a means to perfect the system Franklin Fort, of New Jersey, was so that it will be uniform and com-

plete throughout the city. At present hundreds of signs are missing, so that it is difficult for strangers to find streets. There is no uniformity in the choice of location at intersections. It is proposed to include the principal business section in the revised system, since signs are

Germany Releases Mail.

BERLIN (by wireless to Tuckerton, Petrograd says: J.), Aug. 27 .- The Overseas News

Agency today says:

has telegraphed his government that military escorts have been attacked at all the mail carried by the steamer Kenghever by an armed band led by Hankon VII was already on the way to M. O. Schunemann, the German Norway. The mail pouches were sular agent at Tabriz. They defended

GOVERNORS AGREE

Resistance Power Is Deemed Inadequate.

AID BY STATES IS URGED

Training in All Universities Is Advocated.

FOREIGN WAR IS DREADED

Munitions Factories All Declared to Be Too Near Atlantic Coast. Increase of Standing Army and Reserve Is Held Necessary.

BOSTON, Aug. 27. - A majority of lovernors and ex-state executives, delegates to the Governors' here, at the final session of the con-

Discussion of naval and military preparedness; selection of Salt Lake City ennor of Utah, to be chairman of the conference executive committee.

No resolutions on the subject of pre-aredness were proposed, but several of the executives said they feit certain that all the Governors would return to their states with the intention of demanding from their Congressmen suport in any programme for ening the forces of the defense.

The discussion by the Governors was prefaced by remarks by William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, speaking, he said, not in behalf of the Administration, but as a member of it. Secretary Redfield urged restraint of speech and soberness of thought in

what he termed these trying times. Under the head "What Should Be the State's Duty in the Matter of National Defense?" Governor James F. Fielder, Serbian reply to the representations of Defense?" Governor James F. Fielder, the entente powers is received. The of New Jersey, urged an increase in vote of the Serbian Parliament was the standing army by at least 25,000 men, with an adequate line of trained reservists. He said he felt that the states should be ready at all times to furnish 250,000 men to this reserve

Training in Colleges Urged.

Governor E. F. Dunne, of Illinois, said he felt the Nation's main reliance for a reserve force might well be found in a requirement that every col-"If war were declared on the United States by any of the principal European nations tomorrow it must be

admitted our situation would be a precarlous one," he said. Referring to the need of a great upply of munitions, as developed by Euorpean war, Governor lered to Turkey to carry gold for relief said that any fleet from Great Britain or Germany could take possession or destroy all means of manufacturing ammunition in the United States, such

> Europe Said to Be Weakening. Governor Park Trammell, of Florida, said that he felt that dependence was to be placed in the citizen soldiery, and was applicated when he added:

"If the European war lasts two years more, as seems likely, there will not be a first-class army or navy in the world except our own."

A new note was struck by Francis E. "We have been mentally chloroour state militia 'tin soldiers' and has

Danger Is Minimized.

"I believe there is as little danger to the Nation today as at any time in a score of years. Nevertheless, we can never be secure until we put the country in a state of real preparedness, such as its vast interests demand."

The conference during the forencon considered conservation of mankind and natural resources, as discussed by John A. Dix, ex-Governor of New York, and by Governor Ernest C. Lister, of Wash-

ington. Governor Henry C. Stuart, of Virginia and Governor Arthur Capper, of Kansas, were elected members of the executive committee. Ex-Governor John again chosen treasurer and Miles C. RHey, of Madison, Wis., was re-elected

CONSULS FIGHT MOB BACK

secretary.

Attack on Russian and British Officials Reported Led by German.

LONDON, Aug. 27 .- A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from

"A telegram received here from Teperan, Persia, reports that the Rus-The Norwegian minister at Berlin sian and British consuls and their pened and searched for contraband themselves with rifles, but suffered some losses.

