

RUSSIA AGAIN WILL USE DEATH PENALTY

Kerensky Declares Discipline
in Army Necessary, Though
It "Hurt to Very Soul."

RIGHTS GIVEN TO WOMEN

Sex Disregarded in Appointment
to Government Service—Coun-
tess Panin Named Head of
Public Instruction.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—At the conclusion of the Moscow conference Premier Kerensky announced the partial re-establishment of the death penalty as a necessary measure of army discipline, according to the Central News Petrograd correspondent, who quotes the Premier as saying:

"As Minister of Justice I abolished the death penalty, but as Minister of War I decided it necessary partially to re-establish it. This re-establishment hurts to the very soul, but for the salvation of the country we will kill with all our might. The army must be organized and disciplined, each combatant occupying his proper place and each recognizing his duty as well as his right."

"The disciplinary tribunals will be conserved and will receive the authority indispensable for the maintenance of the army as an efficient organization."

PETROGRAD, Aug. 30.—The provisional government has authorized the admission of women to all forms of state service on the same conditions as men.

RUSSIA NOW BARS PACIFISTS

Provisional Government Takes Steps
to Prevent Rumored Revolt.

SEATTLE, Aug. 30.—Russian Consul Bogolavsky today received from the Russian embassy in Washington the following instructions:

"The boundary of Russia is closed to pacifists and Maximalists and persons opposing the government will not be allowed to enter Russia until the end of the war."

"No petition called to Russia will be answered, in accordance with an order just issued by the certificate military staff of the Russian army."

"The Russian consulate can extend no special courtesies, as it can be responsible for every violation of these strict regulations."

No Russian can leave America without first obtaining a new passport from a consulate. The passport will be issued only after an investigation of the applicant is made in Russia.

It will require three or four months for the applicant for a passport to receive one from the Russian government.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 30.—Another attempt at revolt by the Maximalist faction in Russia which will bring them into power is prophesied by M. Kiriloff, a Bulgarian Socialist, in an interview in the Vossische Zeitung, of Berlin.

The signal for the revolt, he says, will be given from Kronstadt, which, as well as the Russian fleet in the Baltic, is under the influence of Nikolai Lenin and his adherents.

PEACE OFFER MADE TO RUSSIA

Socialist Paper "Calls" Quibble of
Semi-Official Paper's Denial.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 30.—The statement that an offer of a separate peace was made to Russia recently by the German government, published in the Socialist newspaper, Vorwaerts, of Berlin. It is brought out by the assertion of Premier Kerensky, of Russia, in his speech at the Moscow conference that Russia "a little time ago" replied indignantly to a proposal to conclude a separate peace, and that in an interview "we witnessed another attempt, equally base, directed against our allies."

In this connection the semi-official Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung is again detected by the German press in an attempt to throw dust in the eyes of the world and the German public by ostensibly denying Premier Kerensky's account of the overtures to Russia and its allies which it characterized as in reality being no denial at all. The Tageblatt, the Vorwaerts and the Vossische Zeitung call attention to a trick of the semi-official press in denying overtures were made by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, whereas M. Kerensky did not mention the former Chancellor, specifying that the proposal to Russia's allies was made a few days ago—that is, since the retirement of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg.

The Vorwaerts adds that such an offer was actually made to Russia, although not by Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg. It says the organ of Chancellor Michaelis would be right in claiming that Germany had done what it could to open a path to peace. In an interview the Reichstag's peace resolutions if Dr. Michaelis had acted from the standpoint of the resolution without conditions, wavering and reservations.

WILSON HEARS FROM RUSSIA

Resolution Says Enthusiastic Cheers
Greeted America's Message.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The reply of the Moscow conference to the greeting of President Wilson in the form of a resolution was received today and follows:

"The message of greeting of the President of the United States to the Moscow state council, being read in conference on August 27, the council has manifested by enthusiastic cheers its gratitude for the wishes formulated by the President, emphasizing that the feeling of the great American democracy and its faith in the common triumph of the allies for the sake of justice and liberty are shared by all the people of Russia."

CLACKAMAS CERTIFIES 47

Certification of Five More Will
Complete County's Quota.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The following 47 men have been

Lyric Theater opens Sunday, Sept. 2, in the big musical comedy, "MONEY TO BURN." 35 people in the cast, featuring Ben Dillon and Al Franks. Doors open at 1 P. M.

THE MORNING OREGONIAN

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certified by the District Board of Division No. 1 for service in the National Army from Clackamas County:

Fred Aune, West Linn; Albert Zerke, Willamette; Carl Newberger, Oregon City; Lawrence Barnes, Sherwood, Route 5; Edgar Stewart, Oregon City, Route 3; Will Foster, Oswego; Axel Anderson, Hoff, Route 1; Elmer Johnson, Cherryville; Clarence Conner, Milwaukie; Robert Mattoon, Oregon City; Roy Anthony, New Era; George Bertrand, Molalla; Champion Chamberlain, Milwaukie, Route 1; Arnold Schneider, Oregon City; John Hinde, Oregon City, Route 2; Jacob Kraft, Canby, Wilson Test, Eagle Creek; William Tevlin, Gresham, Route 4; Enrico Olson, Oregon City; Phillip Hammond, Oregon City; Joseph Welch, Gresham; Arthur Farr, Liberal; Maynard Cole, Milwaukie, Route 2; Anton Olson, Mount Angel; Otto Hogg, Parkplace; Ralph Mandeville, Canby, Route 2; Abraham Amels, Milwaukie; Dr. Paul, Milwaukie; Roy Frank, Boring, Route 2; Charles Lindquist, West Linn; Robert Quinn, Oregon City; John Hoffman, Sandy; Jake Mitts, Canby; Frank Ishart, Sandy; William Dale, Betscadia; John McDubbin, Oregon City, Route 2; Charles Mott, Oregon City; David Humphrey Thomas, Oregon City, Route 1; Russell C. Scramlin, Aurora, Route 1; William Walsh, Gresham; Adeline Stefanski, Molalla; Ernest J. Bauer, Sherwood, Route 2; Carl Baxter Mumpower, Oregon; Harry Crawford Reid, Betscadia; Garland E. Holwell, Milwaukie, Route 1.

Clackamas County's quota is 52 men. The rest probably will be certified within a day or two.

DANIELS ADMITS DELAY

FAR-SIGHTED ADVOCATES OF PRE-
PARATION IGNORED.

Programme of Preparation Now Will
Continue Until Treaty of Peace
Actually Signed.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 30.—Secretary Daniels, speaking here today at the breaking of ground for the Government armorplate and projectile plant, declared that America is fighting not only for the democratic nations of the world but is waging "the battle of the people of the German empire themselves."

"Germany began this war for 'a place in the sun,'" said the Secretary. "It has conducted it with the idea that it must have the place in the sun—and the only place. We believe that there can be no place in the sunshine for any Nation on earth underneath the ominous shadow of the Prussian eagle, no sunshine even for the people of Germany themselves."

"Let there be no fear that rumors of peace or possibilities of a cessation of the struggle will cause us to remit our activities on sea and shore," he said. "Not until the peace treaty is actually signed will we remit one single item from our programme of preparation. Our citizens need have no fear that we will be lulled into any relaxation or deceived by the mirage of peace which is no peace into slackening of our activities."

Mr. Daniels asserted that "in preparing for a terrible war the Navy is taking the surest means to bring about an early and effective peace."

The Secretary declared that the Government had been diligent in providing for its war needs. Had attention been given to the far-sighted advocates of preparedness, he said, the country would not have been left with wholly inadequate facilities.

PAPER PRICE IS FIXED

GOVERNMENT DEMANDS SUPPLY
FOR "BULLETIN" AT 2½ CENTS.

Publishers Believe Action Will Result
in Lowering Price of Print Stock
for All Newspapers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—In an order which newspaper publishers declare will serve as an important precedent, President Wilson has fixed a price of 2½ cents on news print paper for publishing the Government Daily Official Bulletin.

The order fixing the price was issued by Secretary Baker at the President's direction under the National-defense act, which empowers the Government to commandeer supplies needed for war purposes. It was directed to the International Paper Company, which had declined to furnish news print for the Bulletin at less than 3 cents a pound.

Newspaper publishers who learned of the order today voiced the hope that it might open the way for cheaper news print to publishers generally. They called attention to statements by the President, and that the Administration's war-price policy will be one that provides the same price for the public as the Government.

The President's action was taken at the instance of the Joint Congressional committee on printing, of which Senator Fletcher is chairman.

Senator Fletcher went to the Federal Trade Commission for its cost of production figures and the committee decided the International could sell at 2½ cents and still make a fair profit. The result was that the President directed Mr. Baker to go ahead, and the International was ordered to supply a sufficient amount of paper to print the Bulletin at 2½ cents.

Wireless Calls Father at Sea

to Baby's Burial.

Grim-Vigilant War Yields Time to
Parental Love.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 30.—"Some day I'll come back to you, little boy," said Lionel Thorogood, naval militia man, as he gravely returned the smiling salute of his 3-year-old son, Donald, and said good-bye to the boy and his mother here one day last April before returning to his ship.

Several hundred miles out in the Atlantic last Monday Thorogood was taking his turn at the watch on a United States battleship. One message, wireless brought him the following message:

"Your son Donald dead. Funeral Wednesday afternoon, Can you come?" The captain of the battleship was appealed to.

The battleship sent several wireless messages to his sister ships in the vicinity. Soon a gray form appeared and the bereaved father was transferred to another ship. After a few hours a torpedo-boat was sighted and Thorogood transferred to his third ship.

A port was reached and a taxicab rushed the father to a funeral home for Cleveland. Another taxicab rushed him from the train to his home yesterday, one hour before the funeral took place.

Two Thrashing Machines Burned.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Aug. 30.—(Special.)—With the wheat thrashing season almost finished, only two thrashing machines have been destroyed by explosion and fire this year. One machine was destroyed by smut explosion near Nez Perce, damaging a few sacks of grain, while another thrashing outfit was destroyed by fire near Potlatch. In the latter case about 300 sacks of wheat burned.

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Artillerymen Exceed Infantry
on Verdun Front.

GERMAN GUNS SILENCED

Austrians Rally for Counter-Attacks
on Gorizia Front, but Are Repulsed—Russian Regiment Leaves Field and Disperses.

BERLIN, via London, Aug. 30.—The artillery fighting in the Verdun sector reached a point of great violence yesterday evening, the War Office announced today.

PARIS, Aug. 30.—German attacks on the Verdun front last night were repulsed completely, the War Office announced. The French penetrated German trenches in Champagne, taking prisoners and a machine gun.

The number of artillerymen employed in the recent operations in the Verdun region was greater than the number of infantrymen put into the battle line.

The surprising fact is explained by the correspondent of the Temps at Verdun as being due to the difficulty of the gunners' tasks in addition to the immense number of cannon. Heavy shells had to be carried to the guns for hours at a stretch by men who were compelled to wear masks which rendered breathing difficult and obstructed their vision.

The correspondent adds that the object of the artillery now is less directed to destroying enemy guns than to forcing the German gunners to suspend service and seek shelter. For this purpose, he says, gas shells are employed largely.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—"The enemy artillery was active during the night in the Neuport sector," says today's War Office statement. "The weather was stormy and wet."

ROME, Aug. 30.—Austrian counter attacks in force were made yesterday against the new Italian position on the front above Gorizia, the War Office reports. Everywhere the Austrians were driven back to some point, and the Italians made further gains.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 30.—A large proportion of two Russian regiments in the Fokshani region on the Roumanian front left their trenches and retired yesterday, says today's War Office statement. The dispersal of one of the regiments followed and measures have been taken, it is stated, to restore the positions affected in the battle now in progress.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 30.—An entente aerial squadron attempted to attack Frankfurt-on-the-Main last Sunday, the Berliner Tageblatt reports. The squadron, which came from the west, is said to have been forced to return when half way between Main and Frankfurt because of the activity of anti-aircraft guns.

VERDUN, Aug. 29 (Delayed).—President Poincaré personally presented today to General Petain, the French Commander-in-Chief, the grand cross of the Legion of Honor, awarded to him several days ago for the recent successes here. The presentation was made in the Place d'Armes.

DELAY ON LOCKS OPPOSED

Oregon City Commercial Club Protests Proposed Postponement.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The board of governors of the Oregon City Commercial Club last night adopted resolutions protesting to the Government against delay in the contemplated improvement of the Willamette Locks.

The Oregon City Transportation Company and logging interests up the river are said to have asked the engineers at Portland to postpone the improvement until next spring, because the locks would be closed for six weeks. Congress has appropriated \$80,000 to

CROP SAVED FROM RODENTS

Oregon to Join North Dakota in
Profit of Millions of Dollars.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—More than \$1,000,000 worth of crops were saved from ground squirrels in North Dakota this year as a result of a campaign conducted by the Department of Agriculture in co-operation with state authorities.

The squirrels on 7,000,000 acres in North Dakota were killed by means of poison at a cost of about 5 cents an acre. Nearly 20,000 farmers assisted in the work.

Similar work has been started in Montana, Idaho and Oregon and interest is being developed in Nevada and California in organizing like campaigns of extermination.

FIRES HIT RUSSIAN CITIES

Martial Law Declared at Kazan
After Many Are Injured.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 30.—Many persons were injured in a fire which broke out in the city of Kazan, on the Kama River, 430 miles east of Moscow, on Monday. The flames spread rapidly and caused much destruction.

Martial law has been proclaimed.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 30.—After the destruction by fire yesterday of an important factory in the Ocha quarter, fire started in another great establishment. The damage is estimated at several million rubles. It is suspected that the fires were started deliberately.

McLean Will Contest Ended.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The legal contest over the will of the late John R. McLean, millionaire newspaper publisher, of Washington and Cincinnati, was ended today when the local courts decided the petition of Edward B. McLean, his only son, that he be appointed one of the executors of the estate.

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104 UTILITY CASES UP

COMMISSION NEARLY SWAMPED
BY MASS OF WORK.

Railroad Questions Form Bulk of Problems to Be Threshed Out at Hearings That Are Set.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The Public Service Commission now has on its docket 104 cases brought by formal complaint.

Of this number 63 are railroad cases, 25 cases relate to public utilities and 16 relate to logging franchises.

Probably at no time in the history of the Commission has it been confronted with such a great amount of work as at present, and it was stated at the Commission's offices today that for a number of weeks the Commissioners have been active at a steady round of hearings which have required the use of every night for traveling and each day for listening to arguments.

CANDY WORKERS STRIKE

Seattle Employees Insist Upon Recognition of Union.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 30.—Four hundred and fifty candy workers, mostly women and girls, struck today in three of the largest candy and biscuit plants in Seattle, closing the factories. The strikers demand higher wages and recognition of the union.

The factories are willing to grant the increase of wages, but refuse to recognize the union. Bakers, teamsters, engineers and elevator employees struck with the women. One biscuit company has a large order for the Army cantonment at American Lake for immediate delivery.

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Multnomah Falls	1.00	1.20	1.50
Oregon City	1.10	1.30	1.50
Honolulu	1.25	1.35	1.50
Eagle Creek	1.25	1.60	1.65

Train leaves Union Station 7:50 a. m.; returning arrives Portland 5:30 p. m. Sunday and Labor Day Tickets are good on train leaving Union Station 11 p. m. previous day.

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