

AMERICANS TO BE WITH SLAVS SOON

First Group of Hospital Ambulances Will Be on Russian Front in Two Weeks.

HOPE FOR FUTURE IS SEEN

Colonel Kolpaschnikov, of Red Cross, Says That He Expects Present Deplorable Situation Will Be Improved.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 30.—The first new group of hospital ambulances donated by Americans, largely through the efforts of Colonel Andrew Kolpaschnikov, ex-commander of the 21st mobile column of the Red Cross on the battle-front, will be in service in close contact with the American mission to Roumania within a fortnight.

Americans Are Wanted. "What Russia particularly wants is not by any means only splendidly equipped hospitals and motor ambulances, but also an American personnel from whose methods and general bearing every Russian recognizes that there is much of value to be learned."

Colonel Kolpaschnikov, making clear that he was not speaking in an official capacity, continued: "Russia possesses an enormous territory that is sparsely populated, yet the fall of Riga appears to be regarded as involving, indeed almost including, the fall of Petrograd. We naturally are strongly affected by the loss of Riga, but I think the general feeling among all true Russians is intense indignation at the manner of the fall of the city and this feeling leaves little room for mere regret."

Internal Reforms Needed. "It is not Germany who is eating up the country so much as the internal enemy. I do not believe that the Germans will venture to prolong the battle lines another 300 miles into Russia across the region that is largely swamp land and roadless."

Reserve Bank to Open. FEDERAL BRANCH BEGINS TO DO BUSINESS TODAY. List of Directors for New Institution Expected to Arrive by Mail This Morning.

The Portland branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco will be opened this morning at 2 o'clock in quarters fitted up in the south end of the old quarters of the Lumbermens National Bank, on Stark and Fifth streets.

The bank will open with a considerable volume of business at the start, as Portland bankers realize that it must be self-supporting if it is to remain in Portland.

The directors are chosen from the banks in the Portland area, of the Twelfth District and probably will be from bankers out of Portland, although a list of five directors, selected and approved by the Twelfth Federal Reserve District officials, has been prepared, but had not reached Portland last night.

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PEACE ON EARTH IS KUEHLMANN'S WISH

German Foreign Secretary Says Nation Will Fight if It Must, but Would End War.

POPE'S NOTE IS INDORSED

Idea of Crushing Germany and Making It Weak Federation of States Declared to Be Chimerical and Delusion.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—Dr. von Kuehlmann, German Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in referring to the Pope's peace note, said: "It stands like a strongly constructed building, in which each stone is so firmly fixed that any attempt to remove it could react only to the injury of those who engage in the task."

Enemies Have Delusions. "When the young power, Germany, nearly 50 years ago entered into the circle of old powers she was greeted by nobody with great enthusiasm, but these 50 years have proved more than abundantly that the new power brought strength to the whole of Europe."

Peace Talk Is Strong. "The papal note has once again brought the nations of Europe to a parting of the ways and again the possibility has been created before beginning the winter campaign to march forward toward the reconstruction of new Europe, wherein each nation, though bleeding from death wounds, may hear an unswerving shield."

AMERICANS AID INJURED. DOCTORS AND NURSES AT BRITISH AND FRENCH FRONTS.

ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE WHEREBY ALL MEMBERS OF MEDICAL CORPS WILL GET CHANCE FOR EXPERIENCE.

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Sept. 30.—While awaiting field experience with their own troops, the Army hospitals in the American zone are sending mobile units composed of doctors, nurses and orderlies to both the French and British fronts.

GUARD UNITS TO BE JOINED. Some Consolidation Required That Troops May Be Sent Early.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Consolidation of National Guard regiments from different states is in some cases essential to the early dispatch of National Guard divisions to France.

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Secretary Baker last night to lodge in person his objection to steps taken by Army officials with regard to the Missouri National Guard. He will see Mr. Baker again Monday, but there is no prospect that the consolidation policy will be denied.

Nurse for Lewis County Desired. CENTRALIA, Wash., Sept. 30.—(Special.)—Figures received here yesterday from the Anti-Tuberculosis League of the state show that there were 1228 deaths from tuberculosis in Washington in 1916. Pierce, King, Skagit, Snohomish and Walla Walla counties are employing visiting nurses who have approximately 400 cases under their supervision, and representatives of Lewis County commercial organizations will ask the County Commissioners for an appropriation for the employment of a nurse.

Anti-Trust Law Suspension Bobs Up. WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—After having passed the House, only to be crowded out in the Senate, the bill to suspend the anti-trust laws enough to permit American manufacturers to combine in foreign selling agencies is about to meet the same fate again. Senator Pomerene, who has it in charge, told the Senate Saturday he would bring it up at the session beginning in December.

James Clarence Harvey Is Dead. NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—James Clarence Harvey, actor, poet and playwright, died here yesterday.

Mileage advertisement for Red Crown Gasoline, featuring a crown logo and the text 'Because of its continuous chain of boiling points, Red Crown gives you more miles to the dollar.'

Dependable Coffee advertisement, featuring a logo of a person with a coffee pot and the text 'Freshly Roasted—Dependable Coffee. Tastes Better—Goes Further. At Your Dealer's—40c Lb. Country Club, 35c—Hess, 30c.'

Pyrene advertisement, featuring a logo of a crown and the text 'Do you love your wife? Don't let her risk being burned alive. Get Pyrene for your home and automobile. \$10 buys Pyrene and bracket. At all Hardware and Auto Supply Dealers in this City. Pyrene KILLS FIRE SAVES LIFE.'