

GERMANY WILLING TO COMPLY WITH TREATY

American Appointed High Commissioner for Turkey.

REPATRIATION IS DESIRED

Hindenburg Assumes Guilt for Staff Acts and Orders in Effort to Protect ex-Kaiser.

Paris, July 5.—(By the Associated Press.)

Baron Kurt von Lersner of the German peace delegation has sent a note from Versailles saying German experts are prepared to meet those of the allies for consideration of questions involved in turning over to the allied countries coal, dyestuffs, shipbuilding materials and other commodities specified in the peace treaty.

Germany Want to Make Reparation.

Germany has indicated her desire to begin immediately her compliance with the terms of the peace treaty regarding reparations. Her request for oral conferences of German economic experts with allied experts has been granted by the allies.

Frontier Questions Considered.

The peace conference commission on geographical frontiers also met today to draft an answer to the note of the Austrian delegation on the future frontiers of Austria.

Saloniki, July 5.—Premier Venizelos' announcement to his people of the signing of the German peace treaty at Versailles was issued today.

The world commences to breathe. The strongest of our enemies recognizes his complete defeat and accepts the heavy but necessary burden of the allies. The signing of this peace will be followed rapidly by the submission of our more direct enemies, Bulgaria and Turkey, and this latter action will restore liberty to many thousands of our brothers in the Greek islands as well as to the peoples living there, and will enable Greece again to become a rich state and to enjoy the benefits of peace assured by the league of nations.

London, July 5.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg, former chief of the German staff, declares that he is responsible for acts of German main headquarters since August, 1918, and also the proclamation of the former Emperor William concerning the waging of war.

Hindenburg Assumes Guilt.

The field marshal arrived in Hanover Friday, the dispatch states, and telegraphed the following message to President Ebert: "The signing of the peace treaty gives me occasion for declaring that I am responsible for the decisions and acts of main headquarters since August 29, 1918, and also that all proclamations and orders of his majesty the emperor and king concerning the waging of war and upon my responsibility. I beg you therefore to inform the German people and the allied governments of this declaration."

British Airship Located.

The Maine coast in answer to wireless calls from the giant airship to the navy department at Washington. After a long fight with fog and contrary winds the commander of the dirigible flashed a message that his petrol supply was falling rapidly and that assistance might be needed.

Three Rescue Ships Start.

In answer to the message the American naval authorities ordered the converted yacht U. S. S. Stilla, the nearest available vessel, to start from Machias Bay, Me. Sincerely had the yacht cleared when she was followed by the submarine chaser 497 from Bar Harbor, and shortly afterward the U. S. destroyer Stevens steamed out of Boston harbor under forced draught.

From St. John a Cordon of British Tugs was Thrown out, and in the stormy Bay of Fundy the French cruiser Somme answered the summons, starting south in an effort to cross the path of the airship.

Sky Traveler Is Sighted.

All day long every wireless station from the northern coast of Newfoundland to the mouth of the Hudson was manned by eager listeners and watchers, who strained every eye and ear for sight or signal of the traveler of the skies. But only once did she emerge long enough from the mists to be recognized. This glimpse was caught from the little Nova Scotian town of Harrabero, 25 miles west of Halifax, the town at which the Handley-Page biplane, in flight from Harbor Grace, N. F., to Mineola, N. Y., made a forced landing early this morning. The mammoth airship passed directly over the lighthouse of the port at 2:15 this afternoon.

When first sighted she appeared to be down by the head, but before she had passed out of sight had apparently righted herself and was proceeding on an even keel. Sailors watchers estimated that she was making about 45 knots an hour.

Fuel Supply Getting Low.

The first intimation of possible trouble was contained in a wireless message intercepted at 11 A. M. and addressed to the British admiralty in which Major Scott, commander of the dirigible, reported that his fuel was getting low. Three previous messages, giving position, had concluded with a cheery "all well."

Five minutes after the message to the admiralty, Commander Zachary Lansdowne, N. S. N., invited to take part in the flight as a courtesy to the American government, sent a query to the navy department on behalf of Major Scott, asking if a destroyer could proceed to the Bay of Fundy, "if required." In less than three hours another message asked Washington if destroyers were coming and two hours later a more urgent appeal flashed to the navy department that the dirigible would meet the super-Zeppelin "at earliest possible moment."

Wireless Gear Disabled.

Earlier in the day wireless experts had expressed the opinion that something had gone wrong with the R-34 receiving wireless apparatus, and this opinion was confirmed by the apparent difficulty in communicating to the airship word that the American naval authorities were doing everything in their power to render the assistance asked for.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 5.—The British dirigible R-34, en route from Scotland to the United States, was sighted at Digby, N. S., at 7 P. M. local time, tonight, and then headed in the direction of Yarmouth, according to wireless messages received here.

A later message received here reported the R-34 had passed over Saultville, midway between Digby and Yarmouth, at 8:30 P. M. The fact that the dirigible R-34, en route from Scotland favorable conditions, was intercepted by naval officers here as indicating she had enough fuel to carry her to Mineola, N. Y.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—A message tonight to the navy department from the R-34, somewhat garbled in transmission, appealed for gasoline and hydrogen gas and indicated that a forced landing at Chatham, Mass., was contemplated.

The message, which came through heavy interference, was received at 7:47 o'clock tonight and read: "Gasoline, R-34 wishes to land at Chatham. Can you supply hydrogen and gasoline early tomorrow morning?" Navy officials said the message probably indicated the dirigible was in a bad plight.

MONTAUK POINT OBJECTIVE

British Officer Urges Dirigible to Prolong Flight.

MINNEOLA, N. Y., July 5.—Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Lucas, R. A. F., in charge of British arrangements here for the arrival of the dirigible R-34, sent a wireless message to the airship's commander tonight urging that he try to proceed as far as Montauk Point before alighting for fuel. He suggested that American destroyers be sent to tow the dirigible to Montauk Point.

MINNEOLA, N. Y., July 5.—A wireless message from the R-34, relayed here from Boston, indicated that the high-power radio was out of commission, it read:

"High power off except on half-kilowatt set." Officers feared this mishap might make it difficult for naval craft to locate the dirigible in the dark.

Captain C. T. Craven, director of American naval aviation here, left tonight for Boston in case the dirigible is forced to land at Chatham. Craven was accompanied by Major Hugh Fuller, R. A. F., who had charge of arrangements for the landing here. Two other American naval officers were in the party.

WOMAN ROBS YOUNG ASTOR

Theft of Purse on U-Boat to Aid Soldiers Revealed.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Theft of a purse containing \$1800 from Lieutenant Vincent Astor, U. S. N. R., while he was returning recently to America on the German U-boat 115, was revealed here today by Mrs. J. A. Maccoil, known as "Mother Maccoil," for her interest in soldiers and sailors, against whom charges have been made.

Announcing that she was going to Washington to intercede in behalf of a woman held in connection with the theft, "Mother Maccoil" declared that Mr. Astor was averse to prosecuting him, but felt that, as a naval officer, he was compelled to make the charge.

Film Shows Five Knockdowns.

CLEVELAND, July 5.—The uncertainty as to the number of times James Willard was knocked down by Jack Dempsey, in the first round of the championship contest at Toledo on July 4, was settled tonight when the first screening of the fight picture film registered five clean knockdowns by Dempsey.

Oregonians at Tacoma.

TACOMA, Wash., July 5.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kingsley of Hermiston, Or., are among the Tacoma weekend visitors. They motored up Thursday and are remaining over Sunday. Mr. Kingsley was formerly a lieutenant stationed at Camp Lewis.

Clemenceau Inspects Ruins.

PARIS, July 5.—Premier Clemenceau left tonight for a tour of the ruins devastated in the war to inquire into the measures to be taken for reconstruction.



Bare Floors Make a Room Cold and Uninviting Give Yours Attention Now

Clearance Sale of Sample Furniture

which is soiled or slightly scratched, together with discontinued patterns, starts tomorrow. Furnishings for every room of your home await your selection. Just you see the Fifth St. windows. A trip through the store this week will be even more interesting.

First Come 1200 Yards of Quality Linoleums at 69c--98c--\$1.19--\$1.69

- Per Square Yard—Measure Your Floors
LOT 1—Those at 69c are the Felt and Fiber Base—thick, durable, sanitary and waterproof quality.
LOT 2—Printed Linoleums with Burlap Backs. (Only two patterns—58 yds. of one and 119 yds. of the other.)
LOT 3—Heavy Burlap-Back Prints. Four patterns with a reserve stock of 500 yards—all choice, too.
LOT 4—Consists of over 400 yards of Inlaid-patterns that for some unknown reason have not been selling. Whether your kitchen is light or dark there's a pattern here you'll like.

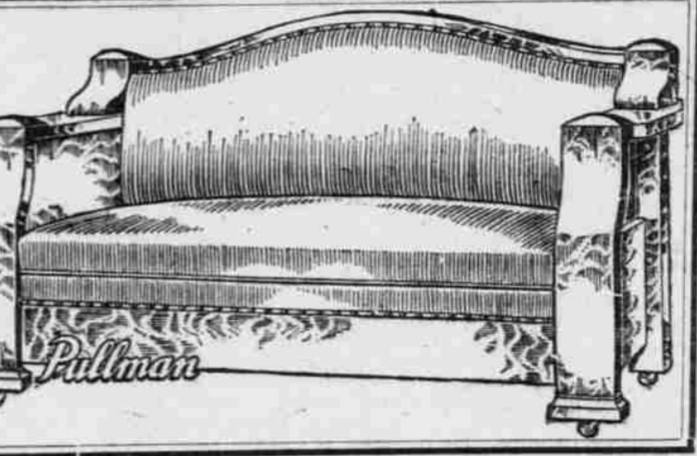


SAVE ON THIS Two-Room Outfit!

The eleven pieces similar to illustrations on sale now at \$99.85 \$10 Cash—\$2 Week—No Interest
Four-Piece Living Room Suite
Seven-Piece Dining-Room Suite

Pullman Revolving Seat Bed Davenport \$79.65

\$10 Cash—\$2 Week—No Interest
Massive Oak Frame—Seat and back upholstered with heavy mule cord—a rich brown-colored covering with extraordinary wearing qualities. With one motion the seat revolves and a fins link spring comes forth ready to make a big, comfortable bed.

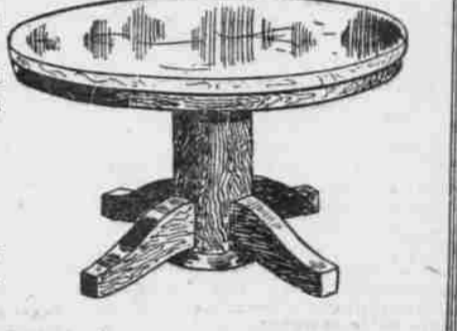


Beautiful Baronial Brown Art-Weave Chairs \$9.65
Rockers to Match \$9.95
—Just the thing to tone up your home. Serviceable? Indeed they are, built of strong all-wood frames, artistically woven and finished in rich baronial brown as stated above. Goes fine with oak.

Dining Tables on Sale—in the Fifth St. Windows

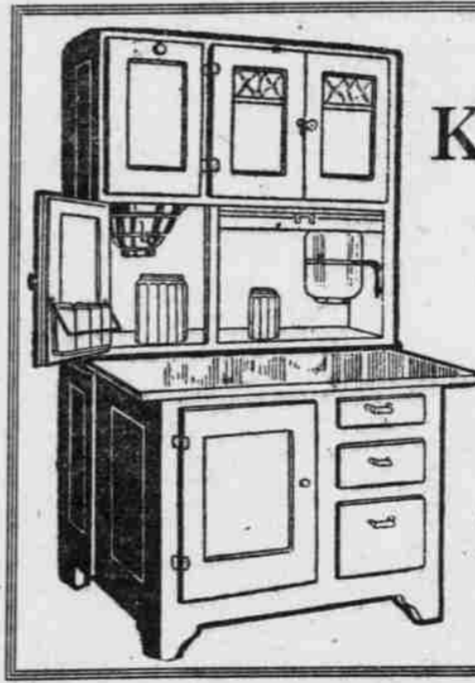
Regular Cut and Quarter-Sawned Tops in waxed and fumed finishes, also William and Mary period styles. You'll find high quality Tables at such interesting prices as these.

- \$16.75, \$19.80, \$22.85, \$26.75, \$29.95, \$34.50, \$39.75, \$44.85



Then Too—

—There are Beds, Dressers, Dressing Tables, Chiffoniers, Bedroom Chairs and Rockers—right down the line, all the discontinued numbers are decorated with Special Sale cards.
OVERSTUFFED DAVENPORTS
OVERSTUFFED CHAIRS
OVERSTUFFED ROCKERS
—Of course, not all of them are included, but there are at least a dozen fine pieces with special tags—maybe just the one you like best; these are on the first floor. Stop in tomorrow.

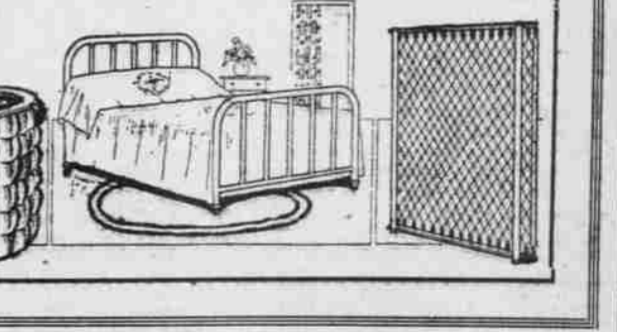


Kitchen Cabinets \$39.85

Big—Commodious—Convenient—Complete MASTER MODEL
with white porcelain extension work tables
\$5 Cash—\$1 Week—No Interest
They have—
White enamel upper interiors.
Top flour bin with sifter.
Glass sugar, coffee, tea and spice jars with aluminum screw caps.
Metal-lined cake and bread drawers.
Two spacious linen and silver drawers.
Utensil compartment with center shelf.
Oh yes; roll-open front and metal door and drawer grips.
Stands 55 inches high and 46 inches wide.
Golden polished, front and sides, finish.
Organize your kitchen work like a modern business office. This "Master Model" kitchen Cabinet will bring to you unconfined kitchen joy. Needless moves and wasted moments will be saved. YES, INDEED, this Cabinet will be in your kitchen A Much-Appreciated Servant

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FIFTH-OAK-STREETS
JUST TWO BLOCKS NORTH OF WASHINGTON.

Just an Extra Special!
Bed, Spring and Mattress \$29.50
\$5 Cash—\$1 Week—No Interest
—One-inch continuous post iron bed—square, instead of diamond-shaped link spring (as illustrated)—thick and comfortable all-cotton mattress in a flower-strewn art tick.



FLAG DISPLAY ATTRACTS
Exhibition of 26 National Emblems
Interests Hood Visitors.
HOOD RIVER, Or., July 5.—(Special.)—One of the most interesting features of Hood River decorations yesterday was a display of the flags of 26 nations on the courthouse grounds made by Ernest V. Jensen, former local resident, who is now a decorator and modeler of Portland.
With the Stars and Stripes floating in the breeze in the center, the colors of the other countries were planted on either flank. Many of the flags had never been seen before by Hood River people. Among them was an Armenian flag loaned to Mr. Jensen by the Armenian people of Portland.
Oregon Postmasters Appointed.
OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 5.—Henry Hopkins has been appointed postmaster at Canyonville, Douglas county, Oregon, to succeed Brady P. Burnett, resigned, and Saddle S. Jephcott at Dexter, Lane county, Oregon, to succeed Ida Williams, resigned.

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Does Four Kinds of Laundry
No. 1—High-grade, hand-finished work.
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No. 3—Economy family wash at 5c per lb. All flat pieces ironed and wearing apparel dried in vacuum dryers. No starch.
No. 4—Wet wash. 15 lbs. for 60c Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. 15 lbs. for 65c Thursday, Friday and Saturday. 23 drivers waiting for your phone call.
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