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KOPEK NOW RARELY SEEN

Ten-Thousand-Ruble Notes Brandished by People as if They Represented Farthings.

ON BOARD UNITED STATES DESTROYER, Black Sea—Russian money is one of the cheapest of Russian products. It is literally dispensed in bulk. The old-fashioned pocketbook no longer is sufficiently large to carry one's daily or weekly supply of rubles, of which one American dollar will buy about 4000. In normal times the ruble had an exchange value of about half a dollar.

There is a colony of millionaire Russian refugees in Yalta, a Black sea port, who have to keep their currency in trunks, boxes and barrels. The kopek long since disappeared as a standard unit in Russian money. In Yalta smaller denominations than rubles scarcely exist. People brandish 5000 and 10,000 ruble notes as though they represented only a few farthings.

No Distress in Yalta.
A correspondent of the Associated Press who has just made a tour of the Black sea towns on board the American destroyer Smith-Thompson, found Yalta to be unique among all the cities on the Black sea. It is the only place in southern Russia where one does not see hunger nor distress. At one time it was the summer home of the late emperor of Russia. The bolsheviks have obtained control of it, but have spared the fine imperial palace with its sumptuous garden and decorations of regal grandeur.

There were upward of 20,000 Russian refugees in Yalta when the correspondent visited the city, but the majority of these were well-to-do and able to take care of themselves. In anticipation of bolshevik invasion many of them were preparing to leave for Constantinople, France and England. Those who were temporarily short of money were peddling their diamonds and jewels at a fraction of their cost. Every second store in the town was a clearing house for valuable furs, rugs, trinkets and other personal possessions.

Sebastopol Costed Safe.
Sebastopol, the chief city of the Crimea, had 20,000 refugees, but most of them were satisfied to remain, as they felt Sebastopol was comparatively secure from the bolsheviks. There seemed to be ample food for the population, but the hospitals were short of vital necessities.

In the area north of Novorossk, running as far as Kaban, there are said to be 50,000 refugees who were forced to flee from their homes in Kursk, Poltava, Kiev, Kharkov and other cities. Throughout the towns of southern Russia there is a general prevalence of typhus, due to overcrowding, lack of soap, scarcity of physicians and indifference to cleanliness.

VIENNA.—There is hardly a silver or gold coin to be had in Vienna, owing to hoarding.

In an effort to bring them back into circulation the government is paying 33 paper crowns for each silver crown and 33 in paper for each one of gold.

An illustration of the barter basis on which Austria now finds itself as far as internal trade is concerned, was given at a meeting recently of representatives of the peasants' associations, together with agrarian members of the assembly. When reproached for not allowing food to come to Vienna, they offered to collect the surplus food supplies in the hands of the peasants through their own agencies and deliver it to the central government in exchange for agricultural implements and such articles as they stand in need of. They refused to consider payment in Austrian money.

BERLIN.—Germany's paper money now in circulation amounts to 60,000,000,000 marks and is increasing by 1,000,000,000 marks a week, declares August Mueller, former minister of economics.

The printing of bank notes is the only flourishing industry in Germany today, he writes in an article in the Abendblatt. He attributes the activity of money to government subsidies undertaken in a vain effort to reduce the prices of food and also to an absurdly growing officialdom who find next day they are to be let off, owing to the overnight decline of the buying power of the paper mark.

Germany's indebtedness, says Herr Mueller, is now about 230,000,000,000 marks. This, he adds, is, perhaps, redeemable at any time in the future of the mark, but never if it recovers even half its former value.

Herr Mueller is unable to see a remedy except in increasing production which, he says, seems necessary to preoccupy the present rulers of Germany less than the anxiety to keep in office.

TRAINS ARE TO BE HOTELS

Hospital Cars to Be Converted for American Tourists.

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PARIS, May 29.—(Special.)—To meet the rush of American visitors to the battlefields, which is expected to be in full swing within the next fortnight, and to prevent a lack of hotel accommodations in the war zone, the French National Tourist bureau has arranged to equip hotels all the American hospital trains which were left behind when the doughboys went home.

Strings of these hotel-coaches containing suites of living rooms, single bedrooms, lounge rooms, bars, refreshment halls and restaurants, will be stationed at points along the battle fronts which are most likely to attract the American tourists chiefly in the Argonne, Chateau-Thierry and St. Mihiel regions. The prices for lodging and in the restaurants and bars will vary with the degree of comfort provided—and with the depth of the tourists' purses.

OPPONENTS IN HARMONY

Race Between Abraham and Stanfield Without Sore Spots.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—That the fight over the nomination for United States senator on the republican ticket has left no sore spots is indicated in the fact that Albert Abraham of this city, as soon

as the returns were in and he found his opponent had won, wrote to E. N. Stanfield congratulating him on the result. The following telegram, received here this morning by Mr. Abraham, expresses a harmonious situation and co-operation in winning the fight at the November election:

"To Albert Abraham, Roseburg. I desire to thank you most heartily for your letter of May 22, offering your congratulations and wishes for my success. The spirit of co-operation expressed in your letter is a source of gratification to mine and greatly appreciated. I agree with you that we should look forward with confidence to a correct solution of pending problems by the great leaders of our party at the Chicago convention. R. N. STANFIELD."

RATE RISE IS ATTACKED

MR. COREY WANTS TO SEE MOUNTAIN STATES UNIT.

Increase in Charges in East and South Should Come First Before Those in West, He Says.

SALEM, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—H. H. Corey, member of the Oregon public service commission, in a letter addressed to J. F. Shaughnessy, president of the Intermountain Rate association, urges the intermountain group of states to take a firm stand in opposition to the application for increased rates in that group now pending before the interstate commerce commission, until the exceedingly low rate groups in other sections of the country, more particularly the east and south, are equalized upward to somewhere near the charges now in effect in the intermountain district.

"I am not authorized to speak for the entire Oregon commission," said Mr. Corey in his letter, "but believing this to be a very opportune time for all intermountain territory to take a strong stand, I cannot resist speaking in behalf of my constituency who have long been endeavoring to secure relief from what to us seems to be unduly high rates in comparison with other sections or groups of states."

"As we are now on a parity with coast points as regard to railroad rates, we desire that this parity be maintained in the future. Some railroads are now urging that they again be permitted to meet boat rates at coast points, which will disarrange the present schedule. Railroads have for years been handling this through freight at which they term 'four-pocket cost.'"

"Records now in possession of the interstate commerce commission show that on lines west of the Missouri river the total water terminal freight amounts to only one-half of 1 per cent of the railroad's gross revenue. In business, and the railroad's contention that they must be permitted to handle this one-half of 1 per cent at cost or suffer financial embarrassment is not well founded."

MOSCOW TO GET BANKERS

Sixteenth Annual State Convention Will Meet June 4-5.

MOSCOW, Idaho, May 29.—Idaho bankers will hold the 16th annual convention of their association here this year, June 4 and 5, and addresses by prominent financiers of the state and from other states have been placed on the program.

Among the speakers will be Dr. E. H. Lindley, president of the University of Idaho; Guy E. Rowman, general secretary of the American Bankers' association; Lydell Baker, president of the Pacific Bankers' association; Middleton, Idaho; E. C. Coman, Spokane; A. L. Freshwater, president of the public utilities commission of Idaho; Rollin P. Grant, New York; E. J. Merrell, Pocatello, and Dr. Frederick V. Fisher, assistant director of the United American, who will speak on "True Americanism."

Founder of Home Remembered

Memorial services will be held at the Old People's home today at 4 P. M. in tribute to the memory of the founder, the late Mrs. P. J. Mann. Rev. Levi Johnson of the First Presbyterian church will officiate. Mrs. Virginia Hutchinson will sing. Several years before her death Mrs. Mann founded the home as a memorial to her husband.

Other expense accounts filed follow:

Robert H. Strong, Portland, candidate for delegate to the democratic national convention, 3d district, \$24.37.

William I. Harrison, Portland, candidate for delegate to the republican national convention, state at large, \$28.99.

Walter B. Gleason, Portland, candidate for delegate to the democratic national convention, 3d district, \$40.04.

Will R. King, Ontario, candidate for delegate to the democratic national convention, 2d district, \$60.

Oliver M. Hickey, Portland, candidate for delegate to the republican national convention, state at large, \$108.25.

Frederick V. Holman, Portland, candidate for delegate to the democratic national convention, state at large, \$25.50.

Joseph Hume, Brownsville, candidate for the republican nomination for presidential elector, \$28.75.

Lawrence T. Harris, Salem, candidate for the republican nomination for justice of the supreme court, \$20.65.

Isaac E. Staples, Portland, candidate for the republican nomination for state senator, 12th district, \$20.65.

Wayne C. Hodgson, expenditures in be-



DECORATION DAY

Store Closed Monday

Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co.

The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

Fifth at Alder Gasco Building



EXPENSE ACCOUNTS FILED

HENRY J. SCHULDERMAN OUT \$370.58 FOR ELECTION RACE.

Lawrence T. Harris, in Running for Justice of Supreme Court, Had no Expenditures.

SALEM, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—Henry J. Schulderman, candidate for secretary of state at the republican primary election last week, spent a total of \$370.58, according to his expense account filed with the secretary of state here today.

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J. G. GROVER, 19, ARRESTED

Youth Charged With Larceny of an Automobile.

J. G. Grover, 19, was arrested yesterday at Eighth and Burnside streets by Patrolmen Perry and Abbott of the auto theft bureau, and charged with the larceny of an automobile. According to the policemen, Grover took a machine belonging to Robert Munly Friday night. He is said to have abandoned it after taking a joy ride.

Grover told the police he was a farmer by profession.

Frank P. Farrell, Medford, candidate for

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the republican nomination for district attorney for Jackson county, \$128.40.

Roy Sparks, McMinnville, candidate for the democratic nomination for district attorney for Yamhill county, \$20.

Oran E. Richards, Portland, candidate for the republican nomination for representative, 18th district, \$25.52.

Joseph J. Keber, Mount Angel, candidate for the republican nomination for representative, 1st district, \$25.52.

Eugene E. Smith, Portland, candidate for the republican nomination for representative in congress, 3d district, \$200.

W. C. Templeton, Brownsville, candidate for the republican nomination for representative, 20th district, \$20.70.

E. M. Phelps, Portland, candidate for the republican nomination for representative, 18th district, \$25.50.

Kathleen W. Kivett, Huntington, candidate for the republican nomination for representative, 20th district, \$24.15.

E. F. Williams, Portland, candidate for the republican nomination for representative, 18th district, \$28.99.

W. S. Levens, Baker, candidate for the democratic nomination for district attorney for Baker county, \$20.

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DON'T YOU THINK SO?

Everything being equal, don't you think the strictly local firms should be patronized? Portland is full of branches of outside chain stores who have no further interest in us than exploitation. The manager's sole aim is to make a good showing in the profit column so that he will be transferred to one of the large "city" stores. Their profits are distributed among non-resident stockholders and Portland loses just that much of her circulating medium.

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New, Important Train Schedules

TO Spokane, St. Paul and Chicago on and After Sunday, May 30th VIA

SPOKANE, PORTLAND & SEATTLE RY.

All trains to and from Spokane and east will use the Union Station.

LEAVING PORTLAND Through Trains

No. 2, Leave Union Station 7:10 P. M., "ORIENTAL LIMITED" for Spokane, Glacier National Park, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, via Great Northern Ry. and Burlington Route east of Spokane. Arrive Spokane 6:50 A. M.

Equipment consists of drawing room standard sleeping car and dining car service through to St. Paul and Chicago, tourist sleeping car to St. Paul, observation sleeping car and coaches to Spokane, and Spokane to Chicago.

This train continues as the "NORTH COAST LIMITED" for Yellowstone National Park, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, via Pasco and Northern Pacific Ry., until June 6th, on and after which date the "NORTH COAST LIMITED" will leave Portland 9:15 A. M. as S. P. & S. Ry. train No. 4.

Sleeping cars for Central Oregon points continue on No. 2. No. 4, Leave Union Station 9:15 A. M., instead of 7:55 A. M., a Fast Day Train for White Salmon, Lyle, points east thereof, and Spokane. Arrive Spokane 9:05 P. M. Connections at Spokane for Montana, St. Paul and East.

Equipment consists of observation parlor car, dining car and coaches. On and after Sunday, June 6th, this train will be the "NORTH COAST LIMITED," via Northern Pacific Ry. and Burlington Route east of Spokane, for Yellowstone National Park, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, carrying drawing room standard sleeping car and dining car service through to St. Paul and Chicago, observation car, tourist sleeping car and coaches Spokane to Chicago.

Local Trains

No. 6, New Train, Leave 7:35 A. M. for Lyle, Goldendale and intermediate points.

No. 8, Leave 5:45 P. M. for Fallbridge and intermediate points.

ARRIVING PORTLAND Through Trains

No. 1, Arrive Union Station 7:45 P. M., "ORIENTAL LIMITED" from Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Glacier National Park and Spokane, via Great Northern Railway and Burlington Route east of Spokane. Leave Spokane 8:00 A. M.

Equipment consists of drawing room standard sleeping car and dining car service through from Chicago and St. Paul to Spokane, and Spokane to Portland.

This train continues as the "NORTH COAST LIMITED" from Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Yellowstone National Park via Northern Pacific Railway and Burlington Route east of Pasco, until June 6th, on and after which date it will arrive Portland as S. P. & S. Ry. train No. 3 at 8:00 A. M. No. 3, Arrive Union Station 8:00 A. M., New Limited Train from Spokane, Pasco, Central Oregon, Lyle and White Salmon. Leaves Spokane 9:00 P. M.

Equipment consists of observation sleeping car, drawing room sleeping car (tourist sleeping car beginning June 7th) and coaches.

On and after June 7th, this train will be the "NORTH COAST LIMITED," via Burlington Route and Northern Pacific Ry., east of Spokane from Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Yellowstone National Park, carrying drawing room standard sleeping car and dining car service from Chicago and St. Paul, observation car, tourist sleeping car and coaches Chicago to Spokane, and Spokane to Portland.

Local Trains

No. 5, Arrive 9:30 A. M., from Fallbridge and intermediate points. Central Oregon connection on No. 3.

No. 7, New Train, Arrive 6:55 P. M., from Lyle and intermediate points.

No. 3, Formerly Arriving at 7:30 P. M., from Spokane, will be discontinued.

STATIONS

Spokane Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 use Union Station, local trains use North Bank Station, Tenth and Hoyt streets.

TICKET OFFICES

Consolidated Ticket Office, Third and Washington streets, Union and North Bank Stations.

STERLING SILVER for the June Bride

THE prospective June bride and all those who contemplate making a wedding gift of silver are invited to our showing of sterling flatware.

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