

GERMAN LEADERS FEAR FOR LIVES

Government Doesn't Dare Dissolve Reichstag.

ELECTION BADLY NEEDED

Danger of Nationalists Obtaining Control Is Recognized; Real Crisis Faced at Present.

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BERLIN, July 23.—(Special Cable.)

The German republic faces a most serious crisis. The government is afraid to dissolve the reichstag and appeal to the people for fear that more nationalists would be returned. Every citizen, considering the government's timidity, feels that the Hamburg banker, Max Warburg, whose brother is a partner in the American banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., a superlatively patriotic German, who, as a member of the first German peace delegation, started a movement for the rejection of the treaty, has so threatened the police have ordered him not to leave his house.

Another banker, well known in the United States, Herr Denberg, ex-colonial minister, has decided, after repeated menaces to sell his house in the Grunewald section, which has received a sinister reputation through the murder of Rathenau and the attack upon myself, two editors whose names figured on the murder list found on the police by the police from Berlin with false passports under police protection.

Police Protection Asked.

Stressmann, the monarchist leader, who favors the restoration of Belgium, urgently requested police protection because he still persons outside his window. Still more astounding, Sinnes himself, who was the warmest nationalist throughout the war, and even recently demonstrated his unchanged opinions by baptizing ships Tirpitz, Hindenburg and Ludendorff, this fearless and nervous man, has been persuaded by insistent warnings to leave his home at Mulheim, Ruhr, and, with his entire family, move to an isolated private house in Berlin.

Perhaps the fact that he has French blood, has opposed any rapid restoration of the monarchy, favors an economic entente with France, and has urged national peace for business reasons and won't supply money for a counter-revolution and a war of revenge, is the reason he is threatened. But it is useless to seek motives. Millions of Germans are persuaded that every republican and Jew is a pacifist and a traitor.

Secret Body Is Formed.

Thirty or forty thousand young men, ex-officers, students and high school boys, have pledged themselves into a secret organization throughout the country, blindly to carry out whatever they are ordered to do. They are pledged not to allow themselves to fall alive into police hands, and in the event of the suicide of the two men suspected of the slaying of Rathenau.

In carrying on the campaign of assassination, they are told they are not murderers, but are in reality executors of judgments of the "secret people's court." In such an atmosphere of hysteria, the laws made for a general election. While the monarchists are marking every democratic leader for death, the government issues only paper laws that cannot be enforced without covering Bavaria into a coal blockade, which it is afraid to put into force.

Youth Attack After Debauch.

The two youths ordered to slay me first squandered 150,000 marks on drink and women, then received their orders and acted when this money was gone. Yet thousands of people throughout Germany are inclined to excuse them because they supposedly acted for what they thought patriotic motives. Their arrangements were, as a matter of fact, entirely businesslike. The intermediary who received the order from Munich telegraphed them: "If everything is in order you can have more at your disposal; otherwise not, as we are financially embarrassed. Get through with it and we can breathe again. I consider the present time—three days after Rathenau's assassination—particularly favorable. Good luck."

Money Coolly Demanded.

The principal, Anker Mann, was a corps student lieutenant who had received the Iron cross, first class, married, but who nevertheless had before and after the receipt of the murder wage made a living chiefly as a procurer of prostitutes. The police supposed he had some among this class in Berlin, but he never less immediately after the deed he went to the headquarters of the German national party and asked for one Dryander, son of the imperial court chaplain.

BRIDGE CONTRACT LET

Raymond City Council Authorizes Repairs to Structure.

RAYMOND, Wash., July 22.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the city council Wednesday night a contract was let to the Willapa Construction company of Raymond for improving the Riverdale bridge by the erection of a new center pier, a new draw rest and a new pier at the south end.

This bridge crosses the north fork of the Willapa river and connects the business section of the city with the residence section, known as Riverdale. The contract was let for \$323,250.

VAUDEVILLE TO BE GIVEN

Funds to Be Raised for Historic Pageant at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 22.—(Special.)—The programme for the society vaudeville to be staged

Tuesday evening in the Liberty theater has been completed and announced by Miss Ada Losh Rose, who is directing as well as taking a role in the affair.

The entertainment, which is for the purpose of raising funds for the historic pageant to be held here August 2, features music and dancing, with some comedy.

NAVY PLANES ARE SWIFT

PROMISE OF EQUALING LAND
MACHINES IS SEEN.

New Type of Craft, Built to Meet
Special Needs at Sea,
Is Being Tested.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.—The naval bureau of aeronautics is now developing a ship plane for use in general use by the army or navy with fleet operations, which from tests now being conducted gives promise of equaling any land plane for combat purposes in addition to its being adapted to ship use, the navy department announced today.

The new type has been designated the TS, and was built to meet these requirements of combat: Best performance, greatest radius of action, smallest dimensions and best adapted to handling and stowage on ship board and operation from a ship or aerodrome. The TS type is speedy, is easily maneuvered, and, while strong, is lightly constructed.

RAILROAD CAMP HELD UP

Three Robbers Get \$600 in Pay
Checks and Money in Raid.

PENDLETON, Or., July 22.—(Special.)—Three men held up an O. W. & N. railroad camp at Huron, east of this city, at midnight last night, and got about \$600, mostly in pay checks. One man, who refused to give his name, is under arrest in this city, and the other two are being sought here this morning. He has been identified as one of the three holdup men.

The railroad workers, who have been on construction work in the Blue mountains, had just been paid and a very few of the checks had been cashed. The holdup men walked into the camp at about 11 p. m. and revolver held the entire camp up until they finished their search for money.

FISHERMAN IS DROWNED

Willapa Harbor Resident, in
Swimming, Seized by Cramp.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., July 22.—(Special.)—Otto Kuhn, a well known Willapa Harbor fisherman who lived part of the time in South Bend, was drowned shortly after noon today in Baker's bay near Ilwaco in the Columbia river. Kuhn was alone in his boat and decided to go swimming. He stripped off his clothes and planked overboard. He was apparently seized with a cramp and called for help. Before nearby launches could reach him, he was drowned.

World's Tallest Woman Dead.

CHICAGO, July 22.—May Walsh, 7 feet 3 inches tall, said to be the tallest woman in the world, died today at the municipal tuberculosis sanitarium.

FRENCH SEEK HELP ON DEBT QUESTION

England Discreetly Urged to Cancel Bills.

U. S. DRIVE TO BE MADE

Paris Thinks That if Lloyd George Will Start Ball Rolling Americans May Join In.

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PARIS, July 22.—(Special Cable.)

French policy now is being concentrated on England to obtain relief from the financial crisis. The French at last are convinced that a mutual cancellation cannot be looked for with the approval of the United States under existing conditions. But they hope that, later on, something can be done.

That the reparations clauses of the treaty of Versailles are unworkable is now the conclusion of most of the leaders of French finances. Concessions so far made, they say, have all been in England's favor. The French, they say, have taken this stand:

"No more concessions without compensation." The only question is, what kind of compensation? For a time it was hoped that England might be induced to yield on the Turkish question and adopt the French peace in Asia Minor at the expense of the Greeks. This would have been in France's favor. But now that seems impossible.

Debt Question Attacked.

So now the big guns of French diplomacy are turning toward the debt question. England is being urged to start the ball rolling by annulling her credits against France. Back of the proposal is the belief that if England should obtain in return a reduction of Germany's reparations debt, for which she has constantly clamored.

"Let England show the way with a fine gesture of sacrifice and then it will be easy to explain to the American voter that America is not being trapped into paying for the whole war out of her own pocket."

French Proposal Leaks Out.

That is the French proposal which is beginning to leak out discreetly. And while England has been deaf to similar proposals in the past, Lloyd George has never renounced the right to change his mind, especially when there is some political advantage to be gained from it. In the present case he would gain favor in two quarters by such a move. He would win the sympathy of the pro-French elements represented by the north-cliff press and their half-brothers, the "die hards" of Morning Post allegiance; and he would get support from the Manchester liberals who want free, unhampered trading for a drive on America to take similar action.

LOG SUPPLY DWINDLES

Grays Harbor Mills Face Death
Within Next Five Years.

HOQUIAM, Wash., July 22.—(Special.)—Grays Harbor mills are facing the prospect of no logs from within the county within five years, according to a report of a committee of the Hoquiam chamber of commerce and the local club.

CANDIDATES ENTER RACE

Five Men Aspire to Be Sheriff of
Pacific County.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., July 22.—(Special.)—Practically a full slate of

republican candidates has filed for various offices in Pacific county for the coming primaries. So far the office of sheriff is the only one being contested. Following are those who have filed:

HIGH AUTO TAX IS HIT

REDUCTION URGED BY WASH-
INGTON AUTO MEN.

Leon Titus of Olympia Re-elected
President and State Capital
Wins 1923 Convention.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 22.—(Special.)—The Washington Automobile Trade association, after re-electing Leon Titus of Olympia president and choosing Olympia for the 1923 convention, adjourned its 1922 session late today. The association unanimously recommended lighter taxation on motor vehicles, which now pay 21 per cent of the total, though constituting only 4 per cent of the valuation of taxable property in the state.

A resolution favoring increasing the speed limit on highways to 35 miles an hour was adopted, the resolutions committee urging that as a safe speed for present-day cars. While the old speed limit retards traffic.

Other resolutions urged action to preserve the state's scenic beauty, favored registration of tourists entering the state and endorsed Governor Hart's proposed call for a meeting with all state executives and William A. Simons, Seattle, re-elected secretary-manager.

FLAPPERS SAVE FACTORY

Sudden Passion for Lollypops Is
Boon to Candy Company.

NEWARK, N. J., July 22.—The sudden passion for lollypops developed by flappers has proved a lifesaver to the Charms candy company. Newark candy manufacturers, which were reeling in federal court today.

NEW CONCERNS FORMED

Shew Investment Company Has
Capital of \$500,000.

SALEM, Or., July 22.—(Special.)—The Shew investment company, with a capital stock of \$500,000 and headquarters in Portland, has been incorporated by E. L. Thompson, C. B. Woodworth and E. W. Cooper.

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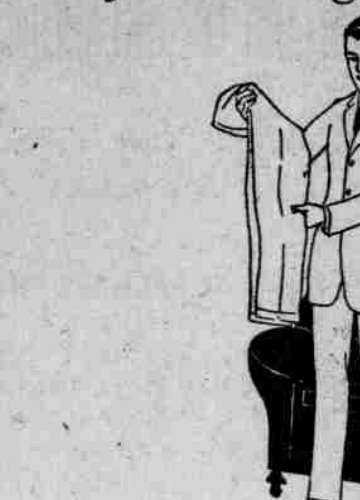
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6 blue or brown, genuine leather seat Chairs to match, wal-nut finish... \$37.50

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