

GERMANS REBEL MILITARY PLANS MAY BE A FIASCO

Even Most of Patriotic Countrymen Now Realizing That Gigantic Scheme Is Not the Product of Sober Thought.

By Frederick Werner.
Berlin, April 8.—(Taxen's Telegrams.) My kingdom for new objects of taxation, in the cry of the jingo leaders all over Germany, who are fearing to see their military plans ending in a big fiasco. And they are not fearing without reason, for nothing seems to go as they planned.

When the molders of Germany's destiny imagined that all they had to do was to do the old costumes of 1813 and unfurl the old banners to arouse a tornado of patriotism, ready for any sacrifice, all over the country, it did not last long before they discovered their mistake.

Even the most patriotic Germans are now beginning to realize that this gigantic scheme of military armaments is rather the product of a feverish imagination than the call of a cool head and a clear brain, for what is really needed to safeguard the future existence of the country.

It also arouses a feeling of fear and anxiety in level-headed men's hearts when they see that the leading burdens which the government intends to place on the shoulders of the citizens to strengthen the country's position in one direction will entangle and weaken it in many others, and the indignation is growing doubly strong because the demands come from a government which has always been in the habit of demanding everything and giving nothing in return.

Public indignation is not only shown by protests against the eternal and in-

BROTHER OF GERMAN SCIENTIST FRIEDMANN



Dr. A. C. H. Friedmann, brother of Dr. Friedmann of Berlin, who is wroth at the jealousy shown the latter by American physicians.

same armaments to which France has already replied with the reestablishment of the three years' military service, and which the government in vain tries to explain by the sudden rise in the power of the Balkan states, which everybody knows are thoroughly exhausted for at least the next 10 years. It is also shown in the torrent of suggestions which come from citizens who are anxious to find lightning rods which are to turn the destructive lightning of new taxes away from their own property.

To encourage children to save money, a German bank has installed coin in the slot machines in public places, yielding stamps, accepted at the bank for deposit.

MEN AND MONEY STAKES IN POKER GAME OF EUROPE

"I'll Raise You 100,000 Soldiers," Shouts the Czar, and the Others Meet the Raise; End Not Yet in Sight.

(United Press Telegrams.)

By Karl H. Von Wiegand.

Berlin, April 8.—"We will raise the bid \$100,000,000," says France.

"We raise you by increasing our army 100,000 men," responds Austria.

"I likewise, with an increase of three army corps—100,000 men," remarks Czar Nicholas.

John Bull pushes a few more Dreadnoughts into the North Sea as a covert menace to Germany, and declares, "I'll establish universal military service and build an aerial fleet."

It's the Kaiser's turn. He looks at his hand. Twice already within a year he has "raised" the bid, and promptly they came back at him. Are they bluffing? He will see. "I'll raise it \$200,000,000," he thunders.

Thus the international political poker game of the European powers continues. Each avers that the stake for which they are playing is "peace" and to insure that the "jackpot" doesn't contain "war," they announce that they will bet their last pound, franc, mark, kopek and ruble. All Europe is asking what the result will be. Will it be bankruptcy, revolution or war?

Kaiser Sees Danger.

With a reign of 25 years of peace behind him—a record no other European ruler can claim—Emperor William seems convinced that Germany is in greater danger than at any time for a century. Germany is under the spell of 1813, when Frederick III. melted his gold and plate and the Prussians—men and women—followed the example of

Queen Louise, and sacrificed their rings, diamonds and other articles of luxury, to raise money to equip the army.

Frederick's famous "appeal to my people" of 1813 has found echo in Germany in 1913. William II. has, in effect, let a similar appeal go out to the nation to make such sacrifices for their fatherland as will furnish the necessary means for defense at a moment when he evidently considers the country in great danger.

It is singular that the increased "armament fever" among the European powers arises out of the fact that each group asserts "we are merely arming for peace" and "we are maintaining peace." The reichstag and German financiers are wrestling with the vast problem of raising this sum.

The Kaiser has asked for \$250,000,000. He has staggered the military, as well as financial, world by this stupendous sum. He "hopes that will hold them awhile." The reichstag and German financiers are wrestling with the vast problem of raising this sum.

War Movement Not Unpopular.

According to the Friedenswarte, the organ of the Peace society, the estimated military expenditures of Germany for 1913, quite aside from the extra \$250,000,000 asked, will be roughly, \$450,000,000. The combined military budgets of Germany and France would almost exhaust the entire annual gold production of the world.

It cannot be said that the enormous preparations for what is taken as an indication of inevitable war, is unpopular in Germany. Popular protest against the new taxes have been largely avoided by the proposal that it shall come from the middle and rich classes—not from those whose property aggregates not less than \$12,000.

Rightly or wrongly, the fact remains that the German people consider their nation is endangered from without. This idea prevails in all classes. It has never been shaken off since the Moroccan crisis of 1911. Keen observers, like Maximilian Harden, Germany's most famous political writer, say that the gravity of the situation justifies the means resorted to.

Grand Opera Artists' Planos.

See sale of great grand opera artists' pianos, page 5, this issue, in advertisement. "If you're planning, etc."

Journal Want Ads bring results.

TWO TROUBLESOME MEXICAN LEADERS



Emiliano Zapata, above, and Pascual Orozco, two of the most dangerous outlaws in Mexico, who make it their business to be as troublesome as possible to the people in power in that country of internal strife. Orozco and Zapata invariably throw their strength to the cause of revolutionists and it is difficult to say how long they will remain loyal to Provisional President Huerta.

ITALIAN "MOVIES" TRULY MOVING; THEY'RE RUNNING

Prime Minister Giolitti Delivers a Body Blow When He Establishes Sweeping Censorship.

By Henry Wood.

Rome, April 8.—Italy, the home of government censorship on about everything, has just produced another. This time it is a national censorship on moving picture shows, and it has been brought about with a readiness and dispatch a trifle disconcerting to other countries where different governmental authority exists.

While it is true in Italy that a king is a king, and a parliament a parliament, and a cabinet of ministers is a cabinet of ministers, it also happens in Italy that a prime minister in general, and Prime Minister Giolitti in particular, is a little bit of a king, and a parliament, and a cabinet, and an emperor, and a czar, and a few other things authoritative, all mixed up in one. As a consequence, when it occurred to Giolitti that a censorship of moving pictures might be desirable, the thing not only was just as good as done, but, if anything, just a little bit more so.

Neither the king, nor the cabinet, nor the parliament, nor even the moving picture show managers were consulted, and, since then, there has been nothing left to be done except for the moving picture show managers to figure out from the censorship order issued by Premier Giolitti to every officer of public safety in Italy whether anything remains that they can actually produce without having to go to jail. The question, too, is still just a trifle in doubt. Premier Giolitti bestirred his circular establishing the censorship with a long

presumably upon the possibility of moving picture shows. He pointed out first how the productions might be contrary to public morals, to good customs, and to public order. Then he discussed at length the special effect which certain films might have upon people of weak mind and character, upon children and upon the public in general when such productions might show a certain lack of respect for governmental authority.

GIRL SWALLOWS PACKAGE NOW SHEDS NEEDLES

(By the International News Service.)

Paris, April 8.—Mlle. Thirion, 18 years old, of Rheims, swallowed a packet of needles a few weeks ago.

A needle was recently removed from her chest by a doctor, and since then she has shed 40 needles from her left hand, fingers, both legs and her chest.

Each time a needle makes its appearance the girl feels a slight pricking sensation, but she experiences no inconvenience, and the pricking, she says, is rather pleasant, than otherwise.

"It is like drinking soda water," she told the doctor.

Some Sensible Advice On Womanly Beauty

(From Marten's Drug Journal.)

Healthy hair adds much to womanly beauty. It is such an easy matter to have a glorious mass of lovely hair that the dull, "stringy" kind is inexcusable.

A canthox shampoo (which can be mixed at home and costs very little at any drugstore) removes every particle of dust, dandruff and excess oil, and, after rinsing the hair dries quickly. It makes the head feel good and leaves the hair soft, fluffy and easy to do up.

Keep the skin clear, velvety and attractive and remove tan and freckles by daily applying a lotion easily prepared at home by stirring two teaspoonfuls of glycerine into one half pint with hazel (or hot) water, then adding four ounces spermac, which costs little at any drugstore. This lotion, which is used instead of face powder, seems to part of the skin, which is then a beautiful natural color while wearing the oil, shiny appearance of the face, so often due to perspiration. Adv.

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10c Adjustable Shields only 5c

25c Silk Covered Shields at 10c

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From 10 to 11 A. M.—Women's Good Serviceable Umbrellas, seven-ribbed paragon frames, assorted handles, good quality, double top, regular 75c value, on sale at only, a dozen 39c

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25c Jabots on Sale at 10c

From 11 to 12 A. M.—New Embroidered Jabots, dainty styles, some lace trimmed, regular 25c values, special during this hour at small price of, ea. 10c

65c Underskirts for 49c

From 11 to 12 A. M. on the Third Floor—Women's Short Skirts, in good strong muslin, with tucked lace flounce of fine lawn, regular 65c value, at, each 49c

\$2.00 Lace Curtains 79c

From 11 to 12 A. M. on the Fourth Floor—300 Pairs of Fine Strong Muslin, with tucked lace flounce of fine lawn, regular 2.00 value, at, each 79c

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From 11 to 12 A. M.—500 Ruby, Nickel and Gold Watches, guaranteed for one year, regular \$2.00 value, special for this hour at small price, ea. 90c

75c Night Shirts for 49c

From 11 to 12 A. M.—Men's Muslin Night Shirts of splendid quality, with V neck or military collar, in white, pink or blue, all sizes, 75c value, 49c

25c Gauze Vests for 15c

From 11 to 12 A. M.—Women's Gauze Vests, sleeveless or with short sleeves, low neck, plain and fancy tops, regular 25c value, at, each 15c

\$5.00 Dinner Sets \$3.38

From 11 to 12 A. M. in the Basement—57-piece Dinner Sets, in handsome Oregon grape pattern, all large pieces, \$5.00 value, on sale at only \$3.38

15c Silverware Only 5c

From 11 to 12 A. M. on the Main Floor—Old Teaspoons, Tablespoons, Butter Spreaders, Sugar Shells, 10c and 15c values, during this hour offered at, 5c

98c Flouncing, Yard 49c

From 11 to 12 A. M.—New Embroidered Voile Flouncings, 45 inches wide, embroidered in white and colors, regular 98c value, on sale at, yd. 49c

10c Handkerchiefs at 5c

From 11 to 12 A. M.—Men's White and Colored Border Handkerchiefs, good full size, regular 10c values, at, each 5c

ON THE FIFTH FLOOR

From 11 to 12 A. M. on the Fifth Floor—18c Lawns 10c—Pretty floral patterns, regular 18c and 15c value, this hour, at, yd. 10c

The Holtz Store
From 12 to 2 P. M.



\$1.00 Silk Gloves, Pair 69c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Women's Long Silk Gloves, 15-button length, pure silk, with double-tipped fingers, black, white and colors, all sizes; regular \$1.00 value, a pair 69c

\$1.89 Waists on Sale 45c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—200 Women's Lawn and Batiste Waists, trimmed with lace and fine tucks, slightly soiled, values up to \$1.89, sale these two hours at only 45c

50c Wool Dress Goods 19c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Good Quality Wool Dress Goods, 42 inches wide, suitable for house dresses and children's wear, regular 50c val., on sale at low price of, yard 19c

\$3.00 Carving Sets at \$1.98

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Three-Piece Carving Sets of Sheffield steel, with stag handles, regular \$3.00 values, on the Main floor on sale at, set \$1.98

\$2.00 Corsets at Only \$1.29

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Odds and Ends of High-Grade Corsets, all sizes, made of good quality coutils and lightweight batistes, have very heavy supporters, \$2.00 value, on sale at, each \$1.29

\$1.25 Rugs on Sale for 75c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Choice Quality Rag Rugs in pretty colorings and fringed at ends, size 27x54 inches, \$1.25 values, during these two hours, on sale at low price of, 75c

Men's \$18.00 Suits for \$10

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Men's Spring Suits in latest styles, best materials, in browns, grays, blues and fancy mixtures, special for these two hours at the low price of, \$10

50c Union Suits Only 35c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Women's Gauze Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, with lace yoke, lace knees, all regular sizes; 50c value, during these two hours on sale for, 35c

Hat Trimming Roses at 49c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Millinery Department, Large Single Rose and Foliage, made of linen and velvet, in all the soft pastel shades, pink, blue, black, etc., on sale at the low price of, each 49c

\$2.00 Handbags Only 98c

From 12 to 2 P. M.—Guaranteed Unbreakable Mesh Handbags, with German silver frames and chain handles, good \$2.00 values, on sale at, each 98c

ON THE FIFTH FLOOR

From 12 to 2 P. M. on the Fifth Floor—35c Ribbed Hose 10c—Made from extra good quality satin ribbons, various styles and sizes, all colors, for neckwear, corsage, etc., or millinery uses, 35c-50c value, 10c

From 12 to 2 P. M. on the Fifth Floor—Women's 32 House Dresses \$1.39—Pretty light-colored percale house dresses, low neck, short sleeves, in checks and stripes, light blue, pink and lavender, each \$1.39 value, on sale at, each \$1.39

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89c Trimmings, a Yard 19c

From 2 to 3 P. M.—New Silk Trim, 15-button length, pure silk, with double-tipped fingers, black, white and colors, widths to four inches, 15c and 19c values, during this hour at, a yard 19c

\$10 Suits and Dresses at \$3

From 2 to 3 P. M.—Women's Suits and Dresses (odd lots), white serge suits, navy serge dresses and 6-7 separate jackets, values to \$10, \$3

Four Big Grocery Specials

From 2 to 3 P. M. in Basement—Burnett's Vanilla, 50c bottle 27c

Jams and Preserves, per jar at 23c

Red Ribbon Olive Oil, a bottle 21c

\$2.00 Net Curtains at \$1.19

From 2 to 3 P. M. on the Fourth Floor—Fancy Net Curtains of best French Net with lace edge and medallion corners, very attractive, regular \$2.00 value, on sale at, pair \$1.19

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From 2 to 3 P. M.—Large, Full-bleached, Closely Woven Bath Towels, regular 20c val., special this hour for only, each 15c

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From 2 to 3 P. M.—Men's Regular \$2 and \$2.50 Cloth and felt Hats, in order to clean up broken lines, prices priced this hour, ea. \$1.45

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From 2 to 3 P. M.—400-page Post Card Albums, large size, with dark covers, assorted color