

BRUSILOFF HAS PUT 500,000 AUSTRIANS OUT DURING HIS DRIVE

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PETROGRAD KEEPS CALM

Russians Take News of Successes Seditiously but Are Confident Germans Are at Last Trapped.

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Petrograd, July 7. — (U. P.) — At least half a million Austrian troops have been killed, captured or badly wounded since General Brusiloff began his sweep through Volhynia, Galicia and Bukowina. That number will be unavailable for the summer and fall campaigns of the central powers.

General Letchitzky's advance in southeastern Galicia, after the capture of Kolomea, has been so rapid that his army not only menaces the important cities of Stanislaw and Lemberg but the whole of eastern Galicia. The right wing of the Austro-German army is under heavy pressure.

Austrians Are Staggering Back. The Austrians are staggering back along the muddy valleys of the Pruth and Dniester, abandoning great quantities of material. The roads in this region, always bad, have been converted into bogs by heavy rains. Fleeing the disheartened Austrians are Russian soldiers in high spirits over the continued successes and the allied victories in France.

The growing development of the operations leads to the belief that events are impending which will affect the struggle on the French and Italian fronts and probably the outcome of the Austro-Italian war in the Trentino. Along the entire front the Russians are feeling for weak spots.

Petrograd Takes News Seditiously. The czar's capital is taking the news of Russian successes seditiously, showing no undue enthusiasm. The transfer of reinforcements southward in preparation for the present smash was the first sign here that the Paris military conference was beginning to bear fruit. The results of the allied decision are now beginning to show.

Petrograd, watching with interest the Anglo-French offensive in the west, believes that the Germans are at last trapped and surrounded by deadlier forces, being unable to shift troops from one front to the other because she is attacked on all sides. Authorities here believe the German reserves remaining in the interior are insufficient to check the combined allied offensive, since the lines are so long.

Illustrates Nature of Fighting. A Russian colonel furnished an illustration of the nature of the fighting in southeastern Galicia, near Kolomea. He said, a Russian field battery charged through the mud, sabering and capturing an Austrian battery, an incident that occurs very seldom in modern warfare.

By special permission of the Russian government, I was permitted to inspect armament works and several

small arms factories. Apparently, Russia has overcome her initial munitions shortage. I saw scores of thousands feverishly at work making guns and munitions. The number of passenger trains to the interior has been reduced in order to give the army an ample supply.

Executors of Gould Estate Finish Work

Heirs Who Have Had Charge of \$83,000,000 Left by Their Father in 1892 Ask Discharge.

New York, July 7. — (I. N. S.) — George J. Gould, Helen Gould Shepard and Edwin Gould have asked the supreme court for an accounting of their administration of the estate of \$83,000,000 left by their father, Jay Gould. The three executors also request their discharge and a ratification of their investments.

The internal administration of the estate has been so satisfactory that no accounting has been asked until today, since the death of Jay Gould in 1892. Indications are that the bulk of the fortune, which has been kept intact, will be distributed to legatees. The direct heirs are George J. Edwin, Hoby, Frank J. Helen and Anna Gould. The last named is now Duchess de Talleyrand. A referee will be appointed by the court.

THOUSANDS STARVING IN MEXICO; WOMEN IN RIOTS DEMAND FOOD

They Shout "God Send the Gringos" in San Luis Potosi; Are Beaten by Troops.

Eagle Pass, Texas, July 7. — (U. P.) — At least 2,000,000 men, women and children in Mexico are on the verge of starvation, according to Josef Martinez, who arrived here after traveling two months in the southern republic to prepare a report on conditions for New York interests.

"Conditions in nearly every part of Mexico are desperate," said Martinez. "The army has plenty of food while the civilian population is destitute and there is no relief in sight. Many thousand hungry men have enlisted rather than starve to death."

Martinez said that Mexico is better prepared for war than generally supposed, having accumulated millions of rounds of ammunition and large quantities of rifles during the last year.

Starving Women in Riot. Field Headquarters American Expedition in Mexico, July 6, by Radio to Columbus, N. M., July 7. — (U. P.) — Starving women at San Luis Potosi, in a riot when refused food cried: "May God send the gringos," according to information reaching General Pershing's headquarters today. Several women were severely beaten by soldiers who quelled the outbreak.

Reports of American gold being paid for work and supplies for the punitive expedition, in contrast with the virtual confiscation of foodstuffs by the forces of the de facto government, has increased dissatisfaction among Mexicans, according to the reports.

LLOYD-GEORGE MADE BRITISH SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WAR

Former Minister of Munitions Named to Succeed Lord Kitchener in the Cabinet.



David Lloyd-George.

London, July 7. — (I. N. S.) — David Lloyd-George has been appointed secretary of state for war, the post of the late Lord Kitchener. Earl Derby, author of the successful recruiting scheme, was named to succeed the Honorable H. J. Tennant as under secretary of state for war.

Sir Edward Grey, minister of foreign affairs, was elevated to the peerage. The press bureau has issued the following official announcement: "His majesty the king, has been pleased to approve the appointment of David Lloyd-George to be secretary of state for war."

The elevation of Sir Edward Grey to the peerage has been expected for some time. Did the appointment of David Lloyd-George, former minister of munitions, to the post of Lord Kitchener, create any surprise. The way was paved when Edwin Samuel Montagu, chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, was appointed to succeed Mr. Lloyd-George as minister of munitions Wednesday.

Mrs. Cederbergh Dies Suddenly. Mrs. Edna M. Cederbergh, wife of Norwegian Vice Consul Cederbergh,

who left here about 10 days ago for Norway, died Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. Cederbergh was in perfect health when she left here on the long trip. Mr. Cederbergh is in the hospital with his wife in a telegram to friends here. It gave no details.

Jealous Ex-Husband Beats Wife's Friend

Warrant Out for Arrest of Patrick Sutton for Threatening Woman From Whom He Was Lately Divorced.

About two weeks ago Patrick Sutton was divorced from his wife, Mrs. Sadie Sutton. On July 4 he met Mrs. Sutton and Ed Burkman on the street together and he proceeded to assault Burkman, according to a complaint issued by the district attorney's office yesterday.

Sutton was arrested and taken before District Judge Jones, who released him on his own recognizance to appear Saturday for trial. A short time later Mrs. Sutton appeared at the district attorney's office and complained that Sutton had remained in the woods opposite her home all of Wednesday night and about 5 o'clock yesterday morning began throwing rocks at her house. This was followed by threats to kill her and her family, she said.

Another complaint, charging him with threatening to commit a felony was issued and a new warrant for his arrest was also issued.

PROFESSORS REQUIRED TO EXPLAIN WHY NOT ON THE MEXICAN LINE

Mothers of Jefferson High Boys With Machine Gun Company the Questioners.

Professors Frank Mangold and Samuel May of Jefferson high school were compelled to explain to a committee of 15 mothers at the Imperial hotel yesterday why they are not down on the Mexican line with the machine gun company of the Oregon National Guard recruited from among the boys in the school. The mothers, all of whom have boys in the company, were headed by Mrs. John May, wife of Lieutenant Colonel May of the Third Oregon. She has two sons in the company.

Professor Mangold explained that he had joined the company and drilled the boys, but had finally been compelled to quit because of his wife's illness and the consequent increased demand which his family made on his time. He offered to leave his family and join the company if the mothers present would say that they thought he ought to do so. To this there was a chorus of negatives.

Professor May read a statement prepared in advance, in which he stated that he had taken no part in the formation of the company and while he once strongly considered joining, decided not to when he found that it was to be under the O. N. G. and a part of a school company. His statement was attacked in many particulars by many of the mothers.

Professor Mangold said that Adjutant General White had assured the mothers that as long as he was adjutant general and Governor Withycombe was governor they would not be called out for foreign service, and neither would they be required to do strike duty.

Coxswain's Body Is Sent to Bremerton

Oregon Naval Militia and Number of Fellow Soldiers Accompany Bier to Depot; Killed Aboard U. S. S. Boston.

Escorted to the Union depot by a company of the Oregon Naval Militia, the lawyers' auxiliary and the band of that organization and a number of his fellows in the regular service, the body of Vernon D. Burnell coxswain aboard the U. S. S. Boston who was killed by the premature explosion of a shell July 4, last night was shipped to Bremerton, Wash. It will be interred in a cemetery near the yard there.

In all the escort comprised over 100 uniformed men, including the band of the O. N. M. A guard of four regulars from the Boston accompanied the body to Bremerton. The only service held here was a short prayer by Chaplain Olson of the navy militia, delivered just before the funeral cortege left the undertaking parlors of J. P. Finley & Son, Fifth and Montgomery streets, at 8 o'clock last night.

As the procession passed down Sixth street to the railway station the band played the dead march. At the undertaking parlors the militiamen with heads uncovered, passed in single file before the coffin.

Company at Cottage Grove Expects Call

Captain Woods Has Men Ready to Entrain and Is Rapidly Recruiting to Required Strength of 100.

Cottage Grove, Or., July 7. — Members of Sixth company, coast artillery corps, O. N. G., now fully expect to see border duty at once, the urgent message received Wednesday to rush recruiting to full war strength being taken to mean the immediate mobilization of the coast artillery companies of the state.

Captain Woods has his men and equipment in shape to entrain at a moment's notice and is rapidly getting the men necessary to bring the company up to 100, the strength required by the war department. Nearly all the members have already subscribed to the federal oath required by the new militia law that went into effect July 1.

Private Is Shot in Mysterious Manner

C. W. Nasco of Company E, Second Battalion of Engineers, Killed by P. Vangorden.

Columbus, N. M., July 7. — (I. N. S.) — C. W. Nasco, a private in Company E, second battalion of engineers, was shot and killed yesterday by P. Vangorden, a private in the same company, at a place given in the official announcement as along the line of communication in Mexico. An investigation is being made of the affair by the military authorities.

BEAUTY PARLORS, MEZZANINE FLOOR

Boys' New Summer Suits. The Best We Have Ever Offered at Special \$4.95. Every Suit With Two Pairs of Pants. —The best summer styles, the best tailoring and fit, the best material and finish in these suits for boys from 6 to 18 years, and the splendid wearing qualities can't be beat in suits at any price.

Prepare for the Summer Swim With One of These Knit Bathing Suits At \$3.50. —They fit perfectly, are made of wool jersey, knit in navy blue, black or Oxford with the new stripe trimmings. —Other suits for women in the famous Form Fitting styles at \$4.50, \$4.95 and \$6.50.

Buckle Belts With Sterling Silver Tops 98c. Very Special. —These belts come in all sizes, made of extra fine, heavy leather, in the new catch style. The sterling buckles are in plain and engine turned and engraved effects. Engraving of initials free.

Saturday We Shall Place on Sale 100 New Middy Dresses For Children 6 to 14 Years That Would Sell Regularly at \$1.50 At the Exceptional Price \$1.00. —The first time a middy dress of this quality and style was ever offered at such a remarkably low price. Every dress new, bought expressly for this sale.

\$19.50 Brings Music To the Summer Home, Camp, or Boating Trip. —A VICTROLA with six double faced records of your own choice will bring this \$19.50 outfit delivered to you for a first payment of \$1.00 Down—\$1.00 Week. —This is a completely enclosed instrument with all recent improvements, and is especially excellent for dance music.

SALE OF SUMMER TOILET NEEDS. 25c Knight's Imported Bath Soap 15c. —Large round cakes in three odors. 25c Resinol Skin Soap ... 22c 25c French Violet Soap ... 17c 15c Perfumed Toilet Soap ... 10c 25c Sarsaparil Cream ... 20c 25c Hinds' Cold Cream, tube 20c 25c Pyrrhoxide T'h P'w'dr 69c 50c Forhan's Py'rria Paste 45c 50c Camelline Liquid Pdr. 40c 50c La Noye Liquid Powder 39c 25c Rice Powder ... 18c 25c Entaska Talcum ... 19c 95c Cleaning Chamois ... 79c

Hundreds of New Middy Blouses Here—On Sale Saturday Special \$1.25. —Many styles, and all new—popular stripes, flannel collar and regulation styles—all white, white with Copen, navy or red collars—pleated, belted, slip-over and lace front styles, in the greatest assortment. Special \$1.75. —The new white crepe middies that slip over the head, laced in front, trimmed with Copen, green or rose. Also striped crepe coats, in pink, green or blue stripes, with large collar and long sleeves.

Sipman Wolfe & Co Merchandise of Merit Only. Saturday We Shall Offer an Immense Assortment of Children's Summer Tub Frocks In Sizes 2 to 6 and 7 to 14 Years 68c, 79c, 98c, \$1.19. —The 98c Dresses are regular to \$2.25, in sizes 2 to 6 years. Made of crepe, chambray, crash, gingham and poplins. —The 79c Dresses are regular to \$1.75, and represent the prettiest imported styles in sizes 2 to 6 years.

Picnic Needs. 5c Rolls Wax Paper, 6 for 15c 10c Wax Paper, 75 for 8c 15c Crepe Paper Napkins, 100, special for ... 10c Paper Drinking Cups, pack of 12 for ... 5c Paper Plates, all sizes, doz. 4c Picnic Sets, complete, 5c, 10c 10c Paper Lunch Cloth and 12 Napkins only ... 5c

Our Entire Stock of Children's Hats at Deepest Reductions Hats to \$1.75 for 98c—Hats to \$3.00 for \$1.50 All Hats From \$4.00 to \$7.50—Half Price. —This sale includes Milans, Leghorns and fancy straws in white, black and colors. For girls from 2 to 7 years. Infants' Summer Bonnets Half Price. —Of fine mull, dotted Swiss, crepe and lawns, some with silk linings. Trimmed with ribbons, flowers, rosettes and bows. All sizes. Infants' Sunbonnets Reduced To 75c for 25c—To \$1.25 for 68c—To \$1.75 for 98c. —Of embroidered pique, dotted and figured crepe, checked gingham and plain colored chambrays. Plain or turn-back styles.

Radical Reductions on \$6.00 to \$9.00 Summer Millinery Now \$3.95. —All the latest trimmed models, of white hemp, black lace straw, and small, medium and large hats of best quality braids—individually trimmed with the finest trimmings we could secure. Milan Hemp Sailors \$1.95 A Most Important Sale. —The scarcest, most in demand of all hats—large sailors, straight or roll brims, in white hemp of finest quality, that need only the simplest of trimming.

Reductions on Newest Parasols. —Novelty parasols, in some instances only one of a kind. In regular shape and the Japanese shape. Some with plain centers and fancy borders, as well as allover Dresden. \$22.50 parasols ... \$12.50 \$13.50 parasols ... \$ 9.95 \$12.50 parasols ... \$ 8.50 Very Special \$3.25. —Parasols of plain taffeta or floral borders and gold or black frames. Very Special \$2.50. —Parasols in Japanese shape in sports stripes or plain centers with fancy borders.

A Great Special for Saturday Boys' Norfolk Suits Only \$3.95. Scores of sturdy, new suits, taken right out of my regular stock, and marked to sell tomorrow at this wonderfully attractive price. There is a full range of sizes, from 6 to 18 years, and the fabrics include chevots, cassimeres and fancy weaves. Every suit has extra knickers. Many of them have three-piece belt and patch pockets. Buy them tomorrow at \$3.95. Junior and Norfolk Middy Wash Suits \$1.50 to \$7.50. Wash Hats for Summer Wear 50c. BEN SELLING MORRISON AT FOURTH

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