

PRO-GERMANS CAPTURED RIGA, SAYS RUSSELL

Member of American Mission to Russia, Noted Socialist, Puts Russian Defeat Up to La Follette, Gronna, Stone.

RIGA NOT IMPORTANT, GERMAN OFFENSIVE IS

Every Disloyal Word Uttered in This Country Helps to Weaken Russian Line.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—“Riga was captured by Germany. Riga was captured by Robert M. La Follette, Bill Stone and Senator Gronna. They captured Riga. If Petrograd is captured, it will be by La Follette, Gronna, Stone and pro-German mayors, who lend their assistance to anti-American movements.”

AMERICAN TROOPS on historic march through London are received by heads of the British government.



London, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—The heads of the British government, Lord French, Queen Mary, King George and Premier Lloyd George are shown reviewing the troops, who were greeted with cheering crowds massed along the entire line of march.

“Riga doesn't amount to anything,” he said. “We all knew perfectly well before we left Russia that Riga was entirely likely to be taken. Riga is not the question. The great question is whether the German offensive is going to be stopped.”

Germer Sends Appeal for Aid to La Follette

Telegraphs Wisconsin Senator When Office of ‘American Socialist’ Is Raided by Government.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—Adolph Germer, editor and secretary of the Socialist party, and Seymour Stedman, Socialist and official of the People's Council for Democracy and Terms of Peace, were in the ‘American Socialist’ office when the I. W. W. raid was made.

“United States marshals are in office now with warrant to seize property,” Adolph Germer.

Federal Officials Discover Bomb in Room of I. W. W.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—A bomb was found among the stuff confiscated in the raid of the I. W. W. headquarters in Detroit yesterday.

While federal officials refused to disclose the nature of construction of the bomb, they said it was small enough to be carried in a man's pocket and yet large enough to destroy a ship.

United States Marshal Behrend today advocated internment of all I. W. W. for the duration of the war.

NEW POLITICAL PARTY TO COME TO LIGHT SOON

Delegates to First Conference of American Alliance for Labor and Democracy Discuss Plans Informally.

Movement Distinct From Labor Meeting

Samuel Gompers Said Not to Be Connected With the Proposition.

Italy Resumes Offensive on Julian Front

Huge Concentration of Men and Material Reported Advancing Near Border.

London, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—Italy resumed her offensive on the Julian front today, while redoubting her drive toward Trieste and Laibach.

Official statements mentioned 216 Italian planes as having participated in the fighting. British and French field artillery is aiding in the light fighting and in the Gulf of Trieste.

SPEAKER CLARK URGES GREATER TAX ON PROFITS

Battle on Wealth Conscriptorists Is Reopened in the House; Members Applaud Views of Leader.

Washington, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—Speaker Champ Clark, taking the floor in the house today, reopened the battle of wealth conscriptorists, demanding that great war profits be heavily taxed.

“If our young men are willing to risk their lives, our wealthy men need not,” Clark said.

DISPATCHES TELL OF ARRIVAL OF GERMAN FLEET IN RIGA GULF

Warships Presumed to Be Aiding in Drive; Russians Continue to Retreat.

Petrograd, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—German fleet on her way today to add to the Russian offensive.

SOUTHERN CITY WILL EXTEND WELCOME TO OREGON SOLDIER BOYS

Charlotte, N. C., Chamber of Commerce Wants to Make Men Feel at Home.

Charlotte, N. C., having been selected as the mobilization camp for Oregon troops, the Chamber of Commerce of that city has shown the splendid courtesy and hospitality for which the south is famed.

SHIPWORKERS AGREE TO POSTPONE STRIKE

Pending Conference

Employees of Portland's four big steel shipyards will not go on strike Friday morning, as scheduled.

MEETING WITH HOOVER AFFORDS LITTLE HOPE OF COAST BASIC PRICE

Food Administrator, Contends Such Action Would Add to Prices to Consumer.

Washington, Sept. 5.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—A conference of the northwest delegation with Food Administrator Hoover today on the wheat situation affords no basis for belief that the differential between Portland will be removed or modified.

CAR COMPANY PLEADS FOR RIGHT TO RAISE FARES TO RAISE PAY

Hearings Begin Before Public Service Commission; Figures Given by Company.

The Portland Railway, Light & Power company is willing to grant wage increases to its employees and an eight hour day; provided the public service commission grants it the privilege of raising fares in the city of Portland.

ARTILLERY IS ACTIVE ALONG PRACTICALLY ENTIRE FRENCH FRONT

Raids Penetrate German First Line North of Rheims; Attacks Are Prevented.

Paris, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—Violent artillery fire on almost the whole of the French front was reported in today's official statement.

“Germany Has Not Felt Final Strain”

Birkenhead, England, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—“Germany has not felt the final strain of the war; when she does she will realize the binding value of real freedom,” Premier Lloyd George told an audience here this afternoon.

“If Russia had enjoyed freedom before the war she could have been more united in prosecution of the war,” he continued.

STATE WINS LAST OF HYDE-BENSON SUITS

Five Thousand Acres Involved in Case; Fraud Found in Making of Entries.

Salem, Or., Sept. 6.—The state has won the seventh and last of the widely known Hyde-Benson land fraud cases, according to a letter from the court.

Three Years More Of War, Labor View

Blackpool, England, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—American correspondents took three more years of warfare, said J. Lord, delegate from the American Federation of Labor, in an address to the Trades Union congress here today.

New Papal Delegate To U. S. Is Rumored

Rome, Sept. 6.—(U. P.)—A successor is shortly to be appointed to succeed Monsignor Bonpane as papal delegate to the United States according to a report current here today.

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