

NEW GERMAN DRIVE HITS SNAG; DOWNFALL OF BOLSHEVIKI NEAR

PLOTS FOR NEW DEAL IN RUSSIA BREWING

Shaplen Predicts That Unless Revolutionary Democrats Get Control From Present Regime, Monarchical Party Will Lead.

Bolshevik Admit Situation for Them Is Precarious; Germany Through Cunning Methods Is Gradually Choking Country.

Joseph Shaplen, who has been in Russia seven months and who obtained the first anti-Bolshevik declaration and later of the Bolsheviks through an exclusive interview with Trotsky, has succeeded in portraying the armies of the various factions and receding Bolsheviks. From this neutral city he cabled today the following comprehensive dispatch on the conditions in Russia. All direct dispatches from that country have been subjected to delays of many days, and even weeks, for some time past.

Unless the present regime is overthrown by the combined efforts of other revolutionary democratic parties, there will be a counter revolution of the monarchical supporters in Moscow and Petrograd similar to that which triumphed in Ukraine. Skoropadsky, aided by the bourgeoisie and cadets, is ruling Ukraine and has virtually restored the old rule regime. Mannerheim in Finland and Krassnoff in the Don regions have triumphed in like manner. In a similar way the provinces of the Baltic region have been occupied, while the provinces of Pskoff and Minsk are, under the banner of Austro-German imperialism.

Russia is threatened by foreign imperialists on the north, west and south. The Turks are again advancing in the Caucasus, aiming to unite at Tiflis with the Germans, who are advancing from the north. With masked cunning, by friendly notes through German Ambassador Mirbach, Germany is gradually approaching the heart of Russia, in order to pierce it at the desirable moment. An alliance of German and Russian counter revolutionaries, acting from two fronts—the inner and the outer—are preparing for a final and complete counter revolution.

Plot Uncovered in Moscow. Last week, in Moscow, a plot was discovered in which hundreds of reactionaries aimed to kill the republic and restore the monarchy through simultaneous uprisings in Moscow, Petrograd and other centers, in cooperation with German bayonets. The German command, of course, is taking no official part in these plots, but is splendidly informed of the new reactionary regime at the proper moment. It is still impossible to forestall immediate developments, but it is certain the brief respite is nearing its end, however much the Bolsheviks seek to lengthen it. The Bolsheviks themselves admit: "We are already a corpse, but there is no one to bury us." The Bolshevik regime, due to methods of violence, similar to the old Czarism.

Blacklist Prepared For Non-essentials. Washington, June 10.—(U. P.)—Compilation of a "blacklist" of non-essential industries is under way by government officials, it was learned Sunday night. Officials of the war industries board, the fuel administration, the tariff commission, the war trade board, the shipping board and the railroad administration have been in conference. Officials have decided that the policy of hedging on the question of non-essentials must be dropped. Inevitable shortages in coal, steel, labor and transportation have developed.

Anti-Conscription Pledge Is Signed. London, June 10.—(U. P.)—The women's anti-conscription pledge was generally signed throughout Ireland, it was said today. There were no disorders.

AMERICAN SHIP SUNK BY HUN SUBMARINE

THE STEAMSHIP HERBERT L. PRATT was torpedoed off Cape Henlopen, southeast of Lewes, Del. The boat was about a mile off shore when hit by the torpedo, but managed to keep afloat and make her way to shore. The boat, at the time the picture was taken, lay in but seven fathoms of water, her stern high in the air. A navy tug was soon on the scene and the boat was salvaged. She is now safe in an Atlantic port.



SURVIVORS RELATE U-BOAT ENCOUNTER

Crew of Freighter Pinar del Rio Arrives at Elizabeth, N. C.; Picked Up by Freighter.

Lewis, Del., June 10.—(U. P.)—A sugar ship was torpedoed and sunk off the Virginia capes at 10 o'clock today according to a pilot who arrived here this afternoon. Elizabeth City, N. C., June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Captain MacKenzie of the American freighter Pinar del Rio, the latest victim in American waters of the German U-boats, landed here today with 16 members of his crew. The United Fruit freighter Taunton picked them up at sea. The chief of the Pinar del Rio and 15 of the crew were landed at the Manteo lifesaving station on the North Carolina coast Sunday. The Taunton saw a flare at 7:30 o'clock Sunday night. The captain changed his course to ascertain whence the signal was coming. The lifeboat with the Pinar del Rio's captain and part of the crew was found. The submarine which sank the Pinar del Rio halted the freighter by firing a shot across her bows. The crew was given time to gather their belongings and were then told to abandon the ship. They did so and rowed over to the submarine to see what to do next. "Get all your belongings," asked the commander of the U-boat. Assured that they had, the submarine commander then waved them to be on their way. As soon as the lifeboats were seen, the U-boat disappeared.

U. S. War Losses Now Placed at 7315

War Department Issues Statement Sunday Showing Number of Casualties Since Nation Entered War. Washington, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Seven thousand three hundred and fifteen men is the complete toll of losses of the American expeditionary forces, according to the first official summary issued Sunday by the war department. The list does not include the more than 1,100 men who died of disease and other causes than were killed in action or died of wounds. One thousand five hundred and eighty-seven men have died of disease, and 322 of accident and other causes. 4,946 missing in action. The list includes 188 losses announced Sunday, the longest that yet has come from General Pershing. A summary with figures brought up to date will be issued weekly. New Losses Are Divided. The list is divided as follows: Killed in action (inc. 291 at sea): 1,033 Died of wounds: 310 Died of disease: 1,187 Died of accident and other causes: 322 Missing in action: 4,946 Total: 7,315 This list does not include the more than 1,000 men who were lost at sea being aboard the transport, nor does it include the casualties reported today, men who were killed in action. The largest number were lost from the Tuscania, when 209 men went down.

Pendleton People Endure 103 Degrees In Shade Sunday

Pendleton, Or., June 10.—Sunday's temperature of 103 in the shade at 3 o'clock in the afternoon came within two degrees of reaching the highest point ever recorded here in the month of June, and this was probably the hottest June 9 ever experienced here. The city was practically deserted, as everyone who had a way to go spent the day at one or another of the springs near here, or at swimming pools or fishing places. The heat continued until late in the night, but this morning's weather was cooler.

Portland Felt Warmer

After struggling upward Sunday, the thermometer reached a climax of 88 degrees at 3 o'clock and hung there until after 5, when it dropped half a degree. The sky was clear and more or less humidity made the day feel much warmer than it really was. Weather experts announced this afternoon that the mercury would not get so high today, the first morning reading having been 10 degrees lower than the corresponding reading of Sunday.

TWIN WAR' LABOR CONVENTION OPEN

Policy Urged Which Will Bring Victory; Non-Strike Rule Is Advocated. St. Paul, Minn., June 10.—(U. P.)—The war must go on until Kaiserism is crushed, President Samuel Gompers declared today, addressing the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor. "Otherwise," said Gompers, "the light of civilization will go out forever." Gompers' declaration was received with cheers by the delegates. "Kaiserism and the influence it represents," Gompers continued, "have managed to divide union labor in every country in the world except the United States. But labor in America is organized to fight German autocracy. "We will win this war, no matter how long the contest may last, but God grant that the end come quickly." "We will give everything we have to the cause of freedom of the world, but we will not give one cent for private profit out of the war." Gompers closed with an earnest appeal that labor in the United States and the world support the people of Russia in their present suffering, that the Hun be driven from that land and Russia be given such assistance that she can again take her stand beside other nations fighting for the freedom of the world. American union labor opened its "twin" war meeting today, when delegates to the thirty-eighth convention met. Labor troubles were buried under patriotic discussions of securing maximum production.

RATE ORDER TO BE GREATLY MODIFIED

Public Service Commission Gets Assurances From Representative in Washington. Salem, Or., June 10.—The 25 per cent freight rate increase order, issued some time ago by Director General McAdoo of the government railroad administration, will be materially modified for the protection of Pacific coast industries before it goes into effect the last of this month, according to the interpretation put by the Oregon public service commission upon a telegram received today from Max Thelen, representative at Washington, D. C., of the California commission, who also has been delegated to represent the Oregon commission in this connection. Thelen's telegram is in reply to a message sent a few days ago by the Oregon commission in which the suggestion was made that the government and state commissions cooperate in determining the proportionate increase in freight rates for the Northwest. His message says: "Your suggestions much appreciated. Plan for cooperation between government and state commissions today approved by Frouty who will submit to McAdoo for final approval. Order 25 will not be suspended, but will be materially modified as result of representations made by state commissions. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the result." Order 25, mentioned in the telegram is the 25 per cent increase order. As viewed by members of the Oregon commission, the encouraging feature is the statement that order 25 will be materially modified, even if the request for suspension of the order until proper rates can be determined, is not granted. "We will give everything we have to the cause of freedom of the world, but we will not give one cent for private profit out of the war." Gompers closed with an earnest appeal that labor in the United States and the world support the people of Russia in their present suffering, that the Hun be driven from that land and Russia be given such assistance that she can again take her stand beside other nations fighting for the freedom of the world.

Army Captain Meets Wife After 3 Years

Hempstead, N. Y., June 10.—After a three-year chase into the remote parts of the earth, Captain Whalen of Kansas City, an officer of artillery, and Mrs. Whalen were reunited at Camp Mills Sunday for the first time since their honeymoon. Three years ago Captain Whalen was ordered to move just before his wife followed shortly afterward. His ships passed at sea. The chase had been on ever since. Always the husband was ordered to move just before Mrs. Whalen arrived. She missed him in Yukon and was compelled to spend a winter there. She went to Texas and he went into Mexico with Pershing. She then followed him to Ohio and finally here.

Business Section of Maine Town Burned

Caribou, Maine, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Almost the entire business section of this town was destroyed by fire early today, several business blocks and dwellings being burned in the vicinity of Main and Water streets, causing damage estimated at \$500,000. The fire started in a building at the corner of Main and Water streets, and spread rapidly to the other buildings. The fire was extinguished by the fire department, but the damage was extensive. The fire started in a building at the corner of Main and Water streets, and spread rapidly to the other buildings. The fire was extinguished by the fire department, but the damage was extensive.

SAYS WAR MOST WISE OUT HUN'S BRUTE IDEA

Secretary Lansing Repeats Determination of America to Attain a Decisive Victory Over Germany Before War Is Ended. Cabinet Member Delivers Address to Union College Graduates and Reiterates to World War Aims of United States.

Schenectady, N. Y., June 10.—(I. N. S.)—"Prussianism, with its distorted ideas, its false conceptions and its intolerable cruelties, must be brought to an end. Until these objects are accomplished we must go on with the great world war," said Robert Lansing, secretary of state, in an address before the student body of Union college here today. "This great war must end with a decision which will be a blessing and not a curse to the present generation and future generations," the secretary said. "Prussianism, with its distorted ideas, its false conceptions and its intolerable cruelties must be brought to an end. The Germanizing of other countries must cease. The dream of 'Hamburg to the Persian gulf,' and of an enslaved Poland and Russia must be dispelled. German diplomacy and intrigue as now practiced, must be proclaimed an international crime and suppressed forever. The philosophy of the 'superman' and of world mastery must die discredited. The evil influences which have so long poisoned the minds of the German people must lose their potency. "Until these great objects are accomplished, as they will be when the war is stated by President Wilson as attained, we must go on with the war. There is no other way. Peace without honor is no peace at all."

DAILY PRAYER FOR VICTORY FAVORED

Angelus Movement Wins Backing in Washington; May Be Made National. Washington, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Sentiment favoring the Angelus movement, a rapidly crystallizing here today and at a monster mass meeting tonight it is expected the project will be formally acted upon, placing the national capital first in adopting a daily moment of prayer for victory. The proposal, which has the support of many high officials, contemplates the simplest sort of a daily, personal appeal to the Almighty. At a given hour the bells on all schools and churches will ring, calling the devout to pause and silently repeat a one sentence prayer for success by the American arms. Among those addressing tonight's meeting will be Speaker Champ Clark. It is expected that the movement initiated here will become national in scope.

ROLL OF HONOR

Washington, June 10.—(U. P.)—The war department today announced 74 casualties from the American expeditionary forces, divided as follows: Thirteen killed in action, five dead from wounds, one dead from disease, one dead from an airplane accident, one dead from accident and other causes, 46 wounded severely, seven dead. Lieutenants John A. Ewing, Rochester, Mass., and Edgar Alfred Lawrence, Chicago, were killed in action. Captain Charles W. Atkins, Winterset, Iowa, was wounded in action, and Captain John T. Costello, Birmingham, N. Y., was wounded severely. Lieutenant Elmer D. Mackey, Mekeop, Pa., previously reported missing, is now a prisoner. The list follows: Killed in Action. LIEUTENANT JOHN A. EWING, Rochester, Mass. LIEUTENANT EDGAR ALFRED LAWRENCE, Chicago. CORPORAL ANTHONY DICELLO, Pettusville, Pa. CORPORATE SAMUEL BUCHALTER, Colchester, Conn. PRIVATE CLARENCE FIELDS, Ashland, Kentucky. (Concluded on Page Two, Column Three)

New Star Result Of Aerial Clash View Expressed By Dr. Campbell

New Body Surpasses Venus in Brilliance; Discovery More Important Than Eclipse.

Goldendale, Wash., June 10.—Dr. William Wallace Campbell, director of the Crocker eclipse expedition of Lick observatory, University of California, says that the new star discovered at the University of Virginia last Friday night and reported in press dispatches Sunday morning, flared out in the sky where no star had been known to exist before, and probably resulted from a collision or other catastrophe in far distant space. The new star is one of the brightest stars in the northern sky. The Lick astronomers here saw it last night through thin clouds. It is on meridian at the clock in the morning half way between zenith and the southern horizon. Plates taken Saturday of the eclipse operations have all been developed and Dr. Campbell says that some exceptionally fine impressions of the corona were obtained. From press reports and private advices received by Dr. Campbell, he is convinced that weather conditions at Goldendale were the most perfect of any station in the United States for obtaining a clear view of the corona and surrounding phenomena. The station is being dismantled this morning and all scientific equipment and the plates obtained will be shipped back to Mount Hamilton today. Dr. Campbell and party will leave this afternoon. No information of the scientific results obtained will be given out until a general statement is made at the University of California. Dr. Campbell will go to Victoria, B. C., from Portland to take part in the dedication of the Lick observatory station that has recently been completed at that place. He will then return to California. Dr. Campbell and his wife are loud in their praise of the treatment and the assistance of the United States people of Goldendale in making the expedition a success, especially the manner in which the guests of the party were looked after.

WAR OBJECTORS IN ARMY GET 25 YEARS

Sentence Passed on 40 Men Who Refuse to Wear Uniform of United States. San Antonio, Texas, June 10.—(U. P.)—Forty-five drafted men, tried by courtmartial here for refusing to wear the uniform of the army, because they claimed to be "conscientious objectors," was announced here today. The commanding officer in each instance reduced the sentence to 25 years. A majority of the convicted men came from Fort Leavenworth to begin their terms. The trial is believed to have been the first in which "conscientious objectors" has been brought into courtmartial. In previous cases, objectors claiming religious scruples have been willing to accept noncombatant service and wear the army uniform.

GERMANS COMPELLED TO CALL IN RESERVES

Paris, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—The latest German thrust, over a 21-mile front, between Montdidier and Noyon, where the Germans pressed forward at some places a distance of two and one half miles and to a greater depth at one point, found the French fully prepared. In his attack, which began on Sunday morning, the German crown prince divided his divisions into battle as well as numerous reserve troops. (A German division is estimated to consist of from 11,000 to 14,000 men.) The assault was strongly supported by artillery and in preliminary cannonading the Boches used great quantities of gas shells. The first wave of gray-clad masses that lunged against the allied lines was mowed down by the defenders' machine guns. Throughout the entire day the fighting was very violent. The slightest German advance was on the flank, but in the center the Boches succeeded in pressing forward on a front of between two and three miles, penetrating the French salient. The French withdrawal there straightened their line. On the left the Germans reached Rubescourt, Le Fresnoy and Mortemer, where they were held. On the center, after terrible losses, the Germans succeeded in entering the villages of Resons-sur-Matz and Marcell. On the right the attackers were held on the line of Beval, Cannetancourt and Ville. Owing to their enormous losses the Germans were compelled to keep throwing reserves into the conflict. No French reserves were employed. Military critics consider Sunday's battle as a very important French victory, resulting in the fact that Paris is no longer directly menaced, at least for the present. The war experts say that this is the first time that the Germans have attacked so furiously with such little results. Whether or not American soldiers took part in Sunday's battle was not known at the time this was written. American troops were stationed around Montdidier during the stages of the Picardy battle and captured Chateau, a battle-wrecked village just west of Montdidier, in a (Continued on Page Ten, Column Three)

BIG FORCE FLUNG INTO BATTLE LINE BY HUNS FAILS TO GET THROUGH

First Advance of Early Rush on Sunday Morning Blocked by French; Germans Send in Additional Reserves, but Are Unable to Make Headway; Loss Heavy. Allies Hold Without Calling on Their Reserves; Americans Gain Prisoners and Machine Guns in Smash Northwest of Chateau-Thierry; Huns Gather on Toul.

Paris, June 10.—(U. P.)—The new German drive between Montdidier and Noyon slowed down before the French resistance Sunday evening, the French communique indicated today. Gains of about a mile were made by the enemy in the center and the allied left wing, in comparison with the initial penetration of three miles. Simultaneously, American and French troops advanced again northwest of Chateau-Thierry, taking 250 prisoners and 30 machine guns. "The German rush continued Sunday evening," today's communique said. "On the left wing several violent attacks were broken up by French fire. Courcelles-Ehadelles was taken and retaken several times and finally was held by the French. "On the right the French held south and east of the Ville (three miles southwest of Noyon, taking 500 prisoners. "In the center new German forces made slight progress, reaching the southern outskirts of Cuvilly (eight miles southeast of Montdidier), Resons-sur-Matz wood (a mile and a half southeast of Cuvilly) and the same distance southwest of Resons-sur-Matz village) and Bellinglise Chateau (four miles south of Lassigny). "The French finished yesterday the detail operations at Hautebraye, taking 150 prisoners. "Between the Ourcq and the Marne, German attacks were repulsed east of Vinley (nine miles west and north of Chateau-Thierry). "French and American forces gained ground near Buzzaire (seven miles west and north of Chateau-Thierry), capturing 250 prisoners and 30 machine guns."

Vancouver Hospital Extension Approved

Washington, June 10.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—The surgeon general has informed Senator Chamberlain, who recently asked concerning hospital extension plans at Vancouver, Wash., that construction of five additional wards has been approved, which will double the present facilities. Also plans have been made for construction of three additional buildings for a dispensary, surgeons' offices, laboratory, prison and morgue. The question of making it a base hospital is still under consideration.

New Registrants May Join Marines

Washington, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—Twenty-one-year-old registrants will be permitted to enlist in the navy and marine corps, Provost Marshal General Crowder ruled this afternoon. He ruled last week that such enlistments would not be permitted, but it is understood naval officials induced him to rescind that ruling. Enlistments will be permitted until the drawing for numbers takes place, the date for which has not yet been fixed. German Officers in Siberian Politics. London, June 10.—(I. N. S.)—German army officers have now begun to intrude themselves in Siberian politics, said a dispatch to the Times today.