

GREAT POGROM IN RUSSIA EXPECTED

Dr. G. A. Simons, Methodist Pastor at Petrograd, Says Already Being Talked.

Washington, Feb. 12.—(U. N. S.)—A great pogrom, or massacre of Jews, is expected in Russia at any time now, Dr. G. A. Simons, former pastor of the Methodist church in Petrograd, told members of the senate committee investigating Bolsheviki today. Massacre is so imminent, Dr. Simons said, that Bolsheviki officials already are sending their wives and children and jewels out of the country.

The Jews and Germans, he said, constitute the Bolsheviks, and their reign of terror has been so cruel and diabolical that Russian workingmen are already talking of the "new pogrom."

Dr. Simons was in Russia from 1907 until October, 1918, and said that the Bolshevik regime "is as diabolical as thousands and thousands of people have starved and been assassinated, free press and speech suspended and that immorality reigns supreme."

Says Government Will Fall

Prediction that the Lenin-Trotsky government in Russia soon will fall, was made by witnesses lately returned from Russia, who testified Tuesday afternoon.

The witnesses were Dr. William Chapman Huntington, who was in Russia from June, 1918, until September, 1918, as commercial attaché of the American embassy, and Professor Samuel N. Harper of the University of Chicago, whose investigation of the subject has taken him to Russia 12 times.

Both witnesses unhesitatingly pronounced the Bolshevik movement in Russia a failure and predicted its early collapse. None of the promises made by the leaders to the soldiers and workers have been kept and the only strength the government now has is retained by the use of terrorism and cruel punishments.

Neither Dr. Huntington nor Professor Harper was able to present any evidence that the Bolshevik leaders have been able to implant their doctrines in this country. They said there was not even a remote connection between the lawless outbreaks in various cities of the United States and the activities of the Bolsheviks in America.

Friendly to Bolsheviks

It was brought out in the testimony of Dr. Huntington that Arthur Ransome, who was a correspondent in Petrograd for the New York Times, came out of Russia as an accredited courier of the Lenin-Trotsky government for the avowed purpose of "telling the truth about the soviet government."

"Is Ransome now in the United States?" inquired Senator Wolcott.

"He is," said the witness.

"Then from what you have told us of the circumstances under which he got out of Russia, we may assume that anything he writes in this country is from the point of view of the Bolshevik group, may we not?" Dr. Huntington replied.

How Bolsheviks Made Up

Dr. Simons told with tears in his eyes of having seen people drop dead from starvation on the streets of Petrograd, murders committed at the door of the Methodist church, and the extreme animosity for anything Christian on the part of the Bolsheviks.

"I dressed up in workingmen's clothes," said Dr. Simons, "and mixed with these people."

"I saw an old man with a long, white beard in the uniform of a Russian general, with tears streaming down his cheeks, beg two workmen for a few kopecks. The workmen were bargaining over a dying horse which they intended to eat."

"The Bolsheviks are composed of German and Austrian war prisoners; about 30,000 Chinese coolies imported under the old regime for labor; about 10,000 Letts, who hate both Germans and Russians, and Jews. The Jews are practically in control and their reign is diabolical. I talked with some of the Letts and they told me that they did not care what party gained power, as long as they had plenty to eat, plenty of clothes and plenty of women."

Most Are Illiterate

"I've mixed with these people; I know. The sad part of it is that most of them are illiterate."

"Thousands and thousands of the bourgeoisie have been murdered, and the Bolsheviks kept a long list of 'hostages,' or people they intended to retaliate upon if an attempt was made to overthrow the soviet government or kill one of the officials. Some of them were murdered, others escaped, and I have helped some of them to escape. I've seen people become thinner and thinner and then become bloated in the face and drop dead in the street."

The story of how the stage was all set for the entrance of Lenin and Trotsky into the great world drama "revolution" produced in Russia by the Germans was told in graphic language by Dr. Simons.

"Hundreds and hundreds of agitators all from the East Side in New York, were circulating among soldiers and civilians," said Dr. Simons, "and after the Kerensky revolution were responsible for the growing pro-Germanism in Russia."

Lenine Sent in by Germans

"This pro-Germanism all took place within a few months after the Kerensky revolution," he said. "Lenine, who re-

Location of American Units in France Given

Washington, Feb. 12.—The war department authorizes publication of the following statement, giving location of divisions in France as of January 16, 1919, with name of commanding general:

Combat Divisions—	Headquarters	Commanding General
1	Monbaux	Major Gen. E. F. McClachlin
2	Heddesdorf	Major Gen. John A. LeJeune
3	Andernach	Major Gen. Robert L. Howes
4	Bertrich	Major Gen. Charles L. Hersey
5	Esch-sur-Alzette	Major Gen. Hanson E. Ely
6	Aligny-le-Duc	Major Gen. Walter H. Gordon
7	Sain-sur-Sambre	Major Gen. Edmund Whitemeyer
8	Montigny-le-Roi	Major Gen. Harry C. Hale
9	Montfort	Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan
10	Bourbonne les Bains	Major Gen. Charles G. Morton
11	Ballon	Major Gen. Edward H. Lewis
12	Rengsdorf	Major Gen. William Lasister
13	Dierkirch	Major Gen. George Bell Jr.
14	Commercy	Major Gen. Thomas B. Dugan
15	Cheney	Major Gen. W. R. Smith
16	Alençon	Major Gen. Charles E. Fansworth
17	Semur	Major Gen. Robert Alexander
18	Ahrweiler	Major Gen. James H. McRae
19	Souilly	Major Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn
20	Mussy sur Seine	Major Gen. Samuel D. Starnes
21	Frauthoy	Major Gen. Charles J. Bailey
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Depot Divisions—	Location	Commanding General
1	St. Aignan	Major Gen. Peter E. Traub
2	U. S. Headquarters	
3	Le Mans	Major Gen. Chase W. Kennedy
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30,000 SHIPYARD WORKERS ARE OUT

Despite Sympathy Strike Men in Yards Find Trouble Just as Far From Adjustment.

Seattle, Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—Owners of Seattle shipyards held a special strike conference in the chambers of the Association of Northwest Shipbuilders at noon today.

D. E. Skinner, president of the Skinner & Eddy Shipbuilding corporation, and other conference members refused to admit that their meeting was called to discuss an arrangement whereby the shipyard strike would end through agreement and denied that the meeting had any special significance.

Seattle, Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—Thirty thousand shipyard workers are still on strike in Seattle in spite of the efforts of the city's organized labor to bring about a settlement of the shipyard differences by the calling of a general strike.

Although the general strike ended Tuesday at noon, union tailors are still out of employment until their status is settled at a meeting of the Master Tailors' association this afternoon. The men went back to their shops Tuesday noon but were told that no work had been laid out for them.

The general strike committee of 350 officers of local unions will hold a special meeting in the labor temple Sunday. The meeting is called to deal with the cases of the few union men who were not reinstated in their jobs when the strike was called off.

The Metal Trades council met here last night and concurred in the strike conference committee's decision to continue the shipyard strike in spite of the ending of the general walkout.

Seattle's water front is being run on the open shop plan in certain sections, according to labor men. The employers are said to be taking the stand that they are not compelled to recognize their contract, as it has already been broken by the workers.

Piez Asked for Conference

Tacoma, Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—Business men and union men in close touch with the strike situation today confidently predict that the strikers will be back at work in the shipyards by early next week, possibly by Monday. In addition to the proposal sent to the director general of the emergency fleet corporation through President C. W. Wiley of the Ford Drydock & Construction company Tuesday night, the following proposal has been sent to Charles Piez in a telegram from C. R. Barrett, secretary of the Metal Trades Council:

"Are you willing to arrange for a conference to take up and adjust the differences that now exist between the metal trades of Tacoma and district? This conference to be called in session here on the Pacific coast at the earliest date possible, so that its work will be completed not later than March 31, 1919, and new scale acted on before present Macy board award expires."

The strike bulletins issued by the strike committee this morning declares the shipyard men will go back at once if Piez consents to this.

Ex-King of Greece And Former Queen May Face a Trial

Athens, Feb. 12.—(U. N. S.)—A request for the powers to bring former King Constantine of Greece, and Queen Sophia to trial along with the ex-kaiser, if it is decided to arraign the former German monarch before an international tribunal for his war crimes, was telegraphed to Premier Venizelos at Paris today by the Liberals.

Queen Sophia is a sister of the former Kaiser of Germany and she was long charged with pro-German machinations at Athens. At one time it looked as though her influence over the then King Constantine would force Greece into the conflict on the side of the Germans. Constantine was expelled on June 12, 1917, and he and the former queen fled into Switzerland where they are now living.

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ADDITIONAL UNITS ARE COMING HOME

Field Artillerymen Originally From Camp Lewis, to Get an Early Convoy From Abroad.

Information has just been received in Portland from the war department that the 166th field artillery brigade headquarters, the 248th and 249th regiments of field artillery, have been assigned to early convoy. These units are all from Camp Lewis. The other regiments of the 166th field artillery brigade is the 246th, which arrived in Camp Lewis about two weeks ago.

The brigade left Camp Lewis as a unit in July, 1918, after considerable training there. In the finishing training in France the 246th is said to have shown such an excellence that it was picked as one of the reinforcing regiments, to be ready to go in the line on short notice. It came very near going into action one or two occasions and was ready to fire its first shot when the armistice was signed.

So far as known the other two regiments of the brigade saw active service with the Ninety-first in the Argonne. Other units also announced as assigned to early convoy are: First army artillery headquarters, Ninety-sixth aero squadron, chemical warfare company, company No. 5 and ordnance casual companies No. 12 to 21 inclusive.

162d on Cruiser Pueblo

Washington, Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—The cruiser Pueblo, Brest for New York, is due about February 21 with company I, 161st infantry (41st division), Camp Dix; medical detachment, detachment of company D and companies L and M of 162d infantry (41st division) for Camps Gordon, Lewis, McArthur, Taylor, Pike and Lee; casual companies 807 (New York), 1204 (Pennsylvania), 1210 (Illinois), and 887 (regular army).

The transport La Touraine, Havre for New York, due about February 21, will have headquarters of Second army corps for Camps Upton, Dodge, Dix, Sevier and Sherman, advance detachment of 27th Cavalier for Camp Upton; detachment 412th telegraph battalion for Camp Travis.

The cruiser Montana, Brest for New York, is due February 21 with 14th machine gun battalion, 41st division, composed of men from South Dakota National Guard and Camps Shelby, Dodge, Beauregard, Devens, Gordon and Lewis. Companies E, F and G of the 116th ammunition train, for Camp Dix; casual company 255 for Boise, Idaho, barracks; casual company 1201 (New York), 3024 trench mortar battery (77th division) for Camps Upton and Dodge.

The transport Poseahontas, Bordeaux for New York, due February 18, has changed its course to dock at Newport News.

Nearly 10,000 Arrive

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—Nearly 10,000 troops were unloaded from the big transport Leviathan at its dock here today. The soldiers were mostly negroes.

The units included the 371st regiment (colored) complete, 104 officers and 2650 enlisted men; 873d infantry (colored) complete, 77 officers and 2605 men; field and staff and headquarters company, 165d infantry, 31 officers and 233 men; medical detachment and third battalion, 368th infantry (colored), 35 officers and 1325 men; Brest convalescent detachments Nos. 24 to 26 inclusive, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 42—2132 officers and men, all sick and wounded.

Nearly 10,000 Troops

The troops were transferred to Camps Upton and Merritt. The wounded and sick to base hospitals near New York. J. D. Hobson, wounded near Verdun, said he was on his way to Berlin, Germany, but is now headed for Berlin, Or., his home.

From western states were: M. J. Nelson, San Francisco; Fred Pickett, Portland, Or.; L. L. Tarpe, San Pedro, Cal.; F. J. Person and E.

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Three Transports Sail

Washington, Feb. 12.—(U. N. S.)—The United States cruiser Montana, carrying approximately 1400 homecoming American officers and men, the cruiser Pueblo, with about 1300 officers and men, and the transport La Touraine carrying about 500, have sailed from abroad and are due at New York February 21, it was announced at the war department today.

Los Angeles Has Fire

Los Angeles, Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—Defective electric wiring started a fire early today which entirely destroyed the \$75,000 plant of the Los Angeles Milling company, a subsidiary of the Globe Grain & Milling company.

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PIONEER SELLWOOD MERCHANT IS DEAD FROM FLU ATTACK

Sidney C. Lyle Crossed Plains in Prairie Schooner From His Missouri Birthplace.

Sidney C. Lyle, for 19 years a resident of the Sellwood district, died at the Good Samaritan hospital Tuesday night, following an influenza attack.

Mr. Lyle was 61 years of age and was born in Missouri. He traveled west by prairie schooner and settled at Walla Walla, Wash. He then moved

to Colfax, where he resided for 17 years, later coming to Portland. He was well known in the Sellwood section, where for many years he operated a bakery, later establishing a hardware shop.

The children, Carl and Ernest, survive him. The funeral will be in charge of City View Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Mrs. Katherine Ulrich

Mrs. Katherine Ulrich, aged 65, died Tuesday at her home, 551 Market street. She had resided in Portland for the past 25 years and was a nurse by occupation. Mrs. Ulrich was known to a large number of people and had many friends among the families where her ministrations had been given. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Miller & Tracey.

Mrs. Amanda Jane Evans

Mrs. Amanda Jane Evans, widow of James M. Evans, and a pioneer of Clackamas county, died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George E. Watts, 555 East Sixteenth north, after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Evans was born May 17, 1851.

John Henry Cahler

The funeral of John Henry Cahler, who died Tuesday from injuries received from a falling tree near Tigard, will be held Thursday from the residence of the family in West Portland and interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. Cahler was 41 years of age, a native of Nebraska, and had resided in Oregon for the past 21 years. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cahler; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Bigham and Mrs. Jane Tryon, and two brothers, Frank and J. Cahler. Funeral arrangements are in charge of J. P. Finley & Son.

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