



MAXIMALISTS WOULD OPEN LINES TO FOE

Kerensky Makes Positive Declaration in Asking Support of Parliament.

RADICAL LEADERS BREAK WITH ARMY

Arms and Ammunition Distributed Among Workmen and Soldiers.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 7.—Headquarters of the soldiers, workmen's council appeared ready to withstand siege.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 7.—Kerensky flatly declared the Maximalists threaten to open the front to Germany and asked the preliminary Russian parliament to support the government's efforts to suppress the Maximalist efforts to seize civil and war powers.

The Kerensky is determined to crush the attempts of extreme radicals to control Russia.

The action of the radical leaders has practically forced Kerensky's decision to use all governmental power in crushing the radicals' efforts to gain control of Russia.

In addressing parliament, Kerensky declared these forces must be suppressed.

The dismissal of Minister of War Verkhovsky and his transfer to the Caucasian front forecast sweeping changes in the high army command.

HAPPENINGS AMONG THE TROOP D BOYS

Battery D (Detachment), Remount Station, Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 2, 1917.

(East Oregonian Special.)

Here are a few facts and happenings from the boys.

The D Troop men who were transferred to Battery D, 148 Field Artillery, are now in Camp Mills, Long Island, New York, doing military police duty.

John C. Bryson, Tom Sloan and George Young have been sent to the hospital. Bryson ruptured himself lifting heavy hay.

Pvt. Jew L. Linebaugh and Herbert McQueen have been appointed to the rank of corporals.

Johnnie Blumstein of Pilot Rock has the honor of being second cook along with Frank Parks.

BOCHES CUT THROAT AMERICAN SOLDIER

Backed Up Against Trench Wall and Knife Drawn Across Jugular Vein.

France, Nov. 7.—One American soldier killed in the German trench raid had his throat cut. The Boches overwhelmed him, backed him against the trench wall and drew a knife across his neck.

NEWS FROM HOME



French newsmen on his morning rounds with recently arrived editions of American papers. News from home reads well and every line is eagerly scanned.

GAZA CAPTURED BY BRITISH, ARTILLERY BEGINS SHELLING ROULERS, GERMAN KEY CITY

Expeditionary Army Seizes Entire Turkish Beersheba Defenses.

CONSOLIDATION OF GAINS COMPLETED

French Repel Enemy Raids in Lachame Wood on Right Bank of Meuse.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—General Allenby's expeditionary army captured Gaza, it is announced.

Gaza is near the Mediterranean less than 48 miles southwest of Jerusalem. The British Monday captured the first line of Turkish defenses.

The Egyptian expeditionary force reported the capture of Khawafah, a village eleven miles north of Beersheba. The British army is 29 miles from Jerusalem.

High American army officers were witnesses of the British assault. Hindenburg ordered the Germans they must recapture the ridge positions immediately.

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MEN IN TRAINING LAUD Y.M.C.A. WORK

Organization Doing Splendid Service Both in U. S. and Abroad.

In the following personal letter Marshall Speltz, second lieutenant of old Troop D, tells of his experience with the army Y. M. C. A.

Dear Sir:—Replying further to your telegram of Oct. 31, would say that the Y. M. C. A. work here is very helpful to the boys as it gives them a place to go for recreation, such as reading and the playing of games.

Every evening there is some kind of entertainment, such as lectures and moving pictures, which are free to the boys. Also there is church twice a week.

One is able to get money orders and send telegrams and express packages and this is a great help to the boys as they don't go to town often.

The Red Cross is doing a great deal of good as they look after the health of the men and see that they are supplied with everything that they need.

They go around the different camps and see if the boys have enough blankets and clothes. They have spent something like \$20,000 in this camp for blankets. Their representatives was here the other day and found most of the boys with bad colds.

I am showing both the work of the Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross so that you can see the work both are doing in this war.

The boys have been divided. All have gone to Camp Mills. Long Island, but many are still in the States. We expect to follow soon but at present are taking care of the remount stock.

Yours truly, MARSHALL SPELTZ.

From Harold Warner.

Hazel J. Warner of this city, who is one of the young men now in the Officers' Training Camp at the Presidio, California, wires the committee having in charge the raising of the fund for the army work of the Young Men's Christian Association in this city and county as follows:

San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 6, 1917. "Importance of Y. M. C. A. work cannot be overestimated. I am impressed with the efficiency and liberality of local organization. Over thirty-five hundred men visit the building daily. It is entitled to most generous support. (Signed) H. J. WARNER."

Unusually heavy rain was reported and ready to begin the collection of the \$14,000, which is the part of the \$25,000,000 fund now being raised throughout the United States.

This organization is at work not only in the training camps of the United States, but among the troops in France and in those ports where the men of the United States may assemble when on leave.

It is the work of this organization to which Mr. Warner refers, and with which he is daily brought in contact on the Presidio.

Attempt to follow the advice of all your friends and it will be a bodied call for you.

SUFFRAGE AND HYLAN VICTORS IN NEW YORK

Tammany Candidate Defeats Mitchel by More Than 100,000 Votes.

M'CALL IS ELECTED GOVERNOR OF MASS.

Wets Leading in Ohio; Prohibition Carries Every New Mexico County.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The complete count in the majority vote follows: John F. Hylan, 297,282.

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STRAIGHT AMERICANISM URGED BY VICE PRES. MARSHALL IN ADDRESS

Notable Appeal Along Broad Patriotic Lines Made by Distinguished Visitor to 2000 People at Happy Canyon.

High Lights of Marshall Speech. Every man should look backward, forward, around and within before he speaks in these times.

I know what German efficiency is. It is the turning of an immortal soul into a cog of a machine.

Much as I deplore the turmoil and dissension of American life, let us have them rather than lose all that makes us Americans.

The people themselves are the ultimate source of power and the ultimate source of reform.

If there is a man in this great melting pot who will not melt, let's take him out and put him where he belongs.

Naturalization papers are only a contract with the government and may be vitiated anytime the contract is not fulfilled.

On April 6 Woodrow Wilson ceased to be a democratic president and became the commander-in-chief of our army and navy.

The man who could afford to and did not buy a Liberty Bond is dead though his body lives, while the boy who is shot down in France and whose body will rot in an unknown grave lives forever.

The American after the war must feel the obligations of American citizenship as well as the opportunities.

Speaking before 2000 people who crowded into Happy Canyon pavilion last evening until hundreds were standing, Thomas T. Marshall, vice-president of the United States, gave a stirring message from the government at Washington.

The vice-president spoke not as a "foreigner" but as an American. For he said, there are now no parties but those who love America and those who do not.

He spoke as one who understands the common citizen, in plain, homely language, but with a earnestness and sincerity that impressed upon his audience his expressed conviction that this war is a consecrated war and that out of it will grow a greater and a better world.

His vision of the new America made a profound impression upon his hearers and caused them to applaud and nod more in it than mere courtesy.

When he denounced with vehemence those foreign-born citizens who are found wanting in the hour of trial, the audience backed him up with a storm of applause.

He counseled a sternness to them in applying the supreme court of the United States has held that naturalization papers can be cancelled at any time that an alien proves false to the oath he took and that the government has the right to confiscate the property of a foreign citizen.

America for Americans. The time was before this war, he said, when this country welcomed all comers to her shores and cared little whether they became Americans.

In fact, he said, this country had become a melting pot, and the foreign born and the foreign made. People do not buy things that were not stamped "Made in Germany" and his business interests catered to the patriotic idea.

Political parties and recognition of the alien agitator and German was to fight in the public schools before the young Americans had learned their own language.

He said the old familiar figure of the melting pot had declared that this country didn't care much whether the alien melted or not.

"But this war is changing all this," he declared. "Hereafter there will be no room in America for foreigners." He announced his intention of starting a crusade in his home state to take the German language out of the public schools and to insist that before an alien can become naturalized he and all his family must use the language of the country in their home and elsewhere as well as they do at the school.

The most colorful element of a national stand for the compulsory use of the English language in America," he said.

Many Germans Loyal. The vice-president made it plain that he had no prejudice against the foreign-born citizen.

"The man, he said, who leaves his native land and comes here, because he loves our institutions and who becomes a loyal American is a better citizen than I am."

For through sacrifice he has won what was his inherent right. He declared that by per cent of the German-born citizens in America are loyal to the country of their adoption and by blessed Americans.

not to look with suspicion upon every one of German origin. "But," he said, "if there be a man in this melting pot of ours who will not melt, I will take him out of the pot and send him where he belongs, either to his own country or to jail," and the applause of the crowd showed that the sentiment was unanimous.

Free Speech and Loyal Speech. In opening his address the vice president, commenting upon the right of free speech, paid his respects to those people whose voices are raised in criticism of the administration and the government at this time.

The right of free speech is guaranteed by the constitution," he said, "but in war time men and women who cannot say something that will benefit the country ought to keep their mouths shut."

It is easy to find fault and to criticize, but if it is not the part of good patriotism to do so. Every man should take a look backward, a look forward, a look around and a look within before he gives utterance during these troublous times.

Mr. Marshall declared his only mission in making this western trip was to explain the reasons leading up to the necessity of American entrance into the war.

Part of the responsibility he placed squarely upon the American people because of their attitude during the early part of the European hostilities.

Safe in the belief that their isolation was a protection, they paid scant heed to the plea.

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'TOM' WAS GENEROUS IN THANKING TOWN FOR ITS HOSPITALITY

Vice President and Wife Appreciated Courtesies; Only Place Where Big Address Was Free.

"I will never forget Pendleton and the generous hospitality extended by your people today," said Vice President Marshall.

He said that he had never before had an informal banquet at the Hotel Pendleton after the address at Happy Canyon.

"If I am ever asked to name a live American city of the west where the people unite in extending courtesies to a guest I will refer them to Pendleton, Oregon. If I am ever asked by the department of agriculture what hospital for ancient and venerable men who know little about farming—where they may go to observe thorough cultivation and how to change an annual failure into a biennial success I will refer them to Pendleton and its adjacent territory."

There were 80 guests at the banquet, the number being limited because of the capacity of the dining room, and the affair was greatly enjoyed by all present.

J. V. Tallman, president of the Pendleton Chamber of Commerce, presided at the banquet. He was assisted by Mr. Marshall. In addition to complimenting Pendleton, the vice-president told some witty stories of Indian life and had his hearers uproar with his quiet humor.

At the conclusion of the banquet, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were taken to the O. W. R. & N. private car, the use of which was volunteered by Traffic Manager Robinson, who in company with A. C. Spencer, O. W. R. & N. attorney, were here to greet the visitors.

Both Vice-President and Mrs. Marshall were generous in thanking local people for the hospitably extended while here. This is the only town of their itinerary where the address was made free to the public and the vice-president was delighted with the evidence of their hearty interest.

Members of the Girls' Honor Guard, under Captain Lois Rogers, served as usher at the meeting last evening and also polished the pavilion. There were 1500 chairs in the pavilion and these and the benches were filled a half hour before the meeting opened.

Hundreds of people stood in the rear of the structure throughout the meeting. At the 4 o'clock meeting yesterday the vice-president was introduced to the school children by Principal Drift of the high school.

MAKES CLAIM TO ISLANDS. North Nicaragua Wants Two Lying Off Mosquito Coast.

SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, Nov. 7.—It is reported here that North Nicaragua has put in a claim to the Columbian islands of San Andreas and Providencia, lying off the Mosquito coast.

It is pointed out that these islands would be useful in the protection of the Panama canal, as Providence Island would make a good landing station, and San Andreas provide a suitable wireless site.