

YANKS RECEIVE 16 INCH GUNS FROM GERMANS

Forty-two Cannons Turned Over to Americans in Verdun's Region in Good Condition—German Officers Glad War Is Over—3500 Machine Guns Awaiting at Lenoignon.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY WEST OF VERDUN, Nov. 17.—(By Associated Press.)—Two 16-inch cannon which were turned over to the Americans at Spincourt on Saturday were guns used by the Germans to shell the Verdun region. Forty-two guns of various calibers were turned over. The 16-inch guns were taken apart by the Germans into three sections, each section being drawn by a tractor.

Lieut. Ennet Gruener of St. Louis, represented the first army with Lieut. Robert Nicolson, of Salisbury, N. C., going as military expert to see that the guns were all in good condition. The lieutenants were accompanied by an infantry sergeant and four privates. Lieut. Gruener, the sergeant, and one private, went ahead in an automobile carrying a white flag. Lieut. Nicolson and the other privates followed.

Glad War Is Over
Upon reaching the outskirts of Spincourt, they were met by a lone German lieutenant who spoke English. He conducted the Americans to the village hotel, where billets had been provided. After saying he was glad to see them and expressing his belief that his responsibility was past, the German said:

"I am damn glad the war is over." As the Americans entered Spincourt, the rear guards of German divisions which had held the place were just withdrawing, the Germans rejoicing as they marched away.

The German lieutenant escorted the Americans to the hotel and endeavored to make them comfortable. Lieut. Nicolson and the German began checking the guns and continued the work until dark. Then the German entertained the two lieutenants at dinner. The German continued wearing his side arms until after the dinner, the Americans also wearing theirs.

Confidence Restored
After dinner the German said that he thought he did not need arms, but remarked that he had felt nervous during the afternoon after the German infantry had retreated, as he was uncertain as to what the Americans might do. All three took off their side arms and spent the night at the hotel. The German shot on the first floor and the Americans directly above. They had breakfast together and finished checking the guns, after which Lieut. Gruener gave the German a receipt for them.

Just before noon the German ordered the hotel to serve chocolate and began packing up his effects. He told the Americans that 3500 machine guns awaited them in Lenoignon. Two orderlies brought in his horse and tucking the receipt into an inside pocket, the enemy officer mounted, saying good-bye. Then he added:

"I hope my troubles are over for a while. I hope to forget all about guns and war and battlefields forever."

JAPAN READY TO HELP CREATE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

TOKIO, Oct. 17.—(Correspondence of Associated Press.)—Japan is as loyal to the "great alliance" caused by this war as she is to the Anglo-Japanese alliance, declared Viscount Uchida, the minister of foreign affairs, in the Japanese cabinet in an interview today. She regards the alliance with Great Britain and the cornerstone of her foreign policy, he added.

"We are impressed," he continued, "by the most recent utterances of the president of the United States, addressing the people of that country. The declaration of the president that 'with perfect unity of purpose and counsel will come the assurance of complete victory' seems to me the first principle in the solution of the difficult problem before us. There can be no league of nations unless there is among the members as complete unity of confidence and trust in one another as of the purpose and counsel. The 'noblesse oblige' of the west or the 'Bushido' of the east must permeate and guide the action of any such league. Distrust and suspicion must be left outside the door."

"Japan has always endeavored to make plain by word as well as by deed that she is ready to undertake a fair proportion of the work looking to the attainment of the common aim and she is as loyal to the great alliance created by this war as to the Anglo-Japanese alliance which Japan invariably regards as the cornerstone of her foreign policy."

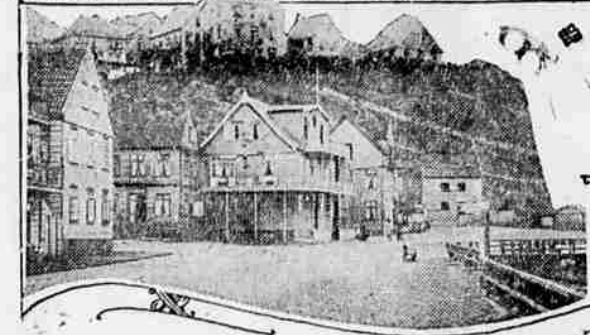
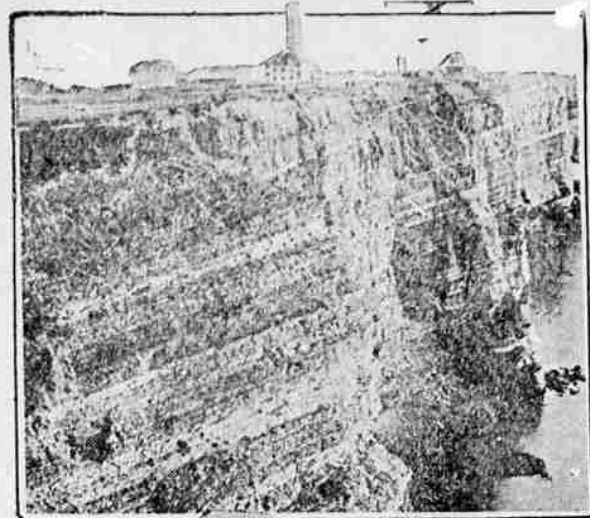
"We are all joined now closer than ever by a common duty to obey a common mandate to prevent the spoilation of a nation which was betrayed in an hour of great weakness. Our great neighbor Russia is not disloyal. She has been regarded as disloyal simply because an attempt has been made to rob Russia of the name she carried proudly in the past. The honest people of Russia must come into possession their heritage and be helped to secure it by the nations who have joined to help Russia with a unity of purpose and counsel and a loyalty, which should not seek any advantage which is not shared by their ally."

MOSES SWORN IN AS U. S. SENATOR

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—George H. Moses of New Hampshire was sworn in as a member of the senate today after a sharp debate in which Senator Pomeroy of the committee on privileges and elections attempted to defer the action pending investigations by the committee of charges of irregularity in the New Hampshire election on November 5. Senator Moses defeated John B. Jameson, democrat, by a majority of about 1,000.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our friends and also the lodges for their kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral offerings in our recent bereavement.
MRS. A. F. ROBLEY AND RELATIVES.

HELGOLAND.



Off the coast of Schleswig-Holstein, this rocky island, rising out of the North Sea, is one of Germany's strategic points which the allies will occupy. Its length is little over a mile, but it is strongly fortified and has a population of fishermen and pilots numbering about 2,000. One time the island was sacred to the Goddess Herta. That was before it was dedicated to Mars by the HUN. From an independent republic in the tenth century, it passed to Schleswig, now ceded to Great Britain in 1814 and, by treaty, became a German possession in 1822.

PARIS CELEBRATES SUCCESS OF WAR

PARIS, Nov. 18.—The population of Paris, after an imposing celebration of the liberation of Alsace-Lorraine, turned out again last night and crowded the streets, particularly the important boulevards, which were lighted in full glory as in times before the war. Until long after midnight this morning voices in laughter and song filled the air. The people, with linked hands, whirled around every American soldier whom they met.

Young and old were kissing and being kissed. They sang not only French tunes and English songs, but American favorites like "Over There" and "Dixie."

At the cathedral of Notre Dame, Sunday, there was a mass and thanksgiving service.

Influenza—La Grippe
The present influenza is now known to be our old familiar la grippe. Foley's Honey and Tar is just what every sufferer from influenza or la grippe needs now. It covers the rough inflamed throat with a soothing healing coating, clears away the mucus, stops the tickling and coughing, eases the tightness and heavy breathing. Day and night, keep Foley's Honey and Tar handy. It gives ease, warmth and comfort from the very first dose. Buy it now. For sale by Medford Pharmacy.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS SESSION THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Plans to adjourn the present session of congress sine die Thursday were made today by democratic leaders of the senate and house after the senate finance committee had reported that it would be impossible to submit the war revenue bill before the new regular session of congress opens December 2.

Republicans polled overwhelmingly in favor of adjournment and their leaders said the adjournment program would in all likelihood go through.

AERIAL POSTMAN KILLED BY A FALL

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Allen Adams, civilian instructor at the government aviation camp near Hempstead, Long Island, and Aerial Postman between New York and Washington, was instantly killed today when his machine got out of control and crashed to the ground.

Adams was testing a new machine at Central Park, Long Island. Two hundred feet above the ground, he disappeared into a dense fog and a moment later crashed to the ground. His wife witnessed the fall and was distraught.

NEW BOUNDARIES FOR TIME ZONES EFFECTIVE JAN. 1

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—New and official boundaries for time zones, thus unifying existing lines and moving them slightly westward, were announced today by the interstate commerce commission to become effective at 2 a. m. January 1 next. The order is pursuant to the daylight saving act, which in addition to authorizing an advance of the clock during the summer provided for permanent United States standard time, and required the commission to define the limits of the standard time zones which previously had been fixed only by custom of cross-continent railroads or by local law.

Between central and mountain time the line begins at the Canadian boundary, Portal, N. D., running thru Minot and Goodall, N. D., and following the Missouri river to Pierre, S. D., then thru Murdo Mackensie, S. D.; Lone Pine, North Platt, McCook and Republican Junction, Neb.; Phillipsburg, Plainville, Ellis, Dodge City and Liberal, Kan.; Waynoka, Clifton and Sayre, Okla.; Sweetwater, Big Springs and San Angelo, Tex.; and the 100th meridian to the Rio Grande river.

Between mountain and Pacific time zones the line is fixed following the eastern boundary of the Blackfoot Indian reservation in Montana and the Continental Divide to Helena, Butte and Dillon, Mont.; Pocatello, Idaho, and the Oregon Short Line to Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah; thence the Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad to the west, to the south boundaries of Utah to the 113th meridian, thence to Seligman and Parker, Ariz., and along the Colorado river to the Mexican boundary.

All of Alaska is left within a single time zone, the commission holding that it cannot deal with this matter, nor with the omission of the Hawaiian Islands for the terms of the daylight saving act.

Between the central and mountain time zones, cities on the line will take mountain time except Portal, and Minot, N. D.; Murdo Mackensie, S. D.; Phillipsburg, Stockton, Plainfield, Ellis and Liberal, Kas.; Waynoka, Ralph and Sayre, Okla.; Sweetwater, Big Springs and San Angelo, Tex.

SUPREME COURT DENIES MUONEY ANOTHER TRIAL

Federal Court Refuses to Review Case—Last Hope Except Possible Action by Governor Stephens for Retrial Gone—Action Follows Repeated Efforts to Set Aside Verdict

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The supreme court refused today to review the case of Thomas J. Mooney, labor leader, under sentence to die December 13 for the murder in connection with a bomb explosion two years ago in San Francisco.

In asking the supreme court to review his case, Mooney charged that his conviction had been obtained thru fraud on the part of the district attorney who had made use of perjured testimony. This fraud was not discovered, he claimed until after his conviction, but efforts to obtain a new trial failed.

In acting on Mooney's petition today, the court merely announced its decision through Chief Justice White, without comment.

The case attracted country-wide attention. In response to appeals for his influence, President Wilson twice has telegraphed the governor of California suggesting that clemency be considered.

Last Hope Goes
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—"The last" drop is knocked from under Mooney with the exception of possible action by Governor Stephens," Attorney Edwin V. McKenzie, of counsel for Thomas J. Mooney, said here today when advised that Mooney's appeal to the United States supreme court had been denied.

"We expected a denial from the supreme court but it was up to us to exhaust every possible means of getting a new trial for Mooney," McKenzie said.

Maxwell McNutt, counsel of record for Mooney, is in Washington, where he presented the appeal to the supreme court on October 26.

Mooney is in "death row" in the

San Quentin state penitentiary awaiting execution.

REPEATED FAILURES

The action today followed repeated efforts to have the supreme court of the state reverse the judgment of death against Mooney on the ground that he had been convicted by misfeasance and malfeasance practiced by the district attorney and the police department of San Francisco. He had been convicted for murder in connection with a preparedness day bomb explosion July 22, 1916.

On March 1, 1918, the supreme court denied Mooney's main appeal for a new trial based on the ground of reversible error. A later appeal to the common law, called "Coram Nobis" (before us the king) was denied July 22, 1918, two years to the day after the explosion.

HUSBAND SAVES WIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a weakness which caused backache and headaches. A friend called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I felt fine and my troubles caused by that weakness are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."



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For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

PROTECT WOMEN IN RECONSTRUCTION PERIOD

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Women employed in war industries must be protected during the period of industrial transformation from unemployment, a release to the lower wage standards and unsuitable conditions of employment generally said a statement today by Mary Van Kleeck, director of the women in industry service of the department of labor. The women who are to be displaced by the returning soldiers should be given full opportunity to find other gainful employment, she said, before their income is cut off.

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Dr. King's New Discovery almost never fails to bring quick relief

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Dr. King's New Discovery is well known. For fifty years it's been relieving coughs, colds and bronchial attacks. For fifty years it has been sold by druggists everywhere. A reliable remedy that you yourself or any member of your family can take safely, 60c and \$1.20.

Train Those Stubborn Bowels
Help nature take its course, not with a violent, habit-forming purgative, but with gentle but certain and natural-laxative, Dr. King's New Life Pills. Tonic in action, it stimulates the lax bowels. Sold by druggists, 25c.



ONLY A FEW DAYS MORE

To send that Boy "over there" his Christmas present. All packages must be at Red Cross local headquarters not later than Nov. 29.

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SCOURING SOAP
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Heavy Incoming Shipments Compel Us to Make Room. To Do This, We Must Clean Up Our Stock of Used Cars We Want to Move These Cars Fast, and to Do This, Prices Will Be Quoted That Will Insure the Quick Riddance of Every Used Car on Hand

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- Good Reo Touring Car, Self Starter, All in Good Condition, Worth \$600 at \$395
- Buick Six, Extra Good Buy. Used Very Little at \$1200
- Ford, With Commercial Body for Delivery. We Held This at \$450, Now \$350
- Ford Touring Car, Worth \$550, at \$445
- Ford Roadster, Worth From \$325 to \$350 at \$265
- Overland Touring Car, Easily Worth \$600 at \$495
- Overland Touring Car, Model 69, Worth \$400 at \$250

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