

INTERNAL TROUBLES THREATEN DUTCH

QUEEN WILHELMINA ASKED TO ABDICATE

DUTCH GOVERNMENT ISSUES PROCLAMATION URGING CO-OPERATION OF CITIZENS IN GRAVE POLITICAL CRISIS

AMERICAN MISSION WILL LEAVE FOR GERMAN HEADQUARTERS TOMORROW—AMERICAN AIRMEN LAND AT COLOGNE

(By Associated Press).

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The threatening attitude of the extremists in Holland, who are demanding the abdication of Queen Wilhelmina, is causing great anxiety at The Hague, according to the Daily Express.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 15.—The Dutch government has issued a proclamation urgently appealing for the co-operation of the citizens in the grave political crisis.

The proclamation says that the majority is planning to seize the power, and declares its determination to maintain authority and order.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—An American mission, commanded by Major General Rhodes, will leave Saturday for Spa, the German headquarters, General Foch has announced to the German high command in a wireless message.

The mission will consist of six officers and nineteen soldiers. The German command is asked to give instructions to allow the mission to pass.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—Secretary Baker has cabled his congratulations to General Pershing. He promised the war department would endeavor to expedite the early return of the expeditionary forces, so that the country could welcome its soldiers home.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—American airmen landed at Cologne, on the Rhine, on Thursday, it is reported.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 15.—The "Politikin" quotes the British attache here, Colonel Wade, asserting that the Germans in publishing the terms of the armistice omitted six or seven articles, including that one relating to the Allies providing food, is necessary.

DEVELOPMENT BATTALIONS FIRST FREED

50,000 OF THESE TO BE MUSTERED OUT SOON—CANDIDATES IN OFFICERS TRAINING CAMPS OFFERED RELEASE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—The men of the development battalions will be the first units of the army to be demobilized, Secretary Baker announced. There are about fifty thousand now in these battalions who will be mustered out as soon as they are given their physical examinations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—The Government Censorship Board announced the immediate discontinuance of the Press censorship in connection with the cable postal and land telegraph lines.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—The War Department announced that candidates for commissions in the Officers' Training schools may be discharged from the army immediately if they desire, otherwise they will be placed on the inactive list after receiving their commissions.

SECTIONS OF S. P. MAY BE ELECTRIFIED

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15.—Electrification of the railroads in the mountain sections of California to effect a saving of approximately 2,062,300 barrels of fuel oil a year was recommended here today by D. M. Folsom, fuel oil administrator for the Pacific coast. The recommendation was sent to Mark L. Requa, director general of the oil division of the fuel administration for submission to William G. McAdoo, federal director general of railroads.

The initial expense would be \$23,012,000 and the investment would result in a return ultimately of nine and four-tenths per cent, Folsom estimated. Folsom suggested that the Sacramento division of the Southern Pacific be electrified between Roseville, Cal., and Sparks, Nevada a distance of 157 miles; the Shasta division of the same company between Gerber, Cal., and Ashland Ore., 215 miles, and the San Joaquin division of the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe between Kakersfield and Sanguis, Cal., 128 miles.

GEORGE ADE ILL.

LAFAYETTE, IND., Nov. 15.—George Ade, author and playwright, is critically ill at his home at Brookside physicians despair of his life. He was graduated from Purdue university in 1889 and from Yale in 1895.

RESCUED AFTER SIXTY-TWO HOURS AT SEA IN OPEN BOAT

MIAMI, Fla., Nov. 15.—Captain Fessler and twelve other survivors of the small American steamer Yearut of Philadelphia, which sunk Sunday off the Bahama Islands, arrived here after 62 hours in an open boat. Five members of the crew are believed to have been lost.

CHELSEA BOX TAKES FIRST DRIVE HONORS

OVERSUBSCRIBES QUOTA BY A SUBSTANTIAL PER CENT—TOTAL FOR COUNTY IS NOW NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS

Increase of the total of the United War Work drive to \$9,000 is reported today at the headquarters by Chairman A. B. Epperson, who indicates that some of the outside precincts are yet to be heard from.

The Chelsea Lumber and Box company was the first precinct to report going over the top in this county. The quota for this industrial plant was \$207, and its final report showed \$247.

The Topsy precinct has met its quota of \$45, and the Crescent precinct has also passed its mark.

BIG TRACTOR USED FOR HAULING NOW

The use of the big caterpillar engine for hauling the cinders from the Shippington dock to the new Pelican City road, instead of the trucks, is announced today by County Road Supervisor Tom Dixon, who declares that by this change about 40 yards can be hauled daily. This will be an increase of about eight yards over the previous operations.

TWO AIRMEN KILLED IN TEXAS

FORT WORTH, Tex., Nov. 14.—Lieutenants William Curdery and Albert Meyers were killed here today when their airplane fell 4,000 feet in a test flight.

GIVE YOUR LIMIT

The time has come when we are privileged to express without religious distinction the fullness of our appreciation for the God given services rendered to our boys by the seven organizations now combined in a United National War Work campaign.

It is up to us to do our share by subscribing as liberally as our means will permit.

The boys now serving under the colors gave their all that we might continue to enjoy the heritage bequeathed to us by the founders of this republic.

We, of Oregon, have in the past shown our patriotism, loyalty and generosity on all occasions when called upon to do our share in upholding the principles for which our beloved country entered the war; and now that victory is assured let us not cease to continue to provide for the wants of our boys, who are entitled to all that a grateful nation can give.

When a solicitor for the United War Work campaign calls on you greet him with a hearty welcome. Don't delay him with unnecessary questions. You know his mission; subscribe to the fund all your means will allow, permitting him to continue without delay on his heavenly errand. Having done your duty you will be happier in the consciousness of having played your part in the world's great drama.

The fact that the war is apparently ended should be no reason for any person not subscribing as liberally as every dollar asked for is needed to carry on the great work mapped out by the seven organizations caring for the needs and comforts of our gallant American soldiers who once have carried the Stars and Stripes to a glorious victory.

SUDDEN CALL FOR PIONEER EARLY TODAY

ONE OF COUNTY'S BEST KNOWN CITIZENS ANSWERS SUMMONS OF GRIM REAPER AT HOME IN THIS CITY

The sudden loss of one of its best loved citizens has today cast a shadow of gloom over this community. E. W. Gowen Sr. was called to his last rest shortly after three o'clock this morning, at his home at 305 Pine Street.

It hardly seems possible that the familiar figure of Justice Gowen, who yesterday was attending to his official duties and conversing with his friends on the street will be seen no more. With his passing the county has lost one of its most loyal and upright citizens. His acts of kindness and generosity will stand out long in the memory of his friends and neighbors. Following a short illness from the Grippe, Judge Gowen had so far recovered as to again be out. He was taken ill again late last evening, passed away early this morning due to heart failure.

The deceased was born in Boston, Massachusetts, seventy years ago last March. He was the youngest of twelve children and with his mother widowed at an early age, he was obliged to undertake life responsibilities at a much earlier age than most persons.

He came to Madison when a young man and spent several years there employed by the American Express Company and the Western Union Telegraph Company. Testimonials from representatives of both these companies, still preserved show the efficiency of his service.

He came to Oregon in 1884 and to Klamath County in the Fall of 1887. Shortly after this arrival, he located on what is now the Doak ranch on the west side of the Upper Klamath Lake.

He was elected Sheriff in 1890, winning the Republican nomination over J. T. Henley and defeating H. S. Webb, the democratic aspirant. He was re-elected to the same office in 1892. Those were the days when the dollars were scarce in Klamath County and pioneers tell how Justice Gowen, who was tax collector spent a part of his salary in assisting his hard put friends to make their tax payments.

During the last few years he has held the position as Justice of the Peace in this city and has also spent some time in buying and shipping out live stock.

Mr. Gowen is survived by his wife and one son E. W. Gowen, Jr. now in the service of his country in France.

The funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 o'clock from the home.

REVOLUTION SPREADING IN EASTERN PRUSSIA.

BASEL, Nov. 15.—The revolutionary movement is spreading strongly in east Prussia, the Revolutionary governments of Mann Heim, Rastatt and Heidenburg have summoned the Grand Duke of Baden to abdicate.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Womens Relief Corps have a number of knitted articles on hand, which they would like to reach the Klamath boys in France as well as here in the States, for Xmas. Mothers or wives of "our boys" may upon application receive articles for their Christmas box.

MANY KILLED IN BRUSSELS

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 15.—Ninety persons have been killed or injured in the street fighting in Brussels, it is reported.

LANSING TELLS HUNS TO TALK TO THE ALLIES

DOESN'T WANT ALL THE APPEALS TO COME TO UNCLE SAM—GERMAN ARMY BEGINS EVACUATION OF POLAND

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—Secretary Lansing has announced that he has acknowledged the receipt of Sol's message, asking the hastening of the peace convention, and had requested that the Germans not confine their appeals to the United States alone, but to address them also to the Allies.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The German army has begun the general evacuation of Poland. It is reported that the German troops in Warsaw have been disarmed and arrested, as have all the German civilians in the Polish capital.

FOOD OFFICERS COMPLIMENT LOCAL PUBLIC

The announcement made yesterday that the requirements to purchase substitutes with wheat flour had been discontinued was unexpected, because in addition to our own people in Europe there are millions in the war-devastated regions that will have to be fed, and mainly from the United States. The release of shipping consequent on the end of hostilities has, no doubt, caused the modification as to substitutes, but the brake will necessarily be held on in a general way for several months.

It is estimated that there will be some change in the sugar regulations by December 1st, but whether up or down does not yet appear. The cards issued in October are good for November, as is generally known, and provide for three pounds per person, and are not returnable until called in by public notice.

The local administration wishes again to compliment the people on their hearty compliance with all that has been required of them in the conservation of food, and will say that the office will remain open from 8:30 to 12, and from 1:30 to 4:30 each day for the present.

O. C. APFLEGATE, County Food Administrator.

EX-KAISER PLANS A LIFE OF SECLUSION

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 15.—Count William Hohenzollern, the former Kaiser, plans to make his permanent residence at the Achilleon palace, on the island of Corfu, it was stated by well-informed persons.

Corfu, the largest of the Ionian islands, lies in the Mediterranean, off the coast of Albania. It is about 40 miles long and has an area of 277 square miles. The island has beautiful scenery, and the climate is mild.

VICTORY DAY MAY BE CREATED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—A joint resolution declaring November 11th a national holiday, to be designated as "Victory Day," has been introduced in the house by Representative Hicks of New York, a member of the house naval affairs committee.

ADMIRALS ARRANGING ARMISTICE ON WATER

ADMIRAL BEATTY OF THE BRITISH NAVY WILL MEET GERMAN DELEGATES ON THE STRAMER KOENIGSBERG

GERMAN SEAMEN NOW OFFERING REVOLUTION AND WILL FLY GERMAN FLAG—HUN WOMEN ASK MODERATION

LONDON, Nov. 15.—The German cruiser Koenigsberg, which is carrying the German delegates to arrange the usual terms of armistice, is expected to meet Sir Admiral Beatty, commander of the British grand fleet.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—Crews of the German boats at a mass meeting at Brunshutzel resolved to oppose the revolution and reinstate officers, according to a Copenhagen dispatch. It was resolved to fly the national flag instead of the red flag.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—Any reply which is made to the wireless appeal addressed in the name of the German women to Mrs. Woodrow Wilson for aid in securing modifications to the armistice terms, will probably go thru diplomatic channels.

YOUNG COUPLE WEDDED HERE LAST EVENING

Frank H. Schmidt and Miss Irene Simpson were married at the home of J. Frank Adams, on Sixth street, last evening by the Rev. Simpson Hamrick of the Methodist church.

Both bride and groom have been in the employ of Mr. Adams for several months. Their wedding came as a considerable surprise to many of their friends. Their future plans have not been announced. Previous to his employment by Mr. Adams, the groom was employed for five years at the ranch of "Lum" Short, near this city.

FORREST PIEL SAYS SHERMAN WAS RIGHT

A letter received this morning from Forrest Piel, former city editor of the Evening Herald, and now a member of the 361st Ambulance Company in France, conveys the news that he has been in active service in the line since that started September 27th, and that he had his baptism of fire.

He states that he is a member of the "Forrest Piel Club," and that he knows that Sherman was right.

Forrest hopes to share his Klamath Falls friends by the Fourth of July.

Table with 2 columns: Casualty type and count. Includes: Died of wounds (32), Killed in action (233), Died of accident and other causes (5), Died of disease (276), Wounded severely (59), Wounded, degree undetermined (172), Wounded slightly (228), Missing in action (275), Died of disease—private Wilbur H. Sloanaker, Ada, Oregon.

NEW SENATORS VOTES MAY BE CONTESTED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 15.—Contents of the elections of two republican Senators, Truman Newberry of Michigan and George Moses of New Hampshire are forecasted in the proceedings before the Senate Elections committee. Protests to the seating of both have been received. Action has been deferred for the present.

INFLUENZA CASES NOW IMPROVING

No new cases of the Spanish influenza have been brought to the Isolation Hospital here for the last two days, and the cases now being cared for there, are reported to be getting along as well as could be expected. Mrs. Cecilia Bogardus, who has had charge of the nursing in the County since the outbreak of the epidemic and who has been ill at her home during most of the week is getting along nicely.