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# **RUSSIAN ARMY IS** AGAIN IN A VISE WHICH MAY CLOSE

**Three Hundred Thousand Men** Are Trying To Escape Trap

GERMAN GUNS KILL MANY **CIVILIANS AT MENEHOULD** 

# Greece and Rumania Are Closely Watching Bul-garia's Course Petrograd, Sept. 20.—Three hundred Uonsand Russians are retiring from the Vilna region, under terrible attack on

Vilna region, under terrible attack on both flanks from German forces who are making hercalean efforts to sur-round them.

are making hereniean efforts to sur-round them. Their position is more critical than that of any Russian army since the great Austro-German campaign began. German's forces are crowding them hard in their desperate effort to escape iso lation. Confidence was expressed in mil-charte or will be able to smash taking way through the Austro-German offen-seve. Though Berlin' officially said that in the capture of Vilna, the Teutows ef-forts had been crowned with sneeess. this sneeess was deaily bought, for the Austro-Germans are now suffering very

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The jaws of the German trap, set for the Siavs, are now sprend 60 miles opart. The Russians have been withdrawing from this vise since Friday, when the fall of Vilua was seen to be

The roads and fields in their path of light are splendidly adapted for hasty moves and preparing to aid the allies of ALLIES WILL PAY

New York, Sept. 20.—German bombs ton hotel, near Trafalgar Square, about fell within a few blocks of the bank of England and the lord mayors residence when Zeppelins gaided the heart of Lordon Sentember 8 needed to the dear of driver when I heard a crash like thun-Lordon Sentember 8 needed to the dear of the constant of the sentember 8 needed to the sen London September 8, according to the driver when 1 heard a crash like thun-der. Guns on an adjoining roof opened first uncensored stories of the affair fire on the great yellowish white object brought here today by passengers aboard fae liner Rotterdam. These palace and at the admiral-ter St. James palace and at the admiral-

**CENTER OF LONDON** 

U. S. TOURISTS SAY

**GERMAN BOMB FELL** 

nboard the liner Rotterdam. Though the press bureau announced that twenty were killed by the raiders, the passengers reported that at least fifty perished, and that property de-stroyed was valued at more than \$1, 000,000. Trank Page, son of the American am-bassador to London, was a passenger on the Rotterdam and he estimated that

One bomb exploded on the roof of a from 30 to 40 persons were killed. "Anti-aircraft guns were concealed London bus near Trafalgar Square, in the very center of the city and killed in Grosvenor Square, the most exclusive residential section," he said. "When fourteen occupants. A block in the heart of London was

these began barking, people rished out of the finest homes to see the spectacle." Page estimated that the Zeppelins were from 8,000 to 10,000 feet above the

city.

Arrival of Liner, The American liner Philadelphia, bearing more eve witnesses, docked at dock

10 o clock, H. Gordon Selfridge, head of a big London department store, was in Tra-fulgar Square the night of the raid, and he confirmed the story of the bombing

en route. "The railway was damaged." he said "and for two days no trains were able to run on this line from the Liverpool street station. "I helieve England is strongly forti-fied financially, despite the tremendous sums spent daily on the war. She has only scraped the fringe of her resources. "I learned on the highest authority "I was standing in front of the Carl-

**Result of Impending Battles** Alone Can Change

# Decision

## **ELECTION OF PRESIDENT EXPECTED** TO BE HELD

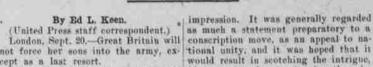
Several Women Wounded By **Bandits Near Brownsville** Vicinity

Washington, Sept. 20.-Unless im-pending battles change the status of General Carranza and General Villa, the former will be recognized by the United States as provisional president bureau today made a most excellent | sist it.

of Mexico. Then this government will rely upon election of a new president, with the **ARCHIBALD ARRIVES;** moral support of America and probably that of many other governments. The opposing Mexican armies are re-ported to be between Torreon and Chihushes, preparing for a straggle to turn the scale of power to one or the other of the two chieftains.

In the south, General Zapata is co-Carranza.

ican farmers were borned during the defined to discuss the bounds. With his congregation listened in awe, night by Mexican rainers near here. The Athinis, en route from New Twenty Iudians from the Toas reserva-tion enlisted to aid soldiers trail them. Some spot where the Santa Anna took with his congregation listened in awe.



**CONSCRIPTION COMES** 

**ONLY AS LAST RESORT** 

SAYS LLOYD GEORGE

But, if conscription is necessary, it is unlikely that a "civil war" or a "so-cial revolt" will result, despite the free use of these terms by its opponents.
This is the judgment of neutral observers, who have had an opportunity to study the British mind. In this contaction, they remember the general British proneness to threaten rebellion when confronted with a possibility of canactment of objectionable measures.
They recall the time when David Lloyd George's national insurance scheme war.
would result in scotching the intrigue, if any exists for overturning the minimative continue its agitation against compulsion or service, but it is believed that the conseription issue hereafter will be less prominent than it has been lately.
Consection, they remember the general British proneness to threaten rebellion when confronted with a possibility of conseription advocates were encourted by the speech of J. H. Thomas, member of parliament at Deptford, indicating that if conseription is shown to be the only means of saving the empire from an inglorious peace, working men will not oppose it. George's antional insurance scheme was proposed, and whee hundreds of theu-sends swore they worth never "lie's stramps for thest." But, they meekly submitted when it came to a showdown. Neutrals are satisfied that con-reliption would be accepted in the same

which may necessitate conscription-in fact a crisis which he said, requires the nation to give the government an opportunity to decide the conscription question, made public through the press

men will not oppose it. Lloyd-George's letter, addressed to one of his constituents, said that the government is thoroughly examining the question "with a view to coming to the right decision." He sounded a warning that England is facing a grave crisis

DR. HILLIS CONFESSES

Berlin, via London, Sept. 20 .- Secre-

tary Grew of the American embaasy was closeted today for a half hour with the foreign office, and it is reported, received an important message bearing on German-American diplomatic rela tions which he immediately dispatched to Washington.

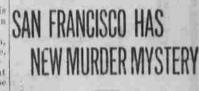
Grew also delivered a communication from Washington, the nature of which he would not disclose.

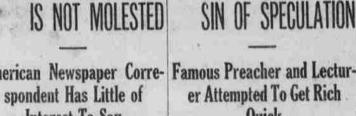
Incident Settled.

The diplomatic situation surrounding the Hesperian and Orduna incidents was regarded today as settled by Ger-many's notes to America. An agreement over the Arabic torpedoing will end the German-American submarine warefare controversy it was semi-of-ficially stated. Ambassador Von Bernstorff, it is understood, has reached an understanding with Lansing, and an early settlement of the Arabic case is

### Ignore Dumba Letter.

Washington, Sept. 20.-Officials in-dicated today they will ignore Austrian Ambassador Dumba's letter criticising the administration for alleged partiality to the allies. While his letter, made pub He yesterday, was regarded as an af-front, the administration will be satis-fied with Dumba's speedy departure, which he already here being already departure, which has already been ordered by his government, and this will close the ineident





Houses Are Burned. Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 20.—Three noccupied houses belonging to Amer-net of the and the angle angle and the angle angle and the angle and the angle angle and the angle and the angle and the angle a

## German Guns Kill Citizens.

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Ther's little change in' th' war sit-intion, 'cent ever'buddy kin pronounce 'Warsaw.' When we do strike a sweet micy cantaloupe we're willin' t' fergive th' past. on a wide front.

Watch Bulgaria Closely.

### " Germans Report Victory.

German Guns Kill Citizens. Paris, Sept. 20.—A large number of otizens, including the assistant mayor ware slain hast night when the Ger-man forces have again defeated the busilens southwest of Dvinsk, while en-trange. The city hall and other public buildings were damaged. The communique today, reported that the Shave through the Novo Alexand-try at all points of the battle line These attacks succeeded in prevention These entraces and commanded the enemy heav-ity at all points of the battle line These attacks succeeded in prevention the source of the battle line These attacks succeeded in prevention These attacks succeeded in prevention the source of the battle line These attacks succeeded in prevention the source of the battle line the source of the battle line

"German artillery engaged the Ser- underwriting syndicate of big baukers The energy from gathering new supplies of ammunition. Germans were active in bombarding the suburbs of Arras, Fouenceurt, Mertenths of a billion dollars, desired by the allied finance commissioners now

Step is needed for the succeed of Brit.
 ish arms, John Hodge, M. P., today dependence the year notes, guaranteed by guaranteed by the an address to Parisian so cinlists.
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 Berlin, vin London, Sept. 20.—Brit ish warships bombarded Westeride, and Middlekerke without result yesteriday, it was officially stated today. Sore that an early mament.''
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ficial announcement today said. This tended to confirm reports that the Austro-Germans are planning a mighty drive against the Balkans in the mighty drive against the initians in the commission would the hope of forcing an early peace. Pursuit of the Russians, attempting to floe from the jaws of the Teuton trap closing in about Vilna, continues. Field Marshal Von Hindenburg has reached the Djedaiki-Loljane line, while Field Thaw, arrived here to

ability of France to meet her financial \* obligations and he had no doubt that the commission would succeed in ob-

### HARRY THAW IN PORTLAND.

Portland, Or., \*Sept. 20.-Harry K. Thaw, arrived here today: from San-Francisco to meet his mother, Mrs. Wil Marshal Von Mackenesen is approach-ing the railway junction east of Pinsk with the Russian retreating before him liam Thaw and his sister, Mrs. E. C. Stoner. All are registered at the Hotel Portlaud. Thaw said he did not know

Philadelphia Telegraph: Speaking of how long he would remain in the city, the state preparedness, you had better but intimated he might leave this even-get busy and have your furnace fixed. ing.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

# The comparison of Illugst by the Germania was officially admitted. The Russian retirement in the Valy-mian triangle consisted of a repuise of offorts to wage, a new offensive. A drive for Dvinsk, key to the path to Petrograd and Biga, is expected soon. That a more desperate resistance would mark such a move was regarded likely, nowever. The classes of Greek reservists, it is reported, have been summoned to the colors in apparent anticipation of def-inite action soon. Bulgaring papers, favoring Austria, today printed letters from Macedoniau enders, orging an attack upon' Serbia without delay and seizure of Mace-donia. \$800,000,000

# President Wilson regrets un-founded stories of his peace plans.

Count Von Bernstorff , nnnonness Germany has made no move for pours and no offer of separate terms for Belgium. and had met him in his stateroom. The agent, he said, asked one ques-tion, but what this was he would not discuss. He was satisfied, however, tion, but what this was be would not discuss. He was satisfied, however, ROCKEFELLER MAY with the answer, and left, according to Archibald.

Archibahl was convinced he will not be proscuted. He went directly to the office of Attorney Frank Hogan.

**GREEK LINER LOST** 

## for loaning from one half to eight Mineral Company Granted More Time by Land Board

the suburbs of Arras, Fouencourt, Mer-cleville and Tracy-le-val but the French replicit with a sharp fire. Exercise positions at Fontency were taked with rifle fire, but the French ind not leave their trenches. Find not leave their trenches. For an address to Parisian so Over Four Hundred Passen-At a meeting of the state land board time to begin actual

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fire a week ago, according to the report laces of a poor slum worker. from the Auchor line. weeks rumors of finabelal weeks rumors of financial difficultie Though he denied at first that any lave been current, and last week, the one had seen him before he docked, storm seemed to come to a head when Woman Named Mrs. Baker Is Archibald afterward admitted that an Hillis' nephew instituted a \$50,000 suit, agent of the department of justice had charging that the pastor libeled him in gone down the bay in a revenue cutter Portland in declaring that he was leeturing to pay the acphew's debts.

**Murdered Evidently For** Revenge

San Francisco, Sept. 20.-Revenge and not robbery was the motive behind the murder of the soman who was found strangled in a rooming house here

NUCKEFELLER INFO BE ARRESTED TODAY Miners' Union at Trinidad Plans For His Prosecution

Trialidad, Colo., Sept. 20.—Flans for the arrest of John D. Rockefaller, Jr., for his alleged part in the battle of Ladlow were hild today by attorneys for the United Mine Worners. They expect to have him taken into enstedy when he arrives to inspect his Colorado interests. A. M. Belcher, general counsel for the

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