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Thousands of Homes Throughout East May Not Be Warmed

MANY HOUSE OWNERS ALREADY WITHOUT COAL

Supply Is Decreasing Everywhere and Prices Are Steadily Rising

New York, Oct. 19 .- Unless some step is taken at once to relieve what amounts to a nation wide shortage of Newspapers of Many Nations coal, thousands of homes will not have heat to ward off winter's chill and the

wheels of industry may be slowed. A canvass of the situation conducted today by the United Press revealed this grave situation almost everywhere in the country. An acute shortage is

ed at once to supply immediate de-mands. Only a few shipments received

Dallas, Tex.—But little shortage felt yet, but dealers predict scarcity. "We are just beting by," was one

dealer's comment.
Richmond, Va., and Philadelphia were among the few cities of the nation which report "no shortage."
Kansas City likewise reported "no Refuses to Quit Until He's serious shortage," except in semi-an-thracite, which is practically unesti-mable.



Mutiny In Austrian Navy Is Latest Report

Washington, Oct. 19.—News of a severe mutiny in the Austrian navy and a clash between Austrian sailors and

a clash between Austrian sailors and German submarine crews at the Austrian naval base at Pola, received yesterday at Rome from Berne, reached he Italian embassy.

The cables stated the German subrine flotilla had been removed from to Cattaro, down the Adriatic, as unit of the clash in which there several casualties on both sides. Caproni airplane was lost when im Caproni squadrons bombel Pola reday. A similar raid was conducte tinst Cattaro.

The mayiators destroyed their machine and succeeded in reaching the Italian lines after working their way through the Austrian encampment about Trieste.

GERMANY SPENDING MONEY FREELY TO INFLUENCE NEUTRALS

Are Subsidized or Influenced with Money

(By Webb Miller) (United Press Staff Correspondent) London, Oct. 19.—Germany today is Expected within the next two weeks.

Detailed reports follow:

New York—All dealers report shortage; prices increasing, fuel administration named a special agent to devise
means of ameliorating. Many apartment house owners declare they are
completely without coal.

Cleveland—Shortage expected.

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Boston—Manufacturers aroused by it was learned today that on oneincreasing shortage and may cut factory hours in an effort to conserve the supply.

New England's shortage by January 1, predicted to be 6,000,000 tens.

Detroit—Pactories hard hit by increasing inability to get even small

Detroit—Pactories hard hit by increasing inability to get even small amounts of coal. Forty thousand homes without coal Mayor received petitions from 20,000 citizens asking for aid. 30me coal for heating distributed.

St. Louis—Estimate present supply of coal sofficient for only three days. If strike of southern Illinois miners continues beyond that time much suffering is feared here, all St. Louis supply comes from the Illinois fields.

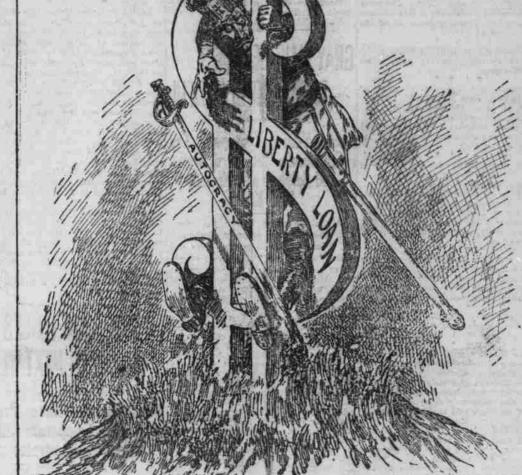
Chicago—Sudden cold wave caused intense suffering due to gravely serious shortage of fuel. Shortage already estimated at 1,250,000 tons. Even hospitals keeping warm only day by day requisitions for coal.

Atlanta—Fifty thousand tons needed at once to supply immediate deed to the control of the Chinese of a pamphlet aroused in the control of the chinese public name and other deed of the decreman on a truthed and other and the allies of the decreman based of the chinese of the decreman based of the control of the Chinese of a pamphlet aroused in the control of the Chinese of a pamphlet aroused in the control

mands. Only a few shipments received since August, a mere drop in the buck-et. Acate shortage feared within a few weeks.

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NEW GIANT U-BOATS ROBBING FOOD SHIPS

GERMANY'S POLITICAL

London Opinion Attaches Lit-

Oregon Liberty Bond Subscription Grows

Portland, Or., Oct. 19,—Oregon's subscription passed the \$7,000,000 mark this afternoon with today's sub-scriptions, which totalled over a million

Since noon Max Houser, grain dealer, announced he would buy \$250,000 and Peter Kerr \$100,000 worth of bonds. These big subscriptions gave new life to the campaign and Oregon is expected to pass the \$8,250,000 mark—half of her quota—within the next 24

AMERICAN TRANSPORT SUNK-LOSS 70

ing Home Was Struck by Torpedo

Washington, Oct. 19,-The Ward liner Antilles, an army transport, was torpedoed, October 17, with about 70 men nissing and 167 saved.

This was officially announced tonight by the committee on public information. The statement follows:

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"Secretary Daniels authorizes the following:

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Which states that the Antilles, an Am-

"-Boyle, junior engineer officer.
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Menace of German Advance From Riga Is Given As Reason

POLITICAL CONSIDERATION ENTERS INTO DECISIO

Ward Liner Antilles Return- Great Fleet of German War Ships with Long Range Guns Appears

Petrograd, Oct. 18 .- Petrograd may be abandoned as the capital of Russia. "On account of the strategical situntion," caused by the menace of a German advance from the Gulf of Riga, it was formally stated today that early transfer of the capital from Petrograd

which states that the Antilles, an American transport, was torpedeed on October 17, while returning to this country from foreign service. The vessel was under convoy of American patrol vessels at the time.

"The torpede which struck the Antilles was not seen nor was the submarine which fired it."

"The torpedo hit abreast of the engine room bulkhead and the ship sank within five minutes.

"One hundred and sixty seven persons out of 237 abourd the Anilles were saved.

"About seventy men are missing. All the naval officers who were on board at the time were saved, as were the officers of the following:

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"Network was indicated today in announcement that a special "exacuating committee had been named to make all pians. The personnel of this committee included M. Tratyakoff, president of the Economia the object of Public Welfare Kiskin.

Emphasis was officially laid today on the fact that the plans for evacuation from Petrograd to Moscow do not cantenplate precipitate withdrawal. It was asserted, for instance, that the preliminary parliamentary meeting would in all probability or bold in Petrograd.

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