

GERMAN AGENT IN ARGENTINE GIVEN PASSPORTS TODAY

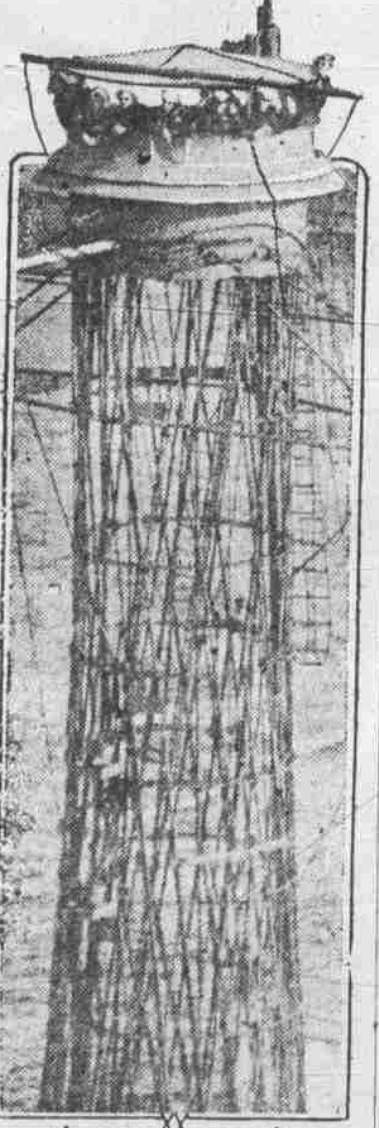
German Charge D'Affairs in Argentine Sent Home

ASK EXPLANATION OF SECRET CODE AFFAIR

The Argentine Foreign Office Sends a Communication to German Foreign Office Demanding Explanation.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 12.—The Argentine government at noon today sent to the German legation passports to be delivered to Count Larvege, the German charge d'affaires in Buenos Aires.

PROTECTED FROM AERIAL ATTACK



This view of the fighting top of one of Uncle Sam's superdreadnoughts shows new armor plate covering which protects the Jackies assigned to that post from aerial attack.

PROBING RECORD OF AFTON MEANS

Record Being Looked Into in Three Different States Today

HUGHES NOT IN CASE The Former Republican Presidential Candidate

Says He Has No Part in the Case, Denying All Reports.

New York, Sept. 12.—Afton Means, brother of Gaston Means, business manager for Mrs. Maud A. King, whose death from a pistol shot August 29th, at Woodmont, N. C., is being investigated by the authorities of three states, and Henry Deitch, Afton Means' father-in-law, were summoned by the district attorney to appear today before the grand jury.

SEIZE PAPERS ON AFFAIR

District Attorney Dooling yesterday visited the former home here of Gaston B. Means in an effort to gather information bearing on the case.

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HARDWICK BILL IS DENOUNCED

Senate Military Committee Reports Adversely and Denounces Senator Hardwick's Resolution.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Denouncing the introduction of such a proposition the Senate Military Committee report of advisory Senator Hardwick's resolution which would provide that the consent of every man drafted must be obtained before he is required to perform foreign service.

CIVILIAN GOVERNOR OF BELGIUM FIRED

London, Sept. 12.—Dreyfus Duvill, the civilian governor of Belgium, has been dismissed, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam yesterday.

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PAINLEVE FAILS FORM CABINET

Socialists Withdraw After Midnight and Plan Fails

ASKED TO CONTINUE

The President Has Asked Paul Painleve to Continue Efforts to Form New Cabinet for the French Government.

Paris, Sept. 12.—Paul Painleve, minister of war, has announced that he has been unable to form a new ministry to succeed that of M. Ribot, owing to the eleventh hour withdrawal of the Socialists, Albert Thomas and M. Yvonne.

CONTINUES HIS EFFORTS NOW

London, Sept. 12.—A dispatch from Paris to Reuters announces that Paul Painleve, minister of war, has failed to form a new ministry and returned the mandate to President Poincare at 1 o'clock this morning.

TO FIX RETAIL PRICES FOR COAL

Washington, Sept. 12.—Retail coal prices will be announced for every city and community in the country before September 30, Dr. H. A. Garfield, the fuel administrator, announced last night.

RACES WILL BE BIG ATTRACTION

Coming Horse Races at Rocky Mount Faid Bid to Be Fastest Ever Held Here. Many Entries.

CRAVEN NEGROES SENTENCED TO DIE

New Bern, N. C., Sept. 12.—Jesse Bowden and Lee Perkins, colored, and who were at last week's term of Craven county superior court convicted of breaking into the home of Mr. W. A. Wilson, at Dover, a few weeks ago, have been sentenced to die in the electric chair at the state prison on October 16.

COTTON MARKET

The cotton market was very nervous and irregular early today. The opening was 72 points higher on September 6 and 22 points higher on later positions with the tone barely steady at the advance.

TWO STUDENT AVIATORS KILLED

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 12.—Two student aviators of the United States army fell to their death over the North Island aviation field this morning when two biplanes they were driving collided about 1,500 feet in the air.

PROBLEM SHIPS GREATEST OF WAR

Efforts to Bring Matter to Attention of the Allied People

ASK ALL AID SOLUTION

Entente Governments Agree That Problem is the Most Serious of All at This Time and Appeal to People for Support.

London, Sept. 12.—(Friday, Sept. 7th, delayed by censor.)—It is learned here that the Entente governments have agreed that the shipping situation is the most serious problem of all those facing the Entente at the beginning of the fourth winter of the war and every effort will be made during the coming months to impress the people of England and America that the greatest effort of the whole war will be necessary to solve it.

FIRE CHIEFS TO MEET NEXT WEEK

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young is perfecting the program for the state institutes for fire prevention and building, and inspectors and chiefs of fire departments to be in session respectively September 18 and 19, and September 20 and 21, at Wrightsville Beach.

SUSPEND INCREASES IN FREIGHT RATES

Washington, Sept. 12.—Proposed general increases in freight rates on live stock and fresh and dressed meats on virtually all lines east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio, which were to have become effective September 18, were suspended yesterday by the Interstate Commerce Commission until January 13, next.

FOUND GUILTY OF KILLING CRIPPLE

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Sept. 12.—Mrs. Alice Kenniston was found guilty of murder in the second degree yesterday for participating in the killing July 5 of Alice Bradshaw, the crippled eight-year old daughter of a neighbor.

EDDIE LEE SAVED FROM DEATH CHAIR

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—Governor Bickett yesterday saved Eddie Lee, a young man of Pasquotank county, convicted of burglary, from the electric chair by commuting the death sentence to a term of life imprisonment.

ATLANTA CLINCHES SOUTHERN PENNANT

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 12.—Atlanta clinched at the Southern Association pennant by winning from Mobile here yesterday and established three league records, according to unofficial statistics compiled here.

STOCK MARKET

New York, Sept. 12.—Liquidation of speculative accounts and professional ing of motors caused the stock market to hesitate after an opening with a good showing of strength.

THOUSANDS CLAIM TO THE PRESIDENT

Claims of Men Indispensable To War Service Are Appealed

ARE ONLY APPEAL

No Personal Hearings Are to Be Given by President Wilson and Only Evidence to District Board Will Be Considered.

Washington, Sept. 12.—More than one thousand claims for exemptions from military service on the ground that the claimant is indispensable to a war industry appealed to the President, the final judge of such cases were on file today at the office of Provost Marshal General Crowder, and others were coming in. Preliminary examinations are being made by General Crowder on whose final recommendation the President will probably act.

CAVALRYMEN PAY VISIT TO CITY

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SUFFRAGE VICTORY IN RHODE ISLAND

Gov. Beekman signing suffrage bill.



The suffrage cause scored another notable victory recently when Gov. R. Livingston Beekman affixed his signature to the bill which grants Rhode Island women the right to vote for president of the United States. Three leaders of the movement responsible for the success of the measure are shown standing behind the governor in the picture.

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EACH SIDE TO SHOVE BLAME ON OTHER FOR RUSSIA AFFAIRS

General Korniloff Says Government of Russian Weak Indecision

WHOT SENT L VOFF IS THE POINT DISCUSSED

Kerensky Is Charged by Korniloff With an Effort to Start Trouble. Petrograd Newspaper is Surprised.

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—The texts of General Korniloff's proclamations are published here today. The first dated at Mobeley denounces Premier Kerensky's description of Vladimir L'Voff's mission as untrue and declared that Korniloff did not send L'Voff to Kerensky, but that Kerensky sent L'Voff to him with the intent to create trouble.

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