

GERMANY'S SOLDIERS IGNORANT OF PEACE

ENTIRE COUNTRY GOING DRY, THOMAS FITZGERALD

IN SPITE OF KAISER'S ORDERS, CAPTURED SOLDIERS CLAIM NO KNOWLEDGE OF PEACE

HINDENBURG DISPLEASED

(By United Press) With the British armies in the field... Despite the Kaiser's order of the day to his army, the British believe that the bulk of the German troops are still ignorant of their emperor's peace proposals.

In similar fashion it has been ascertained that Von Hindenburg is dissatisfied with the way things are going on the western front.

MEDICAL CONVENTION HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL

Seventy-five Visiting Doctors Here Public Invited to Attend the Meetings

In every respect, the convention of the Seaboard Medical Association in session here, is proving to be the most successful convention ever held by the organization.

Last night's meeting was one of unusual interest. A large number of local citizens were present and enjoyed the addresses and papers that were read.

Dr. H. W. Carter, who presided, introduced Mayor E. T. Stewart, who welcomed the visitors and then called upon E. L. Stewart to make the official address of welcome.

Dr. D. T. Taylor, president of the association, delivered the president's address. His subject was "The Struggle and Successes of Surgery."

Dr. Smith of the U. S. public health service, made an address on the education of public health. His talk was practical and brought out many new suggestions.

Note From The Allies Is To Be Sent Off Sooner

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COTTON REPORT

WASHINGTON.—Cotton ginned from the 1914 crop, prior to December 12, was announced today as 10,845,989 bales, as against 10,205,309 bales for 1913, according to the census report.

These People Suffer: They Need Your Help

Below are given a few of the cases in Washington that are in urgent need of assistance. They are numbered and citizens, who desire to help them, are requested to call at the Daily News office, give the number they are interested in, and the names of the people will be given to them.

Case No. 1. Man confined to his bed with tuberculosis. His wife, who has been working, has been forced to give up her position in order to attend to him.

Case No. 2. Colored woman, old and unable to work. Needs help. Has hardly any food; clothing is ragged and has to do without a fire most of the time.

Case No. 3. White man, on Market street, suffering greatly from rheumatism. Is being helped somewhat by neighbors, but needs bed clothing and other things to make him comfortable.

Case No. 4. Colored man, paralyzed for five years, during which time he has not been out of the house. Needs food, clothing and wood.

Case No. 5. A colored man, 73 years of age. Is almost blind. Not able to do any work. He is in dire need of assistance.

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