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KERENSKY IS REPORTED IN CHARGE OF CAPITAL

His Troop Said to Be Fighting For Possession of Petrograd—Korniloff Also Takes Hand in Crisis—Other Bulletins From Russian Theatre.

By the Associated Press.
St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—General Korniloff is reported to be in Petrograd where he is in command of the troops on the left side, according to a dispatch to a local newspaper.

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St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—Premier Kerensky is in control of the Petrograd, especially Nov. 13, according to a dispatch from the Stockholm News Bureau forwarded to Copenhagen.

KERENSKY IN PETROGRAD

By the Associated Press.
St. Petersburg, Nov. 12.—Telegrams from Finland announce the arrival of Kerensky's troops. Newspapers report that the bolsheviks are being overthrown. Kerensky is reported to have arrived from Moscow and southern Finland to announce the country is in his hands. Premier Kerensky is reported to have moved from Petrograd to Moscow. Kerensky and Calandine are reported to have summoned a constituent assembly. There is a report of fighting on the Volga front and the bolsheviks are reported to be holding the working people of the city.

UNLIKELY RUMOR

By the Associated Press.
London, Nov. 13.—A dispatch from the Associated Press correspondent of the London Telegraph says that reports from Haparanda, Sweden, from the British minister in Petrograd, confirm the report that Kerensky has gained complete control over the bolsheviks. It is reported that General Calandine and General Korniloff have been appointed to Petrograd and that all the troops in Petrograd have been arrested. It is reported that Kerensky has been arrested. It is reported that Kerensky has been arrested. It is reported that Kerensky has been arrested.

Allied Statesmen United at Last on Necessity of Single Front in Big War

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MAXWELL GIVES HIS IDEAS ON TAXATION

By the Associated Press.
Atlanta, Nov. 13.—Much real estate in North Carolina is under assessment and at least 5,000,000 acres this year will yield a net profit in excess of its assessed value, according to A. J. Maxwell, clerk of the Corporation Commission of this state who delivered an address before the eleventh annual conference of the National Tax Association here today.

The North Carolina tax commission two years ago undertook a state-wide equalization of real estate as between counties but because of a lack of proper administrative machinery it was only partly successful, Mr. Maxwell said. In his opinion only the state general assembly can improve conditions and he suggested legislation requiring the assessment of all property either at its full value or at a definite percentage of that value. In no other way will equality between tax payers be obtained, he said. The speaker also suggested more recognition of the work done by local officials, especially assessors, and the placing of those officers on a permanent basis at increased salaries.

TO MAKE ADDRESS By the Associated Press.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 13.—An address by Mrs. Josephus Daniels on woman's part in the war will be a feature tonight of the annual meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Prof. Geo. E. Long has issued the following cards: A meeting of the Teachers' Association of Catawba county will be held at the court house in Newton on the 16th and 17th of November. The following program will be discussed: 1. Health Work in the Schools. 2. The Teacher in Relation to the Community. 3. The Teaching of English. 4. Plans for the Winter's Work. 5. The Teachers' Reading Circle. This will be the first meeting of the association for the season, and every teacher is expected to attend. Dr. Cooper, state health officer, will be here on the 16th to explain to the teachers the new health law. It is absolutely necessary for you to hear Dr. Cooper. It is also highly important that you hear the discussion of the other subjects on the program. So arrange to attend this meeting of the teachers association.

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KERENSKY BADLY BEATEN, SAYS REPORT

By the Associated Press.
London, Nov. 13.—The complete defeat of Premier Kerensky and General Korniloff is announced here in a Russian wireless dispatch today. The statement follows: "Yesterday after bitter fighting near Tsakloe-Selo, the revolutionary army completely defeated the counter-revolutionary army of Kerensky and Korniloff. In the name of the revolutionary democracy I order all measures necessary to effect the capture of Kerensky. I also forbid similar ventures which may threaten the revolution."

(Signed) Mouraviev, Commandant in Chief of the Forces of the Revolution.

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Birmingham, Nov. 13.—Gas was struck in the second natural gas well in the second district last night. The flow in the last well is considered as great if not greater than in the first. It is believed by experts that enough wells can be drilled by Christmas to furnish Birmingham with gas. The combined flow of the two wells so far is estimated at 1,000,000 cubic feet.

BRITISH SEAMEN SEIZE PAPERS ON SHIP

By the Associated Press.
Buenos Aires, Nov. 13.—The Argentine government has sent a torpedo boat destroyer to the island of Martin Gorse to bring to this port Count von Luxburg, the expelled German minister to this city, so that he may take a Dutch steamer for Europe. The former count engaged passage on a Dutch steamer.

Count Carl von Luxburg, after being handed his passports was taken to a detention camp by the Argentine government.

SHIP SEARCHED

By the Associated Press.
Montevideo, Nov. 13.—The Dutch steamship, on which Count von Luxburg the former German minister has engaged voyage back to Europe, was stopped by a British warship. British sailors went on board the vessel and examined a number of documents, some of which were seized.

WILL TAKE CARE OFFICERS OF GUARD

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 13.—Detailed descriptions of the organization of the 26th, 28th, 30th, and 37th divisions of the national guard showing just what consolidations of the old national guard had been completed today.

TAXATION MATTERS UNDER DISCUSSION

By the Associated Press.
Atlanta, Nov. 13.—Taxation problems of the various states and the relationship between state and federal taxation were matters before the eleventh annual convention of the National Tax Association which opened its meetings here today. More than a hundred delegates, including well known economists, are present.

MONUMENT UNVEILED FOR LATE MRS. WILSON

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January	27.22	27.16
March	26.68	26.62
May	26.40	26.35
July	26.05	26.00

LONDON PAPERS COMMENT ON COUNCIL

By the Associated Press.
London, Nov. 13.—The speech of Premier Lloyd George in Paris yesterday has stirred the local press. His allusion to the allies "incredible blunders" are printed under sensational headlines.

Comments were mixed up with criticism of the allied war council as announced here yesterday by Chancellor Bonar Law. Several newspapers endorse the speech in the main or refrain from comment. Rumors in the Sunday newspapers of the impending retirement of Field Marshal Haig and General Robertson, chief of the general staff, cause speculation that they were inspired.

CONFERENCE AT HICKORY ON TONIGHT

With Bishop E. H. Hughes of Malden, Mass., presiding the fifty-ninth session of the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church (colored) will begin in Hartzel Memorial M. E. church, Hickory, tonight and will continue through Sunday. Scores of delegates came in on the early and noon trains today and the attendance promises to be the largest in years. Bishop Hughes will stop at Hotel Huffry.

Tonight's session will be largely a welcome meeting and responses. Rev. A. H. Newsome, superintendent of the western district, will head the welcome addresses on the part of the city will be delivered by Mayor M. H. Yount. Responses will follow by Dr. R. E. Jones, Dr. J. M. Henderson, Dr. L. H. Ash, and on behalf of the laity of L. A. C. Smith; response by Prof. W. B. Windsor. The program for the sessions Wednesday and the remainder of the week is as follows: Wednesday, November 14 9:00 a. m.—Opening session. Holy communion. Organization. Business session. 2:00 p. m. Statistical session. 3:00 p. m. Board of Temperance anniversary. Address by Dr. J. N. C. Coggins. 7:30 p. m. Dr. M. M. Jones, presiding. Anniversary of Board of Home and Foreign Missions. Address by Dr. J. C. Sherrill, Dr. A. C. Hughes. Thursday, November 15 8:30 a. m. Devotion by Rev. S. F. B. Peace. 9:00 a. m. Business session. 11:00 a. m. Roll call. Education. Forward movement for Bennett College. 2:00 p. m. Devotion by Rev. S. R. McCorkle. Missionary Sermon by Rev. P. J. Cook. 3:30 p. m. Anniversary of Conference Claimant. Address by Dr. Clemon, D. D. 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. B. Rhyne presiding. Anniversary of Board of Home and Foreign Missions. Address by Dr. C. C. Jacob and Dr. R. E. Jones. Friday, November 16 8:30 a. m. Devotion by Rev. S. F. B. Peace. 9:00 a. m. Business session. 11:00 a. m. Roll call. Education. Forward movement for Bennett College. 2:00 p. m. Devotion by Rev. W. B. Spauld. Business session. 4:00 p. m. Anniversary of W. H. and American Bible Society. Mrs. S. A. Peeler, presiding. 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. M. Smith, presiding. Anniversary of Freedman's Aid and American Bible Society. Address by Dr. J. P. Wrag and Dr. I. G. Peen. Saturday, November 17 8:30 a. m. Devotion, by Rev. Daniel Brooks. 9:00 a. m. Business session. 2:00 p. m. Conference session. 7:30 p. m. Anniversary of the E. P. League. Address by Dr. W. W. Lucas. Sunday, November 18 10:00 a. m. Love feast. Conducted by Rev. W. P. Hays and Rev. S. M. Hanes. 11:00 a. m. Sermon by Bishop E. H. Hughes, D. D. 2:30 p. m. Ordination and sermon by Rev. E. E. Jones, D. D. 7:30 p. m. Evening sermon, by Rev. A. C. Hughes, D. D.

WEATHER FORECAST

For North Carolina: Rain tonight, cooler in west portion. Wednesday winds on the coast.

COMPARATIVE WEATHER

	Nov. 12	1916	1917
Maximum	60	60	60
Minimum	51	41	41

ITALIANS HOLDING LINE AGAINST TEUTON FORCES

French and British Arrive to Take Part in What Is Expected to Prove Big Battle—Russian Situation Much Better Today—Other War News Today.

By the Associated Press.
Rome, Nov. 13.—Powerful efforts are being exerted by the Austro-German invaders of northern Italy to pierce the Italian front in eastern Trentino by bringing forward in the Sugana valley powerful pressure against the defenders. Berlin's official report today claims some success for the Teutonic armies in this attempt. They took a town northeast of Asiago and further to the southeast made headway between the Sugana and Cison valleys, storming defensive works in this area. The fighting here obviously is a desperate nature and the Italians are displaying their good morale. Between the Cison and the upper Piave valleys, the Italian line is straightening out to virtually an even line connecting the Sugana and Piave valley armies. Maximalist rule in Petrograd apparently is weakening as Premier Kerensky at the head of loyal troops has advanced 30 miles from the capital. Reports received in Finland say the premier has reached Petrograd and that the bolsheviks have been overthrown. There is no confirmation of Kerensky's arrival in Petrograd. The bolsheviks are digging trenches and erecting barricades in preparation for the Kerensky forces. Fighting has occurred near Gacchina, 30 miles from Petrograd. Premier Kerensky's advance towards Petrograd caused the military cadets there to rise Sunday against the bolsheviks. Although outnumbered, the cadets fought valiantly and did not yield until they were nearly all killed. The sailors are reported to be showing signs of dissatisfaction with bolshevik rule and even the leaders, Lenin and Trotsky, have taken refuge aboard a cruiser. The committee of public safety formed in Petrograd from opponents of the extremists is gaining ground and a number have gone to arrange for a conference. In Moscow the conservative elements have gained the upper hand and have formed a government which is reported to include some bolsheviks. Premier Kerensky has retained his title as commander in chief of the Russian armies. General Alexieff, the former commander in chief, is with him, but whether General Calandine and Korniloff have joined in the movement against the bolsheviks is not clear. With the Italian armies in position from the Piave to the Adriatic and from Piave west, the Austro-German drive through northern Italy has lost much of its force. The invaders have launched strong attacks northeast of Asiago and along the Piave there have been only artillery duels. North of Feltre the Austro-Germans have captured 14,000 Italians who apparently were cut off in attempts to reach the defensive lines. The Italians, aided by the French and British, are prepared to give battle to the invaders and heavy fighting is not unexpected.

SUBSCRIPTIONS WANTED FOR Y.M.C.A.

The campaign for funds to carry on the work of the Army Y. M. C. A. is on, so do your bit by meeting the members of the campaign committee for a detail of men to do a little work without delay. What this organization will do at the front, is doing at the front, can be determined by what they are doing at the cantonments where our boys are already experiencing the benefits of such an organization. Read the experience of North and South Carolina men at Camp Sevier.

President Woodrow Wilson has spoken of the Young Men's Christian Association "as a valuable adjunct and asset of the government." The commanding officers of Camp Sevier do not hesitate to express almost daily their deep appreciation of what is being done for the men by this organization. One of the secretaries a few days ago in asking the commanding officer for a detail of men to do a little work without delay, received this reply: "Secretary, if you need a roof on the Y. M. C. A. building, I would send a regiment if necessary to do the work. I am willing to do anything I can for the Y. M. C. A." An expression heard many times every day is, "I don't know what I could do without the Y. M. C. A." The soldiers flock to the buildings and ask every evening, "If there anything doing this evening?" They are looking to this institution to furnish them wholesome entertainment and religious instruction. "Can I get one of those testaments?" is another question which is always welcome to the ears of the secretary, and it is so frequent occurrence that it is impossible to keep a supply of pocket testaments on hand. Three hundred and fifty attended the Sabbath School at Y. M. C. A. Unit No. 84 last Sunday morning, and 600 attended the religious service that evening, and when Chaplain B. R. Lacy, Jr., of the 13th Field Artillery spoke: "Splendid institution: a true and loving parent to every officer and enlisted man. I wish every loyal American could know the Y. M. C. A. as I know it." have found the secretaries employed in this work gentlemen and the soul of earnestness."—Chaplain Eugene T. Clark, 114th field artillery. "For what I have seen of the work of the Y. M. C. A. among the North Carolina men, I feel that it is the most vital force in existence for the moral and spiritual well being of the soldiers."—Chaplain B. R. Lacy, Jr., 13th Field Artillery. "Here is \$1.00 for the Army Y. M. C. A. Fund," said one of the military police on the evening of Nov. 8th to a secretary behind the desk at No. 82. I want to do my bit. If everybody would do this much, it would help out considerably." "It takes the place of church and home," said P. D. Hornor of Company D, 105th Eng. At a recent meeting in one of the buildings the secretary asked how many were glad that the Y. M. C. A. was here. The answer was the rising of all the well-filled building. He told them that they would find the Y. M. C. A. wherever they went. This was followed by a round of applause. The Y. M. C. A. furnishes a comfortable place for the soldiers to write letters, and supplies the stationery. It furnishes good entertainment, and they are of the highest class. It is the only place where the men collect in the camp for a social time. Its moral effect is beneficial to all. "Serget" Harrison F. Thomas, Sup. Co. 115th F. A. "The Y. M. C. A. is the best thing in the army for the men."—C. F. Powell, Co. R, 120th Inf. "The Y. M. C. A. is more like home than anything in the camp."—A. A. Myers, F. H. No. 120. "Lieut. W. R. Dasher, 115th M. G. B. Co. C. says: "It is the greatest influence for good in the army. I have never seen anything to touch it. Through the aid of legislation the Y. M. C. A. has gotten rid of two of its greatest enemies—liquor and immoral women—and with the proper financial backing, the field of labor is unlimited, with results certain." "I think the work done here by the Y. M. C. A. is the greatest social and religious work being done for the soldiers—the most practical that is being done in a social and religious way."—Gerg't C. A. Pullen, Battery D, 114th F. A. "Serget" A. S. Rose—"A camp without a Y. M. C. A. would be incomplete. When a person goes there, it in a way, reminds him of home." "The Y. M. C. A. certainly helps us out more than anything here."—Serget E. D. Fink, Battery F, 113th F. A. "Serget" P. M. Sherrill, Battery F, 113th F. A.—"It makes a fellow feel something like home. Here

WOMEN VOTERS PLAN BIG MASS MEETING

By the Associated Press.
New York, Nov. 13.—A "victory" mass meeting in celebration of votes for women won in the recent election will be held on the evening of November 20. Women already have become a factor in politics. Governor Whitman, it is announced, is taking steps to extend to them the right to take part in the spring primaries, and Mayor elect John F. Hyland, announces that he will appoint women on the board of education.

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