

RUSSIA WILL NOW STAND BY AMERICA

Spain May Soon Be In War Helping The Allies

AMERICA HAS ENTERED WAR FOR FREEDOM

Root Makes Plain But Stirring Address to Russian Ministry.

UNITED STATES FOR WORLD DEMOCRACY

Clearly Sets Forth Aims of This Country and Heartly Response Received—Read Many Extracts From Wilson's Speeches.

(By United Press.) Petrograd, June 16.—In his first formal speech since arriving, former Senator Root, head of the American mission, told the Russian ministry today that the United States "had begun the fight not only for her own, but for Russian freedom as well, from the menace of world autocracy."

His whole speech was devoted to an exposition of America's determination not to wage war for profit in lands or power, but simply for preservation of the democracy of the world. He urged that Russia, the new democracy, join with the oldest democracy in fighting a common foe.

Responding on behalf of the provisional government, Russian speakers expressed Russia's determination to stand by America and fight to hold the new democracy.

SALOON KEEPER AND SOLDIER ARRESTED

(By United Press.) San Antonio, Texas, June 16.—Herbert Kremer, saloon man near Camp Kelly, great aviation post here, and an American soldier, whose last name the authorities admit is Landwig, were arrested here tonight on complaint sworn to by Edward Tyeel, chief of the government Secret Service here, charging conspiracy to violate section one of the Federal penal code.

WANTS TITLE OF THE NEW ARMY DEFINED.

(By United Press.) Washington, June 16.—Hearing that the new army of 500,000 men, for European war service, will be known to history as a "draft" or "conscript" army, Representative Boland, of Missouri, today introduced a resolution in the House asking that the army be termed "The National Army of the United States."

BERLIN DENIES THAT SUB. WAS DESTROYED

(By United Press.) Amsterdam, June 16.—No German submarine was sunk by the American merchantman, Kroonland, on May 15, an official German admiral statement received here today asserted. All German U-boats assigned to the Irish patrol, on that date, have returned to bases, it was declared.

JAP. DESTROYERS FIGHT SUBMARINE

Sharp Engagement Occurred in the Mediterranean—Japanese Cruiser Damaged

(By United Press.) London, June 16.—An engagement between Japanese destroyers in the Mediterranean with an enemy submarine, with unknown result to either side, was announced by the Japanese naval attache here tonight. The action occurred June 11.

The attache also announced that the Japanese cruiser, Sakaki, was damaged by a torpedo in the Mediterranean, presumably in connection with the destroyer-submarine engagement. Fifty-five of the crew were lost, but the cruiser was towed safely into port.

HOUSE ADDS MONEY FOR CONGAREE RIVER

(By United Press.) Washington, June 16.—The House today incorporated in the Rivers and Harbors bill \$50,000 for developing the Congaree river. The amendment sponsored by Representative Lever, South Carolina, was adopted 22 to 17, after a rising vote. It had been beaten by a 20-20 tie.

UNDER SHOP FLOOR BODY OF MISSING GIRL WAS FOUND

Long Search in New York Ends in Discovery of Ghastly Tragedy

SUCCESSFUL CHASE AFTER INCENDIARY

Man Charged With Burning Hotel in Elk Park Captured at Oglethorpe.

(Special to The Dispatch.) Raleigh, N. C., June 16.—Nat. E. Young, confessor of his part in the burning of Avery Hotel, Elk Park, two years ago, has been captured at Fort Oglethorpe. Young was caught after a varied career of hot-foot and escapes. Deputy Commissioner Jordan, of the Insurance Department, turning the trick. The allegations against Young are that he burned the hotel in Avery county and in the admission he implicated Mrs. Jane Haney, owner of the hotel, and her brother, Ed Young, Nat and Ed Young escaped from jail. Ed Young was caught in Greensboro, and is still in the Asheville jail, where he is awaiting the arrest of his supposed pal. Nat Young's enlistment in the army reached Captain Jordan and the deputy went to Charleston to investigate, finding Young in the infantry at Fort Oglethorpe. A message to headquarters in Raleigh says the deputy and his prisoner are on their way to Asheville.

GERMAN OFFICER MAKES ESCAPE

Sawed Way to Freedom Out of Norfolk Jail—Had Confederates on Outside.

(By United Press.) Norfolk, June 16.—Scores of detectives, with several bloodhounds, are searching for Arnold Henkel, a former lieutenant in the German army, who escaped from the Norfolk city jail before daybreak this morning. Henkel was being held for the Federal authorities, who were engaged in investigating his alleged activities in behalf of the German government. He is reported to have escaped from a British army camp, where he obtained information of value to Germany.

He escaped from the Norfolk jail by filing the bars of his cell, making his way along a corridor and filing the bars of a window. He managed to get his body through an opening 8 inches wide by 15 inches long. He carried a blanket with him. He dropped to the roof of the jail kitchen, a few feet below, made a rope of the blanket and lowered himself to within fifteen feet of the ground. Then he either jumped or was helped down. The authorities say the man had one or more confederates on the outside. It is alleged that he obtained money in some mysterious way, although only one person was known to have searched for him.

PROTECT GARDENS FROM THIEVES

Boy Scouts Urged to Form Patrols For That Purpose.

WENT TO HIS SHOP TO HAVE SKATES SHARPENED—MURDERER ESCAPED TO ITALY BUT WILL BE BROUGHT BACK IF POSSIBLE.

(By United Press.) New York, June 16.—Pretty 17-year-old Ruth Cruger, missing for four months, will not go down in police annals as one of the 5,000 persons who disappear from the streets of New York every year and are never heard of again. Thanks to one of her sex, who elved to the search after parents, friends and police had given up all hope of ever discovering trace of her, she was found here late today—but dead. Her body was buried ten feet below the concrete flooring of the dingy basement bicycle repair shop of Alfred Cocchi, into which she walked on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 13, to have her skates sharpened. Sleuths are the details of the gruesome find of two overalled laborers digging beneath the cellar floor of the bicycle shop under the direction of Mrs. Grace Humiston, the woman lawyer, who refused to give up the search. Clad as she was the moment she entered the shop, in her winter coat, school frock, tan shoes and stockings, tan gloves and brown velvet turban, the little girl's body was unearthed.

THE SECOND STEP IN ESTABLISHING AMERICAN ARMY

Appointment of and Instructions to Exemption Boards Come Next.

HUMAN LOTTERY TO BE IN OPERATION

Early in July Under Regulations to be Set Out in Proclamation by President.

ALL STATES REPORT BUY ONE.

(By United Press.) Washington, June 16.—When full registration returns from New Mexico and an incomplete report from Kentucky reached the Provost Marshal General's office tonight, only one State, Wyoming, remained to be heard from. The grand total of registration was 9,611,816. The report from the Governor of New Mexico showed a total registration of 32,302, or nearly 94 per cent. of the estimate. With seven counties still to report Kentucky showed 175,295, 92 per cent. of the estimated registration.

Washington, June 16.—With the mighty registration rolls practically complete, the second step toward calling America's army to the colors was made today. Regulations for guidance of exemption boards were laid before President Wilson. Issuance of a proclamation creating exemption boards and defining their powers is set for early next week. The personnel of local exemption boards in about 20 States has been picked and will be announced probably Tuesday. Establishment of other exemption boards will follow immediately.

MANY TO GO SHY ON LIBERTY BONDS

Those Who Made Heavy Investments Will Only Receive a Portion.

SURPLUS WILL NOT NOW BE ACCEPTED

Will Be Asked to Wait For the Next War Loan—Over Three Million People Subscribed—Far Ahead of Any Foreign Country.

(By United Press.) Washington, June 16.—So heavily is the Liberty loan over-subscribed that those who made heavy investments in it will receive only a portion of the bonds for which they applied. The government will not accept the money represented by the surplus subscription, which amounts to nearly a billion dollars. This was the decision of Secretary McAdoo today. Small subscriptions are not affected by the ruling. The government will expect those whose heavy subscriptions are not accepted at this time to renew them when the next war bond issue is opened. Treasury officials estimated tonight that definite totals would not be available until Wednesday. No official totals whatever had been received from any of the Federal Reserve districts tonight. Mr. McAdoo gave credit to the newspapers for the loan's great success in a statement tonight. He said: "The Liberty Loan campaign was essentially one of education, and without the generous and patriotic support of the press the hope of those in charge that it would be a popular gong to the farms for summer work."

SPAIN READY TO ENTER WAR.

(By United Press.) New York, June 17.—(Sunday)—Spain's entry into the war on the allies' side "is very likely," according to a report by the Papal nuncio at Madrid to the Vatican at Rome, printed today in The Sun. King Alfonso was declared to be convinced this step cannot be averted much longer.

JAPAN'S ATTITUDE CAUSE OF WORRY

To The Washington Government—She Resents Action Toward China.

(By United Press.) Washington, June 16.—Japan's attitude toward the United States has been a source of worry here. Ambitions of her position—her "paramount interests"—in the Far East, she has plainly resented American efforts to advise and guide China. This jealousy took concrete form today when it became known that the Mikado's government had spurned American requests to take identical action in trying to compose the Chinese situation. She informed this government that she could not send China a note similar to that sent by the United States, advising that the revolution in China be quelled and that China stand united at this time. Moreover, during the week, Japan's temper was manifest from articles in her newspapers taking exception to the American course in China.

According to those disposed to criticize American handling of the Chinese situation, Japan and England were expecting this government to notify them of America's proposed action and have a joint note, sent to China by the three powers. Instead, Secretary Lansing sent the American note, notified England and Japan of his action and asked them to send an identical note. This, it is claimed, put England and Japan in the light of merely saying "me too" to America and they would not do it. Japan apparently is building up a Monroe doctrine for the East. It is "Hands off the yellow people"—whether the hand be helping or hindering.

SLACKERS ARRESTED BY GOVT. DETECTIVES IN STATE OF GEORGIA

THE FIRST LOAD OF NEW TOBACCO

Brought to Mullins Yesterday and Sold For Ten Cents a Pound.

(Special to The Dispatch.) Mullins, S. C., June 16.—This morning about 8 o'clock the town of Mullins was agreeably surprised to see an enterprising farmer of Fork, Mr. S. W. Rogers, bring in the first load of new tobacco, just cured. This tobacco was transported on the 12th day of April and was sold today by Neal-Dixon & Co. for 10 cents per pound. While the price paid was high it was paid to Mr. Rogers by the buyer. The first pile sold always brings a nice premium. The tobacco crop, present outlook is good. The regular market here, with full corps of buyers, will hardly open for two to three weeks yet. The warehouses are making preparations to take care of the tobacco, as usual, and all warehouses have bought "Load and Look" scales, something new in this territory, and are making other improvements.

TRAILED HUNDRED MILES AND LYNCHED

(By United Press.) Weewoka, Okla., June 16.—An Oklahoma posse of one hundred men, which clung to the trail of Henry Congley, negro degenerate, over more than a hundred miles of trailless foot hills, during the last week, lynched him late today.

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ENLISTING RECORD FOR THIS STATE

Falling Off For Regular Army. Increase in State Guard Since War Began.

(By George H. Manning.) Washington, June 16.—The North Carolina boys are apparently awaiting the call for the draft before enlisting in the United States army, as the number of men who have enlisted in the regular army from North Carolina has gradually dwindled since war was declared the first week in April. On the other hand, North Carolina, with a population very small when compared to most of the States, stands eighth among all the States in the total increase of its National Guard in the period between June 1st and 10th. In the period between April 8th, when the campaign for recruits for the regular army was begun in earnest, following the declaration of war, and April 13th, 416 men joined the army from North Carolina. The rate of enlistment decreased during May to 381, and between June 1st and 15th, inclusive, dwindled still further to 134. In a bulletin issued today from the National Guard bureau of the War Department, it is said that North Carolina made a gain in its National Guard strength of 551 or 'the first 10 days of June.

OTHER INDICTMENTS ARE TO FOLLOW

Men Arrested Live at South and Middle Georgia Points, District Attorney Declares That Scores More Will Soon Be Arrested.

(By United Press.) Macon, Ga., June 16.—Eleven arrests were made today by Government officials at South and Middle Georgia points of men between the ages of 21 and 31, who are accused of failing to register.

The arrested men are: Thomas B. Lewis, Albert Bankinson, Bennie and Alfred Bennington, who live near Augusta; Frank and Wardell Mack, residents four miles south of Shell Road; Sol Bonner of near Augusta; Ernest Mitchell, of Augusta; George and Rube Garnett, of Appling, and Henry Ross, Augusta. Scores of arrests are to follow within a few days, District Attorney Donaldson admits.

WON CHAMPIONSHIP OF OLD DOMINION.

(By United Press.) Norfolk, Va., June 16.—Irving Wright, of Boston, won the Virginia State tennis championship in singles today at the Country Club in the patriotic tournament, defeating Hugh Whitehead, of Norfolk, 3 straight sets, 6-1, 6-4, 6-3 in the doubles. Wright and Bundy defeated Whitehead and Taylor, three to one sets, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4 in both singles and doubles. Play was fast and clean, terrific drives featuring in gaining points. Ladies' singles and doubles will be played early next week.

PRESENT GERMAN RULERS MUST GO.

(By United Press.) Copenhagen, June 16.—"Real peace negotiations will have to be postponed as long as the present German rulers are governing—that is, the Kaiser and the ring about him"—is the view of the Swedish Socialist, Dr. Branting, according to a interview quoted in the Politiken today. "These—the junkers' military party—are the ones who forced the war." Asked by The Politiken's correspondent whether he believed the Kaiser should abdicate, Branting replied: "Such a move would undoubtedly help peace."

WOMAN WILL SIT IN RUSSIAN COUNCIL.

(By United Press.) Washington, June 16.—A representative of women suffrage will sit in the "council of sixty-one," which is to prepare Russia's constitution, according to word received today by the International Women Suffrage Alliance. The woman is Dr. Schichkina Yavain. She is the head of the Russian "Defenders of Women's Rights," a branch of the International Alliance.

GERMAN STEAMER SUNK BY TORPEDO.

(By United Press.) Amsterdam, June 16.—The German steamer Thuringen has been torpedoed and sunk while en route from Hamburg to Rotterdam, according to word received here today. Sinking of German steamers by submarines have been exceedingly rare. Few German vessels are now able to navigate the seas, except occasional raids and warships.