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WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 3,

One of Most Important of

Two Hundred Thousand Men on Their Way to 16 Cantonments

SPLENDID SERVICE BY THE RAILROADS

the Troop Movement Be- | land 13,500 Passenger Cars.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 3 .- About 200,000 way to 16 cantonments, where already half the 687,000 calle to the colors by the President are mobilized! Although today's quota should be 40 per cent. under regula. PRIMITED BOVC tions promulgated by Provost Mar shal General Crowder, local condi-

crement to 20 or 25 per cent. Coincident with the start of the third division of the new national army for the training camps today, The American Line of Comthe railroad war board issued a state ment in connection with the part which the railroads have played in handling the bigest troop movement; ever attempted in this country.

duced the general average of the in-

"Including the national guard, the regular army and the new national

"The great bulk of this army-ail field. Sammy knows he gets

"Some slight conception of what know.

"In addition, the special train before putting them in the ovens. movements have had to be so di- That little slashing operation looks

to Camp Mead in Maryland, a trip of space. less than 25 miles.

"Practically all of the national guard movements to date have been of great length. The longest one was that made by a battalion of San Francisco engineers from San Francisco, Cal., to a point on the Atlantic coast. This battalion included 506 men and 18 officers, 'They occupied a special,'

ing that the movement of the men to the cantonments and embarkation points is progressing smoothly, and

First Negro Regiment. Alianta, Ga., Oct. 3.-The first regiment of negro national army select infancy. men, the members of which began arequipped immediately with the exception of arms. All accessories for the 3.652 men is ready, it was announced. was several days before the first the Atlanta contingent a dinner tomoved from the white soldiers.

> Another Flare-Up. (By Associated Press.)

"I suspiciously" in the present war, employes. flared up again in the House today, with Emma Goldman.

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munication stretches From the Sea to the Trenches.

Correspondent).

American Field Headquarters. army, the railroads to date, have France, Sept. 10-(By Mail).-Stretchmoved approximately 720,000 soldiers ng back overland to the sea the Amfrom their homes to training camps erican line of communication is a or embarkation points," says the constantly swelling artery vital to the life of Sammy training here in the of it, in fact, except the 32,549 men, ounces of white bread every day, but included in the first 5 per cent. of he doesn't know much about where' the national army that moved by reg- that bread came from. He gets clothular train on September 5-required ing from the quartermaster and his special train service, involving the rations from the company mess. If use of 13,500 passenger cars, includ-the supply is plentiful and the qualing 1,500 Pullman and tourist sleep-ity good Sammy doesn't bother his ers. 2.000 baggage cars, and 4,500 head much about how it was brought to him. But the auxiliary people

this problem means, may be deduced! The bakers know they stood out from the fact that for the national in the open all day and tended the army alone the railroads have had to field-ovens far from the infantry trainprepare schedules covering the 4,531 ing fields, to make the bread. They towns and cities designated by the unloaded big sacks of Minnesota flour provost marshal general as the points from the railroad trucks that run of local concentration from which the right into the middle of the bakery. recruits to the nation army proceed And they carefully slashed the loaves down the middle to let out the gas

rected as to prevent interruption to simple, yet it was decided on only Oct. 2.—(Delayed).—The enemy earafter hours of study by the officer in ly this morning attempted to raid our "The longest haul made in the new charge who wanted to save room in lines in the aviation sector, but was national army movement to date was the bread cars. Formerly each loaf discovered before he got to close that of the special train which moved was slashed four times across the quarters, and driven off, after susthe citizen-soldiers from Yuma, Ariz., top. When the crust formed the in- taining a number of casulaties. The to Fort Riley, Kas., as distance of 1, tersections of these slashes raised up infantry activity is generally less 514 miles. This trip occupied 48 an inch and the bread transport in than normal, but the sound of the volved a great many wasted inches of guns never ceases. The Germans are "The shortest distance traveled by space in the cars. The new slash is attempting more by way of destrucany unit of the national army was just as effective in releasing the gas tive shots on our battery positions that of the District of Columbia unit and it saves one-half of the wasted than they did earlier in the season

> turely in a practice trench and Sam- gunners. There has been marked inmy's arm is gashed to the bone by crease in the use of long range, high a fragment. The surgeon at the hos- velocity guns by the Germans. The pital bathes the wound with antisep results certainly do not justify the tics, binds it with a special kind of free use of these guns. The enemy bandage and puts the patient to bed also has increased the proportion of in a comfortable hospital cot.

train, left San Francisco at 4 p. m., in being wounded but takes it as a the chemicals from which poisonous lingtion at 10:15 a. m., September 8." matter of course that all that medical gas is made are available in greater statement concludes by say paraphernalia is right on hand all these miles from home.

Day by day that line of communication is growing, shooting out new to the complete satisfaction of the spurs to supply the branches of service scattered along both sides of the trail. The bases are bulging beyond their original dimensions but even today the whole system is only in its

riving at Camp Gordon today, will be THE ASSOCIATED PRESS BUYS LIBERTY BONDS peace because of her failure to obtain 's scriptions,

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 3.-The directors arrivals at the camp were given uni- of the Associated Press in session forms. Atianta civic bodies will give here today unanimously resolved to transfer the sum of \$200,000 which morrow before they leave for the transfer the sum of \$200,000 which AGREE UPON THIRTY camp. It has been planned to house cy reserve fund, to an investiment in the negroes in buildings entirely re. Liberty loan registered bonds as was done in the case of the first issue.

government.

A SEPARATE PEACE OF GERMANY BEING MADE BY GERMANY SLOWLY STRANGLED

sky's Statement Was Nothing But an Invention.

NO PROPOSITION TO **ENGLAND OR FRANCE**

plies to Speech of Russian War Minister—Uneasi ness Over Russia.

* to a London crowd in promis- * Berlin, in answering the speech made here. Approxmately 720,000 Men * ing it that Great Britain would * by General Verkhovsky, the Russian Owing to existing agreements for timate, which, in itself, was far ahead Have Been Handled Since * soon launch reprisals for the * minister of war, before the Demo the exchange of commodities with of the original time. Progress on * many German air raids on Eng- * gratic Congress in Petrograd. The those countries, none can believe that the ships now building and arrange * statement reads:

gan, Requiring the Use of * The French reprisals already * "The Russian war minister, Gen- parents says. Come interpret its today at the Navy Department, are * under way were continued last * eral Verkhovsky, asserted at the Pet- meaning to be that nothing shall be such that the American navy will * night. French air men dropped * rograd Democratic Congress that the exported except under license. * bombs on the town of Baden, * imperial chancellor, (Dr. Michaelis).

ed that it was Germany's intention ain's new embargo on shipments of to make a separate peace with practically everything to Sweden, Nor- however, depends on the extraordinate and attached to the troops in train Great Britain and France at the cost way, Denmark and The Netherlands nary powers granted to the President and attached to the troops in trainof Russia, and that Great Britain and is regarded here as a most import-France had informed the Russian gov ant move in tightening the cordon istration measure was altered in the There is no more pitiful object in ernment that they would not be par- which is slowly but surely killing the

ed in Russia that France and Great should reorganize their system many to make peace at the expense | tary autocracy.

Petrograd on September 28. The reported statement of General Verkhovsky as regards Alsace-Lorraine has not been received previously in this country.

WILL FORCE PEACE

German Prisoners Tell Army Shortage — Canadians in Good Spirits.

Canadian Headquarters in France, but even in this respect they are still Suppose a grenade goes off prema- far behind the British and Canadian gas shells and has sent us many va-Sammy thinks of his own tough luck rieties of gas. This may indicate that high explosives.

All the prisoners of good education now speak of the growing scarcity of war materials, and particularly of articles such as rubber, cotton and cop- - \$50 Merchandise Order At J. W. * ing disaster at the finish. per, which can neither be produced at home nor obtained from Germany's | *

European neighbors. One of the prisoners taken in yes-Germany could not be conquered in all non-winners, who remain foundation for success she so carefully panied the President's order remit the field, she would be forced to make & active, on money for new sub- & laid and multiplies the chances in fav-ting the sentence.

The weather is excellent and the men in the trenches are in good ealth and spirits. The casualties continue extremely light.

solved that the executive officers be of 30 conts a pound to the farmer was wind in their campaign in the honor now make out a new "calling list" and Privileges and Elections committee, spondents say that the Allied airment outborined to encourage the subscript authorized to encourage the subscrip- agreed upon at a meeting here late and winning positions. Washington, Oct. 3.—The protract. tion for Liberty bonds by employes yesterday of men interested in marwrangle over charges by Repre- on a partial payment plan, the asso- keting and growing cotton in 10 race for anyone. The contestants who whom you did not get to see when you like the land and growing cotton in 10 race for anyone. Sentative Heflin, of Alabama, that cer- ciation to carry the bonds and defer- Southern States as being justified by immediately follow the leaders are first called and those who were unable oped at today's meeting for action of On Sunday night, according to The the members of Congress have "act- red payments until fully paid for by the present selling prices of manuresolution are in the be able to secure their subscription, agreement, nois, made a speech contending that Hellin had inferentially charged Ma
Congress, by a vote of 766 against 688 tion of cotton by Congress or dele
The subscription of the subscription on with treason and linked him up today declared in favor of a coalition gating of this authority to any other end.

TO LEAD WORLD

Kuehlmann Says Verkhov- Great Britain's New Embargo Much Progress Made in Con- Diseases Peculiar to War Will Primarily, new Camps Will be structing Great Flotilla Submarine Chasers.

(By Associated Press.)

CUT OFF SUPPLIES WASHIP PRODUCTION THROUGH NEUTRALS SETS A NEW RECORD

the bill is altered.

officers who made the trial trip.

Secret Service for Hoover.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Oct. 3.—Food price ma

German Foreign Secretary Re- Nothing But Printed Matter Greater Amount of Fighting No More Pitiful Object in the Men From Regular Army, Na-May Go to Sweden, Nor-Tonnage Than Ever Achievway, Denmark and The ed by Any Other Power. Netherlands. New Fleet.

(By Associated Press.) Amsterdam, Oct. 3.-Germany has London, Oct. 3.-Last night's procmade no proposals whatever for a lamation in The Official Gazette pro- able progress has been made in the separate peace, either to France or hibiting the expertation to Holland quick building of the immense flo-"We shall bombard Germany & Great Britain. Dr. von Kuehlmann, and Scandinavian countries of all tilla of American destroyers to cope * with compound interest," Pre- * the German foreign secretary, makes articles, except printed matter and with the submarine campaign, that * mier Lleyd-George is quoted in * this announcement, according to an personal effects, has caused the great the Navy Department now is assured * the London press as declaring * official statement received here from est puzzlement in newspaper offices of much quicker delivery of the ships

the proclamation means what it ap- ments for others to follow, it was said lead the world with its destrey ers

The English newspapers recently within 18 months. * some 55 miles beyond the * had stated, among other things, at have been criticising officialdom for Washington, Oct. 3.—About 200,000 * French frontier. More than sev. * Stuttgart that Germany was ready to men, representing the third incre to the third incre to for duty in European waters early troublesome to both the British and House, and Chickamauga, the imperial chancellor's utterances standable. The Times admits it is next year. Many of them had not French medical officers. Neurologists Ga.

> "General Verkhovsky further stat- Washington, Oct. 3.—Great Britmilitary power of Germany.

separate peace either to France or about the only thing that will be per- substantially its original form. It is most cases, but of late it has come to camps. There is no restriction mitted to go to the terman people now in conference. Its progress is be regarded as not a real cure. The against married men, but unmarried by way of neutrals will be expres- being watched anxiously, as tentative British have found that soldiers suf- men will be preferred, other qualifications Last month reports were circulations of world opinion that they contracts are subject to change, if fering from shock who do not have tions being equal. No graduates of Britain had received offers from Ger- government, to do away with the mili- All new destroyers are of a new

(By J. W. Pegler, United Press Staff of Russia. They became so insistent In a figurative sense, Great Britain partment, and showing radical changthat the Russian Government holds one end of the rope and the es from any of these craft now affoat. obtained from France and Great Brie United States holds the other. Grad The great majority of them will be ain formal denials that they would ually but surely as it is being drawn 35 knots, vessels of improved sea make peace with Germany to the taut, the military power of Germany keeping qualities, adding to their efdetriment of Russia. General Verk- is being strangled because the embar- fectiveness as submarine hunters, hovsky made this announcement be- go cuts off the supplies she has been The first of the new type has been fore the Democratic Congress in receiving through the adjacent neu- tried out with results that amazed the

Married This Afternoon.

Mr. Joel L. Miller and Miss Emma to such a point that a greater amount ried this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by in a given time that has ever been way. It is related that recently when ceive pay and allowances of their Justice G. W. Bornemann at his achieved before by any power, Princess street office. / The parents' of the couple were in attendance, as were many friends.

Typhoon Strikes Tokio.

London, Oct. 3.—A Shanghai dis-trained men and resources of the sepatch to Reuters says that as the re-cret service to cope with. Herbert sult of a typhoon, which swept over Hoover, the food administrator, has of Tokio, on Monday 100,000 persons are asked President Wilson for the servhomeless and that 183 are dead, and ices of the corps and it has been

Be Object of Attention This Winter.

MEN MADE WRECKS BY EXPLODING MISSILES

World Than Person Acutely Suffering From Shell Shock.

American Training Camp in France, Washington, Oct. 3.-Such remark-Oct. 3 .- (By the Associated Press) .--American medical officers will devote series of officers' training camps, to the coming winter to a special study be opened January 5, will run until of the disease peculiar to the war April 5, the War Department an and war conditions in addition to nounced today, primarily for the edu their work at the forward casualty cation of enlisted men of the regular clearing stations on the French and army, national guard and national than was contemplated at the last es Brilish fronts.

get all the experience they desire in ates or undergraduates from 93 spec. the marvelous war surgery which ified schools and colleges will be adhas made such rapid strides in the mitted. past three years. They will be train A camp will be located in each o ed in all the medical phases of their the regular army, national guard and work in the field at special schools. national army divisions, and addition-One subject to which much atten al camps will be located in the Phil-

It is now certain that all destroyers tion will be devoted will be that of lippines, Panama, and Hawaii and now building will be delivered ready "shell shock," which has proved very one each at Fort Bliss and Fort Sam The imperial chancellor's utterances standable. The times admits it is next year. Many of them had not attached to the various American units this proclamation.

The imperial chancellor's utterances standable. The times admits it is next year. Many of them had not been expected until the winter of attached to the various American units this proclamation.

The quota of each regiment or smaller unit of the army, to be selected. and British hospitals, and afterwards ed to attend the officers' schools, will The full success of the project, will give lectures to their fellow be 1.7 per cent. of the enlisted in the bill now/pending. The admin-ing.

House. The Senate committee restor the world than a man acutely suffer sioned as vacancies occur. ed the provisions maval officers con- ing from shell shock. Hypnotism has The college men to be "I herewith state that Germany has As the British embargo excludes sider vital to success, and the navy been used frequently as a cure. - It made no proposals whatever for a everything except printed matter, hopes the bill will become a law in stops the trembling and twitching in on the day of the opening of the hypnotic treatment, invariably get the colleges named who did not take back to duty quicker than those who the military courses given at the in-

design, worked out by the Navy De. do. missile nearby. A man may be toss to be sent forward to the camps out getting hit by a fragment or a 40 years of age may apply. Come splinter, but the effect of this toss- or other unit commanders will sift out ing always tells on his nervous sys- 10 per cent. of applicants to be for tem. Some of the worst shell shock warded to the division comman cases have been those where soldiers Character and military aptitude will The rate of warship production in the United States has been increased were buried under the earth thrown govern selections. up by huge projectiles. Such burial Each camp will contain approxidoes not always effect the men that mately 440 men and soldiers will re of fighting tonnage is being produced an old British subject was dug out grade while in training while colleg from under a ton or more of shell students will be required to enlist debris and asked if he was hurt, he for the duration of the war, and serve replied: "No sir; I guess not, but out their enlistments if they do no I am certainly strong for a separate obtain commissions. They will re-

nipulators and profiteers wil have the shock is that none occurs during a tion. are buoyed up by the great excite master general, chief of ordinar ment, are pressing forward and often chief of coast artillery, chief si while all about them is the continual been authorized to organize s absolutely oblivious to exploding necessary. shells until actually hit. Shell shock to sit in trenches for long periods, or when they are out on nerve testing patrol duty between the fighting lines comes when the men are compelled bursts unexpectedly over them.

The treatment of shell shock cases is often closely akin to that for temporary insanity. The doctors and other attendants strive always to get the confidence of their patients and Said by Some That Bill's Rates try to start them talking, when the trembling and other manifestations frequently disappear.

PRESIDENT REVOKES

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Oct. 3.-President Wilwill remain clothed in mystery until son has remitted the sentence of dissettled by the final developments. Ev- missal from the army imposed on ery subscription, and for as long a Second Lieutenant Arthur Brigham, time as can possibly be secured, will Jr., Sixth field artillery, by a general se be needed by the contestants who court martial, following conviction of hope to win. The chance to secure having represented himself as a sina single subscription cannot be over-igle man when he was, in fact, marlooked by a contestant without invit- ried. The officer was a corporal in his regiment and when making appli-No time can be idled away without cation for examination for appointdanger. The contestant who, through ment as a second lieutenant, was indolence or a too-sure confidence, found guilty of having described says, "Oh, I don't think I'll solicit any himself as single on the official forms. terday's outpost affair said that while . Ten per cent. commission to & subscriptions today," tears down the No comment or explanation accom-

AGAINST LA FOLLETTE cially that in newspapers.

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, Oct. 3.—Preliminary
consideration of numerous petitions seeking expulsion from the Senate of weeks yet to run, there is still plen- for improvement and the indications Senator LaFollette and several other ty of time for the contestants not in are that all of them will do much Senators for their attitude toward the In addition it was unanimously reNew Orleans, La., Oct. 3.—A price the lead to overtake their rivals and better this week. Each one should war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in are that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in a senate that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in a senate that all of them will do much war, was begun today by the Senate Holland forwarded by frontier contestants not in a senate that all of the senate that all of not let a day pass without adding to but no action was taken and another are playing havoc with the Germ

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SCHOOLS TO TURN **OUT LINE OFFICERS**

tional Guard and National Army, Also Men From 93 Special Schools.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.-A third army for commissions.

At the casualty stations they will In addition, however, 2,449 gradu

must be between 21 and 31 years old stitution will be eligible for the Shell shock often causes deafness, camps. Military instructors at the eddumbness and blindness-the effect ucational institutions will receive of the conclussion from an exploding these applications and designate men ed about by three or four shells with. Any enlisted man between 21 and

ceive the pay and allowances of first-A remarkable thing about shell class privates while under instr

big battle. The reason for this is These schools are primarily for the perfectly plain. In battle, the men training of line officers. The quarter engaged in hand-to-hand fighting, officer, and chief of engineers, have roar of battle. They often become schools for special training, as may be

Will Not Go Into Effect.

Washington, Oct. 3.-Postmaster General Burelson has assured Con-OFFICER'S DISMISSAL gress that, before the new increase second class mail rates in the w tax bill become effective next July. he will use his influence to have the entire subject re-opened by the Senate, and House committees and a ne and probably modified system established, as a substitute.

The conferees accepted the co mise in the revenue bill, it was stat ed today, with the express understanding that the department an Congressional committees would take up the question before the rates be come effective, and present some new

Members of Congress, prominent in the fight for increasing the rates, said today that they did not expect revenue bill's rates to go into effect Postmaster General Burleson is sa by Congressmen to oppose increasin the rates on reading matter, eand

ALLIED AIRMEN PLAY HAVOC IN BELGIUM

(By Associated Press.)

London, Oct. 3.—Dispatches fi railway communications and military

was destroyed just before the arrival

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\$75 Columbia Grafonola. H. Fuchs' Department Store. \$25 Wrist Watch. Two \$60 Diamond Rings.

on the votes cast up to yesterday, test nears the end. winners are not yet decided and as While many of the competitors did CENTS FOR COTTON. the contest has five and one-half splendid work last week, there is room

So close is the race and so excellent

* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * the possibilities of the various con-♣ testants that the question of winners

or of her rivals. She paves with roses the pathway of her opponents, and robs herself of the victory as certain- FAVOR SOME ACTION ly as if she had ceased from active Fortunately for the opponents of effort a day after she began. Persisthe present leaders, in The Dispatch tent every moment activity becomes Contest, the prizes are not awarded more and more imperative as the con-

It is not going to be a walk-away her voting strength. There are those meeting will be held tomorrow.

factured cotton products. The price as energetic in their campaigns for Make another call on these same the petitions. The question of prop with Ghent was interrupted. Another was suggested in an amendment to a the wining numbers of subscriptions people and in all probability you will er procedure was discussed without er correspondent says that a bridge deem all these promises this period. gress adjourns, in answer to his crit-railing several cars, which were then (Continued on Page Seven).