

BOLSHEVIKI AGENTS CROSS TO GERMANY FOR A CONFERENCE

Announced That Negotiations Have Opened With German Military Authorities

STATUS OF RUSSIA SOON TO BE KNOWN

America And Her Allies Awaiting Information From Russia Before Announcing a Definite Policy

CONFERENCE NEXT SUNDAY.

(By Associated Press.) Petrograd, Nov. 28.—Representatives of the Bolsheviki commander-in-chief of the Russian army, have been received in the German headquarters in the German capital and informed that the German government has officially consented to negotiate negotiations for an armistice on all the fronts of the present war.

Nov. 28.—The American government, and the Allies as well, to determine whether the Bolsheviki are actually to be classed as allies of Germany.

The Bolsheviki news dispatches, saying German officers actually were in Petrograd and engaged as advisers.

German Bolsheviki leaders had demanded that the German military authorities were not wholly unexpectedly to withdraw their embassies from Petrograd.

The first acts of the allied representatives of the Bolsheviki are actively engaged in Petrograd.

When they learn official news, the Germans undoubtedly will withdraw their embassies from Petrograd.

The American Ambassador in Petrograd is expected to take the developments in the diplomatic corps would.

Developments in the diplomatic corps would be awaited until the German government would move to some other position, where a new government would be announced.

Germany without frequent contact with Washington.

The State Department had no news to report, but was expected to make some judgment might be expected.

Meanwhile, the government is receiving the benefit of the Entente.

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TRYING TO FORGE A CHAIN AROUND GASTON B. MEANS

DRAFT SUBJECTS ARE SUPPOSED TO KNOW THE RULES

Ignorance of the Laws and Regulations Will Avail One Nothing

ALL EXEMPTIONS AND DISCHARGES REVOKED

Exemptions Granted Prior to December 15 Have No Validity—Crowder's Announcement

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 28.—All persons subject to the selective service law.

Provost Marshal Crowder announced today, are charged with knowing the law and accompanying regulations.

and failure to comply will be considered a misdemeanor, punishable by a year's imprisonment.

General Crowder pointed out that all previous exemptions are revoked under a section of the regulations.

All exemptions and discharges made prior to noon on December 15.

In any case of deferred classification made under these rules and regulations.

The board is to do everything possible to acquaint registrants with their order of liability.

It is absolutely necessary that each registrant shall know his order number.

SIX MEN DROWNED IN BALTIMORE HARBOR

(By Associated Press.) Baltimore, Nov. 28.—Six men, all members of the crews of three Dutch steamships lying at this port.

SIXTY-THREE MISSING.

(By Associated Press.) Sixty-three men are missing in the three unaccounted for boats of the American steamer Actaeon.

reported yesterday torpedoed by a German submarine.

the ship's official report says one boat with 20 survivors landed at Cape Finisterre yesterday.

NEW HIGH RECORD OF FULLNESS FOR HORN OF PLENTY

Thanksgiving Day Will Find Crop Bins Filled As Never Before

FARM PRODUCTS EQUAL WAR'S COST

Gross Value of This Year's Crops is Put at \$21,000,000,000, Which is \$6,500,000,000 More Than Last Year

(By Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 28.—Thanksgiving Day finds America's horn of plenty with new high record fullness.

That great total, being the value of all crops, animals and animal products.

The principal farm crops will reach more than \$12,000,000,000 in value.

Corn, the country's greatest crop, accounts for about one-third of the increased total farm produced value of this year.

Next in point of value comes cotton, with a crop valued at about \$1,981,000,000.

The defense continued presenting its case today and it was expected that the first of the expert witnesses would be heard.

Much of the expert testimony will concern the thyroid condition styled "hypothyroidism."

When the expert witnesses summoned to strengthen the defendant's claim have testified.

Another phase of the testimony to be presented through these experts will concern a fracture of the skull.

RUSSIA HAD AN ELECTION TUESDAY

(By Associated Press.) Petrograd, Monday, Nov. 26.—It is estimated that from 30 to 35 per cent of the voters entitled to vote for delegates to the constituent assembly.

Among the voters many women were noted. The balloting was conducted in an orderly manner.

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REPRESENTATIVES OF ALLIED POWERS MEETING IN PARIS

FIERCE FIGHTING IS TAKING PLACE AROUND FONTAINE

British Take the Place, But Are Met By Heavy Counters

STRUGGLE RAGES THROUGH THE TOWN

Casualty List Enormous, and the Decision is Not Yet—Russian Prisoners Dug Famous Tunnel

(By Associated Press.) British Headquarters, France, Tuesday, Nov. 27.—Desperate and sanguinary fighting has been going on in and about Fontaine Notre Dame.

At latest reports superior numbers of enemy infantry had pushed the British back through the village again.

The attack on Fontaine Notre Dame was begun with the assistance of a very heavy artillery barrage.

The whole front from Fontaine to Bourlon village was the scene of fierce fighting.

In the meantime the British line, running around Bourlon wood to the northwest, was sustaining a heavy assault.

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London, Nov. 28.—"It is now time to say definitely that the crisis in Italy has passed," said Major General P. B. Mause, chief director of the military operations at the war office in an interview today.

ATTEMPT TO SHOW MRS. DE SAULLES' IRRESPONSIBILITY

Both Sides Will Call Many Alienists, X-Ray Specialists and Physicians

CORROBORATE STORY OF THE DEFENDANT

Witnesses Tell of Incidents the Night of the Homicide—Hypothetical Question of 20,000 Words

(By Associated Press.) Mineola, Long Island, November 28.—What is expected to be a lengthy battle between medical experts over Mrs. Blanca De Saulles' claim that her physical condition produced a lapse of accountability when she shot her divorced husband was initiated in the young woman's trial on a charge of murder in Supreme Court today.

Dr. J. S. Wight, Mrs. De Saulles' physician since the tragedy, testified that the patient's condition following the shooting indicated that she was suffering from an enfeebled functioning of the thyroid gland.

The physician and Simpson testified to the woman's actual death and both brought out that they saw powder stains around the wound on the back of her head.

Richie, a hardware man, followed Dr. P. R. McFadden, a local physician, and Jim Simpson, an undertaker's assistant, on the stand.

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Richie told of having seen a small automatic pistol and a rifle several days before the tragedy to Gaston B. Means, Mrs. King's business agent.

The State has brought experts here in an effort to prove the woman could not have accidentally shot herself.

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FEW STRIKING CLERKS RETURN TO WORK.

(By Associated Press.) Norfolk, Va., Nov. 28.—Only a few clerks of the Atlantic Coast-Line railway have returned to work.

It is stated on good authority that President Wilson has sent a second message to President Kenly of the Coast Line suggesting that all of the clerks be permitted to return to work without prejudice to their standing with the company.

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