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Korniloff Cuts Germans In Two

German Generals Flee Precipitously All Communication Being Cut Off.

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—General Korniloff's army in the Dniester-Carpathian sector has cut the German army in two, says a cablegram to the Russian embassy here.

KAISER'S DECREE ORDERS ACTION

ORDERS IMMEDIATE FRAMING OF BILL PROVIDING FOR PRUSSIAN REFORMS IN ORDER THAT THEY MAY BE EFFECTIVE BY NEXT ELECTION

(By United Press) Amsterdam, July 13.—The official text of the Kaiser's decree ordering electoral reforms in Prussia, according to dispatches reaching here today from Berlin, is as follows:

London, July 13.—German dispatches prophesy that the German government will accede to the Reichstag majority demands for election reforms and the statement of Germany's war aims before the vote of credit is asked Saturday.

ANNOUNCES QUOTA FOR NORTH CAROLINA

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—Secretary Baker announces North Carolina's draft quota as 15,974. That of Virginia is 14,795, and of South Carolina 10,081.

BERLIN GOES BAREFOOTED

OR IN THE NAME OF PATRIOTISM WEARS WOODEN SANDALS WITH A LEATHER TOE GUARD

(By United Press) Berlin, July 13.—Bank clerks here today discarded their shoes as a patriotic example to their fellow citizens, and scores of people may now be seen on the principal streets barefooted.

The shoe stores have begun selling wooden sandals with leather toe guards.

MUST ECONOMIZE ON CLOTHES

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—The Women's Committee of the National Council of Defense asks American women to "wear the clothes you have," so that man over now engaged on feminine fads may be released for war service and to abandon "keep up with the styles" during the

A STRANGE STORY IN AUGUST COSMOPOLITAN

Cynthia Stockley's "Blue Aloes," which begins in August Cosmopolitan, is one of the weirdest and most mysterious stories that has been published in years.

It has much of the dark, brooding qualities of an Edgar Allen Poe story treated by a modern writer. Her experiences in South Africa entitles her to write authoritatively of this part of the world.

It is profusely illustrated by G. Patrick Nelson, and begins in August Cosmopolitan.

A TRENCH TALE

(By United Press) His shrapnel wounds in arm and shoulder, though not dangerous were somewhat extensive, and he was newly back from the hottest kind of fighting; but it was not at all the fighting that this particular English officer was most concerned to talk about.

"How are we getting on? Oh, there is nothing to worry about in that direction. The job just now is getting rid of Boches; and I can tell you it's going on at a great rate. I fancy it would startle even our people, let alone the people in Germany, if they knew the exact truth about the rate at which the Huns are being laid out. Of course I know nothing about the figures, but I do know what I've seen with my own eyes. How thick they dead lie on the ground, if their people knew the truth of it, they'd revolt and call of the whole business. But instead of the truth—Well, look at the official German casualty lists, republished in our papers from their's. For the month of April, Prisoners 533. And we and the French took forty thousand of them during that month. Of course, I know the list does not say that it includes all the casualties that occurred during April, but only that it's the April list. But you can guess what the people in Germany are meant to think about it."

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JESS WILLARD MAY BE THRU

(By United Press) New York, July 13.—The pacifist heavyweight champion, James Willard, probably is all through with the fight game. Never a lover of the game which gave him fame and his fortune, Willard has purchased a circus, fired his managers, and now, presumably is ready to call it off.

Tenor is nothing startling in a prediction that Willard is through. He could hardly afford to risk public censure though taking on some of the lesser heavyweights, and of the few men available, there isn't a one would wouldn't be able to give King Jess the fight of his life.

The action of the champion in getting rid of Tom Jones and Jack Curley is commendable in a sort of way, for it eliminates the syndicate which put the world's champion to work in a circus instead of sending him out to fight—which was expected of him by a public grateful for Willard's success in bringing back the world's title to the white race.

Roy Larson returned Friday from Ocean View and St. Paul, Va., where he has been spending the vacation for the past

ARE GERMAN IN NAME ONLY

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—Frankfurter, Keppel and Lippman.

German sounding as these names may be, their owners are working 18 hours helping America beat the Kaiser—and Keppel's parents are Irish.

Felix Frankfurter, Walter Lippman and Frederick Keppel are Secretary Baker's confidential advisers. All left lucrative positions to enter America's service.

Dr. Keppel was dean of Columbia university when the war broke out, but he got a leave of absence, hurried to Washington and joined Baker's staff. His hours are 9 a. m. to 12 midnight.

Felix Frankfurter had war department experience as War Secretary Stimson's right hand man under Taft. When war came he was a law lecturer at Harvard and was also handling important cases before the supreme court.

Walter Lippman's chief task with Baker is solving economic war problems. He has written several books on diplomacy and economics and was editing a magazine when Uncle Sam jumped into the ring.

MORE THAN 3,500,000 MOTOR CARS IN U. S.

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—In 1916 there were 1,967,322 more motor cars registered in the United States than in 1915, an increase of 42 per cent. The gross total of registered cars, including commercial cars, was 3,512,996; the number of motor cycles registered was 250,820.

States collected in registration and license fees \$25,865,369.75. Of this \$23,910,811 was applied directly to construction, improvement, or maintenance of the public roads in 43 states, according to figures compiled by the Office of Public Roads.

THE DEMAND FOR ALUMINUM INCREASES

(By United Press) Chicago, Ill., July 13.—The United States will require 50,000 tons of aluminum a year for aeroplanes and motor vehicle construction to carry on the war against Germany, according to Dr. F. C. Weber of Chicago, a chemist and experimental inventor.

This amount of aluminum, Weber says, cannot be obtained from bauxite, its present source. We must use kaolin, or fireclay, which the Germans have been using since their source of French bauxite has been cut off. Weber says this country's supply of kaolin is practically inexhaustible. The largest deposits are in Illinois.

Weber has submitted his theory to the Society of Industrial Engineers, which in turn will take it up with the Council of National Defense.

BIRDS AND SQUIRELS ARE DENIED BREAD

(By United Press) London, June 29 (By Mail)—Kindness to animals is secondary consideration when your country's at war, an American woman in London learned at the expense of two pounds ten shillings. Even at that she had a story that left few dry eyes in the courtroom.

Charged with feeding considerable quantities of bread to birds and squirrels in her garden, an offense under the new Defense of the Realm Act, she told the following story:

"I am seventy three years old. For seventy years I have always fed birds and animals. I have lost two sons in war, one at San Juan Hill and the other at Gallipoli. I am alone in the world and the little creatures are my only friends."

Somewhat to everyone's surprise, however, the judge fined her the maximum for a first offense and warned her that a repetition would be severely dealt with.

FIGHTING OUTSIDE GATES OF PEKING

(By United Press) Tien Tsin, July 13.—Fighting is going on today just outside the gates "her" New York, rubbing elbows of Peking between the Monarchists with scores of glittering people in

PATRIOTIC CELEBRATION IN CAMDEN COUNTY

The Camden County Council of Defense will hold a Patriotic Celebration at the Camden County Court House, Saturday July 14.

A number of addresses will be made, some of which are: an address on Health by Dr. R. L. Kendrick, an address on Hog Cholera by Dr. F. D. Owen, an address by a lady on canning, preserving, and economy in cooking, an address "The American Eagle," by Hon. J. C. B. Ehringhaus. The ministers of the county will make addresses of ten minutes each.

The American Flag will be raised on the Court House. The public is cordially invited and requested to attend, as matters vitally interesting to all will be discussed.

FATE OF CREW IS UNKNOWN

(By United Press) Bangor, Me., July 13.—The five masted schooner, Mary W. Bowen, of the Fall River Line, was torpedoed by the enemy, according to private advices received here today. The schooner was bound from New York to a British port under Captain Macdonough. The fate of the crew is unknown.

CREW REPORTED RESCUED—Washington, July 13.—The American bark, Higginbotham, of New Orleans, was submerged July 10. Her crew was rescued. The crew of the Bowen was also rescued.

SWAGGER STICKS—WRIST WATCHES

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—Uncle Sam wears a wrist watch and carries a cute dwarf walking stick these days—because these devices are part of the modern soldiers regular equipment.

Nowadays most of the stalwart young Americans in United States army khaki tell the time by taking a peek at their left wrist, and an increasing percentage of the officers are lugging nifty little "swagger sticks."

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I. W. W. Members Wanted Nowhere

Turned Back Westward at Columbus Citizens of Arizona Towns Will Reject Them Again.

AT CHRIST CHURCH

The services at Christ Church, Rev. H. S. Osburn, Rector, July 15th, sixth Sunday after Trinity, are as follows: Sunday School at 9:45 A. M., Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M., Union Services at 8 P. M. at which the Rev. Dr. B. C. Henning will preach, and to which all are cordially invited.

AT FIRST METHODIST

At the First Methodist Church Sunday July 15th the Sunday School will meet at 9:30 A. M., and the Epworth League at 7:15 P. M.

At 11 A. M. the Pastor, Rev. J. L. Cunningham, will occupy the pulpit and will preach on "Christian Discipline." The public is cordially invited.

At the close of the service a conference of the membership will be held for a few minutes to consider a question pertaining to the New Church. Every member is urged to be present.

At 8 P. M. the congregation will worship at the Union Services to be held at the Episcopal Church.

AT CITY ROAD METHODIST

Dr. Frank Siler of Greensboro College will occupy the pulpit of the City Road Methodist Church, Sunday July 15th. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

STONE—PRINCE

Mr. Thomas Hutchinson Stone of West Point, Va., and Miss Mary Elizabeth Prince of Rufford, Va., were married Friday morning by Justice of the Peace, J. W. Menden, at his residence on Selden Street.

APPLICATIONS ARE COMING IN FAST

Branch Manager, H. T. Greenleaf, of the Officers' Training Camp Association, stated to a reporter for this paper this morning that he is now receiving quite a number of applications for admission to the second Officers' Training Camp at Fort Oglethorpe.

Prospects are that there will be a rush of applications at the last moment and Mr. Greenleaf advises all who intend getting in their applications to act at once.

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The trouble culminated yesterday at Bisbee, Arizona, when the deportation of more than a thousand members of the organization of Industrial Workers of the World was undertaken. The I. W. W. had threatened to destroy the wheat crop in their zeal for industrial democracy, which they claim to be their aim. It was thought, too, that Teutonic influence and finance was behind the movement, and the citizens of Bisbee acted accordingly.

The trainload of deported I. W. W.'s arrived at Columbus, New Mexico last night and they were not allowed to detrain. They turned westward again.

DOUGLAS TAKES UP ARMS—Douglas, Ariz., July 13.—Two hundred citizens armed with revolvers and sawed off shot guns are awaiting the arrival of the westbound train from El Paso, carrying large numbers of the I. W. W.'s.

BINBEE STANDS FIRM—Bisbee, Ariz., July 13.—Not one I. W. W. can ever return to Bisbee, this is the edict here today, following the deportation of the 1,200 I. W. W.'s.

MAY TAKE OVER MINES—Denver, July 13.—The operation of all mining properties at Leadville may be taken over by the government in the event of the failure of federal mediators to reach a settlement with the miners. A strike has been called for Saturday unless settlement is reached before that time.

This trouble is believed to be a part of the I. W. W. disturbance that has swept over western states this week.

SWEDEN AGITATED BY U S EMBARGO

(By United Press) Stockholm, July 13.—Sweden is violently agitated by the news of the American export restrictions and the new paper, Tidning, bitterly attacks the United States, characterizing the embargo as "an attempt to force Sweden into the war in the name of democracy."

The Swedish people as a whole are united in the desire for commercial and political neutrality and do not want to enter war at all, except if it should be necessary in order to defend their own soil against foreign aggression.

BRITISH REPULSE GERMAN RAIDS

(By United Press) London, July 13.—Success of the British raid south of Ypres and the repulse of two German raids is reported by Field Marshal Haig.

BILL PROVIDES FOR AIRPLANE FLEET

(By United Press) Washington, July 13.—Chairman Dent of the committee on military affairs introduced a bill today providing for an immense airplane fleet, with an appropriation of six hundred and forty millions.

WEATHER

Probably showers tonight and