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Break Between Italy and Austria Eminent

Italy Has Demanded that Austria Change Her Policy and Methods In The Adriatic Sea

British Accused of Using Dum Dum Bullets. Heavy Fighting in East Prussia. Serians Retake Semlin. Siege of Antwerp Has Begun and Thousands Have Fled the City

ROME, Sept. 30—A break between Italy and Austria is declared to be eminent. The Italian ambassador at Vienna has directed a vigorous definite protest to the Austrian government against their policy and methods in the Adriatic Sea which are working great injury to Italian interests and demands that they cease at once. The detailed statement contains conditions and demands and a definite declaration that Italy will stop these practices if they are not stopped by Austria.

BRITISH USE DUM DUM BULLETS.

BERLIN, Sept. 30—The German war office alleges that a British colonel captured at Mons has admitted that the British use dum dum bullets and that the minister at the Hague has admitted that the British aeroplanes dropped bombs on Maastricht. A further report says that all assaults on the German right by the Allies have been repulsed and that the German advance continues along the Meuse river.

HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUES AT SEMLIN.

PETROGARD, Sept. 30—A news agency dispatch says heavy fighting continues at Semlin with heavy losses on both sides. The Germans have been reinforced at Amenen and Gen. Remmenkaupf is reported to be in danger of being driven from east Prussia. Fighting all along the frontier continues desperate especially at Offowitz, Druskeniki and at Augustowo. The Germans are striving to reach the northern outlet of the forest in the vicinity of Nienen and Grodo. The entire estate of the Kaiser in Romontion, east Prussia, has been confiscated.

GERMAN RIGHT WING REPORTED BROKEN

Many conflicting reports have come from the front in northern France, some stating that the German right wing has been broken by the Allies, but the military authorities say they have no confirmation of this report. The turning movement continues against the German right and it is confidently expected that it will soon be forced to retire or be captured.

SEMLIN RETAKEN BY SERVIANS

The Servians have retaken Semlin as a result of a series of desperate bayonet charges in which many Aus-

trians were killed and wounded. The assault was a complete surprise to the Austrians who were forced to leave large quantities of supplies. As a result of this victory it is expected that the siege of Belgrade will be raised soon.

FALL OF KIAO CHOW EMINENT

PEKIN, Sept. 30—The Japanese legation declares the fall of all German fortifications at Kiao Chow is eminent. The Allied land forces have silenced the outer chain of fortifications and the bombardment continues. The fleet has silenced two harbor fortifications and it is expected that two German cruisers will soon attempt to run the blockade and certain destruction awaits them.

ANTWERP BESIEGED BY GERMANS.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 30—The siege of Antwerp has begun, the Germans are using their heaviest siege guns. Thousands of refugees have left the city to points of safety. It is believed that the temporary capital of Belgium is the base of a sea assault and especially the object of an airship attack. An entirely new fleet of airships has just been put in commission and the whole operation of these ships will be against this city.

FRENCH MAKING PROGRESS

PARIS, Sept. 30—It is officially announced that the French forces are making progress east of St. Neville and that the right continues to gain ground. Germans attacking Tracy Lemont were repulsed with heavy fighting which developed to the north and in the region of Woevre. Only a slight modification of the conditions along the battle line are apparent. A report has been received which states the Russians have completely surrounded Przemyśl and have taken Orasero where four hundred vehicles and a large number of guns were taken. The Russian armies are gradually covering the whole of eastern Austria and have penetrated Hungary at several

Carranza Willing to Resign

Mexico City, Sept. 29—in his reply to the petition of Francisco Villa's generals asking him to resign in favor of Fernando Iglesias Calderon and thus avoid civil war, General Venustiano Carranza said:

"I will gladly take such action if it is ratified by the general conference; if not I will fight with the same energy that I employed in combatting the usurpation of Huerta."

"I will fight reaction and the old regime, which appears now to be headed by Villa who, it may be, is an unwitting tool in this as was Orozco in his fight against Madero."

General Carranza asking General Villa's chiefs to demand the retirement of their leader as commander of the northern division of the army in view of Carranza's willingness to retire if the army so votes.

S. T. S. Meets With Miss Smith

Smithtown, Sept. 26—The S. T. S. Club met with Miss Callie Smith at her home in Smithtown, at 4 o'clock.

The meeting was called to order by the President Miss Fannie Lou Wilkerson and the monthly business transacted.

The club adjourned at five o'clock to meet next month with Miss Anna Willoughby in her home at Arthur, N. C.

A most elegant one course repast was served by the hostess.

Miss Nannie Amelia and Carrie Belle Smith were absent.

We had as our visitor Miss Bates of Norfolk, Va.

Masonic Meeting at Ayden.

On Thursday the Masons of Ayden will hold the first meeting in their new lodge quarters, and are going to make it a notable day. The masons of Greenville have been invited to attend. There will be both forenoon and afternoon sessions, with dinner served during the intermission.

The Victrola Concert that was to have been given in the Graded School will be postponed until Tuesday night.

GOV. JARVIS ONCE ELECTED PRESIDENT OF A. & M.

It is interesting to recall in connection with the Twenty-fifth Anniversary exercises at the A. & M. College that Ex-Governor Jarvis, who is to be one of the speakers, was at one time elected President of the College. It is understood that he declined the honor on the ground that college work was not his line; but he has been one of the most useful friends the College has ever had. Governor Jarvis—for what's the use of the "ex"—will speak to an audience of staunch admirers.

Conference on Amendments.

A number of well-known men in the State are arranging for a conference to be held here October 3rd in behalf of the proposed constitutional amendments. These behind the movement are Messrs. Clarence H. Poe and J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh, R. R. Williams, of Asheville, W. A. Hildebrand and A. L. Brooks, of Greensboro, and A. E. Holton, of Winston-Salem.

The conference will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Invitations to attend have been sent to about 120 public-spirited men in all sections of the State, all of whom are known to be desirous of having the amendment adopted.

It is believed that the conference will result in substantial impetus to the campaign for the adoption of the constitutional amendments.

"Wear Cotton" Greensboro Slogan

The Greensboro Chamber of Commerce has adopted the slogan "wear cotton." Active efforts are being made to increase the wearing of cotton goods as far as possible during at least six months of the year. While the buy-a-bale movement is also being used there this plan is to supplement the former and it is hoped it will extend over the entire country. If such a thing is undertaken it should be started as soon as possible so the benefit can be obtained in increased sales next spring and summer. This is a good plan and should receive the hearty co-operation of all who wish to help save the cotton crop.

North Carolina Gets \$456,250.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 29—The Treasury Department has deposited \$13,929,746 in twenty-three States for fall crop moving purposes up to September 28, according to an announcement tonight by Secretary McAdoo. Of this sum Missouri has taken the largest amount, \$1,550,000, with Maryland second, \$1,450,000. Amounts secured by other States include: North Carolina \$456,250, South Carolina \$525,000, Tennessee \$675,000, Virginia \$798,750.

Celebration at A. & M.

The Twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of the A. & M. College will be held this week at Raleigh. A very interesting program has been arranged and a number of noted speakers will take part in the exercises.

Governor Craig will preside, and among those who will speak are Hon. Thomas J. Jarvis, Hon. Josephus Daniels, and Hon. Carl Vrooman.

WOODROW WILSON TO BRING PEACE IN PRESENT WAR

England Expects President to Act as Arbitrator When War is Over

NEW TREATY IS SUGGESTED

One That Will Force European Nations to Submit to Arbitration All Points on Which They Differ to Avert Future Wars.

LONDON, Sept. 29—2:35 p. m.—English officials express confidence that the United States at the proper time will exert its good offices to bring the European war to a close under conditions insuring permanent peace. President Wilson's recent statement that peace overtures were reassuring here. High officials today expressed the opinion that the United States after the combatants become exhausted will make it possible to negotiate a treaty requiring the European nations to submit further differences to the United States for arbitration, thus making a recurrence of the war impossible.

Washington, Sept. 29—A desire on the part of the British officials to be relieved of responsibility for declining to entertain proposals looking to the restoration of peace in Europe is believed by State Department heads to be the explanation of dispatches from London indicating that Great Britain would be glad at the proper moment to accept the good offices of the United States to that end.

British officials have taken notice of the many appeals for peace proposals directed to President Wilson from various sources in the United States. As understood here, the British officials are reluctant to be placed in the position of rejecting any overtures.

At the same time, while officials here believe the British government is willing to have known that at the proper time it will welcome peace overtures they think that time, as indicated recently by Sir Edward Grey, will not arrive until the conflict has been settled so decisively that there is no longer a possibility of the same issue arising again.

It was pointed out here today that even though President Wilson's tender of mediation is not pressed at the present moment, it stands open as a convenient means of approaching the subject and provides the means for continuous informal discussion of peace prospects, out of which sooner or later, may come definite and tangible proposals. It is felt that the first prerequisite is to have England, France and Russia, the nations which have signed an agreement binding themselves not to make peace separately consider among themselves some basis for treating with the powers with which they are at war.

The suggestion from London of a treaty requiring European nations to submit their mutual differences to the arbitration of the United States is thought to be an outgrowth of Secretary Bryan's peace treaties, recently signed with England, France and many other countries.

In some diplomatic quarters the view prevails that the initiative of the United States will bring together many nations, including those now at war, in a comprehensive plan to avert a precipitate recourse to war.