

KERENSKY TO GIVE UP POST OF COMMANDER

General Boukhorin Will Succeed Premier as Leader of Russian Armies; Peace by Christmas if Men Fight.

Petrograd, Oct. 24.—The newspapers state that Premier Kerensky probably will relinquish the post of commander-in-chief of the Russian armies to General Boukhorin at the end of the week.

In an emotional address to the preliminary parliament yesterday, Premier Kerensky appealed to the delegates to endeavor to arouse in the people the same sense of individual responsibility at the front and in the rear which carried the Russians to victory for a time in the post-revolutionary offensive in July. The premier deplored the present demoralization of the army.

Could Have Peace by Christmas.

"If only we could rekindle the enthusiasm of those July days in the heart of each man," he said, "we should have peace by Christmas, an honorable peace, for free Russia, with the war fought to an honorable end."

The premier talked for an hour, running the gamut of emotions from despair to hope. He was applauded on all sides.

"We are not fighting for political ends, but for the very existence of Russia," he declared. "The army in the trenches seems to have lost the sense of duty and honor, although at some places it is still in the highest spirit. The battles on Oesel island gave up without a struggle, while the little Dago island forces fought bravely."

Defends Government.

M. Kerensky defended the government against charges made by M. Markoff, radical, who blamed officers for the demoralization of the army and hinted at monarchical plots. He said the Korniloff revolt was not monarchical, but a mere attempt at a dictatorship, as also was the Bolshevik revolt of July.

Peace has been postponed by the disintegration of the army by forces which are continuing the work of the old regime," he said.

Tighten Army Discipline.

In his discussion of the army situation before the Parliament, Minister of War Verkhovski said the government would introduce a bill providing for the establishment of qualified regimental disciplinary tribunals, which would apply a system of penalties under which entire regiments, if convicted of lack of discipline would have their leave stopped and their rations considerably reduced.

The Parliament selected a council of defense consisting of 38 members representing all parties. The council will sit continually and will attempt to carry out the government's program of propaganda to improve the morale at the front and in the rear.

American Fighters Demand Food; Buy Some Liberty Bonds

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"many," he declared. "If there be an American, or any man in this land, whether he is an American or not, who, knowing this record, says that we did not have justification for war with Germany, then the yellow blood flows in his veins—he hasn't any red blood in him."

Peace Propaganda German Move.

Mr. McAdoo denounced those individuals who would make peace with the kaiser's government and the "alleged peace societies in this country." The latter are merely "German wolves masquerading in the hides of American traitors," he declared, "while some of the former are deluded and simple people and some are in the pay of the kaiser."

The secretary, who has completed a tour through the west and southwest in the interest of the Liberty loan, said his trip had convinced him that America is awake to the fact that this country is waging the war for self-preservation and knows that when the struggle is carried to a successful conclusion the liberty of the United States will never be imperiled again.

Every Community Responds.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Not a community in the United States, so far as the Liberty loan managers can learn, has failed to respond to the call for today's big drive.

Parades, speeches, patriotic demonstrations and bond buying were the order of the day from coast to coast.

A flood of dollars, the like of which has never swept in upon the treasury before, officials predicted, will follow. How far toward the \$5,000,000,000 goal the subscription total will be carried no one was willing to forecast. It appeared certain, however, in the light of early advices, that the 2,000,000 workers throughout the nation would roll up a mammoth total.

Champ Clark Says Wall Street Hampered Bonds

Oklahoma City, Okl., Oct. 24.—A "ring" of New York financiers is hampering the government in its Liberty loan campaign, endeavoring to make it a partial failure so that the next loan will bear a higher rate of interest, declared Speaker Champ Clark here today to deliver the principal address at the Liberty day celebration. Mr. Clark did not disclose the manner in which the conspirators were working, but declared they are "spiritual descendants" of a similar group which, during the civil war, forced government bonds down to half their face value.

Secure Jury to Try Draft Conspirators

Armore, Okl., Oct. 24.—A jury was impaneled in the federal court here today to try Neely Adams and about 160 others on a blanket indictment charging conspiracy to defeat the selective draft. There are specific charges of firing bridges, shooting at peace officers, advising young men drafted not to report and similar anti-draft offenses committed last August.

Send Declaration of Confidence In Glorious Victory to Pershing

Washington, Oct. 24.—Confidence in an ultimate "glorious victory" for American arms over German autocracy is expressed in an open letter addressed to General John J. Pershing, commander of the United States expeditionary force, by the national committee of patriotic societies, conveying Liberty loan day greetings and pledges of material assistance to the American commander and his men.

In part the letter reads: "You are fighting our battles for us. We, therefore, regard with contempt

FRENCH WIPE OUT PICK OF GERMAN LINE

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an enfilade fire into the forces of the German crown prince still clinging to the northern slopes of the plateau paralleling the Chemin des Dames.

Greatest Blow Since Verdun.

To the German crown prince the blow may prove the most severe he has suffered since Verdun. He has lost several divisions of his best troops, including Prussian guards, who were rushed forward to hold the line at all costs.

General Petain's masterly stroke weakens the German lines northward to the forest of St. Gobain. A retirement from this line would probably cause the Germans to give up their present front from Chavignon to St. Quentin. The French had no easy task going uphill against fortified defenses, concrete caverns and massed troops. But the artillery fire was very effective and there was no stopping the impetuous men of France.

Advance in Dark.

The battle opened before dawn along a nine kilometer front from the northeast of Lafaux, about the neighborhood of Vauxaillon, to La Royere farm. Amid inky darkness, the French troops left their trenches and with a terrific barrage fire from the most powerful concentration of French guns ever gathered on such a short front preceding them they made their way forward into and over the first German positions, sweeping all resistance aside.

Bag 7,500 Prisoners.

Altogether six German infantry divisions were aligned facing the French attacking forces, but none of them was able to withstand the onslaught. The advance continued like clockwork.

The greatest depth of the drive was in the center of the line, where the village of Chavignon was captured after a violent struggle which resulted in the enemy fleeing pell mell. Some of the best troops in the army of the German crown prince were engaged in endeavoring to hold back the onslaught, but their efforts were unavailing under the enthusiasm of the French to win positions which would place them more advantageously to press on later toward Laon.

For about a week the French artillery had been hurling tons of steel into the German line in front of them in preparing for the drive and when it was started had havoc already been wrought by the guns. In addition to the prisoners taken by the French, the Germans also suffered heavy casualties.

Hold Former Gains.

In Flanders both the British and French troops are holding all the gains made in Monday's drive northward of Ypres, except at one place on the southern fringe of Houtholst forest, where the Germans in a fierce counter attack forced a slight retirement by the British.

The latest advices concerning the naval activity in the Gulf of Riga between the Germans and the Russians show that although the Russians lost the battleship Slava and a large torpedo boat destroyer, the Germans were the heavier losers. Two of their dreadnaughts, one cruiser, 12 torpedo boats, one transport and numerous mine sweepers were put out of action by the Russian fleet. While the exact fate of these vessels has not been ascertained by the Petrograd government, it is announced that at least six of the German destroyers were sunk.

Fierce Austrian Bombardments.

Further German attempts to land forces on the Estonia coast to the north of Werder have been repulsed by Russian detachments.

On the other fronts no important engagements are in progress, except in the nature of artillery. On the Julian front of the Austro-Italian theater, the artillery activity again has become intense. An Austrian attack with infantry in the Cadore region was repulsed by the Italians with heavy losses.

200,000,000 LBS. SUGAR AT 8.35¢ SHIPPED GOTHAM

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Ships Engaged to Carry \$13,000,000 Order From Louisiana to New York Early Next Week.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Oct. 24.—Contracts were made today between Louisiana sugar growers and the American Sugar Refining company for the delivery of 200,000,000 pounds of raw sugar at 6 1/2 cents a pound. The food administration announcing the deal said this would mean a price to the wholesalers of 8.35 cents, to be followed soon by a reduction to 7 1/4 cents.

Ships to move one-half of the \$13,000,000 purchase to refineries at New York, Philadelphia and Boston have been engaged, it was announced, and the first cargo will leave New Orleans for New York next week.

Punish Price Violators.

New York, Oct. 24.—Violations of the agreement entered into yesterday by representatives of the different branches of the sugar industry fixing the retail price of the commodity in Greater New York at from 10 to 11 cents a pound will be punished by rigorous reprisals, according to a statement issued tonight by Dr. Henry Moskowitz, commissioner of public markets.

At the same time he appealed to housewives to co-operate by not hoarding or wasting sugar and by reducing their normal use at least one-half until the new crop arrives.

The commissioner has requested the national food administration and the state food commissioners to support the agreement. Through the aid of the police department, he plans to have copies of the agreement prominently displayed in every retail store.

Refiners Cope With Situation.

With drastic action declared necessary to cope with the situation, an important meeting of the International Sugar Refiners' committee of the federal food administration is expected to be held in New York tomorrow. Sir Joseph White Todd and John R. Drake of the British food commission, who arrived Monday to investigate the matter of supplies of sugar for the entente allied powers, probably will attend the conference at which B. A. Rolfe, chairman of the international committee, will preside.

Arrest Cedar Rapids Man For Alleged Disloyal Talk

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Oct. 24.—Joseph Jones, aged 39 years, was arrested this afternoon on a charge of making treasonable, contemptuous and disloyal utterances concerning the government and the Liberty loan campaign. He was held to the grand jury in \$2,000 bonds.

"To hell with the country" and "Damn the Liberty loan," is what he said when asked to buy a bond, according to witnesses. He is a blacksmith in the Rock Island shops. The shops have subscribed for more than \$10,000 worth of bonds.

Wool Stocks in U. S. Total 650,000,000 Pounds

Washington, Oct. 24.—Wool stocks in the United States equaled approximately 650,000,000 pounds of grease wool for the quarter ended September 30, the Department of Agriculture announced today in its second quarterly report. The statistics were compiled from returns of 1,290 textile manufacturers and wool dealers. The stocks were divided as follows: Grease wool, 388,594,596 pounds. Scoured wool, 64,635,849 pounds. Puled wool, 24,330,915 pounds. Tops, 13,122,825 pounds. Noils, 17,944,426 pounds.

BIG DRIVE IS ON IN CAMPAIGN FOR SAVING OF FOOD

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style in Dodge county, as is indicated by a telegram from Ray Nye, campaign chairman at Fremont, who says:

"We have sent out pledge cards through the superintendents, principals and teachers of all schools in the county, to be distributed to the scholars and by them presented for signature to the people in their respective wards and districts. Prize buttons have been offered to the scholars of each class in each grade who return the greatest number of signed cards by next Monday, after which date the campaign will be continued by committees selected for that purpose, who will obtain the signatures of all families who have not previously signed. I hope that we may get every resident of the county signed up by Monday, November 5."

Hits the Kaiser a Blow.

D. W. Livingston, chairman of the pledge card committee in Otoe county, indicates that the results of the campaign down there will be another wallop for the kaiser. He says: "Food pledge card campaign is on in full swing. Committee thoroughly organized and active. School superintendents, teachers and pupils throughout the county are enthusiastically making big drive. The housewives are with us. Prospects are for big results and another rebuke to the kaiser."

W. W. Wenstrand, district director for Saunders and Sarpy counties, says that reports "indicate enthusiastic activity."

School Children at Work.

In Omaha the school children's campaign for signers to the food pledge cards is being supplemented by work by a committee of 300 workers.

Dr. R. W. Connell and Arthur Guion were named by County Chairman Frank Boyd to make a cleanup canvass of the Fourth district of the Eleventh ward. Mr. Guion named Miss Regina Connell as his field lieutenant and Dr. Connell named Miss Emily Kehler. These two members of the younger social set will organize teams and next week they will visit every home in the district which extends from Thirty-eighth to Forty-eighth and from Farnam to Pacific streets.

Douglas County Signed Up.

In Douglas county the town schools are carrying on a great campaign for pledge cards aided by the public spirited organizations of the town. At Valley Superintendent of Schools Sams is working hard and not a person will escape the campaign that is being waged there.

It was reported to the Omaha office last night that everybody in town had signed before dark, and that the country was being reached by the workers.

Cards Given at Schools.

Miss Mary Keenan, principal at Bennington, reported to her brother, County Superintendent Thomas Keenan, that in the district in which she lives and which is largely German in population, she was getting enthusiastic support by the householders.

Miss Delna Brown, principal at Elkhorn, made a similar report. All cards that have been supplied the schools have been used and it is estimated by Harry O. Palmer, secretary of the federal food administration for Douglas county, that at least 25,000 signers had been obtained up

to late last night in Douglas county. In Omaha the orthodox congregations of the Jewish churches have taken up the matter of aiding the food administrator in the food-saving and pledge-card campaign, and the Knights of Columbus at a patriotic meeting held Tuesday night took action on the matter and will assist. The Campfire Girls are organizing

for a long-continued educational work to see that the food pledge campaign, which they started last summer, now bears fruit.

Marie Paulson of Morse Bluff, Neb., and Alphonse Werrebroeck were married by Rev. Charles W. Savidge at his residence Tuesday at 1:30.

Iowa Miners Subscribe To the Liberty Loan
Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 24.—Iowa miners, at a meeting here today, subscribed to \$25,000 worth of Liberty bonds, and pledged themselves to an increased production of coal. Demands for increased wages will be laid before the operators tomorrow.

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