# HOLLAND TO SPEND MILLIONS ON NAVY

Dutch to Build a Number of Cruisers and Submarines and Arm Them During the Next Year.

COLONIES TO FOOT THE BILL

ondence of the Associated Press.) THE HAGUE, Netherlands, June 20. obtained the consent of parliament to and four submarines of the biggest type at once, while he was authorized to purchase a number of hydro-seroplanes.

The cruisers are to develop a speed of thirty knots at their trials and to poscess a steaming radius of 5,000 miles at num speed of twelve knots. They are to displace 6,000 tons and to cost \$3,600,000 each, and are to be built in Holland under the supervision of a foreign firm, which must guarantee the quality of their construction and that they attain the requirements laid down by the government. They are to be armed with ten 6-inch quick-firing guns, four 3-inch semi-automatic quick-firers, arranged for use as anti-airship weapons and four machine guns. The armor belt is to be of 3-inch plates and the decks also are to be reinforced by steel. Turfuel to be burned,

torpedo tubes. The cost of each is esti- account. mated at \$700,000.

Both the cruisers and aubmarines are to be fitted with special ventilation arrangements and the accommodation for kind, so as to make the vessels comfortable in the tropics.

The new hydro-aeroplanes (six in numa more extensive program, but the ministers considered it wiser to wait till the end of the war, so as to profit by its

The reason big battleships were no provided for was that in case Holland should be drawn into the war, the Dutch flect would be compelled to adopt the principle of a strategical defensive, reinforced by an occasional offensive by the submarine, whose presence would make the North Sea perflous for any enemy

Holland's coasts contain inlets, each of which would serve as a base for submarines, which, with the assistance of shallow coast waters with fixed mine part in Dutch sea operations.

To Defend East Indies. The Dutch colonies in the East Indies also could be placed in an excellent state of defence by means of submarines, fast cruisers and destroyers, and much of the Dutch navy is stationed in colonial waters for this purpose. As a matter of fact, haif of the money voted for this year's naval appropriations is to be paid by the colonies themselves.

It has always been a fundamental idea wo newest ships of the navy are th Jacob van Heemskerck, built in 1906 and the Zeven Provincien, built in 1906. Some of the others are very old. The Kortenser, for instance, is expected to be placed out of commission after one more trip to the West Indies. The Koninger Regentee, The De Ruyter and the Herton Hendrik, too, are 15 years old, while four other cruisers are old and, although they carry good guns, are not regarded as of

Dutch Sailors Are Fighters. The Dutch sailor is universally conred as among the best. Like the mes of all other navies, he is uniformed in blue. The out of his clothes is similar to that of the German bluejscket and, like him and the fighting sailors of all other nations, they bear similar ornaments to those worn by the men of the British ficet—the three white stripes on the borders of the fall-down collar which celebrate Nelson's three victories of the Nile. Copenhagen and Trafalgar, and the black scraf worn in a sailor's knot below the collar in front as a sign of mourning

serving with the vessels of the fleet is in round figures 7,000 men of all ranks, but at the present time some of the naval militia taken from the ranks of th fisherermen and the merchant marine have been called up. This fact has caused the cost of the Dutch navy to rise to a sum considerably higher than is usual and an increased appropriation maintenance was necessary.

#### Should a Woman in Uniform Be Given Military Salute?

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Should a woman be saluted in military fashion, when she wears a khaki uniform with shoulder iraps, is a question that is causing the soldiers some worry. A large proportion of men do salute, most of them in the cilef that the rank, even if in the hospital service, is entitled to such honor. But it now develops that there are no egulations covering the case, and the

relute is largely a matter of gallentry.

The Women's Volunteer Reserve and the Women's Reserve Ambulance, whose embers wear khaki, say this color was not from a desire to imitate the army, but because it defies dirt. The sen neither expect nor want the anlute. However, they find that the uniform, shoulder straps and discipline add

The nurses in France wear klinks, and they are saluted by courtesy in recogni-tion of their services. French and Belgian officers in particular are quick to offer them this tribute.

Wamen Seut to Interior.

ence of the Associated Press. ATHENS, Aug. L. The Turkish miliany authorities have ordered the depor-iation into the interoir of all the women and children in the city of Aivalik, on the coast of Asia Minor. The number affected by the order is 12,000, many of hom being of Greek nationality. Greece as protested against the measure.

## FALSE NOTES SENT TO FRONT Many Comets Said

Soldiers Are Given Wrong Ideas as to Their Families Left at Home.

PLOT IS SOON RUN DOWN

of Associated Press. PARIS, Aug. 5.-The boulevards of Paris have come into their own. Thousands of soldiers now mingle with the usual warme Sunday crowds-soldiers of all arms and in uniforms of all the regulation col--Fast cruisers and submarines are ors, bringing back some of the joy and to form the bulk of the additions to animation that disappeared last summer the Dutch pavy in 1916, according to the They are grouped with families and naval budget. The minister of marine friends on the terraces of all the cafes, they whiz along all the streets in taxibegin the building of two new cruisers autos or in sumptuous limousines, they crowd the entrances to all the moving picture shows and promenade with the arms of women resting on their faded, stained sleeves, while the little tots bang to their bronsed necks or cling to their calloused hands.

They are popular "polius" (the hiraute) home from the front. It seemed last Sunday that all the 50,000 that left the trenches Saturday on four days' leave were there.

It is believed these soldiers were returned from the front to check one phase of a systmatic propaganda of discouragement that started at the beginning of the war and is still going on. The latest manifestation of it was a flood of anonymous letters to soldiers at the front informing them that while they were shed-ding their blood, their wives were leading loose lives at home. This is supposed bine engines are to be used and liquid to be the reason for the decision of the war department to give four days' leave To Make Vessels Comfortable. to the men at the front in contingents of Each of the four new submarines is 50,000 at a time, so that they may look to displace 800 tons and to possess six into the situation at home on their own

Culprits Hard to Reach.

The anonymous character of much of the news that circulates gave fabricators of false news a clear field, the the crews is to be of the most modern ignorance in which the public is kept concerning the details of the military operations making it impossible for anyone to deny stories that are circulated; it also her) are to cost \$8,000 each and are to makes it difficult for the police to reach be purchased abroad. It had been in- the culprite, though the secret service tended by the government to introduce did succeed in tracing some of the work to an eccentric millionaire named Prouvost, living at Saint Raphael, who has been convicted by a court martial and sentenced to prison.

After making a fortune out of insurance, Prouvost espoused the anarchist cause, published subversive pamphlets and journals and finally fell into the clutches of the Bonnot band, whose sensational crimes excited Paris two years ago. False news began to circulate be-hind the lines early in the fall of last year; soldiers in hospitals and at the front received anonymous letters and circulars with significant headlines such fast mine layers and the strewing of the as "They are deceiving us," "Germany has made peace overtures that we refields, would play the most important pulsed," "Our generals have had entire regiments of our soldiers executed."

All these documents giorified "great Germany." Names and addresses of soldiers in hospitals, names of refugees advertising for lost relatives, names of women advertising for employment-all those whose state of mind seemed to make them accessible to depressing news and suggestions received anonymous letters and circulars. A suspicious circumstance was that those sent to soldiers was postpaid, while most of the correspondence sent to thom is post free. Thousands were disof those in charge of the Dutch naval them is post free. Thousands were dis-defence to have the best possible material tributed by unknown means through the at hand even though it should be only big department stores, slipped by mysat hand even though it should be only big department stores, slipped by mys-small in quantity. For this reason it has been decided to replace nearly all the private letters boxes; they were even present Dutch war vessels by newly conscribed over the floors of postoffices structed ships as soon as possible. The

> It was finally discovered that the subjects treated and the language used were the same as in some proclamations dropped by German aviators upon po-sitions held by troops of the second line of Basseux in November. Finally a woman was detected dropping large pockets of letters into letterboxes, and was shadowed. She received letters from St. Raphael in the department of the Var in the name of Herman, her real name being Donnadicu, wife of a wall known anarchist, living with another anarchiet named Hureau. All three were arrested and their correspondence was traced to the millionaire Prouvest, Prouvost admitted paying the postage on the letters and circulars, but declared that he had no intention of engaging ina guilty propaganda. Behind Prouvost. Hureau and Madaine Donnadieu, the police think, there was a well directed system of German espionage.

> The Eclair declares that it has traced some of the false news circulated in Paris to naturalised Germans, and gives the names of some of them.

#### American Doctors Do Great Service Among Serbians

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) LONDON, Aug. 6.—A. S. Ward of Bos-ton, secretary of the American Sanitary commission in Serbia, has returned from that country with the news that the work of the American doctors and sani-tary experts is proving successful beyond

Mr. Ward said: "The work of the American doctors and sanitary engineers in Serbia is directed towards prevention rather than cure of the various epidemics. and they are rapidly cleaning up the towns in order to prevent a further outbreak. The old eisterns are being gradually destroyed and artesian wells substi-

"Dr. Richard P. Strong, who is in charge of the American sanitary corps in Serbia, is trying to stamp out every particle of infectious disease before the cold weather begins.

"The work of disinfecting the Serbian soldiers and their clothing by the American doctors is an undertaking which is proving eminently successful in ridding the country of the vermin which carry typhus. It was impossible to transport the troops to any one station so it was necessary to improvise a traveling disinseting plant. The train is eldetracked at any large camp and dressing tents erected. From these the men jump into the bath car where the hose is turned on them. When dried the bathers are oiled with petroleum, which kills the vernein.
When the battiers clothes are removed
they are placed in the sterilizing car to be
thoroughly steamed and dried. As many
as a 1,000 men and their clothing are saned to one day by the sanitary train. in some places men are found to be suffering from scurvy and separate treat-ment and medicine are given them."

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# To Presage Disaster

Correspondence of the Associated Press.) ancient supistition that comets, particularly an unusual number of them, presage disaster and war, astronomers have re- Ziatinsky cently been calculating the number that have made their appearance from late in 1913 to the present time. They have been unusually frequent, apparently, from

The real zenith could be made out with the naked fourth class star. eye. It disappeared early this year, and probably will not be seen again for six or seven years. The astronomers cau- furniture into cash

tion against taking this as an indication

that the war will last that long. One of the first to be seen in 1913 was "Encke's comet." which first was noted in 1786, but not definitely placed until 1818. It makes its appearance once every three and a third years, but in 1914 was late. BERLIN, July E.-In the light of the Close on the been of this expected

pected, however. On May 16, 1914, Rudolph Pasts reports. possessing the brilliancy of a star of 12.5 magnitude. It was given the name of Neujmin. Then came the Kritjing comet of comparatively little brilliancy, and which fact the superstitious are taking then Campbell's comet was announced from America. The first comet of 1915 "war comet," say the astron- was that of Mellish, also discovered in ore, was that of Delevan, discovered by America, which first appeared as a star him in December, 1912. This body was of of tenth magnitude and attained its maxiunusual size and brilliancy, and at its mum in June with a magnitude of

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#### Korea Is to Hold Exhibition Soon To Show Advance

"guest" came some that were not ex- (Correspondence of the Associated Press.) SEOUL, Kores, Aug. 5.-To comme rate the fifth anniversary of the annexation of Korea to Japan, the governor general is arranging an industrial exhibition to show the world the progress Korea has made since coming under the control of Japan. The exhibition will open September 1 and continue until the end of November.

> special buildings are being erected. The chief structure will be the agricultural hall dedicated to illustrate the

great strides made in Korea in agri- interest is manifested everywhere and big culture. "Among the particular axhibits will be those showing the establishment of modern farms, seed stations and sericulture training stations, the production of rice and silk, and the cultivation and development of waste lands. Specimens of live stock-cattle, horses, pigs and fowl will constitute a distinct feature. Governmental protection of the peasant proprietors will be described by appropriate exhibits.

The industrial building will show the development in weaving, paper making, cotton ginning, mat making and tanning. The site chosen is the grounds of the so-called North palace, the entrance to as the products of the modern school. The new line, begun in 1912, is six and a which is guarded by two big stone lions, represented both by governmental and half miles long, and operates by elecso often admired by American visitors. private manufacture. Other halls will be oncerned with forestry and education.

crowds are expected from all parts of Korea and from Japan. A garden in European style will be laid out and two pagodas of five and seven stories each are being erected. In the amusement section the Korean band

of ex-Elmepror Yis' household will play throughout the period of the exhibition. Prince Kan-in, cousin of the emperor, is expected from Tokio.

New Swiss Railroad Opens. (Correspondence of the Associated Press. GENEVA, July 27.-The latest and finest of the little Swiss mountain railways the tobacco industry, and the mining un- has just been opened between Leuk and dertakings. In the fine arts hall will be Leukerbad. It will probably be the last displayed old Korean porcelain as well to be constructed for many years to come. tricity. It is mainly a tourist line, leading from Leuk on the main Simplen line As this will be the first exhibition ever to the beautiful little watering place and held in Korea on a large scale, great winter resort of Leukerbad.

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