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4th-William H. Smith ..... Seward

hth-A. C. Schallenberger.....Alma

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## AT WAR WITH STATES Spies Landed In Collapsible Boats-Sailor Recognizes Hun Ufficer in New York

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CONSULATE FLAG LOWERED

American Representative at Petrograd Turns Affairs Over to the Norwegian Consul

Washington .- Dispatches from Russia of a somewhat disturbing nature received. Vice Consul Robert W. Imbrie, at Petrograd, reported in a delayed dispatch, that members of the bolsheviki government at the former Russian capital had issued a pronunciamento declaring that a state of war existed between Russia and the United States. In view of the holsheviki declaration, Mr. Imbrie reported in his dispatch, which was dated August 2, that he had lowered the United States flag over the consulate, and, following the recent action of Consul General Poole at Moscow. closed the consulate and turned the affairs of the United States over to the Norwegian consul. Americans in Petrograd, believed to number about twenty, were warned to leave, Consul Imbrie's dispatch said, although the consul indicated that he would remain at his post until he had received instructions from the state department.

#### Nebraska is Twice Honored

Portland .-- C. E. Adams of Superior. Nebr., was elected commander-inchief of the Grand Army of the Republic for the coming year. The new head of the organization served in the civil war in the Fifth Wisconsin battery, Fourteenth army corps, under the commands of General George H. Thomas and General Sherman. The election of Mr. Adams was made unanimous. The newly elected commander-in-chief announced the following appointments of his staff: A. N. Trimbie, Lincoln, Nebr., adjutant general; Colonel D. R. Stowits, of Buffalo, N. Y., quartermaster general, and George D. Kellogg, of Newcastle, Cal., patriotic instruction.

#### Weekly Press Must Curtail

Washington .- Reduction of 25 per cent of all publication space in excess of eight pages for country weekly newspapers was ordered by Chairman Baruch of the war industries board. Other features of a conservation plan for news print paper, which by this order is extended to include the country weeklies, are discontinuance of papers to subscribers three months after subscriptions expire, stopping use of free copies for exchange within the same county or a forty-mile radius, stopping the publication of extra cop-

New York .- The first officer of an American vessel recently sunk off the coast recognized in New York one of the officers of the submarine which sank his vessel. The German officer recognized him also and escaped before he could give the alarm.

In Washington it is believed entirely possible for the submarines to land spies in collapsible boats carried for the purpose, and that there is danger that all the elaborate safeguards to check spies will be defeated and that submarine officers will be able to ob-

to state department officials have been tain vital information by personal visits on shore.

It is also learned that one of the German submarines equipped with a able-cutting apparatus succeeded in cutting two cables from the United States to the West Indies. These were at once repaired.

It is known that three large German ubmarines of the Deutschland type have been operating off the American shore. These vessels were of the cruising type, 300 feet long, armed fore and aft with 6-inch guns and with a cruising radius of 17,000 miles.

The German action in cutting the cables and the reported landing of spies give evidence that the submarine campaign was designed to be far more than an attack on American coastal shipping. As now viewed, the objects of the Germans are shown to be:

First, to terrorize the navy department into recalling warships from European patrol duty.

Second, to cut the United States off rom secret telegraphic communicaion with its forces and allies abroad by cutting cables.

Third, to establish direct communication between the German espionage ystem and German agents in the United States by landing spies from submarines.

#### **Slackers Among Mennonites**

Goshen, Ind.- Expecting to obtain evidence upon which to secure indictments before a federal grand jury in Cleveland of 185 bishops, ministers and deacons of the Mennonite Church of the World, F. R. Fortune, a department of justice agent, is in Goshen. Charges against the men are based on a pamphlet statement they signed following the annual convention of the Mennonite church of the United States and Canada at Yellow Creek church, west of Goshen, a year ago. The conference devoted much time to a discussion of war subjects, and advised Mennonites in the draft to respond to call but to decline to give military service, basing their refusal upon their church teachings.

#### Tanker Sinks Submarine

Philadelphia.-- A German submarine was sunk in a running battle with a British tank steamer about 300 miles northeast of Nantucket. The oil ship

Veville and McKelvie Gubernatorial Candidates.

# Norris and Morehead for United States Sanator.

THE CHOICE OF

Lincoln.-Practically every county has added to Neville's lead, and there E. C. Simmons ......Pender seems no doubt that it will run to 15,000 or better when complete figures are in for the entire state.

Eighty-three of the ninety-three counties have reported their democratic vote on governor, in whole or in part. The totals in these counties are: Neville, 32,656; Bryan, 20,201; 6th-Charles W. Pool ...... Hyannis Neville's lead, 12,456.



GOVERNOR KEITH NEVILLE Nominated by the Democrats as their standard bearer. He is now serving his first term as governor.

W. B. Rose.....Lincoln The counties sending complete returns on republican candidates for Grant G. Martin.....Lincoln governor give these results: McKelvie. E. B. Perry.....Cambridge 33,826; Johnson, 13,894; McKelvie's lead, 19,932.

Senator Norris has increased his plurality over Sloan and Hammond to 5,000. The last two have run neck and neck for second place. Latest reports on republican candidates for John R. Webster.....Omaha senator are: Norris, 20,018; Sloan. 15,197; Hammond. 14,863; Madgett H. L. Sams......Scottsbluff 3.778; Mercer, 3,593.





Washington .- Information has been received here that all the Japanese troops destined for Siberia have been landed at Vladivostock. The number cannot be made public, it was said, for military reasons, but taking them all together with the American, British, French and Italian forces in Siberia, the aggregate is not large. Japan also has a few contingents moving from Mukden, where she maintains a large garrison, but they are not presently destined for Siberian territory, although such disposition will be made of them as may make them immediately available should need for their services in Sfberia arise.

Consent of All Governments

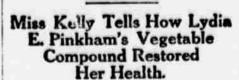
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be employed in Siberia has been definitely agreed upon between the United Setes and Japan, China being also consulted and the number cannot he increased without the approval of the American government; likewise the United States will be obliged to consult Japan before the American expeditionary force in Siberia can be enlarged. No step will be taken by either Japan, China or the United States with regard to Siberia, it was stated authoritatively here, without the sanction of all three of those countries.

An advantage in having China as a party to the operations concerning Siberia was said in an important quarter to relate principally to the moral effect her participation will have upon the Russians themselves. The Russians do not distrust either the United States or China, but there were fears that the motives of Japan migh be misunderstood if she acted independently.

#### Spain Protests to Germany

Paris .- Spain has informed Germany that because of the serious inroads the submarine sinking have made into Spanish shipping, she hereafter will use German vessels now in Spanish ports in place of tonnage sunk. This announcement is made in a statement issued by the Spanish cabinet at San Sebastian. The cabinet state ment says: "As a consequence of the submarine campaign more than twenty per cent of our merchant marine has been sunk, more than 100 Spanish sailors have perished, a considerable number of sailors have been wounded and numbers have been shipwrecked and abandoned. Ships needed exclu-



BREAKDOWN

Newark, N. J .- "For about three years 1 suffered from nervous break-



pound ever since and give you my per-mission to publish this letter."-Miss FLO KELLY, 476 So. 14th St., Newark,

The reason this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, was so successful in Miss Kelly's case was because it went to the root of her trouble, restored her to a normal healthy condition and as a result her nervousness disappeared.

KIDNEY TROUBLE Is a deceptive disease -thousands have it and den't know it. If you can make no mistake by using Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney medicine. At drungsists in large and me-dium size bottles. Sample size by Parcel Post, also pamphlet telling you about it. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents, also men-tion this paper. tion this paper.



A few days ago, there appeared in the News a letter protesting against noise near hospitals. The next morning, a hospital patient heard a horn sounding loudly in front.

"There!" she said to her nurse, "that's just what that fellow wrote about. If I were in the hospital of fice, it would take me about three jumps to stop that."

# THE PRIMARIES

les for advertising stimulation and arrived here from Mexico. When first stoppage of returns of unsold copies from news dealers.

#### Hope to Remove Hoo-doo

Chicago .- The hoo-doo that has launched in Chicago as the Hun-chasing gunboat Wilmette. And the crew that will man her and help chase the Prussian pirates from the high seas will be the 160 survivors of the U.S. 8. Schurz, which was sunk off the Atlantic coast. Commander W. B. aboard a German submarine as a pris-Wells, U. S. N., will command the boat and he declares that his men. being devoid of superstition, have no week, has been landed here. With fear of the stigma that has long besmirched her name.

Shortage of Laboring Men

Washington. -- The fact is made

known that there is now a shortage in

war work of 1,000,000 unskilled labor-

ers and that the reserve of skilled

workers is exhausted. Further cur-

tailment of non-essential production

is planned to release men for war

Katherine E. Lansing of Watertown,

N. Y., sisters of the American secre-

Cross canteen to receive this honor.

Harvest Grain as Guns Boom

have succeeded in harvesting grain on

der fire of the enemy. While the har-

vesters worked the entire district was

**Crown for a German Prince** 

left Helsingfors for Germany to offer

the crown of Finland to a German

prince, who will probably be Duke

London.-- A Finish delegation has

swept by the enemy's artillery.

Schwerin.

Rome .-- Italian soldiers and civilians

essential industries.

sighted the U-boat was two miles away, and the captain of the tanker immediately opened fire. Two shots from the submersible struck the British ship, one of them passing through the boiler room and the other through clung to the steamship Eastland since a tank. Neither of the shells exploded she capsized in the Chicago river and and did no material damage. Twentycarried 822 persons to death will be seven shots were fired by the tank removed and the vessel-reincarnated ship, one or more scored clean hits, as in the form of a sea fighter-will be flames brust from the port side of the submarine, which sank a few minutes later.

### Released From a Submarine

Boston.-Captain David Evans, of the British steamer Penistone, taken oner of war after the undersea boat sank his vessel off Nantucket last him were eight members of the crew of the Norwegian steamer San Jose. also a victim of the same submarine. Captain Evans was put into one of the San Jose's boats which was picked up later by a government vessel. He was seized by the German commander when he tried to return to his sinking vessel for the ship's papers.

#### Colonel Patterson Suicide

work. The labor shortage is so serious Portsmouth .-- Col. George T. Patterthat completion of a number of imson, U. S. A., commanding officer of portant war projects for the army and the Portsmouth, N. H., harbor military navy is being delayed. The field post, committed suicide. Overwork agents decided that the only way in and a nervous breakdown were given which the needed laborers could be as causes for his act. Colonel Pattersecured was to take them from nonson's father is a prominent Nebraska jurist. He was forty-six years old and entered West Point from Omaha. He

had served on the west coast and along the Mexican border.

#### China Sends Troops

tary of state, have been decorated with Washington .- The Chinese governthe French war cross and cited in the ment has sent a large force of troops army orders. The two sisters worked to the Siberian border to prevent a in the American Red Cross canteen at threatened invasion of Chinese terri-Epernay during the recent bombardtory by German and Hungarian prisment and assisted in the hospital, disoners of war who joined with the Red playing marked heroism. They are the Guard and other elements of the bolfirst members of the American Red sheviki against the Czecho-Slovaks in the Trans-Baikal region.

#### Married Men for Service

Washington-In answer to a letter from Senator Chamberlain, asking the right bank of the Plave river un- whether it was true that the war department proposed to exempt married men as a class under the new manpower bill, Secretary Baker informed the senator that the existing regulations as to married men would continue in force. Senator Chamberlain had written to the secretary saying that if deferred classification for married men generally was contemplated. Adolph Friedrich of Mecklenburg- many senators would oppose lowering



EX-GOV. JOHN IL MOREHEAD The Democratic nominee for United States in the proportion of 3 to 2 in favor Senator. Mr Morenead served two of the constitutional amondment terms as governor.

Morehead's vote in the counties reported is above 25,600. Following is the standing of the democratic senatorial candidates: Morehead. 25,766; Metcalfe, 10,673. Howard, 7,007; Reed. 6,644; Price, 2,258.

The race for land commissioner on the republican ticket is settled in favor of Dan Swanson, who is over 700 votes ahead of E. B. Cowles. Swanson's margin is gradually increasing. and will probably be 1,500 or more on complete returns.

Dr. A. T. Gatewood defeats Hugh L. Cooper for the democratic nomination for secretary of state in the finish of a close race. Sixty-seven counties gave Gatewood a plurality of \$18. On the republican ticket, D. M. Amsberry is the winning candidate over W. S. Jay.

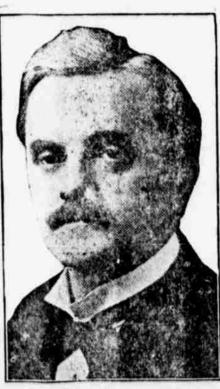
The last doubt as to the outcome of the republican primary race for congress in the Fourth district was removed with the receipt of figures from Saline county, giving the nomination te M. O. McLaughlin of York by a plurality of 130. Every county in the district is represented in the totals, which are, respectively, 4.183 for Mc-Laughlin and 4,053 for McMullen.

State Auditor Smith is credited with a plurality of 4.774 over E 0. Kretsinger for the demorcatic congressional nomination in the Fourth.

The foreign voter constitutional amendment and the constitutional convention have received endorsement posed constitutional convention

Thosen as the Republican candidate for Governor, Mr. McKelvle served one term as lieutenant governor

Omaha and Douglas county voted prohibiting those from voting who have not obtained their final citizenship papers. They also voted



SENATOR CEO. W. NORRIS Republican nominee to succeed himself as United States Senator. Served three terms as congressman from the Fifth

district.

3,658 for and 1,491 against the prothe state.

sively for Spanish use have been torpedoed without the slightest pretext."

#### Relief for Czecho-Slovaks

Washington .- Information indicates that assistance sent to Czecho-Slovaks in Siberia will reach them in time to thwart the efforts of the German-Austrian prisoners and the bolsheviki. 'he allies are sending arms and ammunition and heavy artillery is included The program to re-establish the eastern front is progressing far more rapidly than was expected. The trans Siberian railway will play an imporant part. That Germany appreciates the importance of the move is shown in a dispatch to the effect that soviet troops had blown up "the Baikal tunnel." It was pointed out that there are thirty-three Baikal tunnels, all of them hewn out of solid rock.

#### Texas Cattle to Nebraska

Washington .- A. F. Stryker, of the South Omaha stockyards, is heading a delegation here to urge Secretary McAdoo to intervene in behalf of aiding the shipment of thousands of cattle from Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas an l other southern states to the long grass country of Nebraska. Members of this delegation are confident that their suggestion will be complied with. It was said that Mr. McAdoo will investigate the situation, and if it is as represented he will furnish cars and right of way for speedy shipment of the stock, which it is claimed is in danger of being lost through lack of forage.

#### All-Wheat Bread "Over There"

Washington .- The American army in France is amply supplied with bread made of all wheat flour, and the daily ration of eighteen ounces of flour for bread is so over-abundant that a reduction to sixteen ounces is under consideration. Soldiers in the United States consume Victory bread with the prescribed amount of substitutes for wheat flour. Not until they get to France are they allowed all wheat bread.

#### **Requests** to Governors

Washington .- Governors of all states are asked by the war labor policies board to send representatives to Washington for a conference September 30-October 1, on state and federal co-operation in dealing with industrial problems. Chairman Frankfurter notified the governors that hereafter contracts of all government departments will contain clauses restricting child and convict labor. Dr. A. C. Summers, commissioner of agriculture, commerce and industry, has been designated to meet the state officials.

"It won't take me more than four." said the nurse who had noticed her patient's rising temperature.

On reaching the door, she was surprised to see seated alone in a machine a former patient whom she knew well, a tiny Greek boy who was returned regularly for dressings by a much interested social agency.

"Why, Pete !" she exclaimed. "Don't do that."

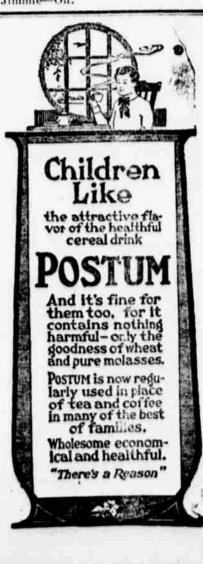
"Why not?" asked Peter innocently. "Don't you know there are sick people in the hospital? Think how Johnny (a former mate) must feel."

"Gee !" said Pete in amazement. "It never hurt my log when it was sick. I was a-doin' it for Johnny."-Indianapolis News.

#### No Use.

"Are you conserving food, Mrs. Jones?" "No, indeed; nobody in our family likes conserves."

He Got It. The Boss (sternly)-Jimmie, what do you want? Jimmle-Off.



Awarded French War Cross Paris.-The Misses Emma S. and

the present draft age to eighteen from both parties.