

ENGLAND TO STICK TO ITS ALLIES—GEORGE

Clumsy Alsace-Lorraine Trick Has No Influence on Situation, Says English Premier in Speech.

London, Oct. 12.—Premier Lloyd George, in an address today, declared, that he could not think of any statement more calculated to prolong the war than the assertion of the German foreign secretary von Kuehlmann, that Germany would never contemplate the making of concessions to France respecting Alsace-Lorraine.

Half Million Men in U. S. Under Military Training

Washington, Oct. 12.—The number of men in America's new army either actually under training or ordered to the sixteen cantonments throughout the country total, 431,180.

In making public these figures today Secretary Baker said that the shipments of clothing to the camps is keeping pace with the arrival of the new troops. Up to October 1, the day before the second increment of draft men was ordered out, nearly 13,000,000 articles of wearing apparel and sleeping equipment had been sent to the cantonments and shipments are being made daily.

Camp Funston, in Kansas, has the greatest quota of men of any of the camps, its number being 39,532.

Articles sent to cantonments for the new men include 1,402,390 blankets, 422,346 bed sacks, 436,749 cotton breeches, 259,805 woolen breeches, 267,579 cotton coats, 204,728 woolen coats, 289,713 overcoats, 4,002,856 pieces of underclothing and 937,734 pairs of shoes.

La Follette Denies Press Reports; Gives Transcript

Washington, Oct. 12.—Senator La Follette today presented to the senate committee investigating his St. Paul speech, his transcript of the address, accompanied by a letter denouncing press reports as grossly false.

The committee also received other transcripts of the speech from the Minnesota Public Welfare commission, which made the first request for Senator La Follette's expulsion.

The committee considered the speeches and will meet again tomorrow to determine whether hearings will be held.

In his letter to the committee today, Senator La Follette denied reports that he said this country had no grievance for war and asked for an opportunity to examine witnesses before the committee and to present his own testimony regarding any statements of fact questioned.

May Ask for Volunteers To Fill Up Camp Cody

Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., Oct. 12 (Special Telegram).—Company A, Iowa engineers, arrived here early this morning, having stopped late at night in El Paso for refreshments. The unit has been at Camp Dodge, Des Moines. There were 164 officers and men on the train. Iowa engineers, First battalion, and the headquarters company, supply company and Second battalion, Companies E, F, G and H, Sixth Nebraska infantry, form the 109th engineers in the division.

Reports here indicate the early arrival of the First Minnesota infantry, which will become the 105th. Volunteers may be asked for in the five states represented here after the 5,000 recruits to fill the regiments said to be due to move from Camp Dodge are received.

Get Two Years in Pen For Plot to Sink Ship

Aiken, S. C., Oct. 11.—Paul Wierse, editorial writer of the Charleston (S. C.) American, and Captain Klattenhoff, of the German steamship Liebenfels, were convicted in federal court here today of conspiracy to sink the ship in Charleston harbor and sentenced to two years in federal prison at Atlanta and to pay a fine of \$1,000 and costs each. The Liebenfels was sunk just before diplomatic relations with Germany were broken, presumably on orders of the German government.

Rev. Charles E. Cobbey, Ill of Ftomaine Poisoning, Recovers

Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., Oct. 12. (Special Telegram).—Rev. Dr. Charles E. Cobbey of Omaha, head of religious work at the Young Men's Christian association halls here, who was taken ill of ptomaine poisoning and treated at the base hospital, is recovering and may stay here a month longer.

Italians Make Haul Of Austrian Destroyer

Washington, Oct. 12.—A Rome dispatch to the Italian embassy today announced that an Austrian torpedo boat destroyer had been captured by the Italians in the Adriatic. The Austrian crew surrendered without firing a shot.

German Diplomats Land On American Shores

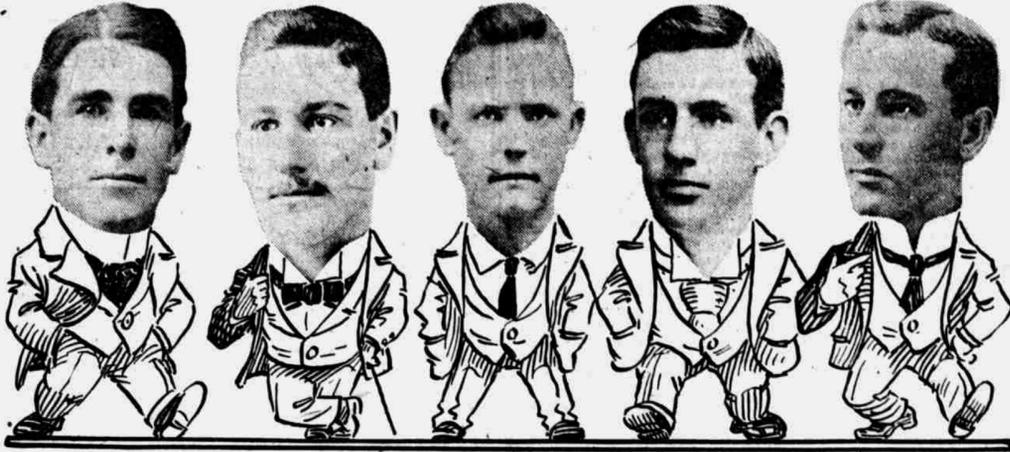
A Pacific Port, Oct. 12.—Dr. A. von Rosthorn, former minister plenipotentiary from Austria-Hungary to China, accompanied by twenty-eight Austrian and thirty-four German consular and legation officials, landed tonight from the Dutch steamer Oranje, which arrived today from the orient. The party carries safe conducts from the entente allies, but federal agents, nevertheless, made a long and painstaking search of the baggage, letters and documents of the members before allowing them to come ashore.

Anton Arnold, formerly German financial adviser to the Chinese government, was an important member of the party.

Dr. von Rosthorn will spend several days here before proceeding to an Atlantic port, where he will take a Japanese liner for Europe.

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AT THE THEATERS

'Follow Me,' at the Boyd. Miss Anna Held and company in 'Follow Me,' a musical comedy in three acts. The principals: Denise, a fortune teller. Marie Fanchionetti Jewels. Conny Ward Worth Muchmore, American millionaire.

In the 'rare old, fair old golden days, that have gone beyond recall,' of which Raymond Hitchcock once sang, Anna Held was our playmate; now, she is our ally, and she is quite ally, too.

But, when she steps out from the frivolity of her play and her part, and recites 'Thou Shalt Not Pass,' then does her heart and the hearts of the multitudes beat in unison, and to her call responds that unspoken but earnest pledge, 'We will pay the debt!'

Nothing that Anna Held ever did in the heyday days of the past moved an audience as did her recitation last night, and the tumult she excited among those polite and unemotional people who filled the seats at the Boyd must have convinced her of our sincerity in the war.

This, though, is outside and apart from her play. 'Follow Me' is a loosely built frivol, compounded of a little light music, some light comedy, a bit of pleasing dancing, a chorus of pretty girls, and such...

array of gowns as properly belongs to the domain of the society editor. These gowns deserve attention the fabricator of reviews of this sort is incompetent to provide. Admiration must find expression in the simple statement that no prettier ever were shown at an Omaha theater, and a more gorge picture is one on which the lights go down beyond imitation.

Miss Held, as always, is generous of her own efforts, working at all times to please, and winning commendation in various little ways that are all her own. A laughing jig in the last act is her strongest bit. Venita Fitzhugh, young and pretty, has a sweet and well trained voice that is heard to good advantage in several numbers, and Miss Fanchionetti sings well and dances effectively. Comedy of a quiet sort, and not too subtle is liberally provided by Harry Short and Harry A. Lewis Seymour. The dancing specialty of Tillyoh and Ward is of a sort only possible to well trained crobats, and as such is received. As to the chorus, it is the Held type, and makes the gowns referred to look all the better.

Promises of the Press Agents. Orpheum—Only four more times remain for 'Rubeville' and the other current features at the Orpheum, matinee and night, today and again Saturday. For next week the British war picture, 'The Retreat of the Germans at the Battle of Arras,' which will be shown at an extra attraction, is entitling unusual attention. These pictures show the Hun being beaten back and the heinous things the Germans do to the French people and their possessions. The proceeds go to war relief workers.

Brandsels—The American prides himself on his sense of humor and he will have every chance in the world to appreciate that sense of humor when he attends the Brandsels theater, where the Brandsels Permanent Players are presenting 'The Road to Happiness' all this week. Boyd—Bartley Campbell's immortal play, 'The White Slave,' with a special scenic production, built expressly for this tour, will be presented at the Boyd next Sunday for four days by a cast of recognized players. Fitting in the factory is a troupe of people who give life and color to the drama in the songs and characteristic dances of the southern darkey.

foot shaker you'd have to go to the popular Gayety either this afternoon or evening, or one of the final performances of 'Twentieth Century Maids,' for tomorrow Ben Welch himself, comes to the Gayety for his annual engagement of one week. Mr. Welch claims he has the best entertainment of the kind ever seen and there isn't any doubt about the size of the tremendous crowds that will gather all week. Ladies' matinee daily.

Empress—'Please, Mr. Detective' is the name of a musical offering at the Empress theater for the last three days of this week. The principals, with winsome Betty Evans, gave a great account of themselves and the chorus is about the average. Low Wells, monologist and saxophonist, is presenting this season a monologue teeming with laughs.

In the Silent Drama. Sun—Dustin Farnum, with his 'North of Fifty-Three.' It is laid in the land of snows and is a fitting production for the talents of this star. He has plenty of opportunity for action and of course accomplishments same in his own inimitable manner.

Hipp—The playlet offering at this theater today and Saturday will be Harry Carey in another of his plays of the great west, 'The Secret Man.' A good comedy will also be offered.

Muse—Belle Bennett and Roy Stewart will be shown at the Muse again today in 'Bond of Fear.' This picture is not only of the entertainment nature to be expected, but has a deeper appeal to the heart.

Lothrop—Conquest pictures will be shown here today, among them 'H. Avila's Hicks—Freshman,' 'Gallagher' and 'Turning Out Silver Bullets,' taken in the Philadelphia mint, Saturday, Viola Dana in 'God's Law and Man's.'

Strand—Pauline Frederick's latest Paramount picture, 'Double-Crossed,' which will

be shown at the Strand theater the balance of the week, shows the pale into which innocent onlookers are thrown during the terrible 'third degree' to which they are subjected after a crime has been committed.

Empress—The next appearance here of Gladys Hulette will be in her latest feature play, 'A Crooked Romance.' The leading character is a little girl who has been brought up by her stepfather to believe that the world is crooked and that crooks are honest.

Suburban—Little Thelma Salter will be shown here today in a Triangle play called 'Slumberland,' just a sweet and clean play that will be enjoyed from one end to the other. Saturday, William Russell in 'My Fighting Gentleman.'

Teuton Agents Believed To Have 'Covered' Ship. A Pacific Port, Oct. 11.—Chemicals placed in the lumber cargo and contrived to ignite when the vessel passed through a warm temperature caused a fire aboard the steamer Niels Nielsen as it was steaming from Hong Kong to Bombay on its last voyage from this port, according to the captain and crew of the vessel, who are here now. The vessel was damaged to the extent of \$20,000 and the cargo even more.

The captain said British officials in Bombay surveyed the ship on its arrival and declared the chemicals were placed by Teuton agents while it was loading in a Pacific port last May. The crew fought the flames thirty hours before getting them under control.

Davenport Editor Made Head of Newspaper Men

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 12.—I. U. Seers of the Davenport (Ia.) Times today was elected president of the International Circulation Managers' association at the closing session of its annual convention here. Other officers elected were Joseph Taylor, Grand Rapids (Mich.) Press, first vice president; James McKernan, New York World, second vice president, and

James A. Matthews, Oklahoma City Oklahoman, secretary-treasurer. The new board of directors included J. M. Annenberg, Union Star, Schneckady, N. Y.; John Toler, Atlanta Constitution; W. L. Argue, Toronto (Ont.) Star; James Farley, Philadelphia North American; H. P. Fris, El Paso (Tex.) Herald. The new directors organized by electing J. M. Schmid, retiring president, editor of the Official Bulletin. Washington was selected as the 1918 convention city.

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How the War-Tax Touches Your Pocketbook. From the cradle to the grave most of man's activities will now be taxed under the new Revenue Bill, points out an Associated Press correspondent, since "baby's first dash of talcum powder under the 2% tax on cosmetics will help the government carry on the war, and after death, the Federal Collectors will be on hand to get the Inheritance Tax at advances on the present rate of from 1% on \$50,000.00 to 10% on \$1,000,000.00." While Congressman Kitchin and Senator Simmons, respectively responsible for the Tax Revenue legislation in the House and Senate, express much satisfaction with it, the newspaper press in various sections of the country is commenting upon what it deems, to use the words of the New York Evening Sun, the law's serious "inequities," "obscurities," "incomprehensibilities," and "unworkabilities." In THE LITERARY DIGEST for October 13th, a clear exposition of what the new taxation will cost individuals and corporations is given and the drift of public opinion upon it is shown. Other striking phases of the world's news are presented under these headings: How to Recognize the Rank, and Service Branch, of Navy Men. A Full Page of Illustrations Showing the Shoulder Straps, Sleeve Insignia, Chevrons, Collar Devices, and Specialty Marks Worn by Officers and Men in the United States Navy. The Yellow Peril in Germany. German Gold in French Politics. Military Aid from Japan. Building Your House to Suit the Climate. A New Safety Car-Step. America's First Camouflage Company. German Opera Tabu in Chicago. Examining William II's Divine Right "Carry On!" News of Finance and Investment. Excellent Illustrations, Both Humorous and Educational. We Need An Educated Citizenry to influence our national policies at home and abroad—voters who can intelligently support or condemn the stand of their officials, according to its true merits. And here is a news-magazine helping to develop a citizen body educated in all our vital foreign and domestic affairs. THE LITERARY DIGEST affords real education. It reports events and conditions just as they are, and just as they are viewed by all different parties. It leaves no room for uncertainty, prejudice, or misinformation. THE DIGEST gives all sides of every question so that the citizen who reads it may be fully informed and able to pass sane, unprejudiced judgment. October 13th Number on Sale To-day—All News-dealers—10 Cents. 'Tis a Mark of Distinction to Be a Reader of The Literary Digest. The Literary Digest. FUNK & WAGNALLS COMPANY (Publishers of the Famous NEW Standard Dictionary), NEW YORK.

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