

DISARMAMENT EXCITES FURORE IN VLADIVOSTOK

Professional Unions Protest, While Masses Applaud Action of Allies; Borsia Captured.

Vladivostok, Sept. 1.—The disarmament of the volunteer corps, composed mainly of former officers, has aroused much dissatisfaction among the upper classes.

A strong protest from a committee of the professional unions was handed to the consular official today, while another committee was busy organizing a general strike of all trading concerns.

A strenuous agitation is going on for the restoration of the arms to the volunteers. On the other hand their disarming has increased the popularity of the allies among the masses, who apparently are assuming that the allies intend to do all the fighting without Russian aid.

Pursue Red Guard. Tokio, Monday, Aug. 26.—An official statement issued by the war office today says:

"At dawn on August 24 the allied armies assumed the offensive and after a contest routed the enemy, whom they pursued, reaching the Kraefsk district in the afternoon. The enemy having destroyed the bridge over the Uyeraya river, we halted on the left bank. Preparations for further pursuit are going on.

"During this engagement some of our infantry with one battalion of sappers succeeded in reaching the enemy's rear and destroyed the railway. They captured two armored cars.

"The headquarters staff of the Fujii detachment arrived at Manchuli on August 31, and the main detachment arrived August 24.

"General Semionoff is occupying siding No. 84, about 35 miles west of Manchuli."

Seminoff Captures Borsia. Peking, Aug. 29.—General Semionoff, the anti-bolshevik leader, yesterday captured Borsia station. The bolshevik forces are retreating along the Onon river, burning villages and destroying bridges.

Honors Paid Allies Slain. Archangel, Tuesday, Aug. 27.—Impressive honors were paid today to the first soldiers of the allied forces killed in the occupation of the territory south of Archangel.

Joseph J. B. E. Noulens, French ambassador to Russia, and other diplomats, together with President Tschakovsky and members of the new government, marched in the funeral cortege behind a white open hearse, in which lay the bodies of a lieutenant and a sergeant. Troops representing the allied governments and a detachment of Russian officers were in line. To the Russians was given the honor of the last salute over the graves.

President Tschakovsky, in an address in the little Catholic chapel at the cemetery, paid a tribute to "the first allied soldiers to die in the cause of new Russian liberty."

RAILROAD MEN WARNED TO KEEP OUT OF POLITICS

(Continued From Page One.) park board will not be construed as a political office.

Rules Prescribed. He announced that no railroad officer, attorney or employe may do any of the following:

Be an officer or member of any political committee or organization that solicits funds for political purposes.

Be a delegate, a chairman or an officer in any political convention.

Solicit or receive funds for any political purpose or contribute to any political fund collected by an official or employe of any railroad or any official or employe of the United States or any state.

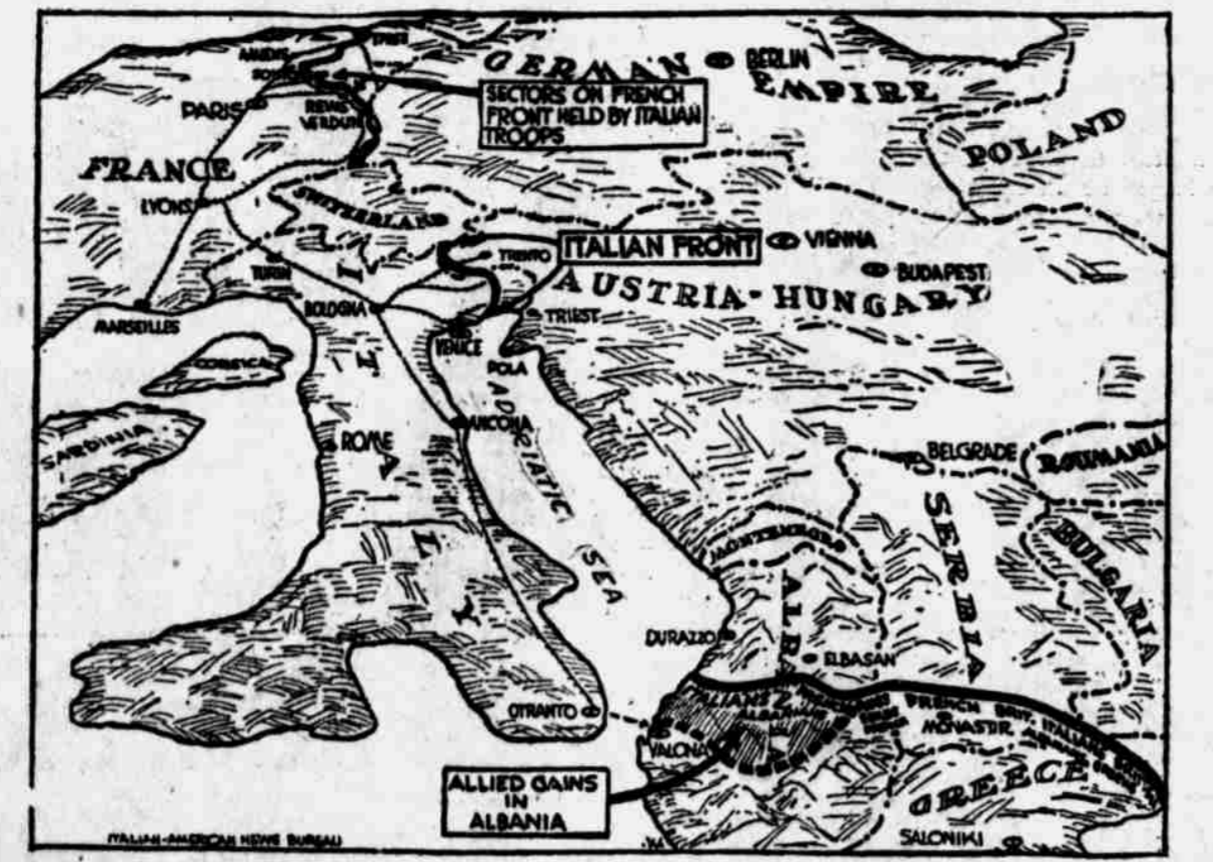
Assume the conduct of any political campaign.

Attempt to coerce or intimidate another officer or employe in his vote. (Violation of this rule, Mr. McAdoo says, will result in immediate dismissal.)

Become a candidate for any political office. Those who desire to run for office or engage in politics must immediately sever their connection with the United States railroad service.

Appeals to Public Spirit. Calling on all the railroad men to carry out the spirit of the policy so announced, the director general says: "Let us demonstrate to the American people that under federal control railroad officers, attorneys and employes cannot be made part of any political machine nor be used for any organized partisan or selfish purpose. Let us set such a high standard of public duty and service that it will be worthy of general emulation."

Bird's-eye View Showing the Entire Battle Front of the Great World's War



A glance at this map shows the entire battle front in the great war. Foch's center is the Italian front in the Alps and along the Piave. His right wing the Albanian front, where Italians, British, French, Albanians, Serbians and Greeks are driving the Huns slowly but surely back, eventually to rescue Serbia and Rumania from the grasp of the Germans, Turkey and Bulgaria, and take from them the great wheat and oil fields of Rumania and southwestern Russia.

Foch's left wing is in France, where now is the greatest activity. The renewal of the Austrian drive on the Italians in the Alps has been expected from day to day, but perhaps the drive of the allies in France made this for the present impossible.

If one will note the railroad facilities of the allies back of the lines from Paris to Lyons, thence to Turin through Bologna to Otranto, it can be foreseen that the line of communications for the allies, the entire length of their lines, cannot be molested by the Germans.

From Otranto across the Adriatic to the Albanian front the Italians have transported 250,000 troops and

a struggle, but practically every other position between the American line of departure and the objective was yielded only because the Germans were unable to retain it.

Prisoners said that within the past few days two new German divisions—the 238th and the 227th—the first of which marched from Rheims and the other from Metz, had been placed in that sector. Both were splendid organizations, but like others encountered recently, were afflicted with that mysterious something which caused them to crack when pounded.

A new variety of barrage was used by the Americans. Prisoners characterized it as a "crazy fire."

Others solemnly declared that they had been subjected to a counter-barrage by their own army. That did occur in at least one instance, due to the confusion in the German aerial service.

Barrage Follows Barrage. The Americans had their long range guns on a line of targets, beginning their barrage along a line to the rear of that. This barrage moved on and in a brief interval another barrage started at the same point. This barrage moved on and in a brief interval another barrage started at the same point. When the first moving line of fire reached that of the long range guns, they shifted and the triple barrage was repeated.

Ordinarily when a creeping barrage passes, those under the fire feel free to reappear. In this case they reappeared only to be subjected to another smothering fire.

On the Americans' left similar tactics were used, but the intervals were longer, the American guns covering exactly twice the ground, if measured by the density of the fire.

The allies' mastery of the air in this sector is unquestioned. In the air at one time there were counted 80 allied planes. It was one of those rare opportunities for observation work; the visibility was good and squadron after squadron ascended.

With the observation planes went combat planes a few of which disappeared over the German lines to take part in the actual fighting.

Occasionally a German plane challenged their presence but in every case it was driven off. The allied planes even prevented the Germans from spotting for their own artillery with any degree of efficiency. Not one allied plane was brought down.

An incident of the arrival of prisoners at the rear was a halt of a detachment at a spot where graves were being dug. Their stopping was accidental, but the men were fully convinced that they had been

great need, and a new determination to gratify it.

Maximum production is the goal for which we must strive. With every workman giving his utmost strength and will-power, we shall attain it. The task will not be easy—nor the effort small; but we have no choice. To save all that we hold dear, we must work, work, work for the boys in France, and the allies. One phrase sums it up: "Work as you would fight."

The coal miners are doing that. They have produced the greatest amount of coal in history, despite the heavy loss of men through enlistment.

Many records have been broken in shipbuilding. Great industrial plants are producing material for the army at unprecedented speed. The Nashville powder plant, the greatest in the world, was completed three months ahead of time.

One workman made a record by driving 4,875 rivets in one day. Only a short time afterward, the mark was passed by another, who drove 5,000. Now we are told that a workman has driven 6,000 rivets in one day. Such deeds as these show the spirit that animates our people and have served as examples to stimulate the whole great body of Americans to nobler tasks.

The glory of it all is that labor has visualized the needs of our armies and our peoples and its own relation to those necessities. Labor accepts that responsibility enthusiastically, loyally. With our splendid army on the battlefields of Europe, reinforced by an efficient industrial army in America, militarism is doomed to defeat. Democracy will be triumphant on earth.

Postoffice Changes. Washington, Aug. 31.—(Special Telegram.) Postoffice at Grant, Dubuque county, Ia., discontinued. Mail to Peoria.

The following postmasters were approved: Iowan, Holt county, Mabel A. Gofford, vice Hoy D. Gower, resigned; Stockham, Hamilton county, Esther Lefter, vice Mary E. Rigo, resigned.

Launch Two Ships a Week. Newark, N. J., Sept. 1.—The two-a-week program to which employes of the submarine boat corporation here have pledged themselves was begun yesterday when the Ingold and Phoenix, 7,800 tons fabricated vessels built for the emergency fleet corporation, were launched.

Heal Itching Skins With Cuticura. All druggists. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Sept. 2, 1918."

Will Save Gasoline. Washington, Aug. 31.—From each of the states east of Mississippi assurances have been received, the fuel administration announced tonight, that the request for conservation of gasoline on Sundays through elimination of pleasure riding in automobiles will be respected tomorrow, the first day covered by the request. Taxicab services in a number of cities have agreed to use their automobiles only for trips of necessity.

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