CALLAUX PLOT IS DISCLOSED BY COUNT MINOTTO

Evidence for Use in Trial of Former French Premier Furnished by Swift's Son-in-Law.

closures regarding the alleged negotiations of Joseph Caillaux, one time known in this country in a time of Caillaux in power in Paris in 1915 partyism. and bring about a separate peace with Germany, have been made to Deputy State Attorney General

a son in law of Louis Swift of Chicago, has been forwarded to the "leave to the government of the French ambassador at Washing'on, Uniter States and of the allies the Mr. Becker said, and a summary of m mentous discussion initiated by it has been abled to France for use Cormany. It could be interpreted in the trial of Caillaux for high as meaning they should both put up treason, which opens tomorrow, and shut up." The full text also is on its way to asserted that "if the admin tratio

week from Fort Oglethorpe, Department of Justice, acting upon March what they are actually doing the request of the deputy attorney new in October. general, who was commissioned by cial declared would be "important" states in the prosecution of Caillaux.

Makes Clean Breast.

Italian family, but who was born in and took part in extended conferspeciay mission gentina for France, and Luxaccording to leged Caillaux conspiracy, but fin- ated." declared the colonel. ficial said, would not be made publie until they have been offered in ters. widence in the Caillaux trial.

Count Minotto, Mr. Bec'er stated, exhibited decided anti-German senti- settled not by the president alone French embassy.

apparently not commissioned for the ought to be repudiated without furpurpose by the Germ government, ther definition or else we should inas a go-between in the sist on having them d Caillaux-Luxburg conferences.

have opened fire against the back forcing their lines eastward, and effective in blazing a trail along the port of the war.' Meuse for a quick advance by the Americans, it is not improbably that a German retreat from the region east of St. Quentin, northwestward to Luxemburg will be necessi-

Allies Cross the Piave On the northern Italian front

hard fighting is in progress between the Brenta and Piave rivers. Along the Piave the allied troops have been successful in crossing the river. inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy and taking more than 9,000 priso lers. In Albania the Austrians have

been driven by the Italians in the of the Montenegrin border. In gress because the republican party I stand for patriotism against poli-Serbia the Austrians have evacuated was pro-war and Mr. Wilson's plea tics in 1918." Kraguievatz, 55 miles southeast of Belgrade, and are still in retirement toward the Danube.

The Turks are fast being driven out of Mesopotamia, having reached a position more than 155 miles north of Bagdad, while in Syria General Allenby's troops are keeping in close contact with the Ottoman forces north of Aleppo.

Liggett and Bullard Now

Are Lieutenant Generals Washington, Oct. 28 .- The senate today confirmed the nominations of Major Generals Hunter Liggett and Robert L. Bullard to be temporary lieutenaant generals. They command the first and second American armies in France.

The Weather

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Davenport, clear56	60	.0
Denver, raining44	52	
Des Moines, cloudy 54	58	.0
Dodge City, cloudy 48	54	.00
Lander, clear 14	54	.01
North Platte, cloudy 48	56	.00
Omaha, cloudy49	53	.01
Pueblo, cloudy 48	58	.7
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PEOPLE'S WAR. NOT WILSON'S. SAYS COLONEL

"has sullenly and sometimes maliciously sought to punish the men who by their truth telling have forced it into action."

"In a word," the colonel said, "the the administration, has carried par-New York, Oct. 28 .- Startling dis tisan politics during the last eighteen months to an extreme never before premier of France, and Count von war, as among loyal upholders of Luxburg, former German minister to the war." It has come "dangerously Argentina, intended to re-establish near creating a condition of one-

Much Time Lost. "The test insisted upon has been not loyalty to our allies and hostilby Count Jame Minotto, an ities to Germany, but adherence to interned enemy alien, the state of the administration," he declared, ficial announcement here late today. dding that President Wilson's The deposition of Minotto, who is quest of October 14, that citizens should subscribe to the loan, but Colonel Roosey Paris by a fast steamship.

Minotto was brought here last the results of lavish generosity of had used with moderate efficiency ress our army and the allied Georgia, by special agants of the armies would have been doing last

After asserting that this war must the French government to invest be put through to our last man, and gate various phases of German in- our last dollar," the Colonel declartrigue in this country against France. ed that "We should accept no peace He talked freely, Mr. Becker said, not based on the unconditional surand gave information which the offi- render of Germany and her vassal

Notes Are Boomerang

He asserted that the President's Minotto, who cames of an old latest notes had placed him in such a position that he had either to "sac-Berlin, went to Buenos Aires in 1915, rifice America and humanity" or to respond in such a manner as to eneces between Caillaux , then stultify his own diplomacy and reto Ar- pudiate his own implied offer."

"It was not a pleasant thing for Minotto's America that he should have put sworn statement. The count, Mr. himself and the nation behind him, Becker said, was reluctant at first in the position of inviting a proposito reveal his knowledge of the al- tion which when accepted he repudially confessed his entire connection the reason that I abhor Germany's with the Buenos Aires negotiations, trickery, treachery and bad faith, I The details of his testimony, the of am most anxious that Americans shall not imitate her in these mat-

14 Points Dangerous Asserting that peace would be

ments during their long interview, but by the president acting in conand appeared anxious to give all the junction with two-thirds of the information in his possession to the senate, the colonel continued: authorities. His testimony was cor- "When it comes to the peace nego roborated by interviews with other tiations, we should emphatically repersons. Mr. Becker said, and the judiate the famous fourteen points collateral depositions, as well as that announced by the President last tration was pro-war. of Minotto, were delivered to the January. One of them he has himself repudiated and the remainder Minotto, the official stated, though are either so mischevous that they pro-Germans on this side of the water, especially by the Germanized socialists and by the bolsheviks of ARE BREAKING Socialists and by the boisneviks of every grade and for this reason good Americans should regard them with

Support of War.

Contrasting the president's aplines of the enemy with their new peal with Lincoln's "outright relong range guns and are heavily fusal, even in the darkest days of bombarding Longuyon, some 15 the civil war to apply any party peace that Spain ratified was because miles distant from the American test to fitness for office," the colonel we had an overwhelming republican first line positions. It is over the said that Lincoln "appealed to all majority of the senate. A few up-territory through which the Ameri-loyal men of all parties and asked right and far-sighted democrats can guns are throwing their shells that candidates for congress be went with the republicans, two or that the Germans have been reinjudged, not by the standard of adherence to his personal administra-

> "The statement about President Lincoln sufficiently answers the claim of tion that President Wilson at this event showed that not only was my time occupies a position corre-sponding to President Lincoln." appeal necessary, but that if it had not been effective the result would continued Mr. Roosevelt, "a claim have been ruinious to this country. which is entitled precisely to the "I recapitulate, at this time, the consideration we would give to a republicans have been pro-war, prostatement that President Buchanan Liberty loan, pro-unconditional surin 1860-61 stood where Presi- render, and Mr. Wilson opposes dent George Washington did in them and asks for a democratic

that he was for the union. Not the Same.

fesses to see a similarity between at least anti-efficiency in war. region of Hessio, which lies 20 my plea in 1898, at the time of the "In other words, I stood for pamiles southeast of Scutari just south Spanish war, for a republican con-triotism against politics in 1898, and

at the present time against a republican congress in spite of the fact that he is pro-war. When I spoke in 1898, the peace proposal hand been signed but not the final peace treaty. ery democratic state convention, The democratic party, through evley's war policy and two-thirds of hem had declared in their platforms for free silver and for the romination for president of Mr. William J. Bryan, the anti-imperial-

ist and pacifist. "The New York state democratic convention denounced McKinley's administration as a disgrace to the nation; so did the Connecticut condemocratic party under the lead of vention and the New Jersey convention and every other democratic convention with which I was then familiar, and I was familiar with the proceedings of most of them.

"The democratic conventions of Nebraska, Arkansas, California, Iowa, Massachusetts. Colorado, Michigan and Tennessee, had denonuced President McKinley's administration for trying to raise a war loan of \$200,000,000. When Mr. Ferris, the chairman of the demcongressional committee. says that when William McKinley repudiation.

Republicans Pro-War.

"Such were the conditions when asked for the election of a repubican congress because the republican party was pro-war, because it stood for the Liberty loans of that day, and because it stood for the peace of overwhelming victory, and ecause after having enforced unonditional surrender in Cuba, Porto cio and the Philippines, it insisted pon the peace of overwhelming vicory; no parleying having been held and no notes exchanged, and no onversation indulged in, and no Colonel Houses sent abroad until Manila and Santiago fell and the vicory was an accomplished fact.

democrats at that time were against the war, were against the peace of overwhelming victory. and denounced the Liberty loans which were then called war loans. Their candidates, notably here in New York state, were assailing me ground that to elect me were against the war, and this in pite of the fact that the fighting Hungarian cabinet council. finished. They were conduct ing their campaign on the explicit

"I made may appeal for the election of the republican congress because it was pro-war. I made my appeal to stand by McKinley's adinistration because that adminis-

"President Wilson in his appeal other words, he admits that you can to know exactly what they mean and a half the democrats, whom They have been greeted with en-thusiasm by Germany and by all congress are anti-war although congress, are anti-war although pro-administration.

Refers to Records.

'I refer to the record of the democratic leaders like Messrs. Kitchin and Dent and ask to compare them with the record of the republican leaders like Messrs. Kahn, Weeks. McCormick, Lodge, Poindexter and the rest. But this is not all. The the democrats, but the overwhelmshould the blasting process prove tion, but by their unconditional suping majority of the republicans were
effective in blazing a trail along the port of the war." lowed unconditional surrender."

"The overwhelming majority of the democratic organiza- the democrats were against it. The

1789-90 because each announced majority which shall include all the democrats who are anti-war, anti-Liberty loan and anti-unconditional surrender-for of course the anti-"The same organization also pro- draft democrats were if not anti-war

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THE RESIDENCE AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY.

TOASTIES

there's no difference in price the difference in flavor is tremendous.

(Continued from Page One.)

obliged to permit the Hungarians to shift for themselves in the peace servative leader, has declared that settlement if they persist in the separatist movement already in full swing, but there are intimations in Austria and Hungary is only a cond official quarters that by no such question of time. The Frankfort tors. means can the Magyars escape the assumption of full responsibility for their share in the war and for the acts of oppression they have practiced upon the helpless minor nationalities within the confines o Hungary and in the Balkans.

Vienna and Berlin in Accord The fact that Austria has antiipated Germany all through in the various peace moves without visibly exciting any resentment at Berlin is taken to mean that the two are working in perfect harmony. Indeed it has been suggested that in her present disorganized and demoralwas commander in the war with ized condition Austria no longer is Spain, the people never failed him, an asset, but a distinct drain upon he is quite right, but he omits to Germany from the military point of mention the fact that this was be- view, and consequently, that even cause the people repudiated the though intending to continue the lemocratic party and that the best war on her own account, Germany and most loyal and most patriotic would be willing to allow Austria to democrats were foremost in this drop out, provided she could be insured against an attack from the

entente forces from the south. Warning against any peace with Austria that would not give the allies free passage through that country to attack the Germans from the south was sounded here today by Captain Vasite Stoica, now in Washington, who represented the Roumanians of Austria-Hungary in the conference of oppressed nationalities last week at Philadelphia and who was wounded fighting against the Austrians and Germans.

Captain Stoica said that if immune from attack from the south. the Germans, by withdrawing to the natural defenses of the Rhine in the west might be able to carry on the war several years because on this shorter front the allied superority of through their party organizations forces could not be used to full ad-

Andrassy Named Cabinet Head. Amsterdam, Oct. 28.-The Vienna Gazette today published a letter signed by Emperor Charles appointing Count Julius Andrassy to sucmeant to approve the war and they ceed Baron Burian as foreign minister and president of the Austro-

Emperor Charles in an order to the army and navy dated October ground that they intended to elect 23, which also is printed in the democratic congress in order to newspaper, announces that the day revent the full accomplishment at bringing peace to the homes is comthe peace table of the results of the ing nearer. The emperor appeals to all to "maintain loyalty and obedience in these grave times full of confusion which must not spread to the army and the navy.

Emperor Charles and Empress Zeita of Austria arrived at Schoenbrunn palace Sunday morning from the Royal chateau at Goedoelloe, "President Wilson in his appear says that the republican party is diately received Count Julius Anpro-war, but that he is against it be-cause it is anti-administration. In and Professor Lammasch, the premier

> A dispatch from Berlin says a proposal that President Wilson's note to Germany should not be discussed in the reichstag, was adopted by that body at a meeting held on Friday. The conservative and independent socialists voted against it.

Revolt at Budapest.

Paris, Oct. 28,-Grave troubles have broken out at Budapest as the result of the appointment of Count Julius Andrassy, who is suspected of Germanophile tendencies, to be the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, says a Zurich dispatch to the Matin. A committee of workmen and soldiers has been formed to represent the extremist party in impending events.

Situation in Austria Grave. London, Oct. 28 .- As the British and Italians along the Piave made progress in enlarging the bridgehead east of the river, grave reports regarding the situation in Austria-Hungary continue to be received in

It is reported from Amsterdam that the announced preparations for the demobilization of the Austro-

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BELLEU WOOD pressing effect in Berlin. A telegram from Zurich says that ume is spreading throughout Croatia and that Delnice, 48 miles east of Fiume, and Segna Ogulin are in **AGAIN IN HANDS**

and the different nationalities of done by the bombing expedition

conducted yesterday by allied aviathe region of Briquenay, five and one half miles north of Granpre,

"We resign ourselves to the complete capitulation of Austria-Hun-gary within a few days." were still burning today. Of five American aviators missing on Sunday four were reported dur-In Draft Up to 45 Will ing the night as having landed

within the American lines. By Associated Press.

Night patrols reported early to-

Take Aerial Photographs. -

Aerial photographs, taken within

Germans are not devoting muci

abor to organizing their front line

The photographs show that even

the existing trenches have not been

worked over recently except at one

or two places in front of Landres-

St. Georges. The work has been

imited to fox holes and organized

Take Advantage of Terrain.

defend his positions chiefly by tak-

ing advantage of the natural fea-

tures of the terrain, just as he has

done at all points on this front

since he was driven past the Volker

Experts figure that it is the in-

The enemy probably intends to

Be Called by January 1 With the American Army Northwest of Verdun, Oct. 28 .- Two Ger-Washington, Oct. 28.-The War man airplanes were downed this epartment does not plan to call all morning inside the German lines by men within the draft age up to 45 Lieut. Samuel Colton of Worcester. years by January 1, Secretary Baker Mass., and Lieut. L. C. Holden of said in discussing press dispatches New York. Clery-Le-Grand Cleared.

pelled to do so.

hell holes

line September 26.

day that Clery-Le-Grand had been y Mr. Baker. cleared of the Germans. Secretary Baker said war work is Farther west observers during the not being slowed up because of the day reported that enemy machine peace discussions. The only delay gun emplacements were in process he said, which has been called to his of construction at various points attention is due to the epidemic of and that infantry is digging in in influenza. This he added was tern- the region of the La Dhuy farm, porary and was being overcome rap- east of the Bois Des Hazois.

U-Boats Bound to Their

Bases, Belief at London

Hungarian army has had a very de

he revolutionary movement at Fi

the hands of the revolutionists. An-

other Zurich dispatch says that Count Tisza, the Hungarian con-

in his opinion the conclusion of a

separate peace between the entente

Gazette says concerning this ques-

Baker Denies All Men

al secretary of th Y. M. C. A., with saying that he had been so informed

London, Oct. 28 .- The white flags or forward positions, leading to the reported by crews of vessels yes- belief that they possibly will fall terday at Stavanger as having been back upon as yet unidentified posiat the mast heads of several Ger- tions in the rear if they are com man submarines passing Karmo island last Saturday doubtless were mistaken for the German battle flag. which is white with a black eagle in the corner. At the British admiralty today it was thought the U-hoats sighted were probably returning to their bases in view of the apparent German policy of submarine inac-

Heaviest Rain of Season

Welcomed by Farmers

Fremont, Neb., Oct, 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The rain of Saturday and Sunday amounted to 2.20 tention of the Germans to delay any inches, one of the heaviest rains of advance of the Americans and renthe entire season. The moisture der such advance as costly as poswas welcomed by farmers. Wheat sible by covering the Landres-St. making a fine growth and alfalfa. Georges ridge from positions immethat showed signs of damage as a diately behind it, basing their deresult of the drouth, has started a fense up on the dominating ground new growth. Much fall wheat will to the north and west and taking yet be seeded. Pastures are green- advantage of the hills and woods on other parts of the front er now than any time this season.

GERMANS FEAR OF AMERICANS

side of the slopes. The greater part ators, plants being located at the of this system has only recently been completed. Two additional lines in the rear have already been planned and traced out and a double Fires started by bombs dropped in system of dugouts and machine gun emplacements has been prepared. This position is continued in the direction of Marsal and Mul-

outskirts of Maizieres woods and anally reaches the southern outskirts of Rethicourt forest and the

heights of Foulerey, east of Avri-The southern pivot of this fortified position is situated northwest of Circy. The greater part of the line is strong with electrically parallel trenches have been con- charged wires, the current of which structed and three on the reverse is furnished by high tension gener-Salins George, Morhange and Sar-

Two Brothers, Soldiers,

rebourg.

Buried at Brainard Fremont, Neb., Oct. 28 .- (Special

Telegram.)-The funeral of Private Harry Porter, who died at Camp Another position has been hastily Mills, N. Y., was held at Brainerd organized depending upon the heights of Juvelize and Donnelay died at Fort Wayne, Ind., while at It runs along the ridge upon which one of the military camps, was is situated Marimont chateau and buried. Delay in the arrival of the passes about a third of a mile from body of Harry caused a cancellation Bourdonay; it follows the southern of the plans for a double funeral,

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An Interesting Message on Fire Insurance

ALFRED M. BEST, head of the A. M. Best Company, publishers of Best's Insurance Reports, spoke before the National Association of Stock Company Fire Insurance Agents on "Competition of Mutuals." He said:

The classes of mutual fire insurance companies which compete most keenly with the stock companies and their representatives are:

1. The Factory Mutuals.

\$170,529 to \$1,358,340-

Lumber mutuals, specializing on both sprinklered and

3. Flour, grain and elevator materials. non-sprinklered woodworking risks and on lumber.

4. Mutuals writing, through agents, general business or ome special classes. (N. B.-Nebraska National writes all classes through agent.) Hardware and implement mutuals.

Companies of these classes have made rapid strides in the last ten years. The following figures showing the growth of the five groups during the past ten years contain much food for The factory mutuals had cash assets at the end of 1917 ag-

gregating \$32,407,773, the cash surplus amounting to \$13,287.894; and cash premiums for the year 1917 amounting to \$24,934,522. In addition to the cash assets mentioned, these mutuals have enormous contingent resources. The lumber mutual group showed at the end of 1917 cash

fore; and a cash surplus of \$2,378.937, against \$684,183; and their net premiums in 1917 were \$2,496,083, against \$808,566 The grain and elevator mutuals show similarly rapid growth. Their cash surplus increased from \$2,479.250 in 1907 to \$5,814,-

assets of \$4,175,158, as compared with \$1,102,698 ten years be-

980 in 1917: the premium income for those years being, respectively, \$2,175,893 and \$6,117,786. The general group increased their surplus from \$1.667.851

to \$3.073.653, and their premium income from \$2,648,417 to The hardware mutuals show still more remarkable growth. Ten years ago their cash surplus was \$129,627 and at the end of last year it was \$1.092,047. Their income increased from

GROWTH IN INCOMES. The four last mentioned groups (taking in all but the Factory Mutuals) increased their income in ten years from \$5.803,416 to \$14.968.041-nearly three-fold. Adding in the business the mill mutuals, the total premium of the groups referred to herein was \$39,902,563. Back of this volume were cash assets of \$70.807,696 and a net cash surplus of \$33,255.756. The contingent resources amounted to not less than one hundred and fifty million dollars. There was never a time in the history

of the insurance business when mutual companies were so strongly intrenched as today. It must be remembered, in considering the achievements of these companies, that, besides so largely increasing their cash resources, they have been turning back to their members dividends,

or savings, running as high as 40 per cent of the premiums paid. Many of these concerns which are mutual in form are so sound in their principle and practice that it is both unfair and foolish to represent them to be of any other character. I am sure you must realize that the stock arguments in condemnation of mutual insurance have been considered, discounted and discarded by intelligent business men everywhere. Otherwise, we should not now be witnessing so rapid an increase in public favor of these forms of insurance. It seems to me, therefore, that unless the stock insurance interests are prepared to abandon certain fields

dealings with business houses in those lines of activity which lend themselves with particular facility to insurance in mutual carriers a greater degree of mutualty than has heretofore existed between stock companies and their policy-holders AS TO FAILURES.

One of the stock arguments especially by special agents of Stock Fire Insurance Companies is that there are more failures among Mutual Fire Insurance companies than Stock companies. The Insurance Index of New York, published in August, 1918, Side Lights on American Insurance History during the past fifty years, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary as an in-

surance journalist, R. B. Caverly, Editor of the Insurance Index. Under the head of insurance in Massachusetts during fifty years, 1867 to 1917, we read the following: In the year 1867 Boston was the home offices of twenty-one joint stock fire companies and there were eight other Massachusetts joint stock companies that had their offices in other parts of the state. Every one of these companies have since passed out of existence, the last survivor being the Mercantile, Fire and Marine which re-insured in the American Central of St. Louis in 1912.

There were forty-six Mutual Companies doing business in Massachusetts in 1867 of which the majority may still be found doing business today.

It is significant to note from the above record of fifty years insurance in Massachusetts by the Insurance Index that a majority of the Mutual Insurance Companies doing business in that state in 1867 are still doing business today, while every one of the Stock companies doing business at that time have gone out Another interesting item in the Insurance Index of the above date is with reference to the Aetna Insurance Company of Hart-

ford, which began business in the summer of 1819, by putting up

fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) in cash and stockholders'

notes amounting to \$135,000.00 more, making a capital stock of \$150,000.00 with which to begin business. The first policy was written on August 17, 1819. The Index says it should be noted that the notes for \$135,-000.00 were redeemed—not, however, by the subsequent payment of cash, but by Stock Dividends for the business proved profitable to the stockholders almost from the start. In consequence to extend its business the capital was doubled by the sale of additional stock and in 1854 it was further increased to a half million, one-half of which was paid in cash. Subsequent stock dividends raised

the capital to three million in 1866. In accordance with the above statement, there never was but \$210,000.00 in cash paid by the stockholders on the total capital of \$3,000,000. The balance was paid from stock dividends.

Another interesting item in the Index is fifty years of fire insurance in New York, which says: In 1867 there were 108 joint stock fire insurance companies doing business in New York. Of these 108 companies only fourteen remain in business today and at the same time the total failures in New York stock fire insurance companies since 1867 have numbered 156 other companies that have come and gone within that time. The record shows that 85% of all the stock fire insurance companies organized in this country have either failed, retired or re-insured their business, leaving only 15% of all the stock fire companies that have ever been organized in this country remaining in business, while only 24% of the Mutual Companies organized in the United States during the same period have gone out of business, leaving 76% of all the Mutual Companies organized in the United States still doing business. These are facts about the history of fire insurance in

The records further show that no Mutual Company that ever succeeded in getting assets together amounting to \$200,000.00

to the mutuals they must devise some plan to introduce into their has ever failed. NEBRASKA NATIONAL'S PLAN. On all classes of town property, including mercantile and dwelling risks. It collects the same Premium as Stock Companies, according to the Nebraska Inspection Bureau's estimates and holds the same Legal Reserve as is required of Stock Companies by the Nebraska Insurance laws. Expenses are kept at the lowest possible point, consistent with good management and at the expiration

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