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## NO CHOICE BETWEEN THE EVIL OF WAR AND THE EVIL OF SURRENDER

### New Prussian Commander Repudiates The Possibility of Russia Surrendering---Says Allies Must Help Reorganize Russian Ry. Service for war.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The correspondent of the Times at the headquarters of the seventh Russian army, talked with General Korniloff on the eve of his departure to take over the supreme command. Gen. Korniloff said:

"The first stage of the war is over. The second phase begins today."

The correspondent says the Russian commander repudiates the possibility of the Russians surrendering. He holds that if Russia concludes a dishonorable peace, to which traitors have been driving her, she will become a German colony forever. The Germans would seize her foodstuffs, enroll her men and treat her as a conquered country. There could be no choice between the evil of war and the evil of surrender. The new government must realize the necessity of inviting the Allies to help in reorganizing the railway service for warfare. If Germany decided, as all signs indicate, to transfer the main pressure to the Russian front, it would be hopeless to rely on methods that availed against the inferior Austrian troops.

Russia is full of splendid fighting men. Ten millions have already been enrolled, but they are scarcely trained. They are too busy attending meetings instead of drill.

These millions must be helped by British and French officers, as the Serbians, Roumanians and Greeks have been.

#### PREMIER KERENSKY CALLS ON MEMBERS OF

#### THE CABINET TO REDOUBLE THEIR EFFORTS

PETROGRAD, Aug. 7.—The first meeting of the new government was held today. Premier Kerensky presided and said the cabinet must concentrate all its attention on national defence and organization of the country, principally in connection with financial and economic affairs. He appealed to the members of the cabinet to redouble their efforts towards organizing and consolidating the government.

Foreign Minister Tereschchenko, who left later for general headquarters, accompanied by M. Diamandi, the Roumanian minister, explained the object of his journey. He said the government had decided to abolish the post of procurator general of the Holy Synod and create a ministry of public worship.

#### PETROGRAD NEWSPAPER REPORTS THAT RUSSIANS

#### HAVE EVACUATED TWO IMPORTANT TOWNS

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The newspaper Novoe Vremya, of Petrograd, reports that the Russians have evacuated Proskurov, in Podolia, on the Bug, as well as Kamenetz-Podolsk, 53 miles south. The latter city is the capital of Podolia, on the Smotrich, an affluent of the Dniester. Under the Poles it was an important fortress. Its population is 34,500. Proskurov is on the main road from Kamenetz-Podolsk, in the same province. It is an important garrison town and has a population of 23,000.

## KAISER AND EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA INDULGE IN CONGRATULATIONS

VIENNA, via Copenhagen, Aug. 8.—Emperor Charles of Austria has sent from Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina, recently captured by the Austro-German forces, a message to the German Emperor congratulating him on the success of "the brave troops which with the aid of the Almighty" effected the deliverance of the Austrian crown land of Bukowina. The Austrian Emperor added: "May the Lord continue to aid in faithful co-operation in the future with the fullness of his blessings." Emperor William replied that the joy of the people of Bukowina would be echoed in Germany.

## CONDITIONS IN PALESTINE AND SYRIA ARE THE WORST POSSIBLE

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Conditions in Syria and Palestine are declared to be the "worst possible" by a refugee, who fled from there and by circuitous routes has just reached New York and reported to the American committee of Armenian and Syrian relief. The informant, whose name is withheld, said there were 8,000 cases of typhus in Beirut when he left, owing mainly to lack of medicine and scarcity of doctors. The poorer classes have been wiped out by starvation, he said. In Lebanon he saw villages and towns without a single inhabitant.

## LIBERALS URGE CHANGE IN THE BANKING ACT

Winnipeg, Aug. 8.—It was 10.30 this morning when the Liberal convention was called to order by Chairman Hamilton, who announced that the work of the convention was pretty well advanced and that the "question arising out of the war question would soon come up for consideration."

There were only two resolutions on hand, he said. The convention was continued with the report of the resolutions committee.

The committee's two resolutions dealt with banking and cold storage. The banking motion reads: "That the Bank Act should be so amended as to permit the creation of local agricultural banks under proper government supervision, with provision for re-discount facilities under Federal control. All such banks to have a minimum paid-up capital of \$50,000, with power to lend on chattel securities, but without power to establish branches."

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, of Saskatchewan, said the banking system of Canada had many things to commend it, and so far as applied to commercial activities had served the public facility well, but in regard to the agricultural interests of the west it left much to be desired. Mr. Motherwell remarked that all the minor questions to come before the committee had been disposed of and if such had not been the case they never would have been disposed of after the meeting had decided upon the most momentous question that was occupying the minds of every man and woman in Canada.

#### Critically Ill at Moncton.

Mrs. F. W. Emmerson is critically ill at her home in Moncton. She formerly was Miss Cumming of Fredericton.

Dr. W. T. B. Fradsham and wife of Chicago, Ill., are visiting Dr. Fradsham's mother, Mrs. Margaret Fradsham at Devon.

## The Enemy Artillery is Active on Western Front

### EDMUNDSTON COMING TOWN

Pulp Mill of Fraser Limited Will Be Completed in the Autumn—Influx of Population.

Mayor Mitchell who has spent the greater part of his time since spring at Edmundston working on a contract with Fraser Limited for the erection of dwellings for employees and their families, was in the city for the August meeting of the City Council. Mayor Mitchell is enthusiastic in his belief in the future of Edmundston. Even at this stage in the development of the town there has been a considerable influx of population.

The erection of the cottages is proceeding rapidly. Those for Fraser Limited comprise the greater part of the new buildings but some local people also are building. The work on the new pulp mills is going on at a rapid rate. It is expected that they will be completed by autumn.

A number of Fredericton people have located there. Included in the number are Mr. and Mrs. Lankford Good who are running the Windsor Hotel and Messrs. J. E. Sullivan and A. E. Quartermain who are in business. Mr. Stewart White, formerly of Fredericton has received an appointment with Fraser Limited there.

Mr. George Zimmerman of New York, is at the Barker House.

## British Positions Northeast of Ypres Bombarded---Successful Raid by the British Troops---French Troops Repulse Attacks by Crown Prince's Army

LONDON, Aug. 8.—German artillery last night began an active bombardment of the British front in Belgium, to the east and north of Ypres. British troops in the course of the night raided the Teutonic trenches near Lombaertzyde, and returned with some prisoners and with machine gun. The text of the official statement by the British War Office today is as follows:

"Parties of our troops successfully raided enemy trenches last night near Lombaertzyde and captured a few prisoners and a machine gun. The enemy's artillery was active during the night to the east and north of Ypres, particularly in the neighborhood of West Hoek and the Ypres railway station."

### CROWN PRINCE'S TROOPS LAUNCHED HEAVY ATTACKS, WHICH RESULTED ONLY IN FAILURE

PARIS, Aug. 8.—Troops of the German Crown Prince last night launched attacks on the French positions east of Vaux-aillon and west of the Calonne plateau, in the Aisne region. The official statement issued today by the French War Office says that all attacks were repulsed.

German raids north of St. Mihiel, in the Verdun sector, and in Upper Alsace, were checked by the French fire. On the greater part of the Aisne front, the statement adds, there was a heavy mutual artillery fire.

### HUNS SAID TO HAVE A NEW DEVICE FOR SENDING MESSAGES THROUGH ALLIED LINES

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—A London despatch to the Sun says: "The Germans in France have invented a new device which is automatically projected into the Allied lines, and grapples telegraph or telephone wires, establishing an electrical connection and enabling the Germans to tap passing messages regarding operation. Prisoners recently taken confirm stories previously told of how the German command obtained exact information of the hour set for attacks."

This new device probably is the most successful means of espionage invented by the Germans. Our soldiers in France have always been mystified by the ease with which the Germans identified new British regiments coming into the front line. When the new divisions arrived they were invariably greeted by placards erected over the trenches or by a hail from the enemy line calling officers by name. This ability of the Germans to pick up the latest information undoubtedly came from the use of this hook-like arrangement thrown over our telegraph and telephone wires."

## BRAVE PREACHER LOSES HIS LIFE

Newton, N. J., Aug. 8. — The Rev. John Scandrett, Methodist Episcopal minister of Lafayette, N. J., was drowned in Deer Pond near here yesterday after he had rescued two young women of his congregation, who had been thrown into the water when their boat overturned.

When the boat tipped over the clergyman, who was standing on the bank, put out in another boat. As he reached the girls, who were clinging to their capsized craft, he leaped into the water and helped them into his boat. While he was swimming behind the boat, pushing it toward the shore, he became exhausted and sank as he called for help. There was no one at hand to go to his rescue. His body was recovered.

## UNIFORMS FOR RED CROSS MEN

Washington, Aug. 8. — Officials of the Red Cross serving with the American army in Europe, will wear the American uniform. William T. chairman of the central committee and Henry P. Davison, chair of the Red Cross council, will be named as major generals, cross the Atlantic. Let he conferred upon the officers of the Red Cross, hampered because rope do not record to be commissioned. They of tary av of of

## APACHE INDIANS MAKE TROUBLE FOR UNCLE SAM

### Serious Uprising in the Sierra Anchas Mountains-- Indians Start a Forest Fire--Mounted Troops Being Rushed to the Scene.

GLOBE, Ariz., Aug. 8.—A force of mounted rangers this morning is hurrying to the scene of an Apache Indian uprising in the Sierra Anchas mountains, fifty miles northwest of here, where nine white men, employees of the asbestos mines in that region, were reported to be surrounded by a mob of more than 100 striking Indian and Mexican miners, while a forest fire set by Indians was sweeping the mountains.

The first news of the trouble, which began yesterday morning, when the Indians and Mexicans employed in the asbestos mine went on strike for higher pay, was received last night in a telephone message from a forest ranger, who had ridden 25 miles to give the alarm. The ranger reported that the Indians had set fire to the forests and had been prevented from burning the mine buildings only by prompt action of the guards.

#### WHITE MEN SURROUNDED.

Another telephone message was received saying that the nine white men in the camp had been driven into a dugout on the mountain-side and were surrounded by the Indians and Mexicans. The men in the dugouts were said to be supplied with only a few rounds of ammunition and a small quantity of provisions, and it was feared that they would not be able to withstand the combined assaults of strikers and forest fire.

#### DETAILS ARE LACKING.

Because of the lack of communication, all messages having to be carried 25 miles to a telephone, details of the uprising are not yet known, but reports indicated that two organizers of the Industrial Workers of the World, one a Mexican, who spoke Apache, had been working among the men for the last week, and had instigated the strike.

## OUTLOOK IN RUSSIA ENCOURAGING SAYS COMMISSIONER ELIHU ROOT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The American mission to Russia headed by Elihu Root, returned to Washington today to report to President Wilson on the results of its three months' trip. A delegation of government officials met the party at the railroad station. Arrangements were made at the White House for President Wilson to receive Mr. Root and he will meet him at four o'clock this afternoon.

The mission has returned filled with optimism over conditions in the new republic, and the chances of Russia doing her part to the end in the great war. "The outlook is very hopeful," Mr. Root said. "America's entrance into the war has had a good effect. The morale of the Russian people is good. Altogether I should say the outlook is encouraging."

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