

Korniloff, Deserted, Near Surrender

Britain and U.S. Have New Weapon Against Subs

Crisis Past in Russia; Civil War at an End

Painleve at Head of Composite French Cabinet

Rebel Commander-in-Chief Soon to Capitulate

KITCHENER ALIVE, ENGLAND BELIEVES

Lloyds Agency Issuing Policies Insuring that K. is Actually Dead.

By Courier Leased Wire New York, Sept. 14.—A special cablegram to the New York Sun from London says:

"At Lloyds, where insurance against practically anything can be obtained, a policy was issued recently insuring that Lord Kitchener would remain dead at a premium of five shillings per hundred pounds (about \$2.50 per \$1,000). Hundreds of persons were flocking to take similar policies.

"One firm announces that the widespread belief that Lord Kitchener is alive is causing a flock of applications, many of which offer much higher premiums. More than \$1,000,000 of such insurance has been asked from a single firm, the applicants including army, navy, professional and business men."

ANTI-SUB WEAPON IS PERFECTED

Britain and U. S. Experimenting With Means to Fight U-Boats.

PROMISING DEVICE

Sub Situation at Present Time Better Than Ever Before.

CAMPAIGN IS FAILING

Entente Military Conference at Paris Postponed a Month.

By Courier Leased Wire New York, Sept. 13.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

"Great Britain and the United States are experimenting with an anti-submarine device which is said to be more promising than any of its predecessors. The nature of the invention is not disclosed, but even representatives of the British Government, who have been disappointed often in the past, and who are naturally less optimistic than our own navy men, are hopeful. In addition the convoy system is being extended and is still proving successful, which probably accounts for the reduction in losses announced this week.

"All in all, the submarine situation is believed to be better in hand than at any previous time. Or to put it another way, the defence against U-boat attack, has more than kept pace with the improvements in U-boats themselves. The recent dispatches from London calling attention to the gravity of the submarine situation are supposed to refer rather to the exhaustion of the allies resulting from U-boat destruction of merchantmen, than to the success of the U-boat at the present time."

Postpone Conference Washington, Sept. 14.—The projected Entente military conference which was scheduled to be held in Paris this month, has been postponed. Continued on Page Five

WEATHER BULLETIN



Forecast. Moderate easterly winds, mostly fair and warmer to-day and on Saturday.

Further Defection Among Korniloff's Supporters is Reported; Leader is Powerless, and Near Surrender

By Courier Leased Wire.

Petrograd, Sep. 13.—M. Soskice, private secretary to Premier Kerensky told the Associated Press to-day that the situation shows steady improvement.

Continuing he said:

"General Korniloff has not surrendered, but he is quite prepared to do so and is in a position of complete powerlessness. We have just received an offer of surrender from 12 companies of Korniloff's troops who say they have been deceived, and General Kaledines, who with his Don Cossacks began a menacing movement against the government has been checked. We expect that he soon will be taken.

FURTHER DEFECTIONS

Petrograd, Sep. 13.—Further evidence of defection in the ranks of the Cossacks from General Korniloff is given by the arrest near Luga of General Krymoff. The council of soldiers and workmen's delegates sent a deputation to the troops to explain the situation whereupon the Cossacks declared that they were ready to arrest their commander, provided an order was received from Premier Kerensky. The Council telegraphed to the premier, who ordered General Krymoff's arrest. General Krymoff submitted without resistance and was brought to Petrograd. The Cossacks of his command have joined the government forces in the Luga garrison.

Railway service between Luga and Petrograd has been resumed.

CABINET CHANGES

London, Sep. 14.—The Petrograd correspondent of Reuter's Limited states that Vice Premier N. V. Nebrasoff has informed the press that he and M. I. Terestchenko, minister of foreign affairs, have decided to leave their posts in the cabinet, considering that their participation in the government narrowed their political horizon and, being only business ministers without party support, they did not possess sufficient strength in the cabinet. The vice premier also announced the withdrawal from the cabinet of M. Poescheonoff, minister of food and supplies.

Other changes in the cabinet, include the retirement of Toehernoff, minister of agriculture, who will be replaced by M. Askventieff, present minister of the interior, who in turn will be succeeded by M. Kischikin, a Constitutional Democrat. M. Kischikin enters the cabinet unconditionally. M. Koareptief, minister of communications, resigned because he did not consider it possible to execute Premier Kerensky's order to take certain measures against Korniloff.

NEW FRENCH CABINET AN INFUSION OF MANY PARTIES

Its Personnel Comprises Veteran Statesmen, Including Three Former Premiers; New Ministry of Missions Abroad

By Courier Leased Wire

Paris, Sept. 14.—The new French cabinet contains a new ministry, at first called the Ministry of Propaganda, but later changed to Ministry of Missions Abroad. Owing to the absence of Franklin Bousillon, the new post is not listed with the other ministry designations in the official journal. The new ministry consists of 15 titular ministers, 4 ministers of state and 11 under secretaries.

The new ministry is divided among five senators, eleven deputies and two, Louis Lecheur and Albert Clavelle, who do not belong to parliament. The 11 under secretaries are all members of the Chamber of Deputies. Sixteen of the new cabinet members have been ministers or under secretaries in previous cabinets, and three are former premiers. The political groups represented in the new ministry do not include the United Socialists. Premier Painleve represents the Socialist-Republican group, while the Socialist Radicals have three members, the Radical-Left three, the Republic Union seven members. Seven members of the Ribot ministry retain places in the new cabinet. The most noted perhaps, of the Ribot ministry to go are Rene Viviani and Albert Thomas. Continued on page three

BRITISH ABUSED IN PRISON CAMPS

Submitted by Their Captors to Wanton and Revolting Cruelty.

By Courier Leased Wire New York, Sept. 14.—A special cable despatch to the New York World from London, dated September 13, says:

"The revolting cruelty to which British prisoners are subjected in German military camps was described by repatriated soldiers who arrived in London to-day. Private George Eiseley, of a Welsh regiment, who was captured in Sept. 1914, said:

"Although wounded, we were kept without food or water for days, and when one of us begged for something to drink, the nurse brought him a glass of water and threw it in his face. Later we were removed to a hospital at Schwerin, where we were well treated and later still to the Gustrup internment camp, where we were treated like dogs."

"Although we were badly wounded, upon our arrival at Gustrup, we were kept standing in the snow without boots from 1 a.m. until 10 o'clock at night. Several of us nearly died of starvation. When we complained we were either prodded with bayonets or the 'English blockade' was given as a reason of the shortage of food. The bedding was covered with vermin and we slept on straw on the floor.

"After weeks of this hell, we were set to work to build a canal. All the wounded men with arms and legs had to work, and if a man slacked off he received the butt end of a rifle. One day we saw several wounded men staked by their guards and they were afterwards carried to a hospital. One man who refused to work was taken away and we never saw him again."

CANTILEVER'S CENTRAL SPAN TO BE PLACED

Fresh Attempt to Complete Bridge Will Be Made This Week.

WITHIN 48 HOURS

Method Which Failed Last Year Will Again be Followed.

By Courier Leased Wire Quebec, Sept. 14.—Another attempt to put the central span of the great cantilever over the River St. Lawrence near Quebec, into position, thus completing the structure, will be made some time during the next 48 hours.

The span built to succeed the link that dropped into the St. Lawrence September 11, last year, has been constructed at Sillery on pontoons and is ready to be dragged to the bridge site by tugs, there to be hoisted the 150 additional feet from the water level to the unconnected cantilever arms which stretch out from both sides of the river.

The engineers of the St. Lawrence bridge company, the constructors of the bridge, have decided that no better method of raising the span than that tried last year—by four huge chains attached to each corner of the link, and hoisted by six ton jacks from the cantilever arms above—has presented itself. They have, however, modified the three feet raise the jacks made last year, at each movement, to two feet. The wrought iron castings upon which the corners of the span rest, and which are connected to the hoisting apparatus, the breaking of one of which caused the disaster last year, have been this time constructed of the toughest steel.

It is expected that it will take several days to get the span into its place and operations upon it will continue night and day until concluded.

Savage Division, Though Avoiding Hostilities, is Not Yet Prepared to Surrender--Commission on the Revolt

By Courier Leased Wire.

Village of Popovo, Near Tsarskoe Selo, Thursday, Sep. 13.—Having obtained the only permit issued by the chief of the Petrograd district staff to a correspondent since the beginning of General Korniloff's revolt, the Associated Press early this morning arrived at this village which is the headquarters of the staff of a rifle regiment of the Guard, which, with two other rifle regiments is engaged in holding the front opposite the famous "savage" division.

The situation here is as follows:

"Although all danger of an armed struggle is now excluded, the "savage" division still is not agreed to surrender on the terms granted by the provisional government last night, but it has formally pledged itself not to attack the Kerensky forces. With its artillery and machine gun detachments the division which is composed of tribesmen from the Caucasus is quartered peacefully in villages south of this place without entrenchments, outposts, sentries or reconnoitering detachments. Passing within forty yards of the Popovo church are the governmental lines, but the Kerensky forces also have no intention of attacking as negotiations are proceeding, and there is a prospect of a settlement being reached before nightfall.

Russian emissaries and officers constantly are passing into the camp of the Caucasians carrying proclamations signed by the supreme commander advising the troops of the "savage" division to abandon their officers and to march to Tsarskoe Selo. Likewise tribesmen from the division all the time are coming into Popovo with plans for a settlement.

KALEDINES ARRESTED.

London, Sep. 14.—According to a dispatch from Petrograd to Reuter's Limited, General Kaledines, head of the Don Cossacks, has been arrested at Rostove by the local council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies.

TO INVESTIGATE UPRISING

Petrograd, Sep. 14.—The provisional government, according to the official news agency, has sent an extraordinary special commission to the Russian headquarters in the field to investigate the Korniloff affair.

CLEVER KORNILOFF

London, Sep. 14.—(New York World cable)—The Petrograd correspondent of The Daily News says General Korniloff knew Riga would be unable to hold out and at the Moscow conference he colored this information in such a manner that when the city fell he was able to say the disaster was due to the disorganization of the army.

BRITAIN DELIVERING SHIPS WHICH WILL CRUSH GERMANY

Five Words Voice Determination of Shipbuilders to do Their Bit Against U-Boats; A Trip to the Old Land Ship Building Yards

By Courier Leased Wire

Glasgow, Sept. 14.—(By mail)—On the hull of a big ship being built in one of the many yards that line the river banks of Scotland and northwest England, a workman has written with chalk in bold letters six feet high, five words that express the determination of British shipbuilders "to do their bit" towards defeating the German submarines. The five words are these:

"We will deliver the ships."

A staff correspondent of the Associated Press has just completed a trip through the yards of the Rivers Tees, Tyne, Wear and Clyde as the guest of the foreign office and the admiralty. Great Britain not only will deliver the ships; they are being delivered now dozens of them, scores of them, even hundreds of them. On the four principal shipbuilding rivers of the country every available foot of adjoining land has a ship more or less complete over it. Nearly engine works are turning out motive power for the vessels at a tremendous rate. Shipbuilders of various sorts men, women, boys, girls—all are working at top speed to beat the Germans. (Continued on page two)

MISSIONARIES IN ARTIC REGIONS

Party Travelled 25 Miles in Year; Seeking Blond Esquimos.

By Courier Leased Wire Regina, Sept. 13.—Rudolph M. Anderson, chief of the southern party of the Stefansson Arctic Expedition, who was in Regina to-day, stated to a Canadian Press representative that he had just received a letter from Rev. H. Gerling, Emmanuel College, Saskatoon, who for three years has been trying to reach the Blond Esquimos. The little boat in which the party was travelling, was blown up by an explosion this spring, and the party lost the greater part of their supplies.

During a year, the party of three missionaries had succeeded in travelling only 25 miles along the coast, so many difficulties are being experienced.

ATTACKS OF ENEMY WERE REPULSED

German Shock Troops Beaten Off in Assault on French Lines.

FOUGHT HAND TO HAND

German Official Claims Heavy Losses Inflicted on French.

AERIAL ACTIVITIES

British Naval Fliers Continue Raiding Campaign Successfully

By Courier Leased Wire Paris, Sept. 14.—A German attack against the French positions on the Casemates Plateau in the Alsace region last night, was repulsed after hand-to-hand fighting, the French war office officially announced to-day.

The text of the statement follows: "On the front north of the River Alsace, the Germans at an early hour this morning executed a sudden attack against our positions on the Casemates Plateau. The assault, which was preceded by a violent bombardment, was repulsed after hand-to-hand fighting in which the enemy suffered heavy losses.

"In the Champagne in the course of a reconnaissance, we penetrated the German trenches to the west of Navarin Farm and took some prisoners.

"On both banks of the River Meuse (Verdun region), there was the usual artillery activity.

"There was nothing to report from the rest of the front."

German Official Berlin, Sept. 14.—The German "shoot troops" yesterday penetrated as far as the second French line west of Guignacourt on the Alsace front and inflicted heavy losses on the defenders, according to the official statement issued to-day by the German war office.

In Flanders the artillery battle increased to drumfire, the announcement adds, but no English attack developed.

Naval Air Raids. London, Sept. 14.—British naval airplanes made another raid on the night of Wednesday and Thursday on German military establishments in Belgium. An official statement, issued by the British admiralty to-day says:

"A bombing raid was carried out during the night of September 12-13 by the Royal naval air service on military objectives at the Ghintelles airfield and the Thourout air-drome. A large quantity of bombs were dropped. All our machines returned safely."

British Front Quiet. London, Sept. 14.—Field Marshal Haig's report from the British headquarters in France, issued to-day by the British war office says:

"There is nothing of special interest to report."

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