

AUSTRIANS ARE WILLING TO SUPPORT THE NEW GOVERNMENT THAT CAN SUPPLY FOOD

Political Conditions Depend Principally Upon People Being Able To Get Enough To Eat—Rulers of Old Austrian State Have Disappeared.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The entire political situation in Austria is provisional, according to a Vienna dispatch to the Daily Mail, dated November 14. The political conditions at present, it is added, depend largely on the food supply, and any government able to supply food probably would be able to pass any measures without opposition.

KING GEORGE HAS WRECKED ANOTHER PRECEDENT; GOES TO COMMONS FOR ADDRESS

Unescorted, Britain's Democratic Leader Met in Gallery of House With Commons and Lords.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Another precedent went to the king's rear yesterday when King George, accompanied by Queen Mary and the Prince of Wales, went to the palace at Westminster to receive and reply to the loyalty address passed by the Houses of Parliament yesterday.

Hitherto it had been the custom of the king to go to the House of Commons on such an occasion. The royal party drove to the palace at Westminster without escort, and was loudly cheered along the route.

Arriving at Westminster the king, the queen, and the prince went immediately to the gallery of the House of Lords, where the commoners and the lords, the latter with the officials of the House in their robes of office, awaited them. The king was in morning dress. The lord chancellor, the speaker of the House of Commons presented the address to the king.

King George, after expressing his thanks, in a speech alluded to the part played by the king's empire in the long and terrible struggle now being brought to a close.

Expressing his thanks to the House of Commons, the king said he was glad to meet the members of Parliament and the representatives of the people, and that he was proud to be the king of a people who had shown such courage and devotion. He added that during the last four years of national stress and anxiety "my support has been faith in God and confidence in my people."

The king declared that in the future he would strive to the utmost to discharge the responsibility laid upon him to uphold the honor of the empire and to promote the well-being of the people over whom I am called to reign.

Soil Remains Inviolable. "After a struggle longer and far more terrible than anyone could have foretold," King George continued, "the soil of Great Britain remains inviolate. Our navy has everywhere held the seas, and wherever the enemy could be brought to battle it has renewed the glories of Drake and Nelson. The sea has been the theatre of our triumphs, and the sea has been less conspicuous but equally essential to our success."

Without that work Britain might have starved, and those valiant soldiers who have fought for us have found their way hither. The fleet has enabled us to maintain the existence of our empire, and the existence of our empire has enabled us to maintain the existence of our empire.

Army caused Quickly. "That we should have to wage this war on land had scarcely entered our thoughts until the storm actually broke upon us. But Belgium and France were suddenly invaded, and the nation rose to the emergency with the strength of that which was ready for action in August 1914."

These new soldiers, drawn from the civil population, have displayed a valor equal to that of their ancestors. Short as was the time, they have initiated and rivaled the prowess of the small, but ever famous force, which in the early weeks of the war, under the command of the late Lord Roberts, fought the battle of the Marne, fought its magnificent retreat against vastly superior numbers.

Tribute to Dominions. "Not less prompt was the response and not less admirable the devotion of the commonwealth of these splendid troops which eagerly hastened to us from the dominions overseas—men who showed themselves more than ever to be one of our own, inheriting all the courage and tenacity that have made Britain great. I shall ever remember how the Princes of India rallied to the cause, and with what ardor the soldiers sustained in many theatres of the war and under conditions most diverting and exacting the martial traditions of the race."

Proceeding the king paid tribute to the air force, the mercantile marine, the fishermen, munitions workers, both men and women, who have shown medical units in the field and afloat. He referred to the importance of aid to the war effort, and the necessity to the necessity for liberal provision for those whose exertions by sea and land, aided in the war effort, and the necessity to the necessity for liberal provision for those whose exertions by sea and land, aided in the war effort.

As to the future, the king said the duty was to create a better Britain.

ARE ADVERTISED MEDICINES WORTHLESS? There is no more reason to condemn all advertised medicines than there is to condemn all physicians or all druggists. Fakes there are in every profession and in every trade, but they do not last long. Take a medicine like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The true test of its merit is the fact that for forty years it has been relieving women of America from the worst forms of female ailments, constantly growing in popularity and favor, until it is now recognized from ocean to ocean as the standard remedy for female ills.

THE MESSENGERS WHO FORCED THE DEFEAT OF AUTOCRACY



CANADIANS LENT \$700,000,000 TO COUNTRY IN THE EARLIER LOANS

OTTAWA, Nov. 19.—The success with which has attended Canada's final Victory Loan is received here with the greatest satisfaction. It is not unlikely that a further domestic loan for reconstruction work will be floated eventually.

Without counting the present loan, \$746,000,000 has been raised in domestic war issues since December 1, 1915. Of this amount \$700,000,000 was subscribed by Canadians.

Amount for prospectus	Amount for subscribed conversions	Amount allotted	Number of subscribers
1st	\$ 50,000,000	\$100,000,000	34,526
2nd	\$100,000,000	\$200,000,000	46,500
3rd	\$150,000,000	\$300,000,000	40,800
4th	\$150,000,000	\$300,000,000	40,800
5th	\$300,000,000	\$600,000,000	unknown yet

Note.—Fourth and fifth are Victory Loans.

Food Prices Jumped Up 75 Per Cent in 5 Years

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 19.—Retail food prices were 75 per cent higher during October than in September. An increase of 18 per cent was reported for all commodities, and a comparison of prices for the five-year period from October 1913 to last month showed an average increase of 75 per cent.

METZ OCCUPIED BY FORCES WITH PETAN AT HEAD

Old City of Lorraine Has Been 47 Years in Hands of Germans.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—The war office tonight describes the operations along the French line as follows: "Our advanced continued today without incident."

"The material abandoned by the enemy is accumulating as well as the number of prisoners who have been taken."

"In Belgium we have reached the line of Bourles-Viellesville. The enemy is retreating, and the Canadian corps acknowledges with a sense of deepest gratitude the heroic action of the people of Canada. We join with them in humble and grateful thanks for the heroic action of the people of Canada."

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VICTORY COST TO BRITAIN OVER 3 MILLIONS

Total Casualties in All the Theatres Are Announced as 3,049,991.

TWO MILLION WOUNDED Missing, Including Prisoners, 359,146—Western Front Took Awful Toll.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—British casualties during the war, including all the theatres of activities, totalled 3,049,991. It was announced in the House of Commons today by James Ian Macpherson, parliamentary secretary for the war office. Of this number the officers killed, wounded or missing aggregated 143,634, and the men 2,907,357.

The total British wounded in the war was more than two million, the parliamentary secretary's figure. The aggregate of the theatres of activities, including prisoners, totalled 359,146.

Of the wounded 22,644 were officers and 1,939,478 were men. Of the missing, 12,094 were officers and 347,051 were men.

The figures given include troops from India and the Dominion of Wales.

Western Front Cost. The total losses in the fighting on the Western Front were 2,719,652. Of this total, 32,759 officers were killed and died of wounds, and 6,112 men were killed and died of wounds. The total British losses in the war were 3,049,991.

Italian Front. In Italy the British losses totalled 6,738. Of these 38 officers and 6,112 men were killed and died of wounds. The total British losses in the war were 3,049,991.

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On the Saloniki front the losses were 27,318. Of these 38 officers and 6,112 men were killed and died of wounds. The total British losses in the war were 3,049,991.

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How Will He Secure Land for People of France, Belgium and Austria Will Benefit.

HOW WILL HE FINANCE? Premier Says Cabinet Is Too Busy To Prepare Bills.

LONDON, Nov. 18.—(By the Associated Press.) In normal times the country would be in a fever of excitement over the election. Interest in politics, however, is now submerged under the greater interest in the closing events of the war.

The political situation is peculiar because there is only one man in the field, and there is no concentrated opposition to him. All factions approve of Premier Lloyd George's reconstruction plans, as far as they go. What opposition exists is divided into sections.

The first is the old Liberal organization, led by former Premier Asquith, which opposes the election as unduly, principally because only forty per cent of the soldiers, according to their estimates, will be able to vote. They say the soldiers have the greatest claim to a voice in the settlement of the war.

The other section is the Labour party, which has its own program, including the nationalization of railways, mines and other public works with compensation to the owners.

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VON HINDENBURG TAKEN UNDER WING OF COUNCIL OF SOLDIERS-WORKERS

Copenhagen, Nov. 19.—The workmen and soldiers' council at Cappel has issued a proclamation in which Field Marshal von Hindenburg is taken under the special protection of the council. After referring to von Hindenburg's victories, the proclamation says: "He did not abandon his people in their hour of trial."

YOUTHS OF NEW YORK STATE SUMMONED UP FOR MILITARY TRAINING

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 19.—New York State youths between the ages of 16 and 18 inclusive were summoned by Governor Whitman in a formal proclamation issued today, to enroll on December 2 for military training under the state military law. The enrollment will be carried out with the cooperation of the state education department, and will be conducted by teachers at all public school houses. Unless the youths of the ages mentioned enroll they will not be permitted to attend school nor obtain employment certificates.

DETROIT SYMPHONY PLEASURES AT CHATHAM

CHATHAM, Nov. 19.—The Detroit Symphony Orchestra gave a concert in the armories last evening, and the consensus of opinion today is that never in the history of the city has there been a program of such purely classical music given such complete satisfaction.

SPANISH INFLUENZA Do Not Fear When Fighting a German or a Germ.

BY DR. M. COOK. The cool fighter always wins and so there is no need to become panic-stricken. Avoid fear and crowds. Exercise in the fresh air and practice the three C's: A Clean Mouth, a Clean Skin and Clean Bowels. To carry off the poisons that accumulate within the body and to ward off an attack of the influenza bacillus, take a good liver regulator to move the bowels. Such a one is made up of May-apple, leaves of aloes, root of jalap, and is to be had at any drug store, and called "Purgative Pellets."

If a bad cold develops, go to bed, wrap up well, drink freely of hot lemonade and take a hot mustard foot-bath. Have the bedroom warm, but well ventilated. Obtain at the nearest drug store "Amuric Tablets" to flush the kidneys and control the pains and aches. Take an "Amuric" tablet every two hours, together with copious drinks of lemonade. If a true case of influenza, the food should be simple, such as broths, milk, buttermilk and cream, but it is important that food be given regularly in order to keep up patient's strength and vitality. After the acute attack has passed, which is generally from three to seven days, the system should be built up by the use of a good iron tonic, such as "Ironite" tablets, to be obtained at some drug stores, or that well-known blood-maker and herbal tonic made from roots and berries of forest trees—gold everywhere as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—Advt.

IF YOUR EARS RING WITH HEAD NOISES If you have ringing, buzzing noises in your ears, are getting hard of hearing and fear Catarrhal Ears, go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parment's (Double strength), and add to it 1/4 pint of not water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Any one who has Catarrhal trouble of the ears, is hard of hearing or has head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Advt.