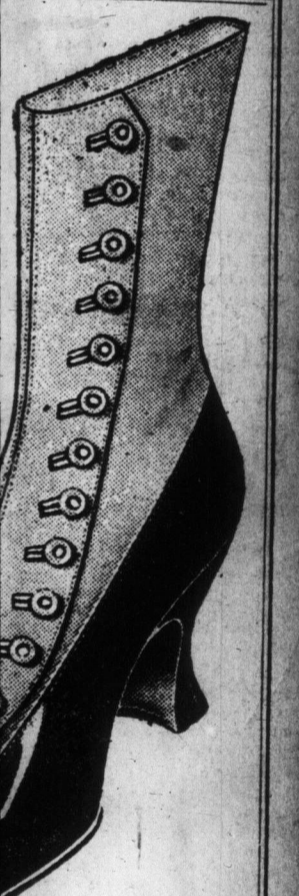


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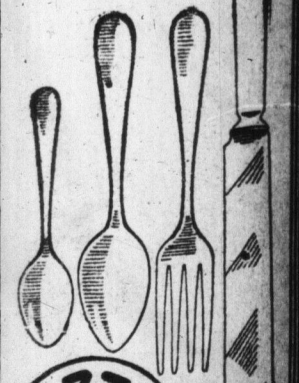
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ALLIES ADVANCING IN BATTLE FORMATION

King George VI Addresses British Parliament on the War and its Consequences

SEA POWER ENABLED ALLIES TO WIN WAR

Precedent Discarded By King in Going to Westminster to Deliver Address—Duty is to Create Better Britain.

London, Nov. 19.—Another precedent went the way of other precedents today when King George, accompanied by Queen Mary and the Prince of Wales, went to the palace at Westminster to receive and reply to the loyal address passed by the houses of parliament yesterday.

Arriving at Westminster, the King, the Queen and the Prince of Wales went immediately to the gallery of the house of lords, where the commoners and the lords, the latter with the officials of the houses in their robes of office, awaited them.

The King said he was grateful for the spontaneous and enthusiastic expressions of loyalty and affection had received in the metropolis and from all parts of the British Isles, as well as from every quarter of the empire.

"After a struggle longer and far more terrible than anyone could have foretold," King George continued, "the sun of Great Britain remains inviolate. Our navy has everywhere held the seas, and wherever the enemy could be brought to battle it has received the glories of Drake and Nelson.

Without that work Britain might have starved during the past year. The men of America who have so much contributed to our victory could not have found their way hither. The fleet was enabled us to win the war, in fact, without the fleet, the struggle could not have been maintained, for upon the command of the sea the very existence and maintenance of our land forces have from the first depended.

"These new soldiers, drawn from the civil population, have displayed a valor equal to that of their ancestors. Short as was their training, they have imitated and rivaled the prowess of the small but ever-famous force which in the dominions overseas—men from Mons to the Marne fought its magnificent retreat against vastly superior numbers."

"Not less prompt was the response, and not less admirable the devotion to the common cause of those splendid troops which eagerly listened to the words of the king, and who remember how the princes of India rallied to the cause, and with what ardor the soldiers sustained in many theaters of the war, and under conditions most diverting and exacting, the martial traditions of the race."

Toronto Policeman Killed By American Gunman While Effecting His Arrest

GOVERNMENT LINES ARE AMALGAMATED UNDER ONE BOARD

One Board Manages Three Systems of Fourteen Thousand Miles.

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways and canals, announced tonight that an order-in-council had been passed transferring the management and operation of the Canadian government railways of Canada, which consist of the Intercolonial Railway and its branch lines, and the National Transcontinental Railway between Winnipeg and Moncton, over to the board of directors appointed to manage the Canadian Northern Railway system.

The following have been added to the board: Thomas Cantley of New Glasgow, N.S.; A. P. Barnhill of St. John, N.B.; and Sir H. Laporte of Montreal.

This change now makes a government system operating about 14,000 miles, extending from Sydney, N.S., to Vancouver, B.C., and all under the one management.

The board of directors a few weeks ago reorganized the Canadian Northern system, and will now proceed with some changes that may be necessary on account of adding these railways to the Canadian Northern system.

Guards wearing red brassards upon their arms are also less conspicuous than during the forefront of the week.

BLACK, RED AND GOLD REPLACING RED FLAG

Amsterdam, Nov. 19.—The red flag is gradually disappearing from the streets of Berlin, as are most other external indications of the revolution, according to a despatch received here from the German capital.

10,000 SOLDIERS TO SAIL FOR CANADA

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—It is expected that some 10,000 soldiers will sail within a few days from England for Canada. They will constitute the first contingent in transportation with which the subcommittee of the several railway companies by the railway board will have to deal.

NEW YORK CALLS LADS 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 Dec. 3 for military training under the state military law.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier at London Scores Union Government and Conscription

ALLIED ARMIES OF OCCUPATION MARCH IN ORDER OF BATTLE

Americans Advance, Prepared to Fight at First Sign of German Treachery—Enemy Abandons Vast Stores of Ammunition and War Material in Dispirited Withdrawal Towards Home.

With the American Army of Occupation, Nov. 19.—Well into Belgium and within a few hours' march of the German frontier on the south, Major General Joseph T. Dickman's army gathered itself today for another jump into evacuated territory.

The line was unchanged. In accordance with plans, the march has been halted for a short time, while the heavier artillery, supply service and other elements can be brought up.

At Virton was found a great salvage dump, where tons of clothing, gas masks and helmets had been thrown by the German troops, who had no further use for them.

A road near St. Lager, over which the correspondent drove just behind the evacuating armies, was so thickly covered with big iron German helmets, that at times they interfered with the operation of his automobile.

However, it was not the litter of a battlefield that one saw, or even that of a disorderly retreat under fire. It was merely the evidence of a mopping up of a tired disheartened foe, who was going home.

SCORES FOLLOWERS WHO JOINED CABINET

Laurier at Banquet in London Reaffirms His Stand on Conscription Issue and Announces a National Convention.

London, Ont., Nov. 19.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier closed a notable speech to the Liberals of western Ontario here tonight by announcing that he intended at an early date to call a national convention to enunciate the views and principles of the Liberal party.

The occasion was a banquet tendered to him upon the eve of his 77th birthday by the delegates from the parliamentary ridings west of Toronto, who today formed a Liberal organization for western Ontario.

VON HINDENBURG GETS PROTECTION Workmen and Soldiers' Council Befriends Field Marshal.

WILSON TO FULFIL DUTIES OF OFFICE WHILE IN EUROPE

President to Keep in Touch With Washington by Wireless.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Democratic senators who conferred with President Wilson tonight for two hours, left the White House with the impression that the president now plans to remain in France indefinitely or at least until the major portion of the work of the peace conference has been completed.

The president was understood to be especially interested in the application, in the framing of the treaty, of the principle of the freedom of the seas, which he enunciated in his 14 terms and on which the allies, in agreeing to discuss peace with Germany, have reserved the right of freedom of action at the peace conference.

During his absence from the United States, the president plans to continue to exercise all functions of his office. He will keep in communication with Washington by wireless while at sea, and by cable and, if necessary, despatch boats, while he is abroad.

While in France the president was said to plan a transaction of very necessary executive business in the American embassy. Technically, he then would be of American soil.

Returned Men Responsible For Riots in Wurttemberg

TEN THOUSAND VESSELS REPAIRED BY ADMIRALTY

Half Million Tons of French Shipping Alone Returned to Service.

London, Nov. 19.—The department of ship repairs of the British admiralty, which began operations in June, 1917 up to October of the present year, had repaired and returned to service, aside from vessels of allies and neutrals more than 10,000 ships.

Enormous stores of ammunition and many guns left at Longwyer were little impaired and the machine shops there had not been damaged. The electrical machinery in the shops was fully wired and the tools were of the best.

FIRE FIVE SHOTS KILLING POLICEMAN

Plainclothesman Williams, While Attempting to Arrest Alleged Thief at King and Bathurst, Falls Victim of Desperate Gunman.

Acting Detective Frank Williams, attached to No. 3 police station, was shot and killed by Frank McCullough of Brooklyn, N.Y., in the Cross Livery Stable at 67 West King street, about half-past six last night.

The police have no information as to the identity of the soldier and civilian, but enquiries will be made to ascertain who they were, and to reward them for their work in assisting the police.

McCullough was taken to detective headquarters, and being searched the police found all five chambers of his gun empty. He absolutely refused to divulge the identity of his companion, nor would he state whether he had any reason for shooting. He claims to come from Brooklyn, and further than that he would give no information as to himself.

Woman Has Been Arrested. Gladys Mylton, who gives her address as Palmerston avenue, was arrested late last night by headquarters detectives, in connection with receiving stolen goods, in the form of fur rugs from McCullough.