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THINKS BOLSHEVIK WILL BE REPLACED BY SANE REGIME

Kerensky's Secretary Feels
First Act of New Govern-
ment Will be to Meet Rus-
sia's Debts.

London, June 21.—(Correspondence)—Conviction that the Bolshevik government of Russia would inevitably be overthrown and that a new Russian government would, first of all, take steps to pay Russia's foreign debt, was expressed by Dr. David Soskice at a recent meeting of the holders of Russian bonds held by Dr. Soskice is confidential secretary to former Premier Kerensky of Russia.

He declared that it would require an immense amount of capital to reconstruct the great industrial and agricultural fabric of Russia. Russia, he said, was only one of the great nations of the civilized world.

C. Birch, a banker, said he believed the majority of the people of Russia would embrace the first opportunity to set themselves right with the rest of the world.

The chairman of the meeting said it was almost impossible to ascertain the amount of Russia's debt. According to information received by the London stock exchange, it amounted, on January 1, 1917, to about \$2,838,000,000. Of this, he said the direct loans made by the state probably amounted to \$1,100,000,000. In addition there were twelve municipal loans issued by nine principal Russian cities, to the amount of \$200,000,000. It was not clear whether these figures included the war advances made to Russia by the Allied nations. These were unofficially stated to aggregate from \$400,000,000 to \$600,000,000.

NIAGARA ATTRACTS RECKLESS BIRDMEN

Niagara Falls, July 30.—The gorge below Niagara Falls seems to possess a peculiar fascination for aviation enthusiasts. Their courses at the American and Canadian training fields within a radius of thirty miles have been the scene of many times recently tourists have been treated to unusual and unannounced performances.

A grampus in Cincinnati discovered a magic ether compound and named it frezone. A quarter ounce of this frezone can now be had at any drug store for a few cents. Apply a few drops on your forehead, achieving comatose and shortly you will find the corn or callus shaved and loose that you lift it off with your fingers.

Just think! You get rid of a third of your face in a few minutes. The frezone, as well as hardened calluses for a few cents and without suffering one pain, without the slightest irritation of the surrounding skin. Just a touch of this marvelous frezone and your corns, freckles, or even a little freckle, troublesome corns give instant relief.

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OVERSEAS SOLDIERS ONLY FOR G. W. V. A.

Toronto, July 30.—The Great War Veterans' Association at the dominion convention in session here today made public the report by the committee that investigated grievances against the Y. M. C. A. In joint conference with the members of the national council of the Y. M. C. A. it finds that the returned soldiers were right in their claim that very little in the way of tea, coffee and cigarettes were given away gratis during 1915-16. Criticism is made that the Y. M. C. A. issued no complete financial statement in 1917 and that large profits were shown and unduly heavy overhead charges for salaries. In these respects, it is stated there is good hope for improvement.

In the afternoon the convention decided that membership in the association should be limited to men who had seen service in England or France. The question of the attitude of the association towards strikes was debated at great length but was finally shelved to come up at a later time.

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Turks Will Not Conclude Peace

Army Staff Are Too Busy Getting Rich
Trafficking in Food People Die in Street

Paris, July 30.—A high neutral personality who has just returned from Constantinople describes the present situation in Turkey as one likely to bear disastrous consequences to the alliance shortly. What he told the French officials as to the general interior and political conditions and Turkey's rupture with Bulgaria which have already resulted in armed clash of the troops of the two allies, or about Turkey's alleged manoeuvres in Switzerland aiming at a rapprochement with the Entente could not be learned. However he confirmed reports of mutinies in the Turkish armies, notably an uprising of troops in Smyrna several weeks ago, where the food situation is described as horrible. He said: "Turkey will never be able to make a separate peace because the men who have it in their power to make peace are getting rich trafficking in food. They would not mind if war went on forever. Nearly every member of the government army staff and members of the so-called Food Control Board, a gigantic food trust, are reaping harvests of gold. So far as the people are concerned they will never rise against their oppressors. As an example of how utterly devoid of energy and stamina the people are it is only necessary to watch the poor-famished Mohammedans look on dully while hundreds of food-stuffs 'trains' pass through the cities and villages and not even a voice is raised while they continue to fall on the streets from starvation."

THE DRAFT TREATY
Washington, July 30.—Ratifications of the draft treaties between the United States and Great Britain and Canada were exchanged today at London. It was officially stated by the state department, making them effective from today.

It is estimated that some 4,000 American citizens in the British empire, including 80,000 in Canada, and 250,000 British subjects in the United States will be affected by the treaties.

LIKE BOLT FROM HEAVEN'S BLUE

A happy discovery of Cincinnati chemist interests women here

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Kaiser Saw Start Of Losing Battle

Sent Usual Bombast Message to Troops
and Then Began to Turn

Amsterdam, July 31.—Emperor William, who, according to his favorite correspondent, Karl Rosner, watched the battle of Rheims from a tower which gave him a good view of a wide sector of the front, sent to his troops from this vantage point. Rosner reports the following telegram:

"His majesty informs his troops that he has arrived behind the front of the attack, and shall watch the battle from a tower. His Majesty's good wishes accompany his troops in their fight. He wishes to his troops is 'With God for the Emperor and the Empire.'"

This telegram was sent on July 16, at the opening of the German offensive, which was promptly checked and then completely broken by the Allied counter-attack. Rosner, who accompanies the Emperor in these battles, says that the Emperor in these battles, says that the Emperor mounted the slightly foot tower early on this day to watch the battle.

"At three o'clock in the morning," continues Rosner, "the Emperor turns to a staff officer and says: 'The army should know that I with it in these serious hours, and that my wishes accompany it.'"

A few moments later, at a shaky table, by the dim light of a small pocket lamp, he signs the telegram, which he immediately despatches to all his troops.

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**Organize For
West End Work**

Chairmen Chosen by Improvement
League at Meeting Held Last
Evening—Plans for Future

The West Side improvement league held another meeting last evening in the city hall with the chairman, W. W. Donohoe, presiding. The chairman pointed the heads of committees, asking each of these to select their colleagues and to report at another meeting next Wednesday evening at 8.30 o'clock.

The chairman of committees are as follows: Finance, R. Anderson; grounds, Clifford Price; games, A. Martin; and publicity, Capt. A. J. Mulcahy.

The chairman of the improvement league, Mr. A. J. Mulcahy, was among those present and expressed his most hearty sympathy with the movement for playgrounds and improvement leagues. He backed them up. He said he desired to see in addition to the smaller playgrounds a large recreation field for the whole city. He hoped the war would be brought to an end at an early date and that there would be a need for a large recreation field to give more aid to this movement than it is now able to do.

Personally he had the greatest sympathy for the boys and felt that they should not be compelled to seek their games in the streets and in the slums of the city. He had been asked to get the use of some private ground in the North End for a playground and he had been able to produce a fairly good baseball diamond. He felt, however, that the league should have a permanent play ground not on private property.

A. M. Belding referred to the progress made by the North End league with its playground and the sale of membership tickets and counselled the other citizens to take similar action and not to be at all discouraged at any present apparent lack of interest in the new movement.

Mrs. Mulcahy referred to the splendid work of the St. John Boys' Club and expressed the hope that such a club might be established on the West Side for the coming winter with the improvement league behind it to insure its success. There was a hearty general discussion and the feeling was generally expressed that when the West Side people realized their opportunity there will be a universal interest in the work. It is planned to have a committee in connection with the Queen Square playground and another to supervise the children's playground on city hall square in the evenings. There is already talk of a garden party and of other entertainments later for the general benefit of the work.

DUTY OF BATTALION SIGNALLING OFFICER

Behind the British lines in France, June 19.—(Correspondence)—The battalion signalling officer's chief duty is to maintain communications. A battalion headquarters has to be in communication with the four companies in front of it, and the supporting artillery. The signalling officer sees these communications are kept up.

No line of wire will ever be absolutely safe. A single trench mortar may make a mass of any wire or cable. If this happens many times, the wise signalling officer will consider whether some quiet route cannot be found. The German is a man of habit, he has a way of hampering himself. It is needless asking for trouble to lay wires at a point to which some German has a "habit" of bombarding.

**SECOND FRENCH ACE CITED
FOR THE LEGION OF HONOR**

Paris, July 30.—Lieut. Nungesser, the second French ace, was cited for the Legion of Honor to-day, having brought down, according to the official announcement, thirty-one German planes and destroyed three observation balloons. He has received many wounds and has been cited fifteen times. He was created an officer of the Legion of Honor for his "superb example of courage to-night of the honor conferred upon him," said Lieut. Nungesser, speaking to-night of the honor conferred upon him, said: "I have no ambition to become the ace of aces. I simply bring down as many Germans as possible."

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LOCAL NEWS

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City men considering agricultural life can insure success by studying agriculture with the L. C. S.; easy, efficient home study; farm crops, dairying, poultry farming. Ask or write for information.—The International Correspondence Schools, 8 Sydney street, St. John, N. B.

Have you got your pair of Oxford shoes from Steel's shoe store, 521 Main street for \$1 yet? If not, you had better hurry.

A large assortment of men's and boys' suits that are well made, at reasonable prices.—Dunbar, out of the high rent district, 440 Main.

We have a few pairs of misses' slippers which we are selling for 75c. at Steel's shoe store, 521 Main street.

Two girls wanted to wait on soda fountain tables. Apply Royal Hotel.

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LEFT FOR NEW YORK
P. W. Daniel left last evening for New York, where he will attend the fall fashions and openings of women's model suits, coats and dresses. This firm expects to have an exceptional display of women's garments of the better kind this season.

Wanted—Dry cleaner. Apply Royal Hotel.

COUNTY TAXES
The collector for the Parish of Lancaster and Simonds will be attending the returns of the Inland Revenue Department on Thursday, August first, for the purpose of receiving taxes from all who may desire to take advantage of five per cent. discount. Also the collector for Parish of Lancaster will be attending the returns of the Inland Revenue Department on Thursday evening for the same purpose.

**TOBACCO LARGEST SOURCE
OF INLAND REVENUE**
Ottawa, July 29.—(Canadian Press)—The growing importance from a revenue standpoint of the inland revenue stamp war tax collections is indicated in the returns of the Inland Revenue Department for June. For that month the war taxes yielded \$664,481. The biggest source of revenue, with prohibition in force practically throughout the Dominion, is tobacco, on which the excise collections for the month totalled \$1,729,726. The total revenue of the department for the month was \$2,909,680, compared with \$2,146,288 in June, 1917.

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Aerial Offensive Still Possibility

But All Allies Must Separate Air Forces
From Army, Says British General

New York, July 31.—Although the allies have the ascendancy of the air, the possibilities of aerial warfare are yet far from realization, and an aerial offensive on a grand scale carried to cities of Germany remote from the battle line, including Berlin, is the realm of certainty in the not distant future, provided the Allies organize and co-ordinate their resources.

This is the conviction of Major-General W. S. Branker, Controller-general of Equipment of the British Air Ministry, who has been in this country for several weeks in consultation with government officials in charge of aviation.

Major-General Branker, in a statement tonight to The Associated Press on this subject, laid strong emphasis on the necessity for the organization of the air forces on a basis quite independent of the land and sea forces. For the success of the Allies he feels strongly that the quicker air independence is established in this country, the better.

Another vital step to be accomplished, he believes, is the co-ordination of the operations of all the Allied air forces beyond those required for the respective armies and navies as an independent offensive force under the Supreme War Council, just as the Allied armies and navies are co-ordinated now.

Thomas J. Mooney, condemned at San Francisco, is to petition the State Supreme Court for a rehearing of his decision last Monday sustaining a Superior Court order denying him a new trial.

New York women teachers demand a \$200 bonus. If granted it will cost the city \$4,000,000.

EXTRA SPECIALS At Robertson's

TWO STORES

24 lb. bags Robins Hood Flour.....\$1.55
24 lb. bag Ogilvie's Flour.....1.55
24 lb. bag Purdy Flour.....1.40
24 lb. bag Whole Wheat Flour.....1.40
Corn Flour, 3 1/2 lbs. for.....25c
3 1/2 lbs. Oatmeal.....35c
20 lb. bags Oatmeal.....\$3.45
3 lbs. Cornmeal.....25c
3 lbs. Graham Flour.....25c
(Sugar with orders)

10 lbs. Finest Granulated Sugar.....\$3.00
12 lbs. Light Brown Sugar.....2.50
24 lb. bag Pulverized Sugar.....1.50
1 lb. Cut Lard.....25c
2 lbs. block Shortening.....25c
Crisco.....35c
20 lb. bag Oatmeal.....35c
20 lb. pack Pure Lard.....6.50
20 lb. pack Shortening.....5.50
Libby's Pineapple, large only.....35c
Pineapple 2s.....35c
Hunt's Fancy Peaches, large.....35c
Nestle's Peaches.....35c
Finest Lobsters.....35c
Finest Oysters.....35c
2 lbs. Asparagus Tips.....35c
1 lb. tin Pure Fruit Jam.....65c
1 lb. tin Pure Strawberry Jam.....45c
Peach.....15c
Corn.....20c
Finest Baked Beans, 12, 15 and 20c. tin
2 bottles Libby's Sweet Pickles for.....35c

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H. P. Sauce for.....25c
2 lbs. Prunes for.....25c
2 lbs. Toilet Paper for.....25c
3 bottles Extracts for.....25c
3 bottles Ammonia for.....25c
5 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda for.....25c
2 bottles Catsup for.....25c
3 bottles Worcestershire Sauce for.....25c
2 pkgs. Minute Tapioca for.....25c
2 Evaporated Milk for.....25c
2 tins Libby's Mustard for.....25c
5 pkgs. Pearlina for.....25c
3 tins Baker's Cocoa for.....25c
5 tins Babbitt's Cleanser for.....25c
2 tins Vegetable Soup for.....25c
2 tins Lemon Pie Filling for.....25c
1 bottle Sweet Mustard Pickles.....25c
2 bottles Sour Mix Pickles for.....25c
2 tins Egg Powder.....25c
2 lbs. Mixed Starch for.....25c
2 pkgs. C. Starch for.....25c
4 cakes Surprise or Gold Soap.....25c
4 cakes Lenox Soap.....25c
2 pkgs. Seeded Raisins.....25c
1 lb. tin Borden's Cocoa.....25c
2 lbs. tin Chase & Son's Coffee.....25c
1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee for.....25c
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4 lbs. Graham Flour.....25c
Soya Beans.....19c qt.
Beans.....32c qt.
Oleomargarine.....From 15c qt. up
Choice Rolled Butter.....39c lb.
FINE OLD CHEESE, 15c and 20c lb.
1 lb. tin Crisco.....25c
50c bottle Gillard's Relish.....25c
35c bottle Holbrook's Malt Vine.....25c
Morton's Banquet Sauce—Reg. 35c
Canned Beans.....From 9c up
Canned Tomatoes (35c).....25c
Canned Peas.....15c
Canned Corn.....15c
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