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BRANTFORD DAILY COURIER. FORTY SEVENTH YEAR

THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1918.

RUSS MONARCHY TO BE REST

Asquith Foretells Immediate General Election in Britain Breach Between Austria and Germany Widening

CENTRAL POWERS PLAN TO RESTORE MONARCHY IN RUSSIA, BY PLACING EMPRESS ONCE MORE UPON THRONE

Ex-Czar Nicholas Will Not Accept His Crown at Teutonic Hands--Bolsheviki Paved Way For Return of Monarchical Government---Peace Only a Respite Before War on Imperialism Declares Lenine

By Courier Leased Wire.

London, Feb. 25.—Germany plans to restore the monarchy in Russia, according to a telegram dated at Petrograd to The Morning Post. It says the German Duke of Hesse has been appointed commander in the Riga section of the German front.

"His sister," the despatch says, "the former Empress Alexandra, as the guardian of her son the former Tsarevitch, is the favorite candidate for the throne. . .

The former emperor will not accept the throne from German hands. The Bolsheviki have provided a form of government which the Russians alone understand—pure despotism. They have paved the way for the return of

Only a Respite

Petrograd, Sunday, Feb. 24.—"Their knees are on our chest and our position is helpless," declared Nikolai

ADC C Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, in the course of his long speech to the Central executive committee of the All-Russian Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates in which he insistently urged the accevtance of the Austro-German peace conditions, however, oppressive and unfortunate they might appear.

"This peace must be accepted as a respite," he continued, "enabling us to prepare a defensive rsistance to the bourgeoise and imperialism. The proletariat of the whole world will come to our aid."

-The Germans late Saturday

were still advancing into the provinces they had decided to occupy. In this connection it is reported they are executing Guards treating them as outlaws, but releasing and disarming soldiers of the regular army.

army.
The Pravda, the Bolshevitti

organ, declares that the Ger-mans are restoring shoulder

straps to Russian officers and forcing the Russian soldiers to

salute them.

The resolution to agree to

the German peace terms was adopted by the central execu-

tive committee of the All-Russian Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates by a vote of 126 to 85. Twenty-six

RESTORE ARMISTICE?

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Stockholm, Feb. 25.—Ensign
Krylenko, the Bolsheviki commander-in-chief, has sent a
message to the German staff at
Berlin asking a reply as to
whether the armistice is restored automatically by Russia's
acceptance of Germany's peace
terms. The message says:
"Supposing that all reason
for a continuation of the war
will disappear from the mom-

for a continuation of the war will disappear from the moment the people's commissaries declare their aceptance of Germany's proposed peace conditions. I request you to inform me whether the German high command take a similar view, and, in that case' whether it considers that from the moment German Government receives the aforesaid acceptance, it may be concluded that the armistice becomes re-established automatically under the same conditions as regulated the operations before the state of war was restored on February 18th."

ary 18th."

Re Demobilizing.

Petrograd, Sunday, Feb. 24.

M. Karakhan, who was secretary of the Russian delegation at Brest-Litovsk, explained to The Associated Press to-day that the Bolsheviki Government considers most ambiguous the part of the German terms concerning the demobilization of

EMBASSIES REMAIN Petrograd, Sunday, Feb. 24.

—The Allied ambassadors at a conference to-day at the American embassy, determined to remain in Petrograd pending developments. The general be-lief in embassy circles is that the German terms, which the Bolsheviki have agreed to ac-

cept are couched in such ambiguous terms that they must be cleared up thoroughly before the acutal status of Russia can be ascertained.

Some members of the Amazara and a leastly already erican embassy staff already have left while others will leave by way of Siberia on a special train to-night together with many Allied nationals. The ambassadors, however, have not reached a decision.

GERMAN LAW. Petrograd, Feb. 24—General Count Mirabatch, commanding the armies occupying Esthonia and Livonia, has issued a manifesto to the population declaring that they are now under

ing that they are now under German police power. He orders the release from prison of all barons of Esthonia, declaring that they are under the protection of Germany.

Violations of proclamation will be punished under German laws, "Kidnapping" of barons into Russia is to be punished by holding Holsheviki as hostages.

STILL ADVANCING Petrograd, Sunday. Feb. 24.

Weather Bulletin Toronto, Feb. 25

—A developing depression is moving into the lake region from the westiward with I DON'T KNOW, LITZIE

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ther is fair and cold in the West and fair and mild elsewhere. Forecasts
Fair and mild to-day, showers to-night. Tuesday

New York, Feb. 24.—An attempt on the part of German trade unionists to induce Sam Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to attend a workers' conventions to discuss presses. Labor, to attend a workers' conventions to discuss peace was made known to-night by Mr. Gompers, who said in a statement that he declined the invitation. The conference was to be attended, if possible, by workers' delegates from all the allied nations, according to the German wish.

The invitation came to Mr. Gompers from Karl Legien, head of the Federated Trade Unions of Germany and a Social Democrat leader in the Reichstag, through M. Oudergest of Amsterdam, a Labor leader of Holland.

The invitation was referred to the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, which was responsible for the reply Mr. Gompers said he sent to Legien.

TURNED HUN DOWN.

Act Until End of the War

PROTECT POPULACE

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Ey Courier Leased Wire

London, Feb. 25—The Swedish force which seized the Aland Islands consists of 500 soldiers, an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen reports. These troops will form a guard until the end of the war. Six nundred Finnish White Guards left the Aland Islands on Swedish steamships which brought them to Sweden. They were then taken to Tornea, in Finland on the Swedish border. The Russian soldiers on the islands also will be removed. They probably will be sent directly to Finland. It is reported that five hundred white guards, who took refuge on the Pelenge Islands, have been defeated by red guards, a large number of them, mostly Finnish students, being killed.

Bills dealing with the right of

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Bitls dealing with the right of Sweden to send conscripts out of the kingdom for special duties and financial credits for the purpose of sending a guard of Swedish soldiers to the Aland Islands, were introduced in the Swedish parliament, according to advices from Stockholm.

Prof. Eden, the Swedish Priamier, expressly emphasized that the project is to be carried out under an agreement arrived at between the rival factions on the Aland Islands. The government intends to carry out only temporary measures until March 1, 1919, for the protection of the population of the islands, and that there is any political phase for the action is denied.

TUAN-CHI

Conspiracy Against Chinese

Leader Discovered—Revolt Fermenting

Peking, Feb. 25.—A conspiracy to assassinate General Tuan Chilling, the former premier and now war commissioner, has been discovered by the authorities. A number of arrests, including those of three Japanese, have been made.

translation of "up to newly formed battalions," M. Karakhaan said may either exempt or include the new red army.

This is disputable, he added. "I think, of course, that they meant the red army also must be demobilized, but on this we will not yield without discussion. We think we are entitled to an army on at least a peace footing. That would be sufficient to accomplish our internal purposes."

M. Karakhan declared that Russla's position toward the Allies now undoubtedly would that of a neutral, adding:

"We will not support Germany. The only support it will get will be indirect, from the (Continued on Page 3),

Must Come Soon, Says Asquith, Possibly Within Few Weeks; Liberal Whips and Agents in Convention

London, Feb. 25 .- An official report of an address delivered at a meeting of Liberal whips and agents on Friday, shows that former Premier Asquith declared that a general election was now inevitable and that preparation should be made to meet it. His speech dealt mainly with the changes brought about by the last franchise bill, especially the women's vote and indicated the possibility that an election might come within a few weeks.

AUSTRO-GERMAN SCHISM IS INTENSIFIED DAILY

Relations Growing Steadily More and More Strained Between Two Leading Central Powers; Friendly Relations Jeopardized by Growing Sentiment

By Courier Leased Wite Amsterdam, Feb. 25.—The German papers comment on the relations between Germany and Austria which apparently are becoming quite strained.

The Tages Zeitung contrasts the lages Zeitung contrasts
the abuse of Germany in Austria in connection with the
Ukrainian treaty with the
praise bestowed on Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister. The paper tries
to discover the motives of the
Vienna official news agency in

has given great offence and comes to the conclusion that the Austrian censorship by its attitude all along has failed to

attitude all along has failed to show appreciation of Germany's interests, adding:

"It is time that we point out most emphatically how such incidents are endangering the friendly relations between the two countries."

The Hamburger Nachrichten says:

SWEDE FORCES NO CAUSE FOR ALARM IN RUSS SITUATION

Troops Will Form Guard to U. S. War Secretary's Review-Written Before Signing of Peace By Bolsheviki Was Announced-Increased. Activity of American Troops on West Front

Washington, Feb. 25-The War Department finds no cause for surprise in the renewed German offensive against the Russians, Secretary Baker announces in his weekly review of the military situation published to-day. The Secretary's statement, which was written before the news came from London that the Bolshevika had accepted German's peaceterms, adds that because of the disorganization of the Russian forces "it is difficult to presage what effective opposition they may be able to place in the path

Increased activity of the American troops in France and the re turn for rest of the men who have completed their first turn in the trenches is also noted in the review

ON LIFE OF TUAN-CHI

REVOLT IN

Uprising Has Been Suppressed, and Order Restored Once More

COSTA RICA

IS AT AN END

Ey Courier Leased Wire
San Jose, Costa Rica, Feb. 25.
The revolution in Costa Rica has been put down and order has been empletely restored.

of arrests, including those of three Japanese, have been made.

Gives Aid to Rebels

Peking, Wednesday, Feb. 20—
General Feng Yuh-Slang, in command of 10,000 northern troops, has rebelled against a recent mandate of President Feng Kwo-Chang, urging the General, who is a northerner, to attack the southern rebels. General Feng is said to have established himself near Kiukiang on the border of the provinces of Hupen and Hunan, and is giving help to the southerners.

The capture of Ichang, a strategi
Islast Friday, when a band, command to the fill measure in the governance and their inception last Friday, when a band, command to by Roglio Fernandez Gueil, editor of El Imparcial, a pro-German newspaper, which had been suppressed by the Costa Rican government, attacked a passenger train from Punta Aranas, capturing some of the passengers. This band continued looting along the railway line until the forces from the government arrived and routed the rebels.

The casualties in the fighting were only three killed and five wounded. There was no destruction of property. Railway traffic has been restablished. last Friday, when a band, command

ELECTION INEVITABLE FORTY SAVED IN GREAT BRITAIN? ON FLORIZEL

A WARM ELECTION.

By Courier Leased Wire Madrid, Feb. 24.—General Madrid, Feb. 24.—General elections were held throughout Spain to-day. The Liberals appear to have maintained their position, but the complete returns have not been received. The Republicans carried Madrid and Valencia and the Catalinas were victorious at Barcelona. Disturbances are reported from Valencia and Madrid and rioting at Alemeria, Cadiz and Montril. At Madrid an airplane used by the Maurist Conservatives in a publicity stunt fell. The pilot was hurt severely and the machine de-

everely and the machine de Everywhere the German-ophile candidates appear to have been defeated. They polled only a thousand votes in Madrid.

The French War Office communication Saturday reported that north of the Ailette River, which parallels the Chemin des Dames, French troops had penetrated the German lines as far as the neighborhood of Chevrigny. They were reported to have returned with material and 25 prisoners, including two officers. The presence of American units along the famous Chemin des Dames was disclosed in an Associated Press dispatch last Friday.

The capture of Ichang, a strategical position on the Yangtse-Kiang, by the southerners, is confirmed of the land and income taxes recently enforced by the government.

Brewster of British Cotumbia, who was brought here from Moosejaw late Saturday afternoon, suffering from pneumonia, had passed a good night and is resting easily.

Survivors of Shipwrecked Vessel Were Rescued at Day Break

SUFFERED HARDSHIPS All Were Victims of Severe

Cold and Prolonged Exposure

RESCUE WORK ON Estimated Death Roll Likely to be Still Further Reduced

American Patrol, In Conjunction with French,
Made Daring Sortie

PRISONERS TAKEN

Two Officers, Twenty Men
And One Machine Gun
Captured

With the American Army in France, Sunday, Feb. 24—(By The Associated Press)—An American patrol in the Chemin dies Dames sector, in conjunction with a French patrol early yesterday penetrated a few hunded yards into the German lines and captured two German officers, twenty men and one mechanical and a number of the enemy were gun.

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