

Korniloff's Rebels in Loyalist Trap
INSURGENTS OUTMANOEUVRED ON MARCH ON PETROGRAD; RETREAT CUT OFF
Portion of Army Surrenders to Government

Petrograd an Armed City; Kerensky Makes a Number of Arrests and Orders Korniloff to be Tried

Petrograd, Sep. 12.—The provisional government today declared that a state of war exists in the town and district of Moscow.

Petrograd, Sep. 11.—The interior of the Winter Palace was a remarkable sight owing to the extraordinary precautions which first were taken early yesterday when hope of a compromise was lost finally.

All through the night Kerensky received resolutions from army and navy units promising to support him.

Premier Kerensky issued an order to the Petrograd garrison denouncing General Korniloff for opening the front to the Germans and for sending a division of Asiatics against the capital while professing to defend liberty.

General Kozin, now commanding the Petrograd city garrison, declared before the meeting in the Winter Palace of the representatives of the different organizations:

"No negotiations are possible with traitors. Our own future conversation will be carried on through cannon."

"Only bayonets can now decide the conflict," was the decision of Vice Premier Nebrasoff.

M. Tchernooff, minister of agriculture has resigned from the cabinet. Ninety arrests were made in Petrograd last night.

Premier Kerensky has ordered the procurer of the Petrograd court to put General Korniloff on trial under the historic 150th statute for conspiring to overthrow "the existing order."

During the night Premier Kerensky had a conference with the procurer and dictated a lengthy description of the details of the conspiracy.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, Sept. 12.—Pressure is highest over the middle states and relatively low over northern and western Canada.

PREPARATIONS FOR MILITARY SERVICE

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—Over two million forms of exemption and report under the Military Service Act are in the hands of the printers, and will be distributed in the course of a few days through the post office department.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The Minister of Militia and Defense today issued the statement to the Canadian Press, Limited:

The casualties at the front in the Canadian Expeditionary Force for the period of 16th to 31st of August, 1917, so far reported were 7,586.

The total recruits in combatant arms during the same period was approximately 8,000, making a net wastage of approximately 7,475.

SWEDEN ALIBI IS TOO FEEBLE FOR ENTENTE

London, Sept. 12.—The statement of the Swedish foreign office concerning the transmission of German telegrams from Argentina is regarded by the morning newspapers as extremely feeble.

The Times declares that the Stockholm foreign office "dares not utter a comprehensive denial. It pleads that these particular messages were unknown to it, but admits that Sweden continued to act as intermediary between Germany and Argentina."

The Daily Chronicle asserts that the statement "shows a decidedly imperfect conception of the neutrality and extreme gravity of the proceedings. The treachery of which the Swedish foreign office is guilty is quite indefensible."

The Morning Post says that the admission of the Swedish foreign office refers to Germany alone "concerning whose guilt there is no question. The points at issue between Sweden and the allies are not answered."

MOSCOW LOYAL

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—All elements of the population of Moscow, according to reports received here, emphasize assurances of support to the provisional government which have already been given by the municipal council.

The St. George cavaliers have made special offer of their services, and there appears to be unity among the workmen's groups.

It does not appear that the Swedish Government quite appreciates the gravity of the issues involved. Moreover there is the further question as to whether other

Loyalist Troops Turn Advance of Korniloff's "Savage Division;" Rebels Reported Surrendering to Provisional Government--Kerensky Seems to Hold the Upper Hand

Petrograd, Tuesday, Sep. 11.—(Delayed)—The Associated Press was personally informed this afternoon by Minister of Finance Nebrasoff that the forces of General Korniloff in the direction of Pskoff and at Dno, which were marching on Petrograd, had been outmanoeuvred by the troops loyal to the provisional government and that their retreat had been cut off.

MANY REBELS SURRENDER

Petrograd, Sep. 11—3 p.m.—Members of the Kerensky government have informed the Associated Press that while they are unable to report the final overthrow of General Korniloff they are optimistic concerning the general situation.

GENERALS WITH KORNILOFF

Petrograd, Sep. 12—Generals Denikine and Valuyeff, commanding the southwest and western fronts respectively have joined General Korniloff, according to announcement in the Petrograd newspapers given out by the semi-official news agency.

An earlier report from Petrograd said that General Denikine had been placed under arrest.

GUTCHKOFF UNDER ARREST

Petrograd, Tuesday, Sep. 11.—(Delayed)—Alexander Gutchkoff, former minister of war and navy, who after leaving Petrograd last Saturday joined the Korniloff movement, has been arrested. He is now under guard at Pskoff.

ARMY'S NEW COMMANDER

Petrograd, Sept. 12—Major Bonch Bruyovitch has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Russian army, in succession to General Korniloff.

AGREE TO RECONSTITUTED CABINET

Petrograd, Sep. 12—The central committee of the Constitutional Democratic party today informed Premier Kerensky that the party has agreed to its members joining a reconstituted Russian cabinet in order to avoid civil war.

PETROGRAD IS QUIET

London, Sep. 12.—The Petrograd correspondent of Reuters Limited, telegraphing on Tuesday at midnight, says that the capital remains calm, the population awaiting events and only the display of armed forces in the streets indicates an abnormal situation.

General Dmitri Stcherbatcheff, commander on the Roumanian front, had definitely declared their allegiance to the government.

KERENSKY TAKES COMMAND

Petrograd, Sep. 12—9.30 a.m.—The Associated Press was informed unofficially early this morning at the Winter Palace that Premier Kerensky was about to assume the position of commander-in-chief of all the Russian armies until the revolt had been crushed.

COMMANDERS REMAIN FAITHFUL

Petrograd, Sep. 12—Vice Premier Nebrasoff in an interview distributed today by the Russian official states that the present situation could be considered favorable.

LUXBURG GETS PASSPORTS

Buenos Aires, Sept. 12.—The Argentine government at noon today sent to the German legation passports to be delivered to Count Luxburg, the German chargé d'affaires in Buenos Aires.

BRITISH OFFICIAL

London, Sept. 12.—German troops this morning attacked the British trenches east of Harcourt, Field Marshal Haig reported today from the British headquarters in France.

NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 12.—The Tribune this morning publishes the following (Continued on page 4)

PAINLEVE UNABLE TO FORM CABINET

Paris, Sept. 12.—Paul Painlevé, minister of war, has announced that he has been unable to form a new ministry to succeed that of M. Ribot, owing to the eleventh hour withdrawal of the Socialists, Albert Thomas and M. Varenne.

M. Painlevé went to the Elysee Palace at 1 o'clock this morning, where he was joined by M. Bourgeois, other statesmen with whom he conferred, awaiting him at the ministry of war.

He returned within an hour and announced to newspapermen that President Poincaré had insisted that he continue his efforts to form a cabinet and that he had asked for time to think over the situation.

WESTERN WHEAT

Calgary, Sept. 11.—"As a whole the farmers of Alberta will, I think, be well satisfied with the price of \$2.21 for the number 1 northern fixed by the supervisors," stated H. P. Woodbridge, secretary of the United Alberta Farmers.

FRENCH LAST NIGHT SMASHED THROUGH STRONG GERMAN DEFENCES

Paris, Sept. 12.—French troops last night attacked the German trenches in the region of St. Souplet, in the Champagne and succeeded in smashing the first two German lines and entering the third positions.

TREE FALLS; MAN KILLED

Simcoe, Sept. 12.—(From our own correspondent)—William Miller, Charlottesville farmer, aged 75 years, passed away at 8.45 this morning from injuries received while felling trees in the woods yesterday.

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Korniloff's Demand For Power Made in Hope of Saving Nation--Moscow is Loyal to Kerensky

Petrograd, Sep. 12.—The text of General Korniloff's proclamations are published here today. The first, denounces Premier Kerensky's discipline of Vladimir Lvoff's mission as untrue and declares that Korniloff did not send Lvoff to Kerensky, but that Kerensky first sent Lvoff to him with the aim to create trouble.

"Russian men," continues the proclamation, "our great fatherland is perishing. The government under pressure of the Bolshevik majority of the councils is acting in full accord with the plans of the General staff. Overwhelming consciousness of the impending ruin of the fatherland compels me in this menacing moment to summon all Russian men to save perishing Russia. All in whose breasts beat Russian hearts, all who believe in God let them flock to the temple and pray God to perform a great miracle—a miracle of saving the fatherland. I, General Korniloff, son of a peasant and Cossack, declare to all that I require nothing personally, nothing except the salvation of mighty Russia and I swear to lead the nation by the road of victory over the foe to a constituent assembly through which the nation will decide its own fate and choose the organization of its own life. But I shall never betray Russia into the hands of its traditional foe—the German race, or make the Russian people the slaves of German. I prefer to die on the field of honor and battle, rather than to witness the shame and infamy of Russian land.

"Russian people! In your own hands rests the fate of your country, (signed)—"Korniloff."

In the second proclamation General Korniloff declares that he is supported by all of the higher commanders on the front, denounces the government, weakness and indecision and declares that in order to conceal its unfitness the government is creating the chimera of a non-existent counterrevolution. The provisional government has prohibited the circulation of General Korniloff's manifestos or the publication of unofficial news concerning military measures taken against the revolution.

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