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J. ALEX. ROBINSON,
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oct.5,1918



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The White Flag Hoisted.

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salvation of Germany and its allies, but of all humanity which has been suffering for years through the war. I have taken it also because I believe the thoughts regarding the future well-being of the nation, which were proclaimed by President Wilson, are in accord with the general ideas cherished by the new German Government and with the overwhelming majority of our people. So far as I am personally concerned, in earlier speeches to other assemblies, my hearers will testify that the conception which I hold of a future peace has undergone no change since I was entrusted with the leadership of the empire's affairs (section missing.) I see hence no distinction whatever between the national and international mandates of duty in respect of peace. For me the deciding factor is solely that all participants shall with equal honesty acknowledge these mandates as binding and respect them, as is the case with me and with the other members of our new Government. And so with an inner peace which my clear conscience as a man and a servant of the people gives me, and which rests at the same time upon firm faith in this great and true people, this people capable of every devotion, and upon their glorious armed power, I await the outcome of the first action which I have taken as the leading statesman of the empire. Whatever this outcome may be I know it will find Germany firmly resolved and united either for an upright peace which rejects every selfish violation of the rights of others or for a closing of a struggle for life and death, to which our people would be forced without our own fault if the answer to our note of the Powers opposed to us should be dictated by a despotic power. I do not despair of the thought that this second alternative may come. I know the greatness of the mighty powers yet possessed by our people, and I know that the incontrovertible conviction that they were only fighting for our life as a nation would double these powers. (Applause.) I hope, however, for the sake of all mankind that the President of the United States will receive our offer as we mean it. Then the door would be opened to a speedy and honorable peace of justice and reconciliation for us as well as for our opponents.

NFLD. CASUALTY.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 5.
Casualties: Infantry, killed in action, P. Harris, Tenning's Bay, Nfld.

FERDINAND ABDICATED.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 5.
The official Austrian Correspondence Bureau has given out a despatch from Sofia, dated Friday, stating that King Ferdinand of Bulgaria abdicated on Thursday in favor of Crown Prince Boris. The new king, it is declared, has already assumed reins of office.

GERMANS RETIRING.

PARIS, Oct. 5.
Under the pressure of French and American attacks in Champagne, the Germans have retired on their left flank and given up territory east of the Meuse, according to the war office announcement to-day. West of the Sulphe the French are keeping in touch with the German rearguards and have reached the heights south-east of Moronvilliers. The French have maintained their gains in heavy fighting east of the Argonne forest. Northwest of Rheims in the last five days the French have taken more than 2,500 prisoners and thirty guns.

WANTS A JUST PEACE.

LONDON, Oct. 5.
Prince Maximilian, the Imperial German Chancellor in the Reichstag to-day, emphatically declared that the new Government stood on the basis of a just peace regardless of the war situation. The Prince told the Reichstag that his note had been directed to the President of the United States, because in his message to Congress on Aug. 1, 1918, and in his proclamation particularly in his New York speech on Sept. 27th, President Wilson had proposed a programme for the general peace which Germany and her allies could accept as a basis for negotiations.

ONE BILLION SUBSCRIBED.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Oct. 5.
One billion dollars has been subscribed to the fourth Liberty loan. This is a sixth of the total in the first week of the three weeks' campaign. Official reports to-day showed total subscriptions as \$957,125,000 representing sales up to last night, and officials said unreported sales would raise the total above the billion.

71,000 TURKS TAKEN.

LONDON, Oct. 5.
Seventy-one thousand Turks have been taken prisoners by General Allenby's forces since the commencement of the British operation in Palestine and Syria, according to an official statement issued to-night by the war office. This is in addition to 8,000 prisoners claimed by the army.

Three hundred and fifty Turkish guns were taken.

ALL EYES ON WILSON.

PARIS, Oct. 6.
All eyes in France to-day are turned towards America, to Washington and Wilson. What will President Wilson's reply be? The people are asking and wondering, now that they know that the Central Powers particularly Germany, are seeking the cessation of hostilities and peace through the President of the United States. The feeling is general that the Central Powers bent upon the greatest gamble of all times, have attempted to bring about by one stroke the termination of the losing game, trying to seek the good offices of President Wilson as intermediary. Paris went to church to-day as never before since the opening of hostilities. In the dark days when the Germans occupied Chateau Thierry, when their bridgehead south of the Marne was like a levelled pistol at France, menacing France's very life, Paris remained in doors, but to-day Paris sauntered out early and the churches of all denominations were filled to overflowing.

A WHITE FLAG TRICK.

PARIS, Oct. 6.
The white flag trick, is the caption of the editorial in the Temps on the peace proposal of the Central Powers. What Germany has done, says the newspaper, is to invite the United States, who are belligerents as much as Germany, to play the role of mediator as if they were outside our alliance. Germany is willing to admit as the basis of negotiation, President Wilson's programme for a general peace. Admit as a basis is vague, says the Temps, the question of what does Germany accept and what does she reject, Germany only invokes President Wilson's principles to make us let fall our arms. Then when the fighting has ceased, when the German troops have regained their breath, when the Imperial Government has become popular and strong, the German diplomats will undermine and overturn one by one the pre-conditions of negotiations. It is easy to understand that the Kaiser's staff approves of Prince Maximilian's policy but Maximilian with Ludendorff and Scheidmann are mistaken in attributing so much naïveté to President Wilson. The cornered beast draws in its claws and offers us its blood-stained paw, says the Journal Des Debats, beginning its editorial. This newspaper declares that the suspension of hostilities will be acceptable only on conditions offering the same advantage as the continuous victorious advance of the Allied troops, the evacuation of territory occupied in Belgium, Luxembourg, France, Italy, Roumania, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro. We shall keep our program of restitution, reparation and guarantees, says this newspaper. There will be no armistice before we possess guarantees for the execution of these.

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With these sad years. Where does the failure lie
Of this tiny man, made to Thy likeness, since
Within the golden mirror of the sun
Thou gavest Thy sweet loveliness and didst
The gather dust to mould him to Thy shape,
And stood him upright on Thy holy palm
To view his form and praise Thy handiwork?
Is this Thy likeness then, Thy perfect mould,
Thy hands, Thy feet, Thy voice, Thy sacred heart?
A god in miniature, of Eden made?
Hands, hands, hands—tearing, grasping, playing,
Cold, stiff, still, soothing, strangling,
praying,
Feet, feet, feet—running, toiling,
standing,
Crushing, killing, falling, stumbling,
trampling,
Cries, cries, cries—brutal, broken,
wailing,
Sobbing, helpless, anguished, dying,
falling,
Hearts, hearts, hearts—loving, hating,
seeking,
Hearts of all Thy children, breaking,
breaking.

Is this, indeed, Thy man, that Thou hast made?
Is this Thy likeness, and are these Thy hands,
Oh, Lord of pity, quench these flaming hours.
Restore to peace these sad and tortured years.
Wherein Thou breakest the frail heart of man—
Or he the heart of God.
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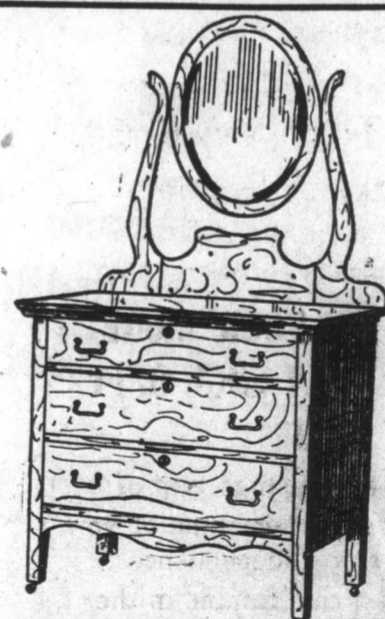
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Here and There.

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IN HONORS LIST.—In the publication of Junior A.A. (C.H.E.) passes in the Telegram of Thursday last, the name of Ethnor Hoskins, Mercy Convent Academy, appeared in the past division instead of the Honors List.

Here and There.

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CONSTABLE IMPROVING.—Constable Murphy, who a few days ago was attacked and injured by toughs, is improving rapidly and will be able to leave the Hospital during this week.

Here and There.

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