BY ALL BERLIN PAPERS FOR HIS DIPLOMACY

Standing Between Two Rivals, He WAN Withstood All Temptation To Political Gain.

By Special Wire to the Courier. Berlin, Sept. I.—Via London. The National Zeitung publishes to-day a leading article under the heading, "Wilson, Bryan and Roosevelt, which is noteworthy for its friendly tone and for the ungrudging admira-tion expressed for President Wilson The article begins by saying that

discussions of the Arabic affair have been in a quieter tone since Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambas-sador at Washington, presented his request to the American governmen to delay action until Germany had had the opportunity of presenting its side of the case. Even the anti-German newspapers admitted the justice of this request, the article says, and there now remains no obstacle to friendly discussions of differences which, while real, are by no means of such a nature as to prevent a satis.

German people certainly have reason to be dissatisfied with his attitude in

the matter of submarine warfare." Mr. Wilson is characterized as a more clever politician than "the unlucky Bryan and the astute politician

The article is concluded with the statement that Germany has always desired to maintain the traditional friendly relations with the United States, and that it may be hoped the Arabic case will serve to clear up misunderstandings on both sides. It must be possible to reach an understanding, inasmuch as the points in dispute are matters of principle and not of conquest, victories or defeats.

RUMORED THAT JAPS ARE FIGHTING

Aid Now.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Paris, Sept. 1 - What appears to be an intimation that Japan may co-operate in the campaign to force the Dardanelles, is contained in an inter-

"I cannot say much about that" the baron is quoted as saying in reply to a question regarding the Dardanelles, for we must not allow our enemies to profit by information about the move. ment of troops."

Discussing the part Japan has played in the war, the ambassador said: We have not ceased to collaborate with our Allies to the extent assigned to us. The world will be astonished and W. H. Montague from Kenora. when it knows what we have done, what we are doing and what we are willing to do. The Russians are nearest to us and we can be most useful to them. Rest assured it is the greatest desire of Japan to assist every day in the sacred cause of civilization."

NEW DEFENCE LEAGUE

By Special Wire to the Courier. Seattle, Sept. 1 .- Announcement was made to-day of the organization spatch from Athens says it is reportof the Aero Club of the Northwest, ed from reliable sources that in an the purpose of which is to assist in encounter near Scutari, Albania, be military and naval defense and to tween partisans of Essad Pasha, forpromote aerial commerce. Two ma- mer Provisional President of Albania chines, sufficiently high powered for and Murdites, the former were demilitary service, are already owned by members and two similar ma-wounded besides 500 prisoners. Essad chines are under construction. officers of the club include Puget probable, however, as the Murdites Sound naval officers.

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four members of the late Government,
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two sureties for \$25,000. For Sir Rodmond, Aime Benard, present leader of the Opposition, and D. E. Sprague, ex-Chief License Commissioner, were bondsmen; for Dr. Montague, W. H. Cross and J. W. Montague; for James Howden, Geo. Hamilton of Neepawa and Stephen B Stonehouse, and for G. R. Coldwell,

Alex. Reid and Andrew Simpson The warrants which were issued for the four ex-Ministers last Saturday were not served. These legal instruments were at the police station in Provincial Chief Elliott's hands when the four accused arrived. When London, Sept. 1.—The Admiralty mation in writing later.

SIR RODMOND WAS FIRST. It was a moment before 3.30 o'clock, the hour which had been set for the proceedings, when Sir Rodmond appeared on the scene. He mond appeared on the scene. He Benard's car, and mond appeared on the scene. He arrived in Aime Benard's car, and Ambassador to Italy, sent to the Petit Parisien by its Rome correspondent. front door and disappeared into the sacred precincts of the Deputy's office, where the doors were closed and the curtains drawn. A short time later the other three arrived, and the proceedings were very soon over.

The formal arrest and charge had been expected all day, the Hon. G. R. Coldwell arriving from Brandon in the morning, Howden from Neepawa, evidently all by prearrangement. Prior to appearing at the station Roblin, Coldwell and Montague had been in consultation together, while all four had seen J. Andrews of Andrews and Burbidge, who will probably undertake the defence. (Continued on Page 2)

BORDER SKIRMISHES Lundon, Sept. 1 .- A Reuter de-The Pasha's final victory is considered

GOES DOWN

Sensational Decline in the Value of the Pound Imperils United States Pay Envelopes.

(By B. C. Forbes.)

New York, Sept. 1.—The value of British money broke sensationally here yesterday to \$4.55 1-2 for a pound

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Unless Britain can get hundreds of millions of funds here to meet her enormous bills, she may have to restrict purchases of all but war materials. But was learned from other to meet here by his secretary or the hotel authorative by the secretary or the hotel authorative by the secretary of the conflicting demands and disarm the mutual suspicions of the secretary are reason to be solved to the secretary or the hotel authorative by the secretary or the hotel authorative by the secretary of the secretary or the hotel authorative by the secretary or the hotel authorat

Britain and France have sent \$200,-000,000 gold this year, but all the gold in the banks of these countries would not square the full account.

Admiralty is Silent on the

By Special Wire to the Courier.

they set foot inside the station they has given out no information conwere technically under arrest, but as cerning the fate of the German subthe purpose of the warants was ac- marine which sank the Arabic Whecomplished when the men appeared ther such information is in its pos- that his government would accept our at the police station it was needless session is unknown, as it is the policy declarations regarding subarine warto serve them of the Admiralty to withhold news fare in principle. The ambassador of the Admiralty to withhold news DOORS CLOSED, CURTAINS of this character. Unofficial reports agreed to reduce his statement to that the submarine has been sunk are writing which he will submit to me All of the formalities of bail and being circulated widely. It is stated later in the day." bond signing were done behind closed doors in Deputy Chief of Police Newton's Office. Extreme secrecy was maintained throughout the whole learn on August 24, five days after procedure. Sir Rodmond was the only one of the four who went this account, the Nicosian escaped through the front door of the station. and the submarine while attempting Interview With Jap Ambassador to Italy Would Suggest
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Dr. Montague, Howden and Coldwell slipped in through the back door to the police garage, after being taken into the lane off Louise street in tured and not sunk.

BY SPECIAL WIRE TO THE COURIER.

five Austrian and German army corps.

Washington Gets Verbal AssurancesFromGerman Ambassador.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Released on Bail.

her money. The British pound normally is worth \$4.86 1-2. Last night it was worth 31 cents less, and international bankers refused to buy sterling even at that level because they see no immediate end to the downstream of the late Government.

her money. The British pound normalize tary, announced yesterday that he might remain here for several days, or until he should hear from Berlin. His departure for Washington therefore lends color and confirmation to the statements that he had received the statement that he had r further advices from his government. negotiations which must be concluded

WILL HURT PAY ENVELOPES.

The American workman does not see any connection between foreign that affidavits had been received from protracted and troublesome," he says, The personality of President Wilson has been illuminated more
strongly than ever before, the National Zeitung says, during the exciting days through which America has
just passed. The president will appear
to many in a new light. Never was

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ed to see Secretary of State Lansing at 10.30 a.m. It was not known whether his visit had any connection with the reported destruction of the Ger-

GERMANY ACCEPTS PRINCIPLE Washington, Sept. 1—Count Berns-torff, the German ambasador, on in-duced to make a definite offer to Bulstructions from Berlin, verbally informed Secretary of State Lansing try would be immediate." Sinking of Sub to-day that the German governmen had accepted the principle that passenger liners should be warned besenger liners should be warned bester attacked by submarines. He municate this inforwill formally com

Secretary Lansing following the visit of the German ambassador said; "The German Ambassador told me

Count von Bernstorff was informed that the United States could not accept as final an oral transmission of the German point of view. Secretary Lansing said he would withhold comment until a written memorandum was received

Secretary Lansing and the Ambas-

(Continued on Page 4)

THREE WEDGES BEING DRIVEN IN RUSSIAN LINE

LONDON, Sept. 1.—Germany's plan for driving three wedges into the Russian defensive lines is

The Balkan problem is again to the fore. Emphasis is placed on reports that Roumania and Bul-

PETROGRAD, Sept. 1.—Via London.—The Russian success in Galicia, reported in yesterday's

garia are seeking to arrive at an understanding with the Entente powers, with some hopes of success.

RUSSIAN SUCCESS REPORTED.

official statement, was obtained against the army of General Pflanzer, which is estimated to comprise

Optimism Felt, But Concrete Assurances Are Sadly Lacking.

London, Sept. 1.-The Balkan situ ation is discussed at length in despatches to the morning papers from Bucharest, Sofia and Athens. Although sterling, a depreciation of fully six per cent. The British pound was torff, the German ambassador, lett worth \$4.76 at the heginning of Aug- for Washington at midnight last timistic, emphasis is placed on the

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It was also learned that the ambassador had heard from Berlin regarding the Arabic incident or some other phase of the questions pending between Washing-ton and Berlin.

It was also learned that the ambassador would probably call on Secretary of State Lansing to-day, presumbly to present the communications.

As to the counter activity of the triple alliance, the Post's Sofia corespondent reports that the Turks are preparing for the evacuation of territory ceded to Bulgarla by demolishing forts on the right bank of the Maritza and by pulling down by

For every \$100 worth of goods bought here British must pay \$106 of her money. The British pound normally is worth \$4.86 1-2 Last night

tween these two countries. There is evidently an identity of interests, and sed two enemy attacks. Roumania avows her willingness to "In the region of Vladimir-Valynsky garia, the effect on her sister coun-

Appointed to

Colonel M. F. Muir announced this morning that Mr. Cyril J. Uniacke had pelled to make a precipitate retreat been given a commission in the 25th

Brant Dragoons and was now a Progreat success on an extended front, visional Lieutenant. He will be attached to "A" squadron, under the command of Major Cordon Smith command of Major Gordon Smith.

Lieut. Uniacke is an Englishman by birth, and having lived in this city for some time, is very well known fee. some time, is very well known here. He has several relatives fighting for the Empire and an uncle, Captain Uniacke, was killed in action in the Dardanelles only a short time ago.

DEATH, THEN AS NOW

Capture Three Thousand Men-Huns Checked.

Petrograd, Sept. 1.-Official communication issued to-day, is as fol-

important thing," he declares, "is to change on the front between Grodno establish relations of confidence be and the Gorodok district. On Mon-

make required concessions, but no we took about 200 prisoners, repelling concrete arrangements have been enemy attacks east of Sviniuchy. "In Galicia, after a prolonged lull, Monday made a series of energetic the way we did reply and that he Austro-German troops on Sunday and attacks along our front. This offenlight and heavy artillery fire. The attacks were particularly fierce north of Zloczow. In the regions of Pomer. zany and Zboro as well as on the front of the river Stripa between the 25thDragoons railways leading towards Tarnopol and Czortkow the enemy made eight separate attacks which were repulsed with such heavy losses to the enemy that in some districts he was com-

WHO HAVE PASSED FOR CERTIFICATES

The following officers were successful in the recent examinations of the

Captains who have qualified to receive field officers' certificates are: P. TION PEDOPTS FROM Can be Thrown Against Von Hindenburg—Defence of Strippa
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parable with their activities in East Galicia and on the River Strippa, where they have not only turned at bay, but have inflicted heavy losses on their opponents.

BALKANS AGAIN TO THE FORE.

Provisional lieutenants who have buted to the fact that the men did not qualified for rank of lieutenants: E. learn of yesterday's developments in V. Chambers, 48th, and G. M. Dick, London in time to rescind their pre-

George T. Holloway, Chairman of the Ontario Nickel Commission, arrived from England.

Conversation of **DiplomatsShows** How Strong the Pressure Was.

London, Sept. 1 (Montreal Gazette)

The Daily News says this morning a copy has been received of the new grey book, issued a few weeks ago by the Belgian government, containing supplemental despatches dealing with the diplomatic crisis preceding the

"The most interesting document," says the Daily News, "is a despatch dated August 4, 1914, from Baron Beyens, the Belgian Minister at Ber-Beyens, the Belgian Minister at Berlin, giving a summary of a dramatic conversation he had on that day with Herr von Jagow, the German Foreign Secretary, relating to the German demand for leave of passage through Belgium. Herr von Jagow, said:

"We have been compelled by absolute necessity to make upon your government this demand. It is for Germany a question of life and death, In order that she may not be crushed.

In order that she may not be crushed, she must herself first crush France and then turn against Russia

"We have been informed that French army is preparing to pass through Belgium in order to attack our flank. We are bound to prevent such an attack. If the Belgian army does not blow up bridges and allow us to occupy Liege, and itself retire to Antwerp, we promise not only to respect Belgian independence and the life and property of the inhabitants, but also to pay indemnity.

"It is with a feeling of extreme mostification that the Kaiser and his

tween you and France. Europe will condemn you, and you will have England against you, as she is one of the guaranteers of our neutrality." "'On being pressed,' Baron Bey-ens continued, 'Herr von Jagow admitted that we could not reply to the

German demand, otherwise times repeated the expression of his

REFUSE AWARD

Report From London Today Tells of 25,000 Being Out.

LONDON, SEPT. 1, 11.45 A. M.—ALTHOUGH AN AGREE-MENT WAS REACHED YES-TERDAY AT THE CONFER-ENCE IN LONDON OF REP-RESENTATIVES OF THE WELSH MINERS AND MINE provisional school of infantry at the OWNERS, THE MEN THEM-SELVES HAVE NOT THUS TION. REPORTS FROM

Ritchie, 10th R.G.; C. F. Mills, 12th in London, thus averting a possible York Rangers; W. S. Lett, 12th serious strike of the operatives, were LONDON, Sept. 1.—Germany's plan for driving three wedges into the Russian defensive lines is Yorks; J. H. Morgan, 35th Regt.; W. accepted to-day at a general confers being carried forward, but not with the same speed as marked the sweep over Poland. Riga is almost S. McClinton, 35th; F. T. Strong, 36th ence of the miners' delegates, held in isolated, and unless the Russians soon throw heavy forces against Von Hindenburg's exposed flank, this Peel; F. Aylesworth, 16th; E. N. Ar-Cardiff. The difficulties are therefore port must fall into the hands of the invaders. Although this northerly attack seems to have been checked for the moment, the Russians have been unable to develop a counter-offensive in that region com
T. A. Macdonald, 37th; G. H. Sager, to the acceptance of the terms agreed
38th; T. Bingle, 38th; P. Moxley, 44th; upon at the London conference, but

ference and their walkout was attrivious decision to lay down their tools to-day.

The new central Technical School, Toronto, was formally opened,