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## REBELLION IN RUSSIA

### Korniloff Demands Dictatorial Powers For Himself.

The Russian Government again is in a crisis, but apparently with the usual "blood and iron" methods of Kerensky has taken vigorous steps to combat it and to punish severely those of the opposition elements who brought it about.

Successfully General Korniloff, commander in chief of the army, has demanded for himself dictatorial powers and the surrender of the government to his hands. Kerensky refused to accede to the demand and has had arrested in the Petrovlovsk house, for treason, M. Lvkov, member of the duma, who acted as Korniloff's intermediary and who under a severe reprimand had wrung from him the promise of the plot to overthrow the government and bring about a return to the despotic regime. The names of the chief conspirators in the plot have been ascertained and these undoubtedly will receive punishment at the hands of the government.

As for Korniloff, he has been deposed from the chief command of the army, while General Lokomsky has pronounced a traitor.

Meanwhile martial law has been declared in Petrograd and its environs and the government is taking measures to crush the revolt swiftly and decisively, probably by the creation of a directory of friends of the revolution.

An indication that Kerensky and his followers have a good chance quickly to bring about order is contained in a proclamation issued by the workers and soldier's council urging that the army and navy organizations use to adhere to the conspiracy and bring that Korniloff will be punished for his treachery.

On the northern Russian front the Russians are offering strong opposition to the Germans who are endeavoring to press their advance farther east, from the Riga-Dvina line. Twenty miles northeast of Riga a death toll has been taken. The Germans have forced them to retreat to the north, while along the Burtensk line the Pskoff railroad the Russian rear ranks are giving strong battle to the advanced Tenth contingents.

In the Romanian theatre the Russians and Romanians have again assumed the offensive, delivering repeated attacks with large effectiveness against German allied positions in the Trotus-Oltuz valleys. Berlin asserts that combatants met in hand-to-hand combats and that the Russo-Romanian forces were repulsed.

Around Monte San Gabriele General Plona continues to hammer away at Austrian positions, with the enemy bravely defending themselves. Attempts by the Austrians by counterattacks to lessen the intensity of the Russian offensive have been repulsed.

Italian official communication says, southeast of Verdun the French troops have consolidated the positions from the crown prince in the Meuse and Carrières Woods and the main, doubtless because of their serious losses, have ceased for the being their violent counterattacks. On the British front the British like have consolidated trenches captured Sunday east of Harcourt. They also kept up in various sectors successful trench raiding operations.

Daily the operations in the Macedonian theatre are growing in importance. North of Lake Malik French troops have forced the Germans to retreat toward Lake Ochrida.

### What Would Happen Then?

John, you ought to get in the aviation service," a York man told a negro last week. "You are a mechanic and would come in handy in an aeroplane. Your experience in working on automobile engines would enable you to keep the engine of an aeroplane in good order, use gasoline, you know, and you wouldn't have much trouble with them. Would you like to fly among the clouds a mile high and drop a few bombs down on the Germans?"

"I ain't in no special hurry to fly," the negro answered. "When I get up about a mile high, I would stop, and de white man would tell me to git out and crank."

### Services At Grace Church.

The services at Grace Church on Sunday, Sept. 16th, will be the Holy Communion at 7:45 A. M., and the singing prayer with sermon at 11 o'clock. The Rev. F. H. Harding will officiate.

### Engineer For Bridge Here.

C. S. Foster, of Atlanta, arrived yesterday. He is the engineer for the steel bridge over the Wateree river. Mr. Foster tells us that material is already on the way to Camden and the preliminary work will be at once. Camps will be erected on the river for the men engaged in the work, and later on Mr. Foster says that he will be able to use some like thirty or forty laborers on construction. The first will be building of coffer dams for placing concrete piers.

## MAY LOCATE NEAR McBEE

### Likely That Large Artillery and Rifle Range Will Be In Chesterfield

Messrs. William King, L. T. Mills, L. A. Kirkland and E. N. McDowell representing the Camden Chamber of Commerce went to McBee last Saturday where they met a delegation of Chesterfield county people to consult with Colonel White of the war department relative to establishing an artillery practice ground in one or the other of these counties.

The area wanted was forty thousand acres, or fifteen miles long by fifteen miles wide. Land to be of suitable soil for easily constructing trenches and not to be subject to overflow. The Camden party very candidly told Colonel White that there was not that much unused land in this county in one body.

The representatives of the war department led the party to believe that they have a suitable site a few miles northeast of McBee which they can probably use. There is one other site in the Southeastern department also that probably can be used, but it is more than likely that the camp will be located near McBee.

This will mean that between thirty and forty thousand men will be in that section in training, consisting of machine artillery battles and rifle and machine gun practice. There will also be the usual equipment of horses and mules to move these heavy guns. The rifle and artillery range calls for land unobstructed by man, house or beast.

### Jewish Stores Close Monday.

With the setting of the sun on Sunday afternoon the Jewish New Year 5678, or Rosh Hashanah, begins. The advent of the New Year among the Jews is marked by exercises of a deeply religious nature—exercises rendered the more beautiful in the light of their antiquity—and from its commencement until sundown on the following afternoon will be a time held sacred by Jews throughout the world to the remotest hamlet.

Rosh Hashanah is one of a series of holy days that occur during this period of the year which marks the month of Tishri, the seventh month in the Jewish calendar. Among these holy days the New Year is considered very important and ranks in sacredness second only to the Day of Atonement which is observed ten days later. It is the time when man is supposed to cease his labor in the fields, to halt for a time in his vain pursuit after worldly gain and turn his thoughts to God.

The local Jewish merchants will close their stores Monday in observance of this holiday.

### Wreck Near The Trestle.

The breaking of an axle on engine No. 808 of the Seaboard Air Line, caused about 150 yards of track to be torn up near the Wateree river trestle near Camden Wednesday morning. Engines 37 and 808 were being run from Cayce to Hamlet in charge of Engineers G. B. Riddle and W. T. McGowan with no cars following. Only the tender of 808 left the track. Traffic over the road was tied up for about seven hours. No one was hurt.

### Death of Little Boy.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Exum were shocked to learn of the death of their little son, William Boykin, which occurred at their home on Broad street Monday morning after an illness of only 24 hours. The funeral services were held from their residence Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.—Sumter Herald. The little boy was a grandson of Mrs. W. D. Boykin, formerly of Camden.

### FEWER U-BOAT SINKINGS

#### Marked Decrease In Loss of British Merchantmen.

London, Sept. 12.—A marked decrease in the destruction of British merchantmen by mines or submarines is indicated in the weekly admiralty statement issued this evening. Twelve vessels of more than 1,670 tons were sent to the bottom, as compared with twenty in the large and three in the small category, sunk the previous week. Tonight's statement shows that four fishing vessels also were lost.

The above admiralty statement shows the smallest number of large British vessels by mines or submarines since Germany last February began her intensified submarine campaign.

The previous low record was for the week of March 11, when thirteen vessels of more than 1,600 tons were lost.

### First Americans Killed.

First Lieut. Wm. T. Fitzsimmons of Kansas City, adjutant to the colonel commanding the Harvard unit; Private Leslie G. Wood, Stretcher, III.; Private Rudolph Rubino, New York; Oscar C. Tungo, Boston; three first lieutenants, six privates, one nurse were wounded in a German air raid over a Red Cross hospital behind the French lines Saturday night. That the raid was a deliberately planned one is shown by the fact that the raiders dropped German coins on the hospital as souvenirs of the raid.

### Jackson School Opening.

The Jackson Graded School opened Monday morning with principal C. C. Lowery and the usual teachers in charge. The opening exercises which consisted of recitations and songs by the pupils and special music and addresses made by some of our leading amateurs. These exercises were enjoyed by a large crowd of pupils and friends. The ministers of the city gave very good speeches. School opens 8:30 a. m. and closes at 1:45 p. m. The opening enrollment is 123 boys and 190 girls.

## DEMONSTRATION WORK

### Clubs Have Been Organized at Kershaw and Wateree Mill Village.

Miss Selma Parrish, County Home Demonstration Agent has begun the work of organizing women of Kershaw County into Home Demonstration Clubs. Much enthusiasm has been shown at each place visited. After visiting several prominent families in the Timrod section it was decided to effect an organization in that neighborhood on Friday Sept. 14th at the home of Mrs. Vance Estridge at 3 o'clock.

A very interesting meeting was held at the Kershaw High School last Friday morning. The matter of fitting up a kitchen and having domestic science taught in the school was discussed. A committee was appointed to raise money by subscription for this purpose.

A Woman's Home Demonstration Club was organized with the following officers: Mrs. J. W. Ingram, president; Miss Mary Hayes, vice president; Mrs. J. A. McCaskill, secretary. Besides these officers ten members were enrolled. The first regular meeting will be held Thursday after the meeting at the school house. All the ladies are invited to be present at the home of Mrs. Ingram.

Monday night Sept. 10, a demonstration in making grape catsup was given at the Wateree Mill club house. This club house has a splendidly equipped kitchen which added greatly to the interest and enthusiasm of all those present. Miss Cornell, the trained nurse of this village had conferred with Miss Parrish beforehand and had secured all the material necessary for a successful demonstration. If the agent meets with such splendid cooperation in the other communities in the county, great good can be accomplished in helping to direct the efforts of the women during this national crisis. The officers for the Wateree Mill Home Demonstration Club are as follows: Mrs. I. L. Truesdale, president; Miss D. L. Cornell, vice president; Miss Sallie Rogers, secretary. Twelve members were enrolled besides officers. The interest the men took in the work was remarkable and it is hoped this interest will spread among the women of the village.

Owing to the unusual demands on the bureau of publications at Washington it will be some time before bulletins on various subjects can be secured. The following recipe is given so that the present grape crop can be utilized to advantage.

### Grape Catsup

First weigh then crush fruit. Stew until skins are soft. Press through potato masher leaving skins and seeds behind. To juicy portion which passes through add for each 5 pounds of fresh fruit:

- 2 1/2 lbs. sugar.
- 1 tablespoonful ground cinnamon
- 1 tablespoonful ground allspice
- 1 tablespoonful ground cloves
- 1-2 tablespoonful pepper
- 1-2 tablespoonful salt
- 1 pint vinegar

Boil mixture till slightly thick and seal it hot in sterilized bottles or fruit jars. Muscadines or scuppermons may be used in making grape catsup. The hulls of muscadines are tougher and must be cooked a little longer to soften hulls. Don't add water as it merely lengthens the time of boiling.

### Held Under \$2,000 Bail.

Philadelphia, Sept. 11.—Lieut. Captain Max Thierichens, former commander of the seized German raider Prinz-Eitel Friedrich, was today held under \$2,000 bail for court by United States Commissioner Long charged with sending improper matter through the mails to a school teacher at Saginaw, Mich. Thierichens is in prison awaiting trial on charges of smuggling and violation of the Mann white slave act.

### Newspaper For Clover.

The "Clover Messenger," is the name of a weekly newspaper to be published in Clover which is expected to make its initial appearance next Friday. The publishers are H. J. Gasque, formerly publisher of the Allendale Progress, and Mr. C. W. Wallace, a native of the Filbert section of York County who has been engaged in the insurance business in North and South Carolina for several years. The paper is to be an eight page seven column quarto and is to be published every Friday. Due to the fact that quarters for the printing office have not yet been secured and the equipment has not yet arrived in Clover, the first two issues will be printed out of town.—Yorkville Enquirer.

## KERSHAW NEWS NOTES

### Interesting Happenings Gathered From The Era of That Place.

Miss Rebecca Jones, who was visiting at the home of her brother in Greenville, was painfully injured about the head and face, the first week, when an automobile in which she was riding with some friends was steered into a tree while attempting to pass another vehicle in the road. All of the several occupants of the car were injured, but none fatally so.

Attorneys E. D. Blakeney and E. L. Williams appeared before Judge George E. Prince in Columbia on Thursday and secured bail for L. J. Jordan in the sum of \$3,000 and for Roy Jordan in the sum of \$2,000.

Rev. J. B. Caston and family left the past week for Columbia where Mr. Caston will complete his theological course in the Presbyterian Seminary. Mr. Caston has also accepted a call to preach at King Grove Baptist Church, Lexington county, during his stay in Columbia.

Mr. Preston Knight and Miss Gole Hinson, both of Primus, were married Sunday Sept. 9. The ceremony was performed by Notary Public W. F. Estridge at his home.

Rev. R. M. DuBose and family have returned from an extended visit to relatives at Sumter, Darlington and Bishopville.

J. D. Lafitte has resigned his position in the office of the Kershaw Mercantile & Banking Co. He and Mrs. Lafitte will leave today to make their future home at Manning, where Mr. Lafitte has accepted a position with the bank.

Charlie Sowell has returned to Kershaw from Birmingham, Ala., where he spent his summer vacation with relatives.

Carlisle Kirkley, who spent the past several weeks in Charlotte and other North Carolina cities, returned home Monday.

John and Archie Blackmon left Monday to re-enter upon their duties as students at Wake Forest College.

Carlisle Nelson, of Co. M, 1st S. C. Regiment, stationed at Greenville, is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Nelson.

Howard Fagan, of Rock Hill has accepted the position at the Kershaw Oil Mill office made vacant by the resignation of Burnett Whitaker. Mr. and Mrs. Fagan arrived in Kershaw the past week.

Dr. T. W. Leslie went to Rock Hill last Friday to attend the funeral of his uncle, T. M. Whisnant, who died in the Fenell Infirmary in that city Thursday morning.

### Married.

Mr. Charles A. Stricklin, of Lugoff, and Miss Rebecca Simpson, of Fort Lawn, S. C., were married at the home of Probate Judge McDowell on Sunday September 9th. Mr. Stricklin is employed by the Southern Power Company near Camden.

### Mr. Harding Not To Leave.

The many friends of Rev. E. H. Harding, rector of Grace Episcopal church of this city will be glad to learn that he has decided to remain in Camden. He returned from his Baltimore trip last Monday and will conduct the usual services at the Episcopal Church on Sunday.

### W. M. U. Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union of Kershaw Association will be held Sept. 27th and 28th at Mt. Olivet Church. All churches having missionary societies please send delegates and those churches not yet with societies please urge ladies to attend also.

Mrs. Robt. Goodale.

### Driving Auto, Takes Sick and Dies.

Greenville, Sept. 10.—While driving along in his car with a friend S. J. Rosamond a Greenville county man reared near Mountain Creek church, was taken suddenly ill near Lake Toxaway, Saturday afternoon and died before medical assistance could be given him. He is a prominent electrical engineer and a man of considerable wealth. He was spending his vacation at Lake Toxaway.

At the age of sixteen Mr. Rosamond moved with his parents to Mexico, Mo., where he made his home for a number of years.

### South Carolina's Share.

The State of South Carolina is to get \$225,014 for improving post roads from the National Government for the year ending June 30, 1919.

### American Colors Over Verdun.

Paris, Sept. 11.—The American colors now fly over Verdun. The flag, which was the gift of a prominent American Red Cross worker to the city, was hoisted over the ruin of the city hall after a ceremony attended by the sub-prefect, Jean Grillon.

### British Casualties.

London, Sept. 11.—Casualties in the British ranks reported during the week ending today show a total of 26,026 officers and men, as follows:

Officers, killed and died of wounds, 184; men 4,183.

Officers, wounded or missing 581; men 21,078.

## MORE MEN TO CAMP JACKSON

### List of Those Who Will Report to Local Board Next Tuesday.

The following is a list of men who have been certified for service in the National Army. The first thirty men will report to the local board at the Court House on Tuesday and will leave for Camp Jackson at Columbia on Wednesday. This is the list certified up to date. There may be others certified to before that day and they will also have to report. No negroes will be sent to Camp Jackson in this call.

### White

Hampton R. Horton, Kershaw  
Yancy Lee Langley, Camden  
Oscar Small, Kershaw  
Albert Hinson, Camden  
Chas. Baker, Bethune  
Benjamin T. Davis, Camden  
B. J. Cassidy, Bethune  
Melvin C. Watts, Cantey  
Willie L. Dixon, Kershaw  
Isaac Robertson, Kershaw  
John E. Gaylord, Bethune  
F. E. Polson, Cassatt  
W. S. McCoy, Kershaw  
F. M. Ogburn, Westville  
G. E. Rabon, Lugoff  
Blake Branham, Lugoff  
W. F. Redfern, McBee  
Fletcher Jackson, Longtown  
B. I. Maddox, Blaney  
W. S. Cauthen, Jefferson  
H. E. Estridge, Kershaw  
Ed. L. Truesdale, Kershaw  
J. E. Smith, Camden  
Tillman Matthews, Cantey  
B. J. Truesdale, Kershaw  
Gary Branham, Lugoff  
M. P. Owens, Westville  
D. P. Polson, Shepard  
Shelly Gardner, Kershaw  
Belton Tidwell, Cassatt  
Alvin L. Morgan, Blaney  
Leroy Johnson, Jefferson  
George Reynolds, Longtown  
Joe T. Hornsby, Blaney  
D. W. Blackwell, Bethune  
I. J. Holland, Camden

### Colored

Willie Miller, Camden  
W. E. Murchison, Bethune  
James Chatten, Boykin  
Will Wright, Bethune  
Grant Levy, Lugoff  
Benjamin Carter, Camden  
Robert Williams, Camden  
Bill Bonepart, Lugoff  
John Anderson, Camden  
H. E. Pleshley, Bethune  
Wm. Randolph Williams, Camden  
Joseph Jones, Camden  
Leah Lafta, Lugoff  
Jackson Adamson, Camden  
Ross Carter, Heath Springs  
A. Aaron, Camden  
Joe Huckabee, Longtown  
James Shields, Bethune  
Robert Jackson, Lugoff  
Willie Cabbagestalk, Bethune  
Leonard Houston, Kershaw  
Coleman McCaskill, Bethune  
Cattis Kirkland, Stoneboro  
John Wilson, Liberty Hill  
Jacob Boykin, Camden  
John Grant, Bethune  
Benjamin DuBose, Camden  
Willie Dunlap, Liberty Hill  
Robert Patterson, Liberty Hill  
Charles Carlos, Camden  
Hood Williams, Kershaw  
Joe Moses, Cantey  
Eugene Wilson, Camden  
George White, Longtown  
Ernest Hill, Lugoff  
Charlie Clyburn, Camden  
Solomon Davis, Boykin  
Zacharia Thomas, Camden  
Robert Tillman, Blaney  
Jimmie N. McLain, Camden  
John Gary, Boykin  
Fu rman Peables, Camden  
Henry Williams, Bethune  
Leonard Butler, Boykin  
Fred Perkins, Kershaw  
William Brown, Camden  
Nick Jones, Longtown  
Nathan Holley, Boykin  
Edward McKain, Camden  
Frank Charles, Boykin  
Davis Smith, Camden  
Matthew DeBruhl, Boykin  
Ernest Salmon, Blaney  
Ed Gee, Camden  
Mason Barker, Boykin  
Cornelius Boykin, Boykin  
Mathew Brown, Camden  
Robert Johnson, Camden  
Isaac Thompson, Boykin  
Willie Bowman, Edgewood  
J. M. McLean, Camden  
Luther DuBose, Kershaw  
Martin Jacobs, Lugoff  
Abraham Seegars, Kershaw  
Joe Bennett, Blaney  
Thomas Brown, Boykin  
Rich'd McDowell, Kershaw  
Robt. Gatewood, Cantey  
Richard English, Blaney  
Hazel Curry, Camden  
John Coleman, Camden  
Mose Brunson, Boykin  
Samuel James, Camden  
Will Duren, Kershaw  
Wm. Baston, Kershaw  
Luther Caldwell, Bethune  
Glas Huckabee, Longtown  
John Robinson, Liberty Hill  
James Cantey, Camden

Following is a list of names who have been discharged by the District Board: Dalton Jackson, James Beckham, Leonard Truesdale, Edward DuBose, James Scott, Henry Mack, Early McCaskill, William Lee, Gus Dempsey, Earl Johnson, Harris Batts, Gus Dixon, W. E. Abernathy, Edward Jones.

## BETHUNE NEWS NOTES.

### A Chronicle of Happenings From Our Regular Correspondent.

Bethune, S. C., Sept. 12.—Dr. L. O. Johnson returned to town last week after spending several weeks in the mountains of North Carolina.

Mr. Boulware, who took Dr. Johnson's place in the drug store during his absence, left for his home in Wainsboro last Wednesday.

Mrs. A. B. McLaurin and little daughter returned home last Thursday after a two weeks visit to friends in York, S. C.

Mrs. Lizzie Johnson of Ivanhoe, N. C., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mayes.

Miss Stella Bethune spent Thursday in McBee.

Mr. Bascom Best, and Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald motored to Hartsville Friday.

Mrs. Hearon of McBee is spending the week in town with relatives.

Mr. L. W. West motored to Hartsville last Wednesday.

Miss Birdie Bell Yarbrough is spending some time in town with her aunt Mrs. C. C. Gardner.

Misses Carrie Yarbrough and Rena McNaull have returned from a visit to relatives in Hartsville.

Little Miss Marguerite Josey of Tiller's Ferry, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. N. Clyburn in town.

Mr. W. E. Davis motored to Hartsville Tuesday.

Little Miss Millie Lou Horton has returned to her home in Kershaw after visiting Miss Alene McDowell.

Mrs. H. E. Hyatt is making an extensive visit to relatives in Lucknow and Bishopville.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Holder and family of McBee were in town Sunday.

Dr. S. C. Byrd, president of Chocoma College for Women was in town last Wednesday.

Dr. J. R. Durham spent a few days last week in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Davis of Chesterfield are spending the week with relatives in town.

Mr. Douglas Mays spent the past week end at home.

Miss Florrie Bethune and Mrs. J. T. Allen two of the Bethune High School teachers for the coming session, reached town Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Jim Waters, who resided near town, died suddenly Tuesday night. She leaves a husband and several children.

Mr. Busick McQuage spent Tuesday in Columbia.

Rev. J. C. Lawson of McBee was in town Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Rev. Jeffcoat of Saluda, S. C., is conducting a series of services in town this week. The meetings are being held in the Methodist Church and there has been a good attendance so far.

## ARTICLE ON CAMDEN

### Town Well Treated in Automobile Blue Book.

The Camden Chamber of Commerce has received a copy of an article descriptive of Camden, which will appear in the forthcoming edition of the Automobile Blue Book, the national guide for motorists and the only publication of its kind in the world.

The article is particularly complete. It contains a description of the physical features of Camden and a summary of its history from the earliest days to the present time. In the article there is also a very complete treatment of all the points of historical interest that Camden is so proud of.

A representative of the Blue Book was in Charleston recently, going over the information and bringing it up to date. He got much of the information needed on this visit. The article has been typewritten and sent the Camden Chamber of Commerce for their final approbation before publishing it.

Since the Automobile Blue Book is read by nearly every automobile owner in the country the article on Camden will prove a great advertisement for the city and it is expected that it will be the cause of many tourists visiting the city.

### For Killing Cripple Child.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Sept. 11.—Mrs. Alvin Kenniston was found guilty of murder in the second degree today for participating in the killing July 5 of Alice Bradshaw the crippled eight-year-old daughter of a neighbor. The jury deliberations lasted but forty minutes. Mrs. Kenniston, a neighbor of the Bradshaw family, was arrested with Miss Etta Hicks, housekeeper for the girl's father, John Bradshaw, on July 6. According to the police, both women confessed killing the child because she was a bother.

C. W. Sims, Leonard Scott, Dock Rutledge, Wade Portee, J. D. Pitts, Nelson Watkins, W. G. Rabon, Noel King, Frank Kelly, J. J. Ballard, Gus Hayes, J. M. Heribert, Sammie Bradford, G. W. Reeves, H. L. Robertson, J. J. Snipes, Wells Deas, J. K. West, Simon Williams, Callie Braswell, Hamp Boyd, Matthew Brown, Benj. Batts, L. L. Campbell, Edward Carolina, Horace Clyburn, R. P. Copeland.