

War Fronts Reports More Optimistic

(By Associated Press)

War Front, Nov. 10.—More optimistic tone prevails according to today's reports from the war fronts, outstanding feature of today's news. Newspaper of British Belgrade front in Passchendaele area where an advance of nearly a mile was made, capturing virtually all the objectives on front, 2500 yards by 10 o'clock in the morning. The Italians report having succeeded in withdrawing their armies across Piave river after the rearguards were disengaged from the enemy.

Berlin reports the capture of Asiago on Trentio front, 20 miles from Piave, indicating that the Teutons have begun an offensive on the Trentio front in an effort to outflank the Piave line.

The German troops which undertook serious advances northwest of Rhims were repulsed by the French, is the Paris statement.

It is reported that Moscow has gone over to the revolutionists. The situation is reported quiet.

British Attack Passchendaele Farm and Gained 800 Yards

(By Associated Press)

British Front, Nov. 10.—British troops attacked this morning Passchendaele Farm and pushed 800 yards at some points. Operations were carried on 2500 yard front for limited objectives which were virtually all gained by 10 o'clock.

Enemy Checked in Ordo Valley; Italians Cross Piave River and Destroy Bridges Behind Them

(By Associated Press)

Rome, Nov. 10.—The enemy has been checked in Ordo Valley, war office announces. Hostile thrust at Bronson in Tesino Basin has also been checked. From Suzegana to Sea, Italian rear guards disengagement from enemy and crossed Piave river, blowing up all bridges behind them.

Loss of Life on Finland Result Of Unauthorized Lowering of boats

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 10.—Admiral Sims cabled today home of the loss of American lives in an unsuccessful submarine attack on the transport Finland, due to unauthorized lowering of boats.

Big Mass Meeting Held Saturday

Dr. A. W. Bevins, who has charge of the Y. M. C. A. army work at Camp Wadsworth, delivered a thrilling address here in the court house today. The building was packed and the speaker was given earnest and attentive hearing. Mr. J. A. Sawyer, county chairman of the organization to raise \$35,000,000 for the purpose of carrying on work among the soldiers, introduced the speaker. The great campaign will begin Monday. We hope to publish a fuller account of Dr. Bevins speech Monday.

Ruling on Jewelry Tax.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Distinction is made between watches to be used only as timekeepers and those for personal adornment in a ruling today by Internal Revenue Commissioner Roper, definite jewelry taxable 3 per cent on manufacturer's sales under the Revenue Act. Watches in metal bracelets and all those bearing jeweled ornamentation are classed as personal adornment and are subject to tax.

The same distinction is made for garters and suspenders intended for utility or adornment.

Included in the commissioner's list of taxable articles are "vanity," stamp and match boxes, cigar and cigarette cases, lorgnettes, yinagrettes and eyebrow pencils.

58 Years Old; Dies in Chair.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 9.—Walking calmly into the death room, J. A. Terry, 58 years old, convicted on the charge of having killed John R. Stuart, a prominent Guilford county farmer in the fall of 1916, was put to death by electrocution this morning at the State penitentiary here.

The killing of Stuart is said to have been the outgrowth of bad feeling on the part of Stuart caused by a civil suit instituted against Terry by a member of the Stuart family. Insanity at the time of the crime was offered by the defense for Terry.

Remedy for Asthma.

Obtain from any drug store white mustard seed. Take one table spoon full at bed time every night. Stir the seed well in honey or molasses and swallow them whole.

No New Developments Regarding Upheaval in Russia

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 10.—First reports from American Ambassador to France on upheaval in Russia arrived here today but added nothing to news dispatches already received.

Congress of Soldiers and Workmen Cabinet Composed of "Bolshevik"

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, Nov. 10.—All the Russian congress of workmen and soldier delegates are reported unofficially to have named a cabinet composed entirely of Bolshevik, then adjourned. The cabinet is headed by Nikolai Lenine premier; Leon Trotsky was made foreign minister and will serve until the new assembly approves or another is elected. One cabinet member chosen is a sailor, another is a laborer.

Industrial Workers Badly Beaten; Ordered to Leave Tulha Forever

(By Associated Press)

Tulka, Okla., Nov. 10.—The whereabouts of 14 half naked, badly-beaten members of the Industrial Workers of the World who were taken from the police, whipped, tarred and feathered last night by a band of 60 "Knights of Liberty" is unknown today. They have been warned never to return to Tulha. The police force is watching the work of the "Knights."

Desaulles Trial Set For Nov. 19; Will Allow No Sensational By-Play

(By Associated Press)

New York, Nov. 10.—Justice Manning, of the Supreme Court, who presided at the trial of Mrs. Bianca DeSaulles for the murder of her former husband, John L. DeSaulles, on November 19th, announced that the trial would be free from sensational features. Photographers will be barred.

General Brumbaugh Reviews 82nd Division National Guard

(By Associated Press)

Atlanta, Nov. 10.—Governor Brumbaugh with his wife and staff are here today to witness a review of about 15,000 selectmen at Camp Gordon. The review was participated in with Governor Dorsey, Georgia's guests, at a reception of Major General Eben Swift, commanding the Eighty-second Division of the National Army.

Berlin Reports Rumors of Peace Offers From Maximalists

(By Associated Press)

Copenhagen, Nov. 10.—A Berlin correspondent of the Hamberger Fremdenblatt reports that German wireless stations on the Eastern front have picked up various radio messages dealing with an armistice, but has no confirmation of the statement that Maximalists have already offered peace or armistice.

Million and a Quarter in Dividends Paid by Fall River Cotton Company

(By Associated Press)

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 10.—Cash dividends amounting to a million and a quarter dollars establishing new high record, has been paid by Fall River Cotton Manufacturing Company for the fourth quarter mill year, was announced today.

Fair Weather Reported For All Next Week

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 10.—Fair weather with moderate temperatures predominate over South Atlantic States for the week beginning Sunday, according to the weekly forecast issued today.

State Fuel Administrators To Check Prices on Coal

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 10.—In an effort to hold retail coal profits at a reasonable margin the War Administration today directed the State Fuel Administrators to carefully check the prices. The instructions called for reports by retailers to the local committees to get the exact amount of gross margin charged. When complaints of prices are made the dealers must give detailed statements of the concerns doing business.

FINDS TRUE BILL AGAINST HERRING

Case Comes Up For Trial Next
Monday in Greenwood.

W. P. Beard, Former Editor of "The Scimitar," Found Guilty of Circulating Matter of Seditious Nature Against the Government.

Chief of Police Milo H. Evans and Rev. J. D. Croft, who attended United States court in Greenwood this week, going there in the case of Herring, charged with seditious talk against the government, returned to Union Friday. A true bill was brought in against Herring and the case will come up for trial on Monday, at which time Chief Evans and Rev. Mr. Croft will return to Greenwood to attend the trial.

While in Greenwood they attended the trial of W. P. Beard, a newspaper editor, tried for writing and circulating matter of a seditious nature against the government. Beard was convicted upon three counts and will be sentenced before the court adjourns this week. Beard was the editor of the News Scimitar, a paper that made many bitter attacks upon the government and upon public officials.

City Purchases Truck.

The city of Union has sold its mules and purchased a "Little Giant" two-ton truck through J. E. Tinsley. Owing to the high cost of mule feed this will be more of a saving than using wagons and mules for hauling.

Little Boy Has Accident.

Vaugh Palmer, the little 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Palmer, was slightly cut on the neck by a broken piece of glass from the wind shield when the car in which he was riding collided with another. The accident occurred at the upper gate of the fair grounds Friday, but was very slight.

To Preach at Monarch.

Rev. Mr. Bowen, a returned missionary from China, will speak for the congregation of the Monarch Methodist church on Sunday morning. You are cordially invited to attend this service.

C. E. Mason to Speak for Baptists Tomorrow

C. E. Mason, a prominent layman of Charlotte, N. C., has accepted an invitation to speak for the congregation of the First Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Mason is not a stranger to the people of Union, having been here on previous occasions and they are delighted at the opportunity of hearing him again.

Bronte Club to Meet.

The Bronte club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Carnegie library and every member is urged to be present as it is a very important meeting.

Let Them Smoke.

Previously acknowledged \$9.25
Mrs. Lucy T. Sanders25
Miss Louise Fowler50

Total \$10.00
Just think of it? We have \$10.00 for the smokes for the brave boys and will have \$50.00 before you know it. Please help us, friends. This money is going to carry a deal of cheer to somebody's boy.

E. F. Kelly & Bro. sold to W. G. Gault the Owens place, one mile south of Union. Mr. Gault will move there about January 1st.

World's Greatest Singer Lands at American Port

Enrico Caruso, Famous Tenor, Kissed the Pier When He Reached the United States Sunday.

A message from "An Atlantic port" Sunday to the Baltimore American said:

So glad was Enrico Caruso when he reached American soil once more that he kissed the pier as he stepped off the vessel here today. Caruso has been in South America for six months. The famous tenor was anxious to get the latest news from the Italian front, and made inquiries of friends who had come to meet him, among them being Giulio Gatti-Casazza, Antonio Scotti and Andrea de Segurela, of the Metropolitan Opera company.

Fellow-passengers of Caruso said that he was much moved and depressed when wireless news of the Italian retreat reached the ship.

Mr. Caruso is in excellent health and ready to start his operatic engagements in this country. He appeared in 40 performances in the Colon opera house in Buenos Aires.

Mr. Aubrey Noland Scalded.

Mr. Aubrey Noland, a member of Company E, is at home on a furlough owing to a painful, although not dangerous, accident. He was seriously scalded in the face and about the neck when a pot of boiling water was accidentally overturned a day or two ago at Camp Sevier, Greenville. The side of the face and neck were blistered by the boiling water and steam.

Rebuilding Homes of Destitute French

(By Associated Press)

Paris, October 25.—Temporary repairs on buildings in certain sections of the liberated area of France sufficient to enable returned refugees to remain in their homes through the winter, have been undertaken by the Bureau of Reconstruction and Relief of the American Red Cross. Work was recently begun at Croix, near Nesle, and it is hoped to complete the task in that village Molignaux and Matigny within one month. The bureau is also preparing plans for relief work in other villages.

Churches Dismantled to Furnish War Munitions

(By Associated Press)

London, October 25.—Nearly all the church bells and organ pipes of Alsatian towns and villages have now been dismantled and converted into munitions of war. But the money the German government agreed to give for these bells will not be paid out, but retained and invested in the new German war loan.

Purely Personal.

M. W. Bailey of Kelton was a visitor to Union Saturday.

Douglass Betenbaugh of Route 2 was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. Lucy Barron has returned from a visit to Mrs. L. D. Childs in Columbia.

Mrs. Barnes of Greenville is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Preston B. Barnes on S. Church street.

Miss Lois Townsend, who teaches in the county, is spending the weekend with Mrs. C. T. Murphy on Mountain street.

Dr. W. H. Perrin and Dr. R. R. Pope left today for Cincinnati, Ohio, to stand the examination for the dental corps of the U. S. Army.

Daily Cotton Report.

December cotton opened at 29.57 and closed at same.
Local market, 28c.
Seed, \$71.00.