

GERMANY RECEIVES TREATY OF PEACE

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ence of German-Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland.

Her army is reduced to 100,000 men, including officers.  
Conscription within her territories is abolished.

All forts 50 kilometres east of the Rhine are to be razed, and all importation, exportation and nearly all production of war material is to be stopped.

Allied occupation of parts of Germany will continue till reparation is made, but will be reduced at end of each of three five year periods if Germany is fulfilling her obligations. Any violation by Germany of conditions as to the zone 50 kilometres east of the Rhine will be regarded as an act of war.

The German navy is to be reduced to six battleships, six light cruisers and 12 torpedo boats without any submarines and the personnel not to be over 15,000. All other vessels must be surrendered or destroyed.

Germany is forbidden to build forts controlling the Baltic and must demolish Heligoland, open the Kiel canal to all nations, and surrender her 14 submarine cables.

She may have no military or naval air forces except 100 unarmed seaplanes until Oct. 1. To detect mines and may manufacture aviation material for six months.

Germany accepts full responsibility for all damages caused to the Allied and associated governments and their nationals, agrees specifically to reimburse all civilian damages, beginning with an initial payment of Twenty Billion marks, subsequent payments to be secured by bonds to be issued at the discretion of the reparation commission.

Germany is to pay shipping damage on a ton for ton basis by cession of a large part of her merchant coasting and river fleets and by new construction, and to devote her economic resources to the rebuilding of the devastated regions. She agrees to the return of the 1914 "most favored nations" tariffs without discrimination of any sort, to allow allied and associated nationals freedom of transport through her territories, to accept highly detailed provisions as to pre-war debts, unfair competition, internationalization of roads and rivers and other economic and financial clauses.

She also agrees to the trial of the Ex-Kaiser by an international high court for a supreme offense against international morality and of other nationals for violation of the laws and customs of war.

Holland is to be asked to extradite the former Kaiser and Germany is to be responsible for delivery of the latter.

The League of Nations is accepted by the allied and associated powers as operative by Germany in principle but without membership. Similarly an international labor body is brought into being with a permanent office and an annual convention. A great number of national bodies of different kinds and for different purposes are created, some under the League of Nations and some to execute the peace treaty. Among the former is a commission to govern the Saar basin till a plebiscite is held 15 years hence; the high commissioner of Danzig, which is created into a free city under the league, and various commissions for plebiscites in Malmody, Schleswig and East Prussia. Among those to carry out the peace treaty are the reparations, military, naval, air, financial and economic commissions, the international high court and military tribunals to fix responsibilities, and a series of bodies for the control of international rivers.

FAIRFIELD.

Fairfield, May 8.—We had a nice rain Tuesday which was appreciated by all.

Mr. Thes. F. Young of Puckett Town, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Crawford.

Mr. James Long spent the Sabbath with Mr. David Young.

Mrs. W. D. Purdy and little children spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Creswell. Mrs.

Creswell has been quite sick, but is better now.

Miss Minnie Belle Talbert spent last Tuesday with Eva and Alma Young.

Mrs. J. T. Wiley of Lethe, spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Young and family.

Miss Mary Spence and brother, Ralph, spent Sunday in Bethia with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Beauford.

Misses Minnie Belle Talbert and Alma Young visited Mrs. J. P. Creswell Tuesday.

Mrs. Fannie McCaslan and Frances Creswell spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mary F. Creswell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Creswell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Purdy.

Mr. Robert Creswell spent Saturday night with Masters Ansel and Lucian Talbert.

Mrs. T. A. Talbert and sons, Ansel and Lucian called to see Mrs. T. P. Creswell in Harrisburg last week.

Miss Edith Horne spent Friday night with Mrs. W. D. Purdy.

PENNEY'S CREEK

Penneys Creek, May 8.—The Rev. Martin, pastor of Midway church, filled his regular appointment on last Sunday morning. He delivered a fine sermon to a large congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Price and little children spent Saturday with relatives near Price's Mill.

Mrs. O. B. Rogers and Mr. and

Mrs. J. F. Rogers spent Tuesday in Lowndesville with relatives.

We are sorry to say Mr. and Mrs. Will Rogers are on the sick list. Hope they will soon be well again. Miss Hattie Rogers has been sick with cold also.

Mrs. J. F. Ellenburg and three children, Chester, Anna Belle and Haskell spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Williams.

Mr. George Ferguson and son, Fred, were in our vicinity Friday on business.

Miss Lula Williams spent Thursday and Friday with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams at Martin's Mill.

Mrs. M. L. Williams, Mrs. Willie Williams and Lula Williams attended the picnic at Antreville Saturday and reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Price spent Tuesday in Anderson having some work done on their car.

Mr. S. S. Ellenburg spent Sunday with Mr. J. W. Bradberry.

Misses Lula Williams and Bertha Bradberry spent Saturday night with Mrs. W. C. Prince.

Mrs. Mattie Taylor and daughter, Miss Lila, spent last Tuesday with their cousin, Mrs. J. F. Rogers.

Mrs. Vandiver of Antreville, was calling on Mrs. Will Rogers last Wednesday afternoon.

Olin Greene, of Greenville, is in the city to spend a few days with his father, Mr. B. P. Greene, who is very sick at his home on Church street.

DUE WEST. (A. R. Presbyterian.)

Due West, May 7.—Mrs. Carrie T. Fleming of Laurens, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. Lane Bonner has gotten back from France and is now at Camp Merritt.

Miss Boggs was guest of her cousin, Miss Boggs at the Woman's College for a few days last week.

Miss Barbara Grier went to Charlotte last week and was a guest at the meeting of Synod.

Misses Ena and Hattie Agnew and Dr. Frank Agnew spent the Sabbath at home with their mother.

Mrs. Frances Ligon and daughter, Miss Louise, of Spartanburg, spent the Sabbath at the home of Mrs. J. B. Agnew.

Mr. Grier Brown, Misses Pearl Wardlaw and Laura Agnew, all of Ninety Six, were on a recent visit to home folks in town.

Mr. O. A. Hamilton of Harms, Tenn., came by from Synod in Charlotte, and spent the Sabbath in Due West with his son, Mr. Hamilton, of the Seminary.

Miss Hattie Agnew now in Spartanburg Business College, came home Saturday and remained over the Sabbath. She brought with her as her guest, Mrs. Ligon of Spartanburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson have been on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Putnam. Mrs. Watson will remain in town a few weeks. Mr. Watson re-

turned to Greenville last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Reid of Iva, came down Saturday and were the guests over the Sabbath of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dusenberry. They were accompanied by their daughters, Misses Mabel and Winnie, also Miss Margaret Wilson.

Miss Estelle Todd, who has spent a number of months at Blue Ridge, N. C., is at home for a short visit. She is greatly pleased with her work in the mountains of Western North Carolina and will return in a few weeks.

NO DISCRIMINATION AGAINST CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS

Florence, May 6.—Col. Holmes B. Springs has given out for publication a telegram which he has received from Theodore Roosevelt putting an end to the canard sent broadcast that the Confederation veterans were not to be admitted into membership of the American Legion, while veterans of the G. A. R. as well as Spanish-American war veterans had been invited to join the organization.

Colonel Springs states that he felt confident that Colonel Roosevelt's position in the matter had been misrepresented, and telegraphed him for an expression. The reply, says Colonel Spring, is just what he expected it would be. "The boys who have been fighting overseas have come to know no section. It was a 'one country' proposition we were up against, and the boys from the South stood shoulder to shoulder as they advanced against the common foe."

Colonel Springs added that he felt sure the unfortunate discussion of the discrimination against the Confederate soldier was the result of a regrettable error somewhere. "Of course," he said, "I would be the last man in South Carolina to stand for anything of that sort, and it was for this reason that I immediately sought an expression from Colonel Roosevelt." The telegram is as follows:

"Col. Holmes Springs, Georgetown, S. C.:

"I notice clipping from New York papers stating that the American Legion proposed to admit union veterans and not Confederate veterans. This is absolutely untrue. If the committees at the convention decided to admit one, both would have to be admitted. The question of eligibility is of course one for the convention. The Confederate veterans is one of the organizations which is to welcome delegates at St. Louis. Trust you will do your best to stamp out all question of sectionism. This, in my mind, is one of the important functions of the proposed organization. We fought shoulder to shoulder in this war and the Spanish war. My own forbears are members of both the G. A. R. and Confederate veterans. Please advise me concerning the progress of the organization in South Carolina, I feel it of vital importance that the South should be properly represented at this convention."

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