

KAISER BROKEN WITH DESPAIR

Talks Incessantly of What Might Have Been or Is Morose

INCENSED AT ADVISERS

Rages Violently at Those Who Deserted Him, Blaming Them, Not Himself

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Amersongen, Holland, April 3.—The Kaiser "died hard." He clung tenaciously to the thought that he would be emperor again and supreme war lord, and would not give up the idea for weeks after his interment.

That is the testimony of all who see him or talk to him these days. They add, however, that he finally has abandoned hope. They say his hair is white, that his eyes are sunken and that his parchment-like skin hangs on his shrunken frame. He now walks in the inner grounds of Count von Bentinck's castle, dressed in slouchy clothes, so ill-fitting that he gives the impression of having endured already the worst sentences the Allies could inflict on him.

One man who is close to him said to me the day that William II looked as if he had fallen from the clouds into hell. For weeks after coming to Amersongen, William Hohenzollern talked, and talked, and talked, incessantly for hours at a stretch; but, since he has begun to realize that he no longer is Kaiser, he has become morose. He has drooping spells of long duration, with periods when he does not talk at all.

There is what might have been. When he does talk his theme is "What might have been," wherein the word "if" chiefly figures—"if" he had known the facts, "if" he had been properly informed, "if" he had been deceived by everybody, "if" he had been told the truth, etc.

The Kaiser is incredibly bitter against his old advisers, encourage and friends. He is the very personification of hatred against his statesmen and diplomats. When he talks about them he becomes almost violent, and the very mention of one of their names throws him into a rage.

The desertion of him by all of those who once fawned on him rankles deeply, and he dwells on what he deems their cowardice and ingratitude. "They all lied to me and deceived me," he complains. "Every one of them lied almost to the last. Not until last September did Ludendorff tell me what the real situation was."

He recently asserted with great vehemence to a visitor for whom he had sent: "My generals—I gave them the 'pour le merit' and order. I covered them with decorations, in front and behind, but they lied, deceived and cheated me, and then deserted and abandoned me. They are ingrates."

"Could Have Stopped Revolution"
To the same man he said on another occasion: "A general with 100 men could have put down the revolution in Berlin, but not one had the loyalty and courage to lift his hand."

To understand William Hohenzollern's bitterness against his generals one has to read some personal narratives concerning little-known details of dramatic events at headquarters the fateful November 9. They were written for archives that I have seen.

After all, there is some dignity with

the way men leave a sinking ship or abandon a lost cause, but it does not appear that such was manifest in William II's entourage that day. With the exception of one man, they dropped away from him, one after another, advising him to flee. They told him 2000 Reds were marching toward headquarters to get him, and finally informed him they could not guarantee his safety another night. They got him out after midnight and bundled him across the border at 2 o'clock in the morning.

UMBRIA, ITALIAN TROOPSHIP, SUNK; 2000 ON BOARD

Several Killed and 100 Injured When Transport Strikes Mine

Paris, April 4.—(By A. P.)—The Italian transport Umbria, with 2000 officers and soldiers on board bound from Venice to Tripoli, has struck a mine and sunk, according to advices from Bari, Italy, quoting newspapers of that city.

BRITISH WOMEN'S BILL UP

Emancipation Measure Called for Second Reading in Commons

London, April 4.—(By A. P.)—The second reading of the common's emancipation bill was moved in the House of Commons today by William Adamson, chairman of the Labor party and leader of the Opposition.

Mr. Adamson explained that the object of the bill was to remove certain restrictions and disabilities still imposed upon women, entitle them to hold certain civil and judicial appointments and remove the disqualifications which prevented women from sitting and voting in the House of Lords.

The measure, he said, would give effect to the political and legal equality of men and women.

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ANTI-TRUST LAWS REVISION IS ASKED

U. S. Chamber of Commerce Recommends Complete Reconsideration

RESULT OF REFERENDUM

Congress Will Be Urged to Give Trade Commission Greater Power

By the Associated Press
Washington, April 4.—Reconsideration by Congress of all anti-trust legislation is recommended by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States as the result of a referendum vote of its affiliated trade and commercial organizations.

Complete returns from the referendum, made public today, show that the membership voted in favor of all four proposals advanced by a special committee that studied the subject. The proposals and the vote follow:

Congress should be asked immediately to consider the present situation of all statutes constituting our anti-trust legislation—For, 1543; against, 51.

In reconsideration of existing anti-trust legislation, there should be formulation of standards of general business conduct to be administered by a supervisory body—For, 1159; against, 589.

An enlarged federal trade commission should be made the supervisory body—For, 1102; against, 447.

In view of the importance of the functions of the trade commission as they would exist, the membership of the federal trade commission should be increased to nine—For, 1104; against, 422.

The subject of anti-trust legislation will be taken up at the seventh annual meeting of the chamber, in St. Louis, April 28 to May 1.

ATLANTIC CITY FIRST "AIR PORT"

Great Terminus for Transatlantic Flying Craft Planned There

GREAT AERIAL CENTER

Plane Facilities for 10,000,000 Visitors and Instruction School Projected

New York, April 4.—The world's first "air port" is being established at Atlantic City, N. J., it was announced today through joint action by the Aero Club of America, Aerial League of America and Atlantic City Aero Club.

Looking into the future, it is planned to create there a terminus for transatlantic land, and seaplanes and dirigible balloons; to have aircraft registered under the rules of the Department of Commerce and receive clearance papers in the same way ships do; to provide airplane business and pleasure facilities for the estimated ten million persons who visit Atlantic City yearly; to provide an instruction school for the police of various cities which decide to create this branch of municipal protection, under the supervision of New York City's aerial police officials, and to establish facilities for research in medical and meteorological problems which deal with flying, with army and other government officials in charge.

Headquarters for aeronautic racing would be organized, it was stated, and an air station provided for the coast guard and the life saving service.

Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, Captain Robert A. Bartlett, and Colonel E. Lester Jones, director of the coast and geodetic survey, are among the men identified with the project.

PRISONER BITES CAPTOR

Mayhem Fails to Free Man Said to Be Escaped Convict

Bit severely on the hands and face by a fugitive he was attempting to arrest. Detective Vaughan was treated at Howard Hospital, and his prisoner held at Central Station, after a hearing before Magistrate Meekery.

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(See Regular Advertisement on Page 11)

Georgette Blouses—Beaded, Embroidered and Frilled—Special at \$5

A lot of these lovely blouses came in just in time for Saturday. Not every style is in every size, but a great number to choose from.

In white, flesh (often with dainty touches of blue embroidery or beads), Copenhagen or League blue, biscuit and peach. Some are devoid of collars, while others have flat collars or frilly ones.

500 Blouses at \$1.35

A lot of about five hundred waists has been gathered together from our own stock and prices marked much less (in some cases less than half their former prices) because some were slightly soiled or there were only a few of a kind.

Of white voile, batiste and madras in white or colored stripes in very tailored models with high collars, or two-in-one collars; other lacy styles have flat or roll collars.

(Market)

Smart Suede Handbags \$3.50 and \$5

A puffy bag with a round, drop top has a little purse and a mirror on the inside of the top. There is a pretty lining and a silk tassel at the bottom. \$3.50.

About the same style in a larger bag, with a square cornered drop top is \$5.

Each is in Springlike shades of brown, gray and tan.

(Central)

Good Corsets—Special at \$1.25

Two models for slight to full figures are of white coutil. They are well boned, have medium low busts and are trimmed with lace or embroidery around the top. There are good hose supporters.

(Central)

Organdie—Special, 39c a Yard

It is sheer and dainty, in orchid, rose, light or cadet blue, reseda green, canary, tan and pink. 40 inches wide.

(Central)

Boys' All Wool Suits Special at \$13.75

They are for lads of 10 to 18 years.

The straight box coats are single-breasted with vertical side pockets and are loosely belted; the breast pockets have buttoned flaps. Every coat is lined with serge. The trousers are lined throughout and every seam is strongly taped for wear and tear.

Stripes and mixed patterns are in grays, browns and tans.

(Gallery, Market)

Eastery Silk Petticoats

You'll agree the minute you see them that they are just the things to go under new Easter suits and frocks.

Of lustrous taffeta or soft messaline, they have deep flounces pin tucked and finished with accordion pleated ruffles. All the lovely changeable shades are here as well as navy and black. Special at \$3.85.

(Central)

Sweater Yarn—19c a Hank

—which is close to half price for it. There are just 3600 hanks in this shipment, which will, in all probability, be the last. So women who are planning to make summer sweaters will do well to lay in the wool beforehand.

The colors are all the good ones of the season:

Turquoise	Dark Green	Shadow Lawn
Old rose	Nile	Chinchilla
Pink	Coral	White
Light Blue	Cardinal	Empire Green
Golden Brown	Buff	Wistaria
Purple	Black	

White and shaded blue or pink with white

(Central)

Fluffy Marabou Scarfs

There is any number of styles—long stoles and charming capes, plain, trimmed with ostrich or with little tails. One is in an animal shape; and another is inset with Georgette crepe. Every scarf is lined with silk and has silk or cord ends. \$5 to \$22.50.

(Central)

Women's Easter Footwear at Low Prices

The long, slender lines characteristic of Spring footwear are built into these pumps and ties, with light turned or welted soles and high or low heels.

Oxford Ties

At \$5.90—four styles—black patent leather, black calfskin and tan calfskin, have covered or medium heels.

At \$5.75—three styles—gray kidskin or tan calfskin ties, have high or medium heels.

At \$5.40—half-dozen styles—black patent leather, black calfskin or kidskin, have low, medium or high heels.

At \$5.25—three styles—brown kidskin, black patent leather or black calfskin, have high heels.

Pumps

At \$5.40—three styles of tan calfskin, black patent leather or black calfskin, have light turned soles and covered heels.

Spats in white, gray and brown tones are \$1.50 to \$2.50.

High Lace Shoes

of brown kidskin; black kidskin, soft gray leather and tan calfskin with cloth tops, have sturdy welted soles and high, low or medium heels. \$4.90 to \$5.90 a pair.

Oxford Ties for Girls

Dark tan or black calfskin oxfords in sizes 2½ to 8 have imitation wing tips, welted soles and low heels. \$5.40 a pair.

And for Boys

Dark tan or black dull leather oxfords, medium toe shapes in blucher style in sizes 2½ to 8 are \$5 a pair.

For the Children Wearing 8½ to 2

Black calfskin or patent leather oxford ties on wide toe shapes are \$3.75 and \$4.25.

Lace or button shoes of black calfskin or black patent leather are \$3 to \$4.25, according to size.

Children's White Shoes

of a soft leather resembling buckskin are in lace or button style at \$3.25 to \$4.75.

(Cheesnut)

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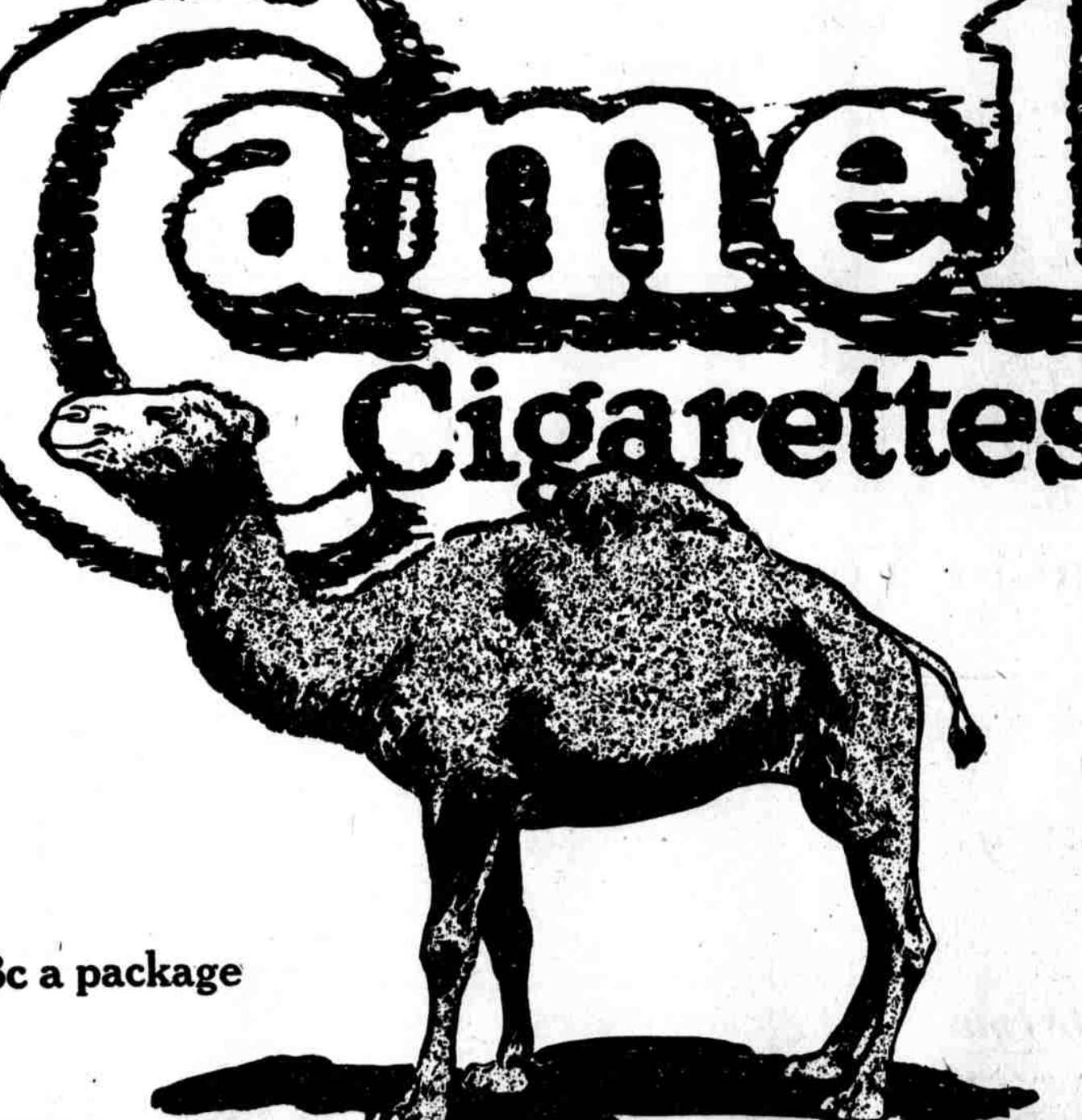
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