

RUSSIAN LABOR TO PROSECUTE WAR

"Liberty and Victory" Now Is Cry of People in the Streets

By Associated Press
 Petrograd, March 28, via London, March 29.—A declaration in support of the war has been issued by a committee of workmen, soldiers and deputies, which apparently represents the sober conclusion which the masses of the population have reached, after being swayed this way and that by the turbulent currents and cross-currents which swept through the country in the first days of the revolution. This conclusion is that liberty and victory over the Germans are inseparable and that the responsibility for plunging Europe into war rests on the Hohenzollern family and Prussian Imperialistic ambitions.

The tendency is to regard the war no longer as a struggle between nations, but as one between the new spirit of democracy and the old spirit of imperialism. The people are eagerly desirous of peace, but are ready to devote redoubled energy to war if that is the only way of achieving it. Even the dissenting voice of the extreme imperialist element, which at first openly declared itself against war and counseled the soldiers to lay down their arms has been drowned in the universal cry that the struggle must continue.

The result of this broader understanding of the object for which the country is fighting has been to bring the extreme radicals into unison with the rest of the country. Reassuring reports of the visit of Minister of War Guchkoff to the front continue to be received. Everywhere the army responded with the greatest enthusiasm to these appeals and declared itself ready to continue fighting until the end. The same spirit is manifested in Petrograd where there are daily processions of troops carrying banners inscribed: "Liberty and Victory."

ELISHA LEE IS MADE MANAGER

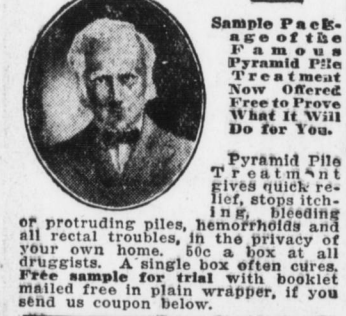
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 1892, as rodman in the office of the division engineer of the Tyrone division.

He was appointed assistant supervisor in April, 1899, and served in that capacity on various divisions until April, 1901, when he was appointed supervisor. In August, 1903, Mr. Lee was promoted to assistant engineer in the maintenance of way department. He was advanced to the position of principal assistant engineer on the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad division on April 1, 1907.

On March 24, 1909, Mr. Lee was appointed superintendent of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad, and on March 3, 1911, he was made assistant to the general manager of the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburgh and Erie. He was appointed general superintendent of the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad on April 1, 1914.

On May 1, 1916, in connection with the enlargement of the organization of the operating department of the lines east of Pittsburgh, Mr. Lee was promoted to the newly created office of assistant general manager. He has been prominent in recent strike conferences.

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GOVERNOR SENDS SUPPORT PLEDGE

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 tive committee is at work on details in Philadelphia, Governor Brumbaugh and officials of the State Government are arranging to place at the disposal of Chairman George Wharton Pepper and his committee the assistance of the department of Capitol Hill.

The Governor telegraphed to the President the pledge of support by the committee and announced the addition of ex-Governors Edwin S. Stuart and Tener to the committee. He also sent to Chairman Pepper some suggestions to organize committees on food supply and geological resources and to select men representing the State Grange, organized labor and scientific bodies of the State.

Plans were made to-day for the Governor and his military staff to attend the great patriotic mass meeting in Philadelphia on Saturday at which the chief city of the State will pledge its loyalty.

Under authority conferred upon him Governor Brumbaugh announced to-day that he proposed to organize 84 sub-committees of public safety in as many sections of the State, remarking that he planned to organize "every inch of ground and every man, woman and child."

Governor's Suggestions
 The Governor's suggestions to Mr. Pepper were as follows:
 "After thinking over the actions of yesterday, I am altogether pleased with the general outcome and believe that we have gone a long way in an effective organ for real and substantial good. Might I suggest the wisdom now of securing some initial fund by appeal to the members of this commission, that will enable us immediately to put a staff of trained workers, which I have assembled and have ready for action, into the field to begin this industrial inventory?"

"There are at least two additional organizations that ought to be promptly recognized in the scheme of organization for our committee on Public Safety. (1), a committee on agricultural products and food supply, and (2), a committee on geological resources, having in mind all the mineral deposits of Pennsylvania that might be available and necessary in a crisis."

"We ought in connection with these two matters to secure the hearty cooperation of the State Grange and labor organizations and the scientific bodies of the State, and I shall have in mind the naming of men to the committee representative of these interests."

The executive committee will take into consideration at once the project to put the William Penn and the Lincoln highways across the State in condition for military purposes.

To Safeguard Food Supply
 One of the things to which the Governor is giving special attention is the discussion of the food supply, mobilization of agricultural resources in other words. "This was brought to the attention of the meeting yesterday by Commissioner of Health Dixon and President E. E. Sparks of State College, who said that every effort should be made to turn the fields of the State into productiveness to meet the food situation."

Dr. Dixon, who is a practical farmer, among his varied activities, said to-day that he considered this to be a matter of prime importance and he suggested that it be brought to attention of every farmer and land owner. State Treasurer Young said this afternoon that he considered that a subject which should be given immediate attention by people conversant with the situation. "The meeting was a wonderful one, one which I shall never forget. I never knew of such a gathering or of such united sentiment," said the Treasurer in speaking of it.

Patton's Call to Arms
 Secretary of Agriculture Patton this afternoon took steps to call to attention of the farmers and merchants and housewives of the State the food situation, urging that not only should everything be raised that could be grown, but that it should be preserved. He called attention to the shortage of food which is in prospect and to the prices prevailing. The canned goods supply, he said, will soon be exhausted and everyone should guard against it.

Mr. Patton has had his crop reporters and statisticians at work for weeks getting information of the situation in regard to food and set forth his views in the following statement issued late to-day:
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The Governor issued this statement: I find that through inadvertence Edwin S. Stuart and John K. Tener, ex-Governors of this Commonwealth, were not appointed on the Committee of Public Safety for Pennsylvania. Ex-Governor William A. Stone would have been appointed on this committee were it not for the fact that his judicial position precludes him from holding such a position.

A Wonderful Meeting
 People who saw the meeting yesterday joined with Governor Brumbaugh, State Treasurer Young, Commissioner Dixon and others in praising the splendid sentiment in behalf of mobilizing the manhood and resources of the Commonwealth to meet the shock of war. The Governor said that he considered the meeting one of the most remarkable ever held in the State and that he appreciated the sacrifices made by captains of business in coming here and what they offered to do.

"It will get the great business system of the State behind the movement for preparedness and place the State in the rank it has always taken in every national emergency," said the Governor. "I have been thrilled by the spirit manifested at the meeting and expect great good to result not only in the event of war, but for the future to come from it. Important matters were brought up on which I believe I will think."

Food, Roads and Labor
 It is likely that serious attention will be given at once to the food supply problem and to the Highway Commission. Black discussed with the Governor plans to push the work of repair on the main highways, notably in agricultural regions so that things needed could be brought to market as soon as available.

The employment bureau of the Department of Labor and Industry was brought into the preparatory work to-day and its records of persons seeking work and the centers where men and women who are familiar with certain lines of work are to be located.

Consultations will be held with labor representatives so that the skilled and unskilled men may be listed and prepared for the calls which may come because of emergency in transportation, construction or repair. Organized labor representatives have pledged to the Governor their cooperation with the committee.

The Governor's office was in touch with men all over the State to-day in the effort to get names of men who could be called upon to serve on com-

mittees or who could give specialized assistance.

Dr. Dixon Makes Ready
 Tenth nurses employed by the State Health Department began to-day their training in first aid demonstrations which Commissioner Samuel D. Dixon is arranging in line with his purpose of fitting his department as far as possible to meet any war measures which may arise. The nurses in the district near Harrisburg assembled at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the department's Harrisburg Tuberculosis Dispensary, for the first in a course of six practical lectures and demonstrations to be given by Dr. Howard L. Hull, associate chief medical inspector of the department. The courses will be given in five other cities on other days of the week, so that within a few days all the nurses in the department will have begun to fit themselves for emergency service such as would be called for in war times.

M. Hampton Todd, former attorney general of Pennsylvania, was at the Capitol to-day on some business, expressed his great interest in the State committee's preparedness movement. He visited his former department and discussed matters with Attorney General Brown.

SERVICES FOR MRS. SARCH
 Funeral services for Mrs. Harry Sarch, aged 45, who died at the Harrisburg Hospital, will be held to-morrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The Rev. S. Winfield Herdman will have charge of the services. Burial will be made in the East Harrisburg Hospital. Mrs. Sarch was a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Marie, at home.

MAN, 105, DIES IN JAIL
 Punksstunway, Pa., March 29.—George Ambler died yesterday morning in the county jail at Brookville, aged 103 years. He was the oldest resident of Jefferson county, and so far as is known, the oldest in the State. He was sentenced to three months after pleading guilty to selling liquor without a license. He was probably the oldest man ever arraigned and sentenced on a criminal charge. He served with the Russian army in the Crimean War. He also had his back broken in a mine accident.

TURK ARMY CORPS LOST

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 threatening to cut the forces of the invaders squarely in two.

Fight On Large Scale
 British operations in Palestine are indicated by to-day's reports to be progressing successfully on a large scale, with the British closing in steadily on Jerusalem.

On March 7 a British column was reported within forty-eight miles of Jerusalem, at El Chahl, or Hebron, about thirty-five miles inland. This column has evidently been supported by a stronger army, advancing up the Mediterranean coast, where it can be re-supplied and supplied by water. The coast army, moving northward from Haifa, has pushed up the Mediterranean shore to within five miles of Gaza, the historic town of Bible times. Gaza is almost directly west of El Chahl, bringing the British front up to a straight line apparently across nearly the entire breadth of Palestine between the Mediterranean and the Dead Sea. Forty miles north of Gaza is Jaffa, the port of Jerusalem, whence a railway line runs to the capital.

Building Railway
 The British report shows the army now near Gaza to be engaged in constructing a railway, apparently to facilitate its advance of its operations in the interior of Palestine. It has defeated a Turkish army of 20,000, capturing a general and a whole division; staff, together with some 900 men, including several Austrian officers and German men of the rank and file and two Austrian 4.2-inch howitzers. Heavy fighting is continuing in the Champagne region and the French are reported by Berlin to have attempted an extensive attack northwest of Verdun. This latter move, a sweeping assault on Hill 304, is declared to have failed, while in the Champagne the French are said to have been frustrated in their attempts to recapture the trenches they recently lost.

SIGNS "HOME DRY" BILL
 By Associated Press
 Atlanta, Ga., March 29.—Governor

Harris last night signed the Georgia "bone dry" bill, making effective at once a law which will bar liquor from the state absolutely except for medicinal, mechanical and sacramental purposes under rigid restrictions. The bill was passed by both houses of the legislature in extra session here late yesterday.

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