REPLY OF HUNS STRIKES FROST IN WAR LANDS

Enemy Still Impenitent; Foe Twists Wilson Conditions; Only Shuffling

Paris, Oct. 22.—The German reply to President Wilson was eagerly discussed in official circles and in parliament. Among deputies of all shades of opinion the impression was, first of all, that the reply betrayed more than previous communications the state of depression and the demoralization of the German people a tshe result of the Allies' victories.

As a whole, the note is found to be equivocal and tortuous and platitudinously phrased as to leave the door open for all sorts of quibbling. Nowhere is there evidence in the reply of a genuine desire to accept the only way in which peace can be concluded accordin gto expression of opinions here. On the contrary, all that is apparent is the urgent desire of the German general staff to get an armistice at any price in order to reorganize its reserves of men and material. Therefore, it is generally believed that the reply is not likely to be considered at Washington.

London, Oct. 22.—Newspapers almost without exception view the German reply to President Wilson with impatience and distrust. "Germany still impenitent," is the caption on the editorial of the Chronicle, which dismisses the reply as obviously inacceptable. The Graphic is more optimistic and says "verbally, the Germans are getting slightly nearer the point of view upon which the Allies mean to insist."

"The nigger in the woodpile," in the German reply, according to the Express, is the desire "for an armistice based on an elaborate estimate of the rival forces as they are today." This, the newspaper says, is a "disingenious twist of the Wilson conditions," and continues:

"We dare not consent to a suspension of hostilities unless we can obtain in October the terms we shall dictate before July to an enemy who is broken and beaten to his knees."

The German reply to President Wilson is regarded here as "not business, but mere argument and protestation." In government, diplomatic and political circles the view is that it is not a reply, but simply a resort to verbiage. One highly placed official described it as "badly camouflaged insincerity."

Would Sacrifice Dignity

Henry M Hyndman, leader of the British Socialists, said:

"....s reply is simply another piece of shuffling. I hope President Wilson will answer it very abruptly and briefly. If he were to accept this reply as a basis for negotiation, in my opinion he would simply be sacrificing the dignity of the position he has worthily gained."

Frederick George Kelloway, parliamentary secretary to the minister of munitions said: "Only our leaders, Premier Lloyd George, Premier Clemenceau and President Wilson, on the political side, and Marshal Foch, Field Marshal Haig and General Pershing, on the military side, can say if the note means that Germany is at last prepared to face the facts and draw the inevitable conclusion. The way to make an early peace is to be ready for a long war."

Liggett and Bullard Made Lieut. Generals

Washington, Oct. 22.—Major Generals Hunter Liggett and Robert L. Bullard were nominated by President Wilson to be lieutenant generals.

General Liggett commands the First American Field Army in France and General Bullard commands the second. They become the only lieutenant generals on the active list, their new rank being for the war period, like that of General Pershing. General Liggett is a major general in the regular establishment, and General Bullard is a brigadier.

When General Liggett arrived in France General Pershing was at work on the formation of the First Army Corps and this task was promptly assigned to him. The American commander-in-chief was so well satisfied with the result that Liggett was given direct command of the First Field Army when it was organized and led it into action when in the first major offensive, the St. Mihiel salient was wiped out in a day.

German U-Boats Flock Back to Kiel Harbor

By Associated Press

Geneva, Oct. 22.—Kiel harbor is unable to accommodate all the submarines which have returned from Ostend and Zeebrugge during the past week, and some are lying off shore, according to advices received here.

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AUTO DIVISION TO GET BUILDING

Evangelical to Be Used by the State Bureau; Live Stock to Leave Capitol Park

The three-story brick building at Second and Locust streets occupied for years by the United Evangelical Publishing concern will be occupied within a few weeks by the automo- the registration division of the State Highway Department, Superintendent George A. Shreiner, of Public Grounds and Buildings, stated today. "The state has leased this building for a period of years and will be able to afford accommodations to the automobile division which it has badly needed," said Mr. Shreiner. "The remodeling will not amount to much; in fact, there will be very little to be done."

The division of distribution of documents, now in the old Gordon Manufacturing Company building in Capitol Park extension, goes to the third floor of the Kuhn building in North Cameron street, which has been leased, and the State Live Stock Sanitary board will move into the first floor of the Donaldson building now occupied by the automobile division. "The buildings in park extension occupied by these two branches will be torn down. We are moving on with clearing the park and work- out out a plan to take care of all state offices without trouble," said Mr. Shreiner.

Appointment of commissioners to take the vote of Pennsylvania soldiers in camps in this country will probably be decided upon to-morrow by Governor Brumbaugh who is to-day sending telegrams to all camps whose commanders have not replied to Adjutant General Beary's inquiry as to the number of Keystone State men in their commands. The reports thus far show about 45,000 soldiers, some of whom, however, are under twenty-one. The Governor said to-day that he was seeking further information about the number of men who might want to vote.

The appointment of Howard E. Butz, the Huntingdon editor and member of the Harrisburg district appeal board for the draft system, to be state fire marshal, was stated at the Governor's office to-day to have been a purely personal one. Mr. Butz was a boyhood friend of the Governor and also of the late G. Chal Port, whom he succeeds. He will qualify within a few days.

George Franklin Brum, Washington party candidate for Congress in the Schuylkill county district, today filed his withdrawal as a candidate.

Dr. C. R. Knapp, of Forest City, was to-day appointed coroner of Susquehanna county; Frank J. Stahl, justice for Hughestown and John F. Zechman justice for Harris township, Center county.

Complaints against new rates were filed today by H. S. Bomberger, of Palmyra, against the Annville and Palmyra Gas and Fuel Company, and the borough of Scottdale against the Citizens Water Company.

By an opinion rendered to-day to the State Board of Education the Attorney General's Department holds that the board has authority to prescribe equipment for schoolhouses necessary for proper hygienic and sanitary conditions; school boards have no authority to make contracts for new schools unless plans have been submitted to the state board or are from standard plans prepared by the board and districts which fail to follow instructions from state authorities as to building may be punished by withholding state appropriations.

The state optometry board is di- rected in an opinion rendered today by Emerson Collins, deputy attorney general, to make careful inquiry into charges that temporary offices have been established by optometrists before determining whether there has been any violation of the provisions of the code governing that branch of licensure.

Misses Margaret L. Grove and Katharine Haag, of the Governor's office, have volunteered their services as emergency hospital nurses during the influenza epidemic.

The $12,500 bond of James G. Miles, as deputy register of wills of Dauphin county has been approved by the Governor. The Governor's office to-day stated that no selection of a register to succeed Roy C. Danner had been made. Numerous names are being suggested.

Auditor General Snyder, members of whose family had been very ill in the influenza epidemic, returned to the Capitol to-day and took up a number of departmental matters.

Capitol visitors to-day included: W. D. Grimes, Pittsburgh lawyer; A. E. Jones, Uniontown; Representative H. Atlee Brumbaugh, of Blair county, and others.

German Army Leaders at Odds, It Is Reported

New York, Oct. 22.—George Renwick, in the New York Times, writing from Amsterdam, says the German army leaders are at odds. Ludendorf, it is said, wants peace held up until he can concentrate his army along the Rhine, in order to "have an influence on future events." Hindenburg, it is reported, fully approves the peace move.

CATTLE SURVEY TO BE MADE NOVEMBER 7

The cattle and hog survey, to be made in the twelve largest producing states under the direction of the local schools in each district, will be held November 7. The survey was originally scheduled to be made October 15. It was later postponed until October 30, and now the definite date is November.

LIEUT. G. B. SCHUYLER VISITS HIS HOME

Lieutenant George B. Schuyler, Engineer Corps, U. S. A., who is stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Schuyler, 1622 Derry street. He will be in the city a few days.

DETAINER AGAINST MURPHY

The captain of detectives from Trenton, N. J., came to Harrisburg to lodge a detainer against William Murphy, aged 19, wanted in that city on a charge of breaking into a clothing store. Murphy was arrested here a few days ago on a charge of breaking into the stores of Martz Brothers and A. Krantzman.

ONE-WAY TRAFFIC

Commissioner Lynch introduced an ordinance in Council to-day providing for one-way travel west from Fourth to Thrd street, in Blackberry street. Businessmen along Market street and Dewberry street presented a petition to him requesting such action.

GOES TO PENITENTIARY

Charles Chaney, who was given a penitentiary sentence on a charge of slashing his wife, was taken to Philadelphia to-day by Sheriff W. W. Caldwell.

Text of Germany's Plea For Peace

The text of the German note, as received by wireless, is as follows:

"In accepting the proposal for an evacuation of occupied territories, the German government has started from the assumption that the procedure of this evacuation and the conditions of an armistice should be left to the judgment of the military advisers and that the actual standard of power on both sides in the field has to form the basis for arrangements safeguarding and guaranteeing this standard.

"The German government suggests to the President that an opportunity should be brought about for fixing the details. It trusts that the President of the United States will approve of no demand which would be irreconcilable with the honor of the German people and with opening a way to a peace of justice.

"The German government protests against the reproach of illegal and inhumane actions made against the German land and sea forces and thereby against the German people. For the covering of a retreat destructions will always be necessary and they are carried out in so far as is permitted by international law. The German troops are under the most strict instruction to spare private property and to exercise care for the population to the best of their ability. Where transgressions occur in spite of these instructions the guilty are being punished."

"The German government further denies that the German navy in sinking ships has ever purposely destroyed lifeboats with their passengers. The German government proposes with regard to those charges that the facts be cleared up by neutral commissions."

"In order to avoid anything that might hamper the work of peace, the German government has caused orders to be dispatched to all submarine commanders precluding the torpedoing of passenger ships without, however, for technical reasons, being able to guarantee that these orders will reach every single submarine at sea efore its return."

"As a fundamental condition for peace the President prescribes the destruction of every arbitrary power that can separately, secretly and of its own single choice disturb the peace of the world. To this the German government replies:

"Hitherto the representation of the people in the German empire has not been endowed with an influence on the formation of the government."

"The constitution did not provide for a concurrence of representation of the people in decisions of peace and war. These conditions have just now undergone a fundamental change. A new government has been formed in complete accordance with the wishes (principles) of the representation of the people, based on equal, universal, secret, direct franchise."

"The leaders of the great parties of the reichstag are members of this government. In the future no government can take or continue in office without possessing the confidence of a majority of the reichstag."

"The responsibility of the chancellor of the empire to the representation of the people is being legally developed and safeguarded. The first act of the new government has been to lay before the reichstag a bill to alter the constitution of the empire so that the consent of the representation of the people is required for decisions on war and peace.

"The permanence of the new system is, however, guaranteed not only by constitutional safeguards, but also by the unshakable determination of the German people, whose vast majority stands behind these reforms and demand their energetic continuance.

"The question of the President—with whom he and the governments associated against Germany are dealing—is therefore answered in a clear, unequivocal manner by the statement that the offer of peace and an armistice has come from a government which, free from any arbitrary influence, is supported by the approval of an overwhelming majority of the German people.

(Signed) "SOLF."

Luther L. Newman Dies After a Week's Illness

Luther L. Newman died early Saturday morning at his late residence, 26 South Sixteenth street, after an illness of eight days, of pneumonia.

Mr. Bowman was born in Harrisburg and was 30 years of age. Having graduated from the Harrisburg High School in 1910 he matriculated at Dickinson College and graduated from there in 1912 and took a two-years' course in the Dickinson law school.

For the past several years he taught school in the Allison building. He was a member of the Capital Street Presbyterian Church. During his college days he won a number of trophies as a runner. He is survived by his wife and his father. Funeral services will be held on Thursday morning at 10.30 and will be in charge of the Rev. Beverly M. Ward, pastor of the Capital Street Presbyterian Church. Interment will be at Lincoln cemetery.

ALBERT MAGNELLI

Albert Magnelli, aged 18, son of Paulo Magnelli, wholesale fruit dealer, 112 South Second street, died at 11 o'clock this morning from influenza. Several other members of the family are ill with the disease. The deceased is a brother of Theodore Magnelli, former member of the local police force, who is now in the army. Funeral arrangements are pending upon advices from the brother as to whether or not he will be able to reach home for the funeral.

MRS. A. C. PASTOR

Mrs. Anna Cope Pastor, wife of Charles H. Pastor, Sr., passed away at her home, 1609 Green street, after a serious illness of four weeks duration. Survivors are her husband and the following children: Mrs. Minnie L. Foster, Harrisburg; Mrs. James D. McKeehan, of Sunbury; Charles H. Pastor, Jr., Cleveland, Ohio; John C. Pastor, Philadelphia, Pa.; Raymond F. Pastor, in service overseas. Funeral services will be held at her late home Thursday afternoon at 1.30, the Rev. Harry E. Ulrich, of Milroy, officiating. Interment in Paxtang cemetery.

CHARLES E. BAILOR

Charles Ellwood Bailor died at his home, Twenty-seventh and Woodlawn streets, Old Orchard, yesterday after a brief illness. He was aged 15 years. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Rev. S. W. Herman, pastor of the Zion Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Paxtang cemetery.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church and of the Boy Scout Troop No. 14. He was also a student of the Technical High School.

MRS. EMMA E. STEVENSON

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma E. Stevenson, wife of Robert R. Stevenson, 1215 North Front street will be held at her late home Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The Rev. Floyd Appleton, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will officiate. Burial will be made in the Harrisburg cemetery. Mrs. Stevenson is survived by her husband, Robert, her mother, Mrs. J. A. Pennell, a sister, Mrs. F. S. Kirk, and a brother, W. M. Wollerton.

MISS MARY H. MARTIN

To be called home for the funeral of her brother who was serving in the army, to contract influenza on the way to Harrisburg, and finally to die from the disease which killed her brother was the sad experience falling to the lot of Miss Mary E. Martin, a nurse in training at the Providence Hospital in Washington. Miss Martin was summoned to the city ten days ago to attend the funeral of her brother, James B. Martin who died at the officers training school at Camp Zachary Taylor. Becoming seriously ill enroute to Harrisburg, she was unable to attend the funeral. She died yesterday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Martin, Colonial Acres, and a sister, Mrs. Frederick Oberlander Frederick, Mr., survive. Miss Martin was aged 18 years.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. D. J. Carey, rector at St. Patrick's Cathedral will officiate. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary cemetery.

MRS. MARY A. RAINE

Mrs. Mary A. Raine, age 77 years, died early yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Bevard, of 1323 Green street, this city. Death was due to a general breakdown attributable to old age. The deceased was the widow of Charles Howard Raine, once prominent as a stock broker in Harrisburg.

Mrs. Raine was born in Secio county, Md., but spent the greater part of her life in this city. She is survived by five children and five grandchildren. The former are Charles E. Raine, Mrs. C. L. Boak and Mrs. W. W. Bevard, all of Harrisburg, and Albert M. Raine, of Philadelphia and Wendell P. Raine, of Washington, D. C.

FREDERICK H. FALK

Frederick H. Falk, aged 32 years died last night at his home, 573 Showers street after a week's illness. His wife and four children survive.

He also leaves his father and Mother, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Falk, three sisters and two brothers.

Mr. Falk was a member of the Corn Planter Tribe, No. 61, Independent Order of Red Men, and the John Harris Lodge, No. 193, Knights of Pythias.

MRS. ANNA B. HOKE

Mrs. Anna Belle Hoke, aged 38 years, died Friday night at her home, 109 Cowden street. She is survived by her husband, Robert C. Hoke, and four children, Robert C. Hoke, Jr., Thelma Hoke, Beatrice Hoke and Edith Hoke, her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen F. Cupples, five sisters and a brother. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from her late home.

MRS. BERTHA G. SWEELEY

Mrs. Bertha Gentzler Sweeley, wife of Bernard Sweeley, 1207 Walnut street, died at her home Sunday. Her husband and daughter, Claire, her parents and a sister, Mrs. Gertrude Gratzler, two brothers, Elmer E. Gentzler, of Bushman and W. J. Gentzler, survive. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Burial will be in the East Harrisburg cemetery.

MARGARET M. SMITH

Funeral services for Margaret M. Smith, aged 14 years, who died at her home, 520 Dauphin street yesterday noon, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Father Dailey, of St. Mary's Catholic Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary cemetery.

Democrats Seem to Be For Mr. Kreider

Democratic leaders of Dauphin, Lebanon and Cumberland counties, which comprise the Eighteenth Congressional District, the "home" district of Democratic National Chairman Vance C. McCormick, have been unable to find a candidate to take the place of H. H. Mercer, who withdrew at half past the eleventh hour. Several meetings have been held, but no agreements reached and last night a session, marked by much argument and tobacco smoke, was held at the Democratic state windmill, in Market Square, without any result as far as a nomination was concerned.

Chairman McCormick is said to be insistent that some one be named, but the leaders have been unable to find any one willing to be tagged, as the district is overwhelmingly Republican, and it would be a very expensive proposition to make any kind of a campaign now.

The general satisfaction with the course of Congressman Aaron S. Kreider appears to extend to the rank and file of the Democratic party.

Children Sell Acorns to Aid Influenza Fund

The Red Cross received $1.22 from five wee lads and lassies yesterday, to be given to the orphans, the soldiers and the yarn fund. The children sold acorns at a cent a glass. Every cent of the proceeds went to the chapter headquarters yesterday.

"Please, miss, we want to give this money to the orphans who've lost their fathers by the 'flu'" said Mary Black, 711 Green street, and Jane Black, 718 North Third street. The first brought thirty-two cents and the second thirty cents. Mary her mite of thirty cents for yarn. Billie Zeal and Robert White Moorhead brought their joint proceeds amounting to sixty cents, for the soldiers.

Pennsylvanians in Hun Prison Camps

By Associated Press

Washington, Oct. 22. — Among the eighty-four American in German prison camps are the folowing Pennsylvanians: At Rastatt, Lieutenant Edward Schmelzer, Erie; at Karlsruhe, Lieutenant George B. Hadesty, Jr., Pottsville; at Limburg, John Lenhart, Somerset; at Cassel, Agatenio Destifano, Cannonsburg; at unknown camps, Charles E. Behm, Oley; Alexander Chicli, Reading; Gustave Teyssier, Coroaopolis; William H. Stafford, Pittsburgh.

Courthouse Notes

Inspectors Appointed—Elmer E. Kinsey was appointed majority inspector of elections succeeding Emery Reigle, who is in the army and Harry B. Hoffman, named minority inspector to succeed Clarence B. Good, removed, in West Londonderry township.

Deputy Returns—Deputy Prothonotary Henry E. Holler, who had been confined to his home because of illness, has resumed his duties.

Many Get Licenses—More than 130 hunters' licenses were issued today by County Treasurer Mark Mumma before noon, bringing the total for the 1918 season to 5164.

Guardians Named—The Allison Hill Trust Company has been appointed guradian of Jennie Irene and Harry R. Fasnacht, children of the late Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fasnacht. The Union Trust Company was appointed guardian of Ethel V. Eckenrode, daughter of the late John F. Eckenrode.

Moves to New Home—Prothonotary Charles E. Pass removed from 1429 Derry street, to his home at Sixteenth and Derry srtreets, which has been remodeled recently.

Appoint Assessor—The county commissioners have apppointed E. E. Knauss, 24 South Seventeenth street, assessor in the Ninth ward to suceed Burton Saltsman, resigned. Professor Knauss is a member of the Technical High school faculty.

PRESIDENT NOT TO ANSWER TODAY

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President to make any peace with an armed Germany.

The German note seeks to make it appear that steps toward constitutional and governmental reform in Germany will be taken to free the German government from arbitrary and irresponsible influences, but offers no real proof that there has yet been an actual destruction of the arbitrary powers lodged in the kaiser and the imperial government leaders, and no evidence is afforded that the kaiser, Hindenburg, and Ludendorff are not to-night as completely in control of the German military machine as they were prior to the launching of the German peace offensive.

Need Make No Reply

Diplomatic observers point out that the President is at liberty, with perfect consistency, to make no response at this time, but to await developments, to await the performance of the promises of the Germans not to torpedo passenger ships, their implied promise to work no more destruction during their retreat from Belgium and France than military necessity requires, and finally to await further development of the political leaven that evidently is working toward the complete overthrow of military and autocratic power in the empire.

No one believes that an immediate cessation of hostilities is in sight. The opinion most generally held is that, if Mr. Wilson decides to make a reply, and if the Entente Governments agree, the only step possible at this time would be to sanction arrangements to be dictated by General Foch in the field for withdrawal of the Germans without further fighting. Such arrangements of course, would be contingent upon guarantees of continued supremacy of the victorious allied armies, and consequently virtually would mean surrender for the Germans.

Senator Borah said he looked upon the note and the German government reforms both as shams, and doubted the sincerity of the armistice paragraph. This is a good time to end negotiations, he added.

Senator Curtis, after considering the note, said he still thought we should demand unconditional surrender, after which peace terms could be discussed.

Senator Overman, Democrat, thought the "way seemed open to peace if we wanted to accept" that kind of peace.

Senator McKellar, Democrat, said: "I am still for absolute and unconditional surrender."

Senator Harding, Republican, said: "The note contains no new suggestions which we can accept regarding an armistice."

Senator Smoot, Republican, said: "The American people and the governments of the Allies will never stand for any sort of a negotiated peace. Until the Huns have more than a taste of defeat there can be no peace. Unless the military power of Germany is broken nothing but a patched-up peace can be made. If peace that is to last is to be made, it cannot be through negotiations. I must be dictated to Germany. Germany is not beaten yet, and peace negotiations now would be a terrible mistake."

Senator Hitchcock, Democrat, said: "I do not believe an armistice will be granted until all the terms of all the Allies have been accepted and complied with."

Senator Poindexter, Republican, said: "When German armies have laid down their arms and marched to the points designated by the Allied high command, then Germany will be conquered, and not until then."

Like the first note, this one is regarded in some quarters as another step in the German plan of bargaining in the hope of securing terms more favorable than the unconditional surrender which they are prepared to make finally if peace can come in no other way.

Official comment continued to be withheld awaiting anindication of the President's views.

Revolution in Germany

Observers here who are convinced that the enemy is beaten into submission andthat efforts at bargaining now aremerely a prelude to complete surrender in the near future, if the Allies hold firm tothe determination to accept nothing else, are guided by confidential diplomatic advices purporting to show that there has been a real political revolution in Germany and that the people in power are ready to throw out the Kaiser and all his war lords to get peace.

Troops Get Secret Orders

It was learnedto-day that a private dispatch from Germany has been published in a Copenhagen newspaper, stating that the troops on leave are receiving secret orders not to return to the front and that to this extent demobilization has begun.

Military men here, however, regard it as inconceivable that orders would begiven while desperate efforts are being made to hold the American and Allied troops at bay at certain points on the western front.

MAYOR'S SON ILL

Mayor Keister has received word that his son, Simon L. Keister, is suffering from pneumonia at his home, in Buffalo, N. Y.

OVER 4,500 NOW UNDER TRAINING

State Has Given Many Men to the Camps Established in the Colleges by Army

Over 4,500 Pennsylvania young men have been inducted into the students army training camps established in the thirty-three colleges and normal schools of Pennsylvania by the War Department in the last month and a half, according to figures compiled at State Draft Headquarters. Three of the state normal schools, West Chester, Indiana and Mansfield, have opened classes. It is expected that this number will be increased within the next ten days.

Major W. G. Murdock, the chief draft officer, has issued a notice to members of local boards that they may suspend mailing of questionnaires if in their opinion the mailing would spread influenza. Major Murdock has also cautioned boards to see that records are kept where registrants have died from influenza or complications during the epidemic and also to see that proper classification is given to registrants whose status may have been changed by deaths of dependants or by deaths of persons whose demise entails obligations upon men of draft age.

A number of local boards have telegraphed that they have been unable to proceed with classifications owing to the influenza epidemic and their medical members being engaged in caring for sick people in their districts.

Major Murdock has congratulated local board No. 43, of Philadelphia, which has not only completed classification, but raised $121,900 subscriptions for Liberty Bonds among its registrants.

The Misses Copelin and Koons, of the state headquarters force, are ill with influenza.

LIEUT. H. M. GROSS WRITES FROM FRANCE

First Lieutenant Henry M. Gross has written an interesting letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Gross, telling of his work as an intelligence officer attached to the headquarters of the Ninety-second Division. While on duty he met F. P. Schoonmaker, formerly city solicitor of Bradford. Among other persons whom he has seen recently are: Chaplain Harry Nelson Bassler, Colonel Finney, George Drake and James Wheeler.

HICKOK'S SUCCESSOR NOT YET NAMED

Ross A. Hickok, Dauphin County Fuel Administrator, who will leave the city for Camp Taylor, Kentucky, early to-morrow afternoon, said today that his successor will be appointed by William Potter, State Fuel Administrator. That successor is likely to be appointed from among the membership of the present Dauphin County Fuel Commission.

HILL EMPLOYE BETTER

P. A. Kennedy, of the Auditor General's Department, who has been ill at his home, 2135 Derry street, is improving.

HUNS FEAR SHELLS ACROSS THE RHINE

By Associated Press

Paris, Oct. 23.—The rapidity of the British drive in Flanders and northern France has caused the Germans to realize that the Allied forces are approaching the Fatherland at a rate that, if not checked, might before long find their long-range guns pitching shells across the Rhine. Therefore the enemy is pulling himself together with a view to delaying to the utmost the Allied advance.

The civil population of Flanders continues to be liberated at the rate of tens of thousands daily, now that the Germans have ceased to drive out the civilian occupants of the places they evacuate. Arrangements for ministering to the needs of these long suffering people are being admirably worked out by the armies engaged.

Elizabethville and Vicinity Give Freely to Assist Hospitals

Elizabethville, Pa., Oct. 22.—Through the efforts of the Elizabethville Red Cross two large truck loads of provisions and $9.65 in cash were given by one hundred and twenty-five families of this neighborhood for the benefit of the Lykens emergency hospital and the Williams Valley Hospital, both of which are crowded by influenza victims.

Misses Estella Lubold, Ellen Miller, Florence Wehr, Edna Zimmerman, Pearl Rothermel, Levina Bender and Ella N. Shutt, school teachers, volunteered to do the soliciting and the Boy Scouts made the collections, taking everything to the Red Cross headquarters, from which place the provisions were taken to Lykens and Williamstown by C. F. Eby and Mark Specht, by automobile, under the direction of James E. Lentz, head of the Red Cross. The money was invested in butter and eggs.

There were 130 patients in the Lykens Emergency Hospital and 80 in the Williams Valley Hospital, in addition to 40 at Millersburg.

House Sidetracks Bone-Dry Program

Washington, Oct. 22. — Nationalwide prohibition for the duration of the war was indefinitely sidetracked by Congress yesterday and it cannot be called up until December at the earliest.

The rent profiteering amendment to the $12,000,000 food production bill was made the medium for sending the entire measure, to which the bone-dry amendment is a rider, into the discard indefinitely. The House on Saturday, by a vote of 23 to 10, refused to agree to the recommendations of the conferees on the bill that this amendment be adopted. The Senate yesterday sent the measure back to conference and instructed the Senate conferees to insist upon adoption of the amendment.

BRUSSELS GIVES WAY TO FEELING AS HUNS HASTEN

Kaiser's Forces Work Incessantly to Remove War Material; Antwerp Is Calm

By Associated Press

Amsterdam, Oct. 21. — German forces at Brussels are working incessantly to remove war material from that city, according to the Moogendaal correspondent of the Handelblad. He says many regiments of German troops are leaving the city and that there is much excitement among the people there. On the other hand, Antwerp is very calm and has not been affected by recent events.

The same newspaper correspondent at Boermond says hundreds of refugees from northern France are arriving there, having been on the road for three weeks. They were given only two hours' notice to collect their belongings by German officers at Douai, Cambrai and other cities in the war zone.

Rome, Oct. 22.—Baron von der Lacken, chief of the German political department at Brussels, has informed Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, that when the Germans evacuate that country the deported Belgians and political prisoners will be spontaneously released, according to the Observatore Romano, the semiofficial Vatican organ. He told the cardinal, it is said, that a part of the Belgians who were deported would be free to return to their country on Monday.

Paris, Oct. 22.—Violent demonstrations have occurred in Jassy, the temporary capital of Rumania, according to advices received here. A mob broke into the offices of the Issilor Gazette, the government organ, and the printing plant was demolished.

SOLDIER'S FATAL ANGER

Baltimore, Oct. 22. — Following a quarrel over money matters, Private Horace Brittingham, 27 years old, of Somerset county, Maryland, a member of the Military Police stationed at Camp Meade, yesterday shot and severly wounded his wife, Catherine Brittingham, 25 years old. He then shot himself through the left breast and died a few hours later.

RED CROSS MEETS

The Red Cross Auxiliary, of St. Paul's P. E. Church, Second and Emerald streets, met to-day for emergency work, with good attendance, although a number were kept away by sickness. Another session was set for this evening, at 7:30.

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La Camille Corsets Posess Exclusive Ventillo Features

Without Which Front Lace Corsets Are Incomplete

La Camille corsets have long been preferred by American women who believe in the superiority of front lacing system over the old style back lacing models. This preference may be due to the fact that in no other corset of the kind are the Ventillo features to be found. Originally designed for ventilation. These features have proven most beneficial from the health-giving standpoint, the back section preventing any undue pressure on the spine.

Our expert corsetierre will be glad to show you the La Camille that is best suited for your particular figure. Engagements for fittings may be had at any time.

Prices, $2.75 to $18.50

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New Shipment of Potatoes

These potatoes are uniformly medium in size. Bag of 2½ bushels, $5.00; single bushel, $2.25.

Hecker's buckwheat and pancake flour, pkg. 14c

Evaporated sweet, tender sugar corn, lb. 31c

Macaroni and spaghetti 12 10c pkgs. 98c

Cane and maple syrup, bottle .....25c and 49c

Pure clover light honey, 5-lb. bucket, $2.19; 10-lb. $3.98

India and Ceylon tea, lb., 41c

Fancy table syrup, No. 10 can 98c

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The Kozy Wrap Combines Warmth and Comfort

An Ideal Garment For Babies

This new garment is adjusted to the size and growth of the baby by buttoning down the flap on the side. When the youngster becomes larger the Kozy wrap may be transformed into a little coat by turning under or cutting off the flap.

A Kozy wrap combines five wraps in one: an outdoor coat, a sleeping garment, leggings and mittens. Protected by this garment any child may be taken for an airing early in the morning, thus getting the benefit of air which is so essential to the lives of infants.

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Fuzzy and Furry Tams

Tams have come into their own again. Right on the heels of the velvet tams have come by fuzzy angoras and furry beavers. There is nothing more girlish or piquant than a tam—worn at the right angle, to be sure. Remember how the "Blue Devils" wore their tams rakishly over one eye!

These new tams are just what girls and misses want—and here are more styles than we have had at any time this season.

Angora Tams $3.50
Plush Tams $4.00
Velvet Tams .... $1.25 to $4.00
Beaver Tams ... $7.50 to $12.00
Chinchilla Tams $4.00

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