

KAISER ABDICATES THRONE

KAISER'S ANSWER TO ARMISTICE IS TO ARRIVE SOON

Heavy Censorship Placed On Terms of Armistice by All Countries

FRENCH EXPECT GERMANY TO SURRENDER BEFORE HOUR SET

Paris, Nov. 9.—5.45 A. M.—Germany will capitulate now and Monday. French opinion is unanimous in this view.

Germany's answer to the Allied terms for an armistice is not expected to reach Marshal Foch's headquarters until the middle of this (Saturday) afternoon, at the very earliest.

Few details of the terms have been divulged, nor have any of the dramatic elements of the scene at the Allied commander-in-chief's headquarters been reported.

In the meantime the Allied armies are grimly sticking to their task of driving the foe from the soil of France.

This fact, and the obvious ability of the Allied armies to complete their triumph over the enemy, may bring about a quick decision by the military chiefs of Germany.

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Prince Max, of Baden, the German chancellor, is reported to have resigned, but there has been no acceptance of his resignation.

Not only has the German army been crushed in the maw of war, but the whole structure of the German empire seems about to be engulfed.

Conditions in Austria apparently are in a wildly chaotic condition. Bolshevik resistance in Eastern Siberia seems to be broken, Tokio announces.

Paris, Nov. 9.—Germany's armistice delegates were received by Marshal Foch yesterday morning at nine o'clock in a railroad car, in which the commander-in-chief of the Allied forces has his headquarters according to the Petit Journal.

They made a few observations, merely pointing out material difficulties standing in the way of carrying out some quiet secondary clauses.

The delegates, having obtained permission to send a courier to Spa and communicate with that place by wireless, withdrew.

With the commander-in-chief at the time of the interview were Major General Maximime Weygand, his assistant; and Vice-

A Disgrace to Journalism

Blacker discredit was yesterday afternoon brought on American newspapers, than by any event in the memory of the oldest journalist.

Yet with incredible levity and in the biggest headlines the dispatch, which every intelligent newspaperman knew to be violently untrue, was printed.

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288 DRAFTEES TO LEAVE FOR CAMPS; GO NEXT WEEK

140 Harrisburg Registrants Go to Camps Meade, Crane and Greenleaf

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Coals From Kitchen Stove Burn Through Flooring

A small fire in the residence of J. E. Roth, 1823 North Third street, was started this morning by some live coals which dropped from the front of the kitchen range.

LYKENS FIRST DISTRICT OVER TOP IN DRIVE

Great Mass Meeting Scheduled for Capitol Steps Tomorrow Afternoon

The Lykens-Wiconisco district reports that it already has gone over the top in the United War Work Campaign with the campaign not yet formally opened.

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Rain and Colder at Beginning of Week; Warm, Then Wet Again

Washington, Nov. 9.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday, issued to-day by the Weather Bureau, are: North Atlantic states—Probably rain Monday and again Friday or Saturday; colder first of week; warmer Thursday or Friday.

Private R. M. Gochenaur in German Prison Camp

It was officially announced by the War Department to-day that Private Roy M. Gochenaur, of 1543 Vernon street, this city, is in a German prison camp, location not made known.

ASH COLLECTION CONTRACT TO BE LET BY THE CITY

Hassler Says Present System Satisfactory Although Slow

Council will be asked in a week or two to take action to provide for ash collections next year.

STORES GO BACK TO USUAL HOURS

To-night the stores which usually remain open until 9 o'clock but have been prohibited from doing so the last month because of the influenza epidemic, will be open for business once more.

CELEBRATION OF PEACE TO HAVE A DEEP MEANING

With a great military victory and a triumphant peace impending, it is the opinion of many thoughtful people of Harrisburg that any public demonstration should be in harmony with the ideals of the war and the great causes which led the United States to participate in the conflict.

There is a disposition too often to make of these occasions a mere jollification without meaning and contrary to the spirit of serious purpose underlying the alliance for righteousness and liberty and justice.

It would seem that even now Mayor Keister might call into conference the chairman of the Committee of National Defense and other who have been prominent in the war activities—men and women—with a view to outlining a program to the end that there may be no celebration that will reflect badly upon the community that has acquitted itself so admirably throughout the war.

CAMPS' RETURNS LACK RESULTS OF VOTES TAKEN

A few of the returns filed at the department of the secretary of the commonwealth by commissioners appointed by the Governor to take the votes of Pennsylvanians in military or naval service do not contain any statements of the candidates for whom the men voted.

LIU. TOWSEN WOUNDED FIVE TIMES IN ACTION

Convalescing in a base hospital in France, after having been wounded in five different places in one engagement, Lieutenant J. Wilbur Towson, writes an interesting, if somewhat gruesome letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Towson, 616 North Second street.

Jaw Broken in Battle Near Verdun; Captain Rupp Wounded

Lieutenant Towson was engaged in the battle of Verdun in the operations which took place September 25-27. Although he was wounded in an engagement on the latter date in the jaw, hip, foot, arm and wrist, he was able to walk from the lines, and did not seem to feel the effects of his wounds until after he had left the zone of excitement.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Unsettled, probably occasional light rains this afternoon, evening and Sunday; colder Sunday.

INVADING ARMY TO BE PUSHED OUT OF FRANCE BY NIGHT

British, French and American Armies Breaking Grip of Enemy on Last Bit of French Soil by Hard Blows

While the German government is considering the Allied armistice terms, the British, French and American armies are carrying on successfully the task of freeing French soil from the invader.

On the north the British have captured the fortress of Maubeuge and driven the Germans back into Belgium in the region between Maubeuge and Mons.

French Strike Hard General Petain's armies, who hold the center of the Allied advance continue their march toward the Belgian frontier south of Maubeuge.

Reports from Germany are that the revolutionary movements continue to spread, especially in the northwest.

ABDICATION OF KAISER IS ANNOUNCED BY PRINCE MAX

LONDON—A GERMAN WIRELESS MESSAGE RECEIVED IN LONDON THIS AFTERNOON STATES: "THE GERMAN IMPERIAL CHANCELLOR, PRINCE MAX OF BADEN, HAS ISSUED THE FOLLOWING DECREE:

"THE KAISER AND KING HAS DECIDED TO RENOUNCE THE THRONE. THE IMPERIAL CHANCELLOR WILL REMAIN IN OFFICE UNTIL THE QUESTIONS CONNECTED WITH THE ABDICATION OF THE KAISER, THE RENOUNCING BY THE CROWN PRINCE OF THE THRONE OF THE GERMAN EMPIRE AND OF PRUSSIA AND THE SETTING UP OF A REGENCY HAVE BEEN SETTLED.

ENTRAINMENT FOR GREENLEAF POSTPONED

Harrisburg—The greatest martial procession to-day unified state draft headquarters that the movement of men to Camp Greenleaf scheduled to begin Monday after being postponed from October, had been again postponed.

HOLD BIG CURRENCY RESERVE

New York—The actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies for the week (five days) shows that they hold \$67,341,950 reserve in excess of legal requirements.

London—A general railway strike has begun in Germany according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, quoting Berlin advices to the Social Demokraten of Copenhagen.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Howard Warad, Philadelphia, and Miriam S. Allison, Pringles, Md. Wilson, Pittsburg, and Esther Engle, Harrisburg; William F. Hoy, Camp Sheridan, Alabama, and Clara B. Voll, Harrisburg; John W. Black and Olive M. Beamer, Harrisburg.

WILLIAM GIVES UP HIS THRONE; SAYS DISPATCH

Serious Disturbances Lacking Where Old Order Is Overthrown

HANOVER AND HAMBURG Socialist Newspaper Man Proclaimed President of Bavaria

Paris, Nov. 9.—6.15 P. M.—The abdication of Emperor William is officially announced from Basel.

Copenhagen, Nov. 9.—The uprising in northwestern Germany, according to the only direct news from Germany early to-day is reported to have spread to Hanover, Oldenburg and other cities.

Paris, Nov. 9.—Kurt Eisner, a Munich newspaperman and prominent in Socialist circles, is the leader of the revolution which has broken out in the Bavarian capital.

ALLIED TROOPS ENTER SARAJEVO IN BOSNIA

Saratki, Nov. 9.—Allied troops have entered Sarajevo, in Bosnia, according to an official statement issued to-day by the French headquarters here.

KAISER HANGS ON

Reports from Germany are that the revolutionary movements continue to spread, especially in the northwest.

Emperor William, while refusing to abdicate, also has asked Prince Max, the chancellor, to retain office until the emperor reached a decision.