Big Four Discuss Prestige Invoived in Wilson Statement

CRISIS IS STILL ACUTE

Goes To Rome To Present The Situation To The Government And Decide On Final Action-Neither Side Shows Signs Of Receding.

Paris. - Vittorio Orlando, Italian premier, has delayed his intended departure for Rome long enough again to sit in conference with the other members of the council of four-Premier Lloyd George, Premier Clemenceau and President Wilson.

The knotty question regarding Fiume and the Dalmatian coast, over FIIMF CANNOT which the council is at odds, did not UML UMINU come up for discussion, only questions of principle being taken up. Two hours were taken up in the council. which was believed to have considered fully the question of prestige involved in the publication of President Wilson's statement on the Italian sit-

While Signor Orlando is returning Immediately to Italy, there to lay details of the Peace Conference before Parliament, Baron Zonnio, Italian ian representatives will temporarily remain in Paris.

The situation as regards Italy's President Wilson's Unequivocal Dec- It Is The Purpose Of The Bureau To claims is still acute. There apparently has been no recession by the Italians from their stated terms, nor is there any indication that the British and French premiers and President Wilson have receded from their stand.

statement of President Wilson with Premier Clemenceau, president of the preme Court last year declared uncon- initial meeting of the German pleniregard to the Italian situation. He Peace Conference, saying that as a stitutional the existing Child Labor potentiaries with the representatives says the President expressed his result of the declaration by President Law, was re-established under regula of the Peace Conference. It had been "own thought on one of the gravest Wilson the Italian delegation had de. tions issued by the Internal Revenue understood through press statements problems which has been submitted cided to leave Paris. to the judgment of the conference," cussing counter-propositions on Italy's declaration that he will not yield on The regulations interpret various permitted to discuss its terms and part of the reconstruction work in claims.

ter of Italian sovereignty.

ITALY TO USE FORCE.

100,000 Troops Will Occupy Disputed Dalmatian Coast.

Adriatic territory named in the pact of many in Shantung.

cround Fiume. session and secure from the body the treaties. also of Fiume.

Captain added, that a military demon- messengers carried him many notes. was contemplated, in which event the were made between the members of

lieved, would immediately provoke a Fiume could be given to Italy. diplomatic and military issue with the European Allies.

EXPORT BAN LIFTED.

Northern Neutrals.

Washington.—Removal by the Interallied Economic Council of all ration limitations on exports to the northern the War Trade Board. The suspension of limitation will home.

become effective at once. ciations of the several countries.

REVENUE OFFICER KILLED.

Another Seriously Wounded In Battle | yards struck.

With Moonshiners. Roanoke, Va.—Revenue Officer C. C. Smith, of Kentucky, has been shot and killed and another revenue officer se- Instructs Argentina To Turn Interned riously wounded in a battle with moonshiners on the Virginia-Kentucky line between Dickenson and Pike counties. according to report received here.

cohol a non-intoxicant.

ANOTHER CABLE TO JAPAN.

Tokio.--Construction of a new cable Internal Revenue Bureau Will Go line across the Pacific to insure better communication between Japan and the United States was urged by speakers | Washington.—There can be no time for Mobile, Ala., to act as sponsor Stors were guests, including William that is, not under the law. The In- after the city of Lincoln as a reward War Department. Potter, of Philadelphia, former Amer. ternal Revenue Bureau, which is lay- for the city's active response to the Admiral William S. Benson, chief of tean minister to Italy; Robert N. ing its plans to go after all the little Government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and the little Government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government's appeal for support of naval operations, has been awarded and little government of naval operations. Lynch and Wallace M. Alexander, of private stills that might be set up the Fourth Liberty Loan. The exact the Naval Distinguished Service San Francisco, and Emil Scholz, of after July 1 to break the drought. so date of the vessel's launching has not Medal by direction of President Wil Mew York.

The Victory Hand



School Diplomats

laration Causes A Sensation In Conference Circles-Changed Conditions.

Paris.—Premier Orlando of Italy ad-Signor Orlando has replied to the dressed an official communication to child labor, abolished when the Su- prehension of the program for the

while the Italian delegation was dis- Paris.—President Wilson's emphatic ucts. the Adriatic question has created the provisions of the law, which levies would be sent back to Germany to France because first estimates show President's fourteen points.

occupy that part of Dalmatia and other claim to the concessions held by Ger. Bureau to administer the new law. | treaty.

The situation in Fiume is compli- were circulated. These were sudden- sue the certificates in person."

in Paris, that the Adriatic situation was a game of chess, in which the and December 31 this year, and the long battle line from tion was caused, except at the places most skillful diplomats would win, re- first return need not be made until Bolsheviki are said to be slackening than a small proportion of the two mil- the North sea to Switzerland. gardless of the armistice condition, March 1 next year. For corporations their advance in the face of the Allied Finished Munitions Alone Barred To was suddenly banished by President operating on a fiscal year different artillery fire. Wilson's action.

THE COUNTRY AT LARGE.

Some of the famous 11th Engineers. neutral countries, excepting finished who used their picks and shovels as munitions of war, was announced by weapons in helping to stem the Ger-

modities to the countries without refor the exportation of all comislation providing for proper adjustfor the exportation of all comislation providing for proper adjust
was recognized and arrested. A revolutionary remained for Congress to enact leg.

Where Louis XVI, with his queen, the final fights of 1918, the Germans
islation providing for proper adjustmodities to the countries without re- was burned and abandoned at sea. | committee has been established at ment of claims resulting from operaimport certificates will be issued in the Governor of Tennessee, will be gram received here from Kiev, quoting Food packages containing more sponsor for the battleship Tennessee. the Bolshevik representative at Odesthan one-half ounce avoirdupois hereusually completely wrecked. There is a Y. M. C. A. hut some hundred feet German policy, started in the spring

GERMANY GIVES UP SHIPS.

Vessels Over To U. S.

structed the Argentine Government to from Warsaw say. All the railway Another \$500,000,000 block of Treas. for electric lights and other similar available. deliver interned German steamers to line from Vilna south to Lida is in the ury certificates of indebtedness, dated purposes. Island Legislature the United States, and the American hands of the Poles. is expected within a few days.

BAN ON HOME-MADE BEER.

After Private Stills. announced in an official ruling. U. U. JUI LITTUIUI

Wilson's Statement Stuns Old Re-established by Regulations by Revenue Bureau

Strictly Enforce The Statute-No Injustice To Employes.

The statement of the Premier con- most profound sensation in the Peace a tax of 10 per cent. on net profits of confer with the Government and the the total damage amounts to sometends that, in addition to the safety Conference. He has thrown down the any concern employing children un- National Assembly, returning after a thing like \$13,000,000,000,000, or approxiof Italy on the front of the Alps, his gauntlet to the supporters of secret der the specified ages. After April stipulated interval to Versailles for mately the amount raised by the first country requires protection on her treaties in a manner which almost 25, when the new act becomes fully the actual discussions. Mank along the eastern Adriatic and took away the breath of the delegates effective, the tax will be assessed on Under the circumstances, as Count strictly a national job, this replacethat the people along the Dalmatian who have been urging compromises the profits of any mine or quarry von Brockdorff-Rantzau explained to ment of 500,000 wrecked homes, 100,-Coast should be permitted to have the on points covered by many secret in which children under 16 years of the Associated Press, the German Gov- 000 of which are mere heaps of stones. right of self-determination in the mat- documents and at variance with the age are employed, or any mill, can- ernment considered it unnecessary to America is going to contribute some nery, workshop or factory in which send the entire peace delegation- millions of dollars worth of material President Wilson's sweeping decla- children under 14 years are employed more than 100 persons, headed by six to the rebuilding of devastated France made with Great Britain, France and vision, with a force of inspectors, will proceed to Versailles for the actual Red Cross for the active war work it man's land. Paris.—Italian military forces will Italy in 1917 to support her in her be organized in the Internal Revenue discussions and the signature for the carried on, which are now stored in

London with about 100,000 men, it The peace delegates generally re- reau of Internal Revenue strictly to PRESIDENT TALKS WITH JAPS. was stated by Captain Pozzie, of gard President Wilson's statement enforce the law," said an announce-Premier Orlando's staff. A similar as a challenge which once for all will ment today, "its aim is to administer the Holds Long Conference With Ma- viewed as first aid work rather than progress of battle. torce, the Captain added, would be dispose of the question whether secret its provisions in a way to cause as litsent to the northern region and documents, of which many nations the inconvenience as possible to the participating in the war were igno- business world and to offer no injus- Paris.—President Wilson had a long Premier Orlando's course in the rant, are to figure in the peace follow- tice to employes. It is the intention to conference with Baron Makino and meantime, Captain Pozzie says, would ing an armistice in which all the Allies accept in confirmation of the age of Viscount Chinda, of the Japanese be to convoke Parliament in special pledged gave no regard to secret the child, with certain restrictions as peace delegation. other eastern Adriatic territory given again absent from the session of the permit issued under the laws of the Wilson at the Paris "White House." Reports have been received, the mained at Italian headquarters, but feasible. These States are probably guests at the opening of the Palace North Carolina, South Carolina, Theatre, a new English playhouse. stration by the Jugo-Slavs at Spalato Proposals and counter-proposals Georgia, Mississippi and Texas. The of plan is that federal agents are to visit Italians would take proper counter- the British, French and Italian dele- localities in such States where estabgation, and rumors of compromises lishments employ child labor and is-

cated by the fact that the town as the ly discredited by the issuance of Pres. The law provides that in none of headquarters of the Allied Army of the ident Wilson's statement, showing the industries within scope of the law Paris.—The naval port of Sebasto speaking of reconstruction, to take any caped destruction is still a mystery. by intense and terrific bombardments. Orient contains French and British that the President was not a party to children within the age limits may pol, in the Crimea, has not been occu- part in the rebuilding of damaged Several shells hit it and the roof is But when either side was making as well as Italian troops. A one-sided the proposed concessions, which were work more than eight hours a day pied by Russian Soviet troops, accord- homes. Italian occupation of Fiume, it is be- chiefly based on the supposition that or more than six days a week, or be- ing to a dispatch to the Journal des There are several American organ- walls three feet thick, built during the property was considerably less. For fore 6 A. M. or after 7 P. M. with- Debats, dated Sunday at Saloniki. The idea, which had been prevalent out assessment of the tax. The first | The dispatch says that fighting ap | these groups are taking on a very lim- what was probably the finest ringside | September, 1914, when the kaiser was taxable period is between April 25 pears to have stopped for the time be. Ited number of homes and are not seat for the big fight that can be found striking at Paris, very little destrucfrom the calendar year the return must be made on the first day of the third month following the close of the fiscal year.

UPRISING IN TURKEY.

stantinople.

Licenses now will be issued, it was Beattie, built at Portsmouth, N. H.. in Turkey and a Soviet Government remained for Congress to enact leg-Miss Helen Roberts, daughter of Constantinople, according to a tele- tion of Government owned vessels. sa who says that the Turkish consul after must be labeled to show the ex- not enough left in the way of shelter in length and 20 feet wide was in full of 1917, about the time America came Twenty-five hundred men employed there has received official announce- act net weigh of food they contain un- to house anything larger than a stray operation, selling cigarettes and giving into the war. in the Toledo Shipbuilding Company ment of the change in the govern- der an amended regulation issued un-

POLES CAPTURE VILNA.

the Ukrainian front.

GENERAL PERSHING'S SISTER.

sister of General John J. Pershing will leave her bome here within a short yet been determined

Made By Allies

A CHANGE IN THE PROGRAM

German Delegation To Versailles Will Comprise Six High Personages' With The Foreign Minister At The Head.

Paris.—The Allies have been notified by Germany that she accepts all the Allied conditions respecting the Versailles Congress.

Germany will send the following delegates to the Versailles Congress with full powers to negotiate. Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, Foreign Minister; Herr Landsberg, Secretary of Publicity, Art and Literature; Dr. Theodore Melchoir, general manager of the Warburg Bank; Herr Leinert, President of the Prussian Assembly LTUU and of the National Soviet Congress; Herr Ginsberg, Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, and Herr Schuecking. In all, the German party will number 75. The arrival of the delegates

cannot be expected before April 28. Although the Peace Conference apparently was taken by surprise by the announcement of Germany's intention toreign minister, and the other Ital- NO CHANCE FOR COMPROMISE THE LAW WILL BE ENFORCED to send a small delegation to Versailles to receive the text of the treaty, the plan is really old, and Berlin and Weimar dispatches of the Associated Press more than a month ago indicated that the German delegates would not have power to make finai

The determination of the German Washington.—Federal supervision of Foreign Office was based on misap-Bureau putting into effect the new that at the first meeting the German fund, collected as indemnity. revenue act's tax on child labor prod- delegates merely would be handed the It is impossible for outsiders to try text of the treaty, but would not be to take on more than a relatively small

"While it is the purpose of the Bu-

kino And Chinda.

to revocation and suspension, the age | Hugh C. Wallace, the new Ambassa- life anew. During the winter months | A few stray German graves are troopers in the hut at the time. But passage of a measure providing for When it became known that the certificate, working or employment dor to France, and Mrs. Wallace had there was a big demand for stoves. marked with carefully lettered crosses the Y-workers evidently had a system the annexation of the Dalmatian and Italian Premier, Vittorio Orlando, was certificate or permit, or other similar luncheon with the President and Mrs. Thousands were needed. With one on which metal identification tags have of providing for the comfort of both to Italy by the London agreement, and Council of Four, various rumors be- State. In some States where adequate to get along through the coldest On up the road toward Germany, susceptibilities of either. I saw such came current. Signor Orlando re- laws do not exist this will, not be as one of the distinguished invited weather while the home deserted dur- about three-quarters of a mile, Mont- an arrangement working smoothly in

BOLSHEVIKI SLOW DOWN.

Yet Occupied.

## WASHINGTON

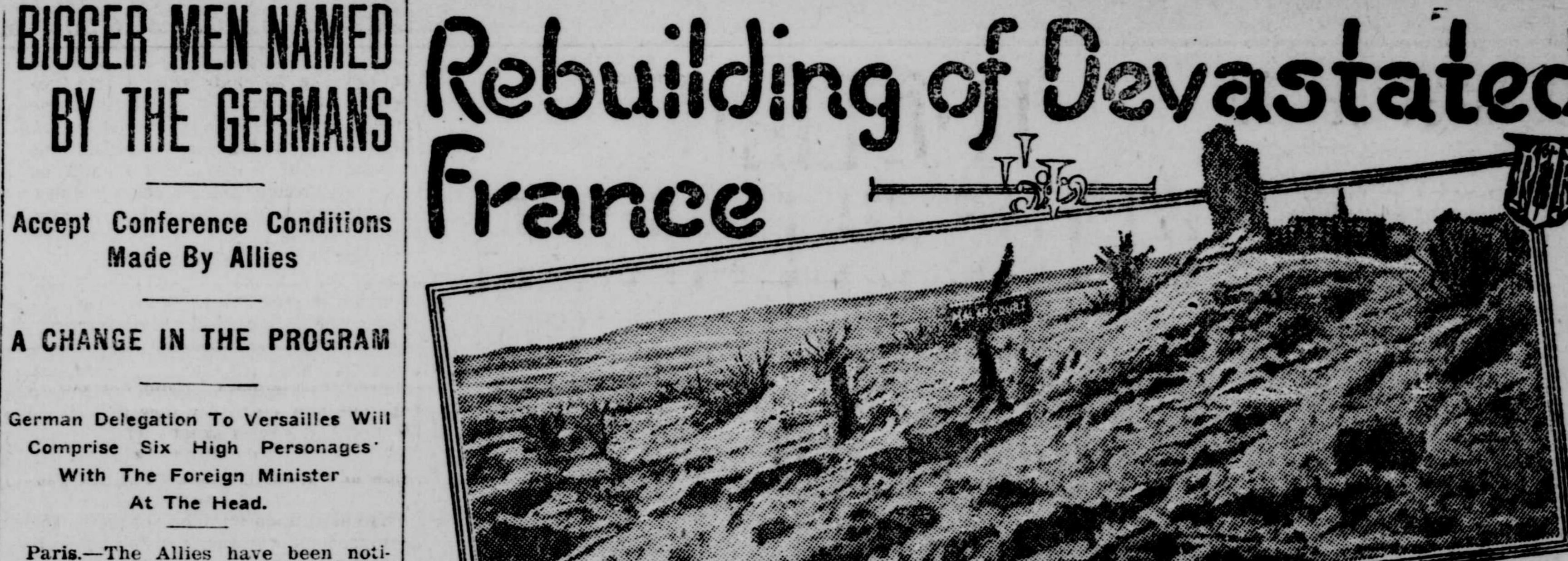
man advance near Cambrai, returned Soviet Government Proclaimed In Con- brief filed in the Supreme Court that the severely-shelled segments where many houses remain standing. Here it miles across, in many places. steamships owned by the Government | the land has been so blasted by thou- was that Louis XVI, escaping from | Then there was another kind of dewere immune from suits for damages sands of high explosive shells and by Paris and from the mob that finally struction—the willful kind, wrought The Ferris type steamer Roy H. Paris.—A revolution has broken out and other legal processes and that it

der the Federal Food and Drugs Act by the Secretaries of the Treasury. Agriculture and Commerce.

Captain D. W. Todd, who has been Paris.—Polish troops have captured the chief cable censor at the Navy De. passed an ordinance prohibiting or radiates. the important railway center of Bar- partment, has been assigned to com- ganization among city firemen. anovichi and Novogorodek, south of mand the armored cruiser Pittsburgh, Buenos Aires.—Germany has in- Vilna, as well as Vilna itself, advices formerly flagship of the Pacific fleet.

Uncounted Millions in subscriptions of a periodical. to the Victory notes poured into banks | An electric heater has been invent- "A man has full rights in his own | Although only fourteen years old, Lincoln, Neb.-Miss May Pershing. the United States. Detroit reports she an automobile windshield. has gone over the top.

at a dinner given by the American- home-brewing of beer or family dis- in christening a vessel of the mer-Japan Society. Many American vis. tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named with being under the domination of the local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named with being under the domination of the local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named with being under the domination of the local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named with being under the domination of the local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes dry; chant marine which will be named local tillation when the country goes



fare and Deliberate Hun Policy of Destruction Make It the Work

By LLOYD ALLEN,

Special Staff Correspondent. (Copyright, 1919, by Western Newspaper Union.) ARIS.—France is beginning to rebuild the scores of villages destroyed by shell fire during more than four years of war. The task is enormous; it will require be carried on by the French government with only a small amount of outside aid and a German

three Liberty Loans in America. It's

the Red Cross warehouses and not

be in actual dollars, it must still be tower three stories high, watched the this hut was just starting operations. the taking on of a program of actual He could see, among other things, to drink as much chocolate as he dereconstruction, that is, the actual re- the houses of Malancourt crumble day sired. Coffee could also he had. A building of demolished cottages. by day until former homes were stone small sheet iron stove, with a pile of

French villagers will need for starting can be recognized only by a sign board. whole place. There were no negro stove a French family could manage been nailed. ing war days was made habitable. But facoun today stands almost complete a Y-canteen in Verdun—the only comthere were not enough stoves avail- ly wrecked. Visitors to this territory fortable spot in blocks of ruined able to supply one-tenth of the de- never miss seeing the crown prince's houses. mand. When the Red Cross speaks of safe shelter which was constructed It was where the allied and German reconstruction work these days, it has inside the walls of a three and a half troops stood opposite each other, Sebastopol, Evacuated By Allies, Not in mind the providing of such neces- story house—the only four walls left month in and month out during the sities as stoves, medicines, and simple standing in the town. How the house days of strictly treach warfare, that necessities. It does not mean, when around the crown prince's shelter es- villages were completely wiped out

izations that will rebuild houses, but actual battle, the crown prince had instance, in the great German drive of was signed.

France day after day and see the deso- the tower is invisible. lation of deserted villages in order to | Varennes, on the old French frontier, | turned, the scene of the flercest fight-

pieces of metal have been invented there being enormous quantities of it out touching it.

HOUSE AT MONTEACOUN CONTAINING CONCRETE OBSERVATION TOWER OF GERMAN CROWN PRINCE ration, while aimed directly at the at any time of the year. Boys' and plenipotentiaries—to Versailles mere- through the American. Red Cross. Our cat. Malancourt, which I visited on laway some of the finest hot chocolate Adriatic problems, also reaches the girls' canning clubs recognized by the ly to receive the draft and return to aid in this direction alone will be the way to the forest of the Argonne, in France to a crowd of infantrymen— Kiau Chau controversy, in which Department of Agriculture are ex- Berlin with it, and would therefore valuable. It will consist of the dis- is just such a place. A few hundred another of the American outfits quar-Japan relies upon secret agreements empted. A child labor law tax di- send a smaller delegation and later tribution of supplies bought by the yards away from the town is a no- tered near the hut, all anxious to catch

> Crown Prince's Grand Stand. Behind the town, as viewed from the fair with a big brass spigot, was placed needed urgently by the American former allied trenches, is Montfacoun, on an empty packing case. Around the from which the German crown prince, can were discarded condensed milk Large as the Red Cross relief will in a concrete and steel observation tins—the only cups available because

> The Red Cross policy is to provide, heaps with protruding timbers that kindling chopped from timbers of when it can, the necessary articles once held up roofs. Today Malancourt ruined French homes, warmed the blacks and whites without jarring the

partly torn away, but inside concrete a rapid advance the destruction of

lion French men, women and children | From the roadway in front of this during the first battle of the Marne, that were homeless when the armistice house you have to look sharply to de- that is, along by Meaux, Sezanne, tect even a trace of the tower inside. Vitry-le-Francois and Revigny. In You must ride through northern From a point 300 feet down the road other words, the destruction was worst

get an idea of the wreckage. The is another of the more interesting ing. Along the Somme and the Aisne, damaged area covers 6.000 square French towns, probably 80 per cent the same conditions prevailed. Here The Government maintained in a miles. Streaked through this land are destroyed, even though the walls of the destroyed area is from 10 to 12 mines that the ground has been left executed him, was caught and re- by German troops in some of the big

000 acres of farm lands, through one was recognized and arrested. Amer- consistently wrecked property rather of the most productive parts of France. | ican negro infantrymen were drilling | than let it revert to the French in a have been ruined by artillery fire. | the day I passed through the town. fair state of preservation.

a steamer home, by the way.

STONE HEAP WHICH ONCE WAS

The chocolate can, a ten-gallon af-And every infantryman was supposed

where the terrible fighting took place at the points where the battle was

BRIEF INFORMATION

The South African Geographical so- Honolulu has forbidden his country- sociation, "but the amount of paper May 1, and maturing October 7, with ciety has been recently formed. A men to wear kimonos on the street. used for wrapping gifts and food and The Rhode Island Legislature the Office States, and the United State lined for it, including the publication of a campaign he is waging to induce one of the greatest causes of the tax-

> and soliciting committees throughout ed to prevent moisture collecting on house against everybody but his wife," the Smith twins, Ruth and Eleanor, Emilo Aguinaldo, 16-year-old son of burg, Pa., by President Judge George national reputations for swimming rec-Lieut.-Col. Ansell accused the com. the Filipino insurrectionist, recently Kunkel, in the case of a man who ords. mittee of the American Bar Associa. left his home in the Philippines for charged his wife with "cruel and bar. The money in circulation in this

really most valuable. It is the invet- treasury vaults at Washington to the for January 1, 1919. It is an average shot in the evening after flying for 20 one of the shipments which have taken on that day. The "money in circulaminutes were found with stomachs \$205,000,000 from the vaults in recent | tion" has increased \$7 a head since gorged with mosquitoes, gnats and months to be melted down and ex. January 1, 1918. Since the war beported to the allies.

Economy is claimed for an electric | Caught on the railroad track at Elheater to be inserted in range boilers, lendale, Del., with a fast freight ap-The Omaha (Neb.) city council has as the water absorbs all the heat it proaching, the two-year-old baby of William Masen had a miraculous es-A Swedish syndicate is planning to cape when it fell down, the engine Steel truss poles rolled from single distill alcohol spirit from white moss, and whole train passing over it with-

"It may seem absurd," says an offi-The consul-general of Japan at cial of the National Paper Trades as-

his people to adopt American styles. | ing of paper mills' output." according to a ruling made at Harris- of Columbus, O., have already gained

country is \$7,780,793,606, the highest gan it has nearly doubled.