

JOY IN SIBERIA OVER REVOLUTION

EXILES RETURNING EXPRESS LOYALTY TO NEW REGIME

SOLDIERS WEAR THE REDBADGE

New Governor Arrived at One Point Just in Time To Be Arrested.

Ovation for Exiles

Petrograd, April 4. (Via London, April 4.)—Charles H. Boynton, the chairman of the Russian-American Chamber of Commerce, has reached here after a journey across Siberia. He said the revolution had been greeted with enthusiasm at every town through which he had passed. Twenty returning exiles, chiefly Socialists, were on board the train and were welcomed by immense crowds at the various railroad stations. Military bands were parading everywhere and speech making by revolutionary agitators went on day and night.

Mr. Boynton said the greater crowd was composed of soldiers wearing the red badge of the revolution. "I was impressed," he continued, "by the unanimity of sentiment expressed on every side in favor of a republic. The news of the arrival of the exiles seemed to precede us and at every station crowds clamored for a sight of them and demanded speeches. One of the exiles, named Anisimo, a former member of the Duma who had been ten years in the mines, responded most frequently and spent most of his time on the platform.

"The speeches of all the exiles breathed loyalty and patience. They asked everybody to turn in and help defeat the common enemy. An amusing story was told on board the train with regard to a former governor who also was a passenger. He was a new appointee and had just arrived at his post at the moment of the triumph of the revolution. He was met by a delegation which he supposed intended to welcome him. The governor launched into an address declaring his intention to enforce the laws strictly and with a firm hand. The delegation finally succeeded in interrupting him and informing him that he was under arrest in the name of the new government. The governor later pledged his allegiance, fastened a red badge to his coat and was on his way to rejoin his regiment, but apparently still failed to appreciate the new order of affairs.

TODAY'S ENTRIES AT BOWIE TRACK

Bowie, Md., April 5.—Bowie entries for Friday, April 6, are as follows: FIRST RACE—The Isabel Purse; 2-year-old maiden fillies; four furlongs.

Table with 3 columns: Ind. Horses, Wgt., and Race details.

SECOND RACE—Claiming; maiden 2-year-olds and up; five and a half furlongs.

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THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs.

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FOURTH RACE—The Mazurder Purse; 3-year-olds and up; 7 furlongs.

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FIFTH RACE—Claiming; 4-year-olds and up; mile and 70 yards.

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SIXTH RACE—Selling; 3-year-olds one mile.

Table with 3 columns: Ind. Horses, Wgt., and Race details.

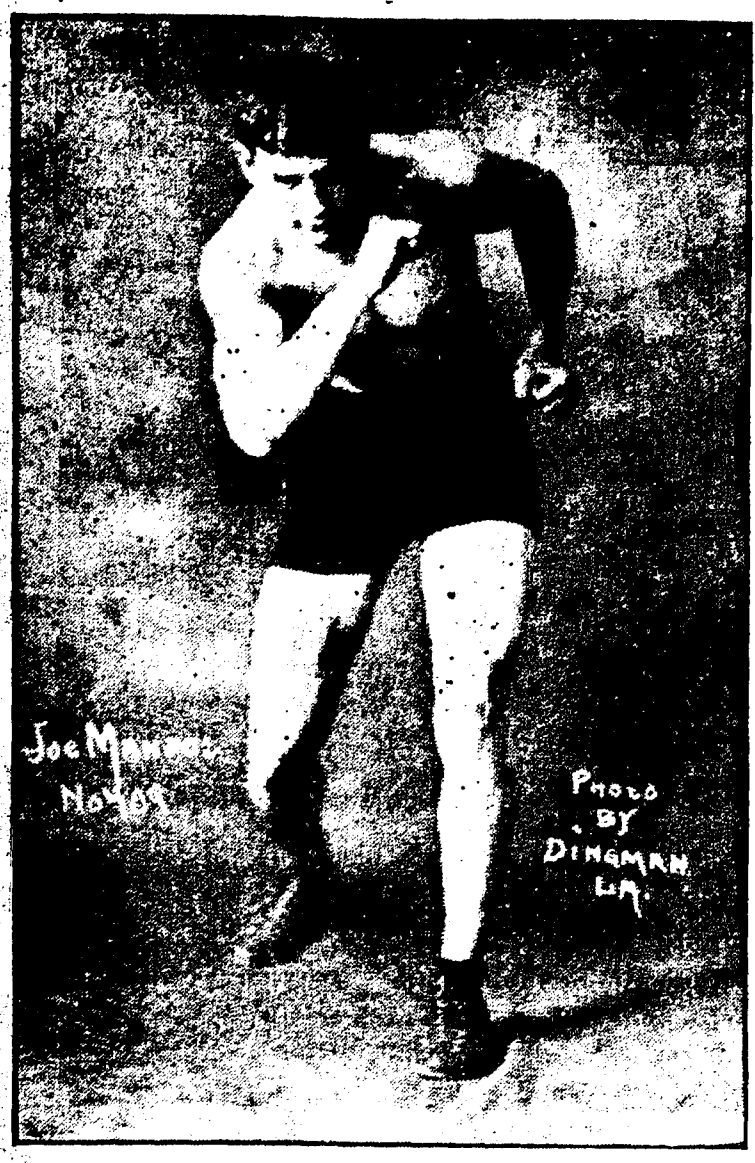
SEVENTH RACE—Claiming; year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth.

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Weather, cloudy; track, slow. xApprentice allowance claimed. xxWhitney entry.

BOARD OF HEALTH DAILY RECORD.

Table with columns for Births, Marriages, Deaths, and other health records.



A WELCOME TO POP. EARL JOE MANDOT

The bully boy of the French Market section and of the Second and Third Districts of this city, has come back from Memphis, where he had a bout with Arles Fanning Monday night. Joe says he had the best of the fight, which the referee declared a draw.

WALTER BELIEVES IN PREPAREDNESS

Nashville, April 5.—Walter Johnson may change his delivery. The great speed ball artist will use a slow ball and spitter. Johnson says that while his arm is as strong as ever, he fears that speedy pitching in time will affect his shoulder. The big Swede experimented in practice with a spitter last fall and he discovered that the use of it did not weaken his salary wing.

He also developed a floater which was surprisingly effective. Johnson's idea is to employ change of pace as much as possible this year. By mixing the floater and the spitter with his famous spower he believes that his arm will last longer and that he will obtain more successful results.

Johnson argues that a swift curve ball is more injurious than any other delivery. He also insists that enemy batsmen are more easily puzzled by a slow straight ball delivered when it is least expected. Johnson is a side arm pitcher, which means that the use of speed exclusively is a more severe straining on the shoulder than when an overhand delivery is employed.

Johnson will be thirty years old next November. This will be his eleventh year as a professional, and it is believed that he is anxious to save himself as much as possible.

COLUMBIA IS FRIENDLY

Washington, April 5.—Dr. Esteben Jaramillo, formerly Colombian minister of interior, now in this country on railroad and banking business, issued a statement in which he referred to the propaganda of the General Powers and declared that Colombia would not tolerate within her territory any movement hostile to the United States. He said his committee looked forward to ratification of the proposed treaty with the United States, appreciating that for the development of her latent natural wealth she must have not only a cordial and friendly relationship, but also the financial support of the American nation.

REPUBLICAN MEMBER QUITS

Shocks Pennsylvania by Spending \$40,000 To Be Elected. Pittsburg, Pa., April 5.—When the Sixty-fifth Congress begins work it will receive a letter of resignation from Orrin D. Bleakley of the Twenty-eighth Congressional District, who pleaded not to contend last Friday in the United States District Court in Erie to obtaining his election illegally.

Jingles From Sportland

By Jack Veilock

NAMES IN NAMES. 'Bat Murphy is a curly bear.' A fight fan said to me; 'Behave me, Steve, the kid is there, He is a star,' said he. 'He'll show you more real fistic stuff Than any kid I know; He's gonna battle here to-night, 'N' ought to be some show.'

And so I bought a ringside seat To watch the batter work, For Irishmen are hard to beat— And I bet on the Turk. But when he climbed into the ring I bid farewell to joy, For there was Tony Salvatore, The corner grocery boy.

Ban Johnson gets \$25,000 per annum for hiring the umpires. McGraw gets \$50,000 per season for baiting them.

We note that Maurice McLoughlin will defend his amateur standing again this summer.

'One thing we can be thankful for,' says a Cincinnati fan, 'is the fact that we don't live in the Coast League, where the season is about seven months long.'

Baseball pitchers will study hypnotism, which will enable them to throw the umpires into a trance so they will call every ball a strike.

As for that, there's many an umpire who spends the whole season in a trance.

Czar Nick should have taken a few lessons from Ban Johnson.

At that, Nick proved he was an amateur in the royalty league.

In case of war there will be no tennis tournaments. But they won't call off the wrestling schedule.

WAIL FROM PITTSBURG. Or, what will we do. All we veteran fans, When we have to root For the Pirates sans Hans?

A play without actors, A bridge without spans, Will seem just as sane. As the Pirates sans Hans.

For years we've been loyal, Though of also-rans, But now can we stand For the Pirates sans Hans?

TODAY'S ENTRIES AT OAKLAWN TRACK

Hot Springs, April 5.—Entries at Oaklawn for Friday, April 6, of the Essex Jockey Club, are as follows: FIRST RACE—Selling; 2-year-olds; four furlongs.

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SECOND RACE—Selling; 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs.

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THIRD RACE—Vapor City purse; 3-year-olds and up; seven furlongs.

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FOURTH RACE—Selling; 3-year-olds and up; one mile.

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FIFTH RACE—Four-year-olds and up; five and a half furlongs.

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SIXTH RACE—Selling; 3-year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth.

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Weather, clear; track, fast.

U. S. DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Friday, April 6, 1917. Forecast till 7 p. m. Friday. For New Orleans and vicinity: Friday fair, warmer; light northerly winds.

For Louisiana: Friday and Saturday, fair, warmer.

LOCAL METEOROLOGICAL RECORD

Temperature Record. Yesterday's temperature record at New Orleans, as shown by the thermometer of the U. S. Weather Bureau, on the roof of the Postoffice building, was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Time and Temperature.

Weather Record

The following is the weather data for April 5, 1917, at New Orleans:

Table with 2 columns: Temperature, Rel. Humidity, Wind, Rain, and Weather.

RIVER FORECAST.

The Mississippi River, below Vicksburg, and the Atchafalaya will rise; on account of recent rains, crest stages are indicated as follows: Natchez, 48.0 to 48.7 feet, April 20th to 25th; Baton Rouge, 35.5 to 36.0 feet; Donaldsonville, 28.5 to 29.0; New Orleans, 18.5; April 25th to 28th; a flood stage, 37.0 feet at Melville by April 12th; the Red River, below Shreveport, and the Ouachita will rise during the next 48 hours.

ARRIVALS AT PILOT TOWN

S. S. Schooner Almarante, 7:30 a. m. S. S. Fort Morgan, 5 p. m. S. S. Grabauche, 6:30 a. m.

MAJOR-GEN. WOOD TALKED TOO MUCH

SENT BACK TO THE BUSHES IN RECENT SHAKEUP

HIS ABILITY IS UNQUESTIONED

Great Tactician and Organizer but Too Free in Discussing Military Affairs

Washington, April 5.—The transfer of Major General Wood from the highly important Eastern Department of the army to the newly created Southeastern Department is causing a lot of talk in Washington. Newspaper correspondents are advancing various theories to explain the shift. The War Department in announcing it, merely stated that the transfer was made "for the good of the service."

David Lawrence of the New York Post, one of the best informed of Washington correspondents, credits the belief that Wood was transferred because of his openness to criticize the administration's military policies. Says Lawrence: "Wood has repeatedly violated Rule No. 10 of the army code, which forbids army officers to discuss foreign wars and American military matters in connection with them in public. In fact his violation of this rule has been one of the most flagrant in our history and discipline might have required his court-martial for the offense. He has repeatedly been rebuked by the War Department but ignored these rebukes."

Other correspondents conclude that Wood's transfer was because of his sympathy with the candidacy of Hughes last fall and his appearance at a Republican conference last year. His activity in urging steps that were not exactly approved by the administration is advanced as another reason.

However, it is pointed out that the spoils system, no matter how much it has intruded into other departments during the Wilson administration, has not appeared in the War Department. Both Funston and Pershing, advanced during the first Wilson administration, were Republicans. Other advancements, it is said, have been scrupulously fair and in line with the views of army leaders.

No criticism of Major General Wood's military ability has appeared from any source since his removal from the Eastern Department. It is acknowledged that he is one of the best tacticians in the American army and an organizer of unusual capacity. However, several newspapers point out that the President is commander-in-chief of the army, and that continued criticism of his policies by a subordinate would be bad for his discipline.

It is generally agreed by Washington correspondents that Major General Scott will succeed General Pershing as chief of staff upon General Scott's retirement at the end of this year.

Porto Rico a Gem.

Horticulturally Porto Rico is a gem, also ideal in all ways. The island is nearly a rectangle 85 miles wide and 100 miles long, of great fertility, great beauty and a healthful and almost perfect climate. Although the population is 320 to the square mile nearly all are engaged in horticulture. The chief crops are citrus fruits, coffee, coconuts, pineapples, bananas and many other tropical fruits.

CIVIL DISTRICT COURT

Southern Furniture Store, Inc., vs. Nick Ferrain, sequestration, \$170; Francis Cabos, wife of Jean Castaing, vs. Jean Castaing, bed and board; L. E. Jung vs. Gomez and D'Assaro and the individual members of said firm, claim, 107.32; Herbert A. Clark vs. his wife, bed and board; Kohlmeier, Jacobs and Hyams, Ltd., vs. W. J. Cheevers et al., claim, \$118.88.

Successions

Mrs. Edgar G. Pilee, Miss Mary Ann Matthews, Stephen Morgan, et als. Emancipation of Herbert Michel Wolford.

Enforcing Peace.

"How did you become involved in a fight with that little Jones boy?" demanded the stern father. "Why, we had a small argument," responded youthful Thomas, "and then I told him if he did not accept my terms of peace, I was going to black his other eye."

McCAMPBELL FELL DOWNSTAIRS

William McCampbell, a road foreman, fell down a flight of stairs in a rooming house at 1218 Canal street, where he lives, and received a deep cut over the eye yesterday. He was taken to the Charity Hospital, where his injury was pronounced slight.

The Fleur-de-Lis. The iris is supposed to be the fleur-de-lis, or flower-de-luce of the French coat of arms, but really has nothing to do with the design, this being of quite recent application. The origin of the design is not known but it is quite generally believed to represent the head of a spear; by others the flower of a lily, the floral emblem of France.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES.

UNION STATION.

FREE STOP-OVERS ALLOWED AT NEW ORLEANS ON ALL RAILROAD AND STEAMSHIP TICKETS. STOP-OVERS FURNISH AN OPPORTUNITY TO SEE THE CITY.

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