

## GERMANS TRAIN CHINESE ARMY OF 5,000,000

Mackensen and 8,000 German Officers Reported to Have Returned From China.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Field Marshal von Mackensen and 8,000 German officers have been in China since early spring, training a Chinese army of 5,000,000 men, according to information contained in a letter Dr. E. L. Scharf, of Washington, announced today that he had just received from his brother in Berlin.

This was one of the first letters known to have been received here since the resumption of mail service between the United States and Germany.

Press dispatches from Germany and nearby neutral countries for the last several months have been conspicuously lacking in references to the whereabouts and activities of Field Marshal von Mackensen, who became one of the most popular of the German commanders as a result of his successful operations in Roumania.

The letter was written in German.

According to Dr. Scharf's translation, it stated:

"General Mackensen has just returned from China, where he, with 8,000 German officers, went early in the spring, at the invitation of the Chinese government, to organize and drill an army of 5,000,000 men."

**Indianapolis Shopmen  
Vote To Continue Strike**

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 11.—Representatives of striking shopmen of all the railroad shops in Indianapolis adopted resolutions at a mass meeting at Machinists' hall, on South Delaware street, Sunday afternoon, providing that the strike would be continued until an agreement is reached and that no members of the six striking shop crafts comprising the Indianapolis Council of Railway Workers would return to work except as a body.

The resolutions further provided that after settlement had been made and work resumed, in case of discrimination against any member for activity in the present strike, if settlement by the heads of the shop crafts where discrimination is practiced fails, the workers will lay down their tools at once, and if settlement is not then made the matter will be referred to the district council, and if in their

minds discrimination is evident, a general strike of all the rail men in the city will be called.

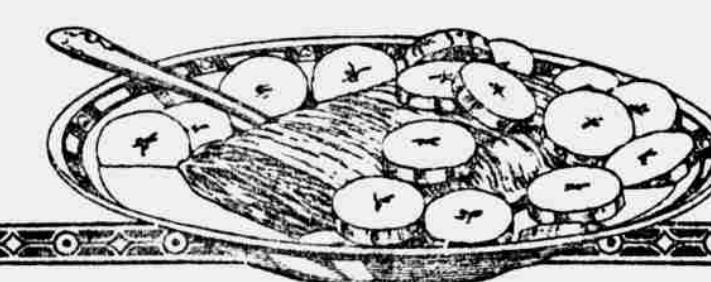
An unusual capture in the shape of a white mole was made in Ayrshire, Scotland.

### PROF. HAECKEL DEAD

JENA, Germany, Aug. 10.—Prof. Ernst Heinrich Haeckel, professor of Zoology at the University of Jena and famous throughout the world for his research work supporting the theory of evolution, died here today.

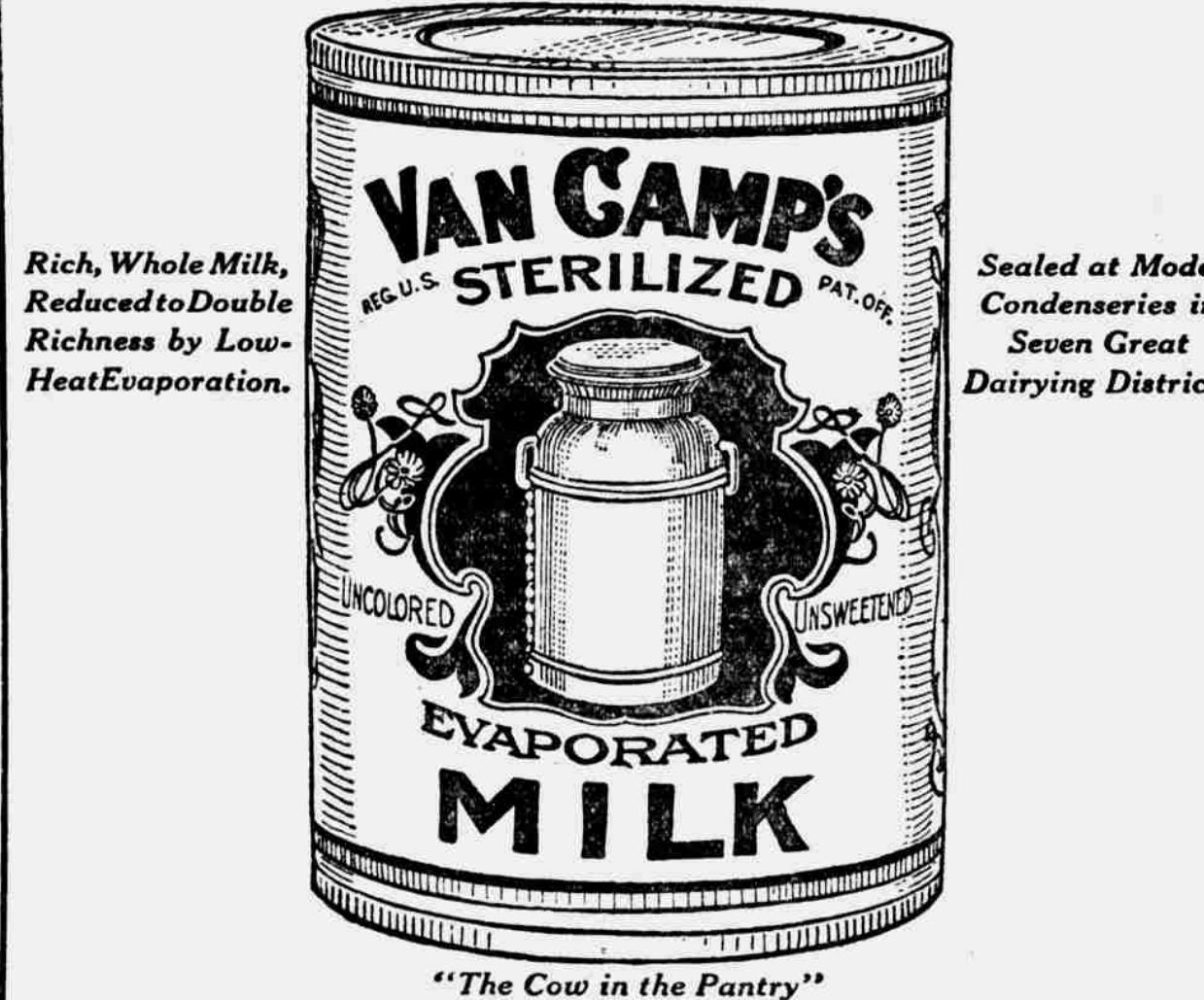
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