

Marine Is Killed and Another Seriously Wounded In Nicaragua

Leader Attacked a Party of 39 Marines and Members of Constabulary Was Run Off. ...

Reported That More Than 100 Rebels Were Killed—Charles Sidney Wounded.

Nicaragua, July 18.—(AP)—The marine corps has suffered a heavy loss in actual conflict since the death of the recent leader...

Another marine, Michael A. Obelski, of Asheville, was killed. ...

Another marine, Major G. D. Hatfield, of the 2nd Infantry, was seriously wounded...

Always laugh when you can, it is a cheap medicine; merriment is a philosophy not well understood. It is the sunny side of existence.

THE STOCK MARKET. Reported by Fenner & Beane. (Quotations at 1:30 P. M.)

REPORT STATES AT LEAST FORTY WERE KILLED IN VIENNA

So far the Political Differences Have Not Been Settled Even After Several Conferences Held.

300 WOUNDED IN LAST WEEK RIOT

More Than 100 Arrested For Taking Part in Disorders.—Many Records Destroyed by Rioters.

Berlin, July 18.—(AP)—A proclamation issued by Chancellor Seipel in Vienna, and brought to Berlin today by airplane...

The Chancellor after declaring that Austria has suffered a severe loss in tourist trade and prestige...

Political Differences Not Settled.

Berlin, July 18.—(AP)—The Vienna correspondent of the socialist Vorwaerts says that solution of the political differences in Austria today appeared rather problematical.

MT. PLEASANT NEWS.

Lutheran Summer School Closes For Church Workers Closes.—Other Items.

Mt. Pleasant, June 15.—The Lutheran Summer School for Church Workers, which has been in session the past ten days, closed today at noon.

Clarence and Oscar Fultz, of Vero Beach, Florida, former students at M. P. C. I., are visitors here this week.

With Our Advertisers.

Special this week at the Ritchie Hardware Co., Therna electric irons, only \$3.95, worth \$5.00.

Laura Harris Circle to Meet. The Laura Harris Circle of Central Methodist Church will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. F. Ritchie on West Depot street.

Poplar Tent Road Will Be Taken Over Soon By State

Road From Concord to Caldwell Station Will Become State Highway Under Authority of Commissioner Wilkinson of Sixth District.

Cabarrus county has been given additional recognition by W. C. Wilkinson, State highway commissioner, who announces through the county highway commission that the Poplar Tent road will be accepted as a State highway.

Mr. Wilkinson and District Engineer Prigden conferred here with the county commission Saturday morning and after the conference drove over the road from Concord to the Mecklenburg county line.

The road extends from Concord to Caldwell Station, where it connects with State Highway 26, running from Charlotte to Statesville.

Persons along Route 74 can follow that highway to Concord and then go directly west on the new highway.

Persons from the southeast can reach Concord on Route 74 through Albemarle, or on Route 15 from Monroe, take the new highway to Cornelius and reach western North Carolina either via Denver or Statesville.

Blowing Rock Man Asserts Wound in Broadus Miller's Body Ranged Downward.

Blowing Rock, July 17.—C. L. Dula, of Blowing Rock, Saturday added his testimony to that of J. W. Gragg, of Lenoir, that Broadus Miller, negro slayer of Gladys Kincaid, of Morganton, apparently offered no resistance before he was shot by Commodore Burleson.

NINE LIVES TAKEN AS TORNADES TOLL

Many Persons Are Injured and Thousands of Dollars' Damage Done to Property in Eastern Section of Kansas.

Kansas City, July 17.—Nine persons were killed and many more injured by two tornadoes that swooped down upon eastern Kansas late yesterday afternoon.

Wilkesboro Banker is Charged With Forging Notes Against Wilkes County

Richmond, Va., July 18.—(AP)—Richmond police were asked today to arrest Glenn Wrenn, president of the Bank of Wilkes, of Wilkesboro, N. C., who is said to be wanted by Wilkes county authorities for the alleged forging of a note for \$25,000.

North Wilkesboro, July 18.—(AP)—Glenn Wrenn, president of the Bank of Wilkes, for whom a warrant was received in Richmond, Va., is wanted on a charge of having embezzled \$25,000 through hypothecating an illegal county note, according to J. C. Wallace, treasurer of the county board.

Marie Prevost to Ask Divorce, Says Report.

Los Angeles, July 18.—The Examiner says Marie Prevost, film star, and her husband, Kenneth Harlan, also of the screen, have taken the first step toward making their separation final by signing a property agreement.

First Prosecutions Under Statewide Game Law.

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STRATEGIC POINTS ARE CAPTURED BY GENERAL HO CHIEN

Reports From Well Informed Sources Say He Has Captured Both Hankow and Hanyang.

EXTREMISTS HAD HELD THE CITIES

General Ho Chien, Conservative Southern Leader, Carried Out His Plans Smoothly in Both Cities.

London, July 18.—(AP)—A Renter's dispatch from Shanghai says that a message from well informed sources in Hankow reports the capture of both Hankow and Hanyang from the southern extremists by Gen. Ho Chien, the constructive southern commander.

The general is reported to have carried out a coup d'etat against the radicals occupying Hanyang yesterday and Hankow today.

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WEEK SHOWS TREND UPWARD IN COTTON

Nothing More Than Moderate Crop Possible on Reduced Acreage.

New Orleans, La., July 17.—Great activity characterized the cotton market during the past week and although there were reactions, and considerable liquidation by satisfied long or more or less selling by traders desirous of forcing a selection, the general trend of prices has been upward and the week closed with active trading a little more than a cent above the closing levels of the previous Saturday.

COL WATTS IS BURIED NEAR PLACE OF BIRTH

Funeral Held at Statesville and Body Interred at New Sterling Church.

Statesville, July 16.—The body of Col. A. D. Watts, who had weathered many of the storms of life and had come out victorious against countless obstacles, rests in peace this evening in a quiet and secluded churchyard eight miles west of Statesville, under a mountain of flowers, tokens of esteem and admiration from friends in this and other states.

ORDER ENDS LABEL SUIT AGAINST FORD

Judge Charles C. Simons Signs Order For Discontinuance of Sapiro Suit Against Ford.

Detroit, July 18.—(AP)—The legal phases of the Ford-Sapiro libel suit came to a formal end today when Judge Charles C. Simons in Federal district court signed an order for discontinuance.

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Five American Fliers Who Crossed Atlantic Welcomed At Home

Great Reception Staged in New York For Men Who Flew Monoplanes 'America' and 'Columbia'.

HUNDREDS SEE THEM ARRIVE

Came on Giant Liner Leviathan Which Was Met at Quarantine—Will Reach Land During Afternoon.

New York, July 18.—(AP)—Five men who flew over the Atlantic in the monoplanes America and Columbia returned to their home land today to receive greetings of the city from which they took off on their great adventure.

At 8 o'clock this morning the giant Leviathan nosed its way into New York harbor and dropped anchor at Quarantine, with Commander Richard E. Byrd, Bert Acosta, George Noville and Bert Balchen, of the America, and Clarence Chamberlin, pilot of the Columbia, among its passengers.

As the Leviathan lay at quarantine during the morning, Manhattan sweltered in a murky haze that threatened momentarily to turn into rain.

Because the flyers were not due to ashore, being brought from the Leviathan by the city tug Macon until afternoon, the chief indication this morning of the welcome to come, was hundreds of police along the line of march from the Battery to the eternal light at Madison Square.

As early as 9 o'clock Battery Park, City Hall Plaza, and Madison Square, the three places where ceremonies were scheduled, were abuzz with flags of the America, France and Germany.

Byrd's mother, his brother, Thos, and the wives of Acosta and Noville, boarded the Macon shortly after 9 o'clock and posed for photographs before starting the journey down the bay to the Leviathan.

Because the arrival of the airmen was still three hours off, and because also of heat and threat of rain, the crowds were slow in seeking vantage points along the line of march.

Apparently having learned from the recent welcome celebration for Charles A. Lindbergh, who preceded the American and Columbia through the aid to Europe that a New York greeting can be boisterous, and heartfelt without being destructive, merchants today did not board up their windows.

During the early morning hours the grandstand prepared for dignitaries, officials and invited guests were occupied by patrolmen with unbuttoned collars, fanning themselves with newspapers, and resting for their labors when the crowds should begin to gather.

Before the Macon left, it was boarded by Lindbergh and the Belgian designer of the Columbia.

Lindbergh said he had just arrived in the city, coming for the purpose of welcoming the flyers who were preparing for their flights at Roosevelt Field while he was there greeting his Spirit of St. Louis for the ocean hop.

As the Macon steamed away from Battery numerous excursion steamers and private boats swung in behind it and trailed it down the Bay toward the Leviathan.

As the flyers left the Macon on which they came up the harbor, they were called to the microphone by MeNamee, who asked them to say something to the millions unable to greet them in person.

Led by a marine band and a detachment of soldiers and sailors, the ten automobiles composing the welcoming party and the returning heroes of the air proceeded at lively speed up Broadway.

Commander Byrd rode in the forward car with Grover Whalen of the Mayor's committee, bowing and waving to the cheering throng that lined the way.

If the succeeding cars the other airmen and their relatives rode, each one receiving his full measure of praise and responding with grinning salutations.

At 12:30 the flyers arrived at City Hall where a crowd was gathered rivaling that at the Battery. Grand stands at the square and on the west side of Broadway were filled to capacity and the crowd overflowed into every available bit of the Plaza.

A thunderous cheer greeted the airmen and the paper fell through the air to become a sodden plug on the streets and sidewalks where a light rain was cooling the heated pavement. The crowd stood its ground, despite the rain, as the flyers were taken to receive the city's medal of valor.

WEATHER. Partly cloudy with local thunderstorms this afternoon or tonight on coast; Tuesday probably cloudy, probably local thunderstorms in the south portion; slightly cooler on the northeast coast tonight.