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MEXICO CITY AGAIN HELD BY CARRANZA

Advises Washington He Plans to Relieve Distress and Reestablish Government

WILL ASK RECOGNITION

Railway To Vera Cruz and From Mexico City To North and Northeast To Be Reopened; Carranza Will Yield To Any Proposal For Peace Conference

(By the Associated Press).

Washington, D. C., July 31.—While reports of the reoccupation of Mexico City by General Gonzales lacked official confirmation tonight, it was known that General Carranza had ordered his forces back into the capital. General Carranza also ordered patrols along the Mexican railroad between Apizaco and Mexico City to protect it from bandit raids.

The order followed closely the receipt by General Carranza of the vigorous representations sent by Secretary Lansing urging that the railway be reopened and kept open so the starving population of Mexico City could be fed. Similar representations went also to Generals Villa and Zapata.

Notification of the order from General Carranza to General Gonzales reached the State Department today, and immediately afterwards news was received unofficially that the advance guard of Gonzales forces already had entered Mexico City. General Gonzales will enter the city tomorrow, civil government will be reestablished and plans for relieving distress among the people formulated.

Prompt Response to U. S.

Carranza's prompt response to insistence by the United States was regarded here as averting necessity for immediate action by this government to insure transportation of provisions to the Mexican capital. General Carranza was told in the message sent Thursday night that if he could not handle the situation it would be necessary for the United States to act.

An outline of General Carranza's plans to relieve distress in Mexico City are for re-establishment of government was conveyed to the State Department today. Strong intimations were made also that he would soon formally ask the United States to recognize a defacto government pending a constitutional election.

As outlined to the State Department, General Carranza's plan is as follows:

Will Set Up Civil Government.

General Gonzales will set up civil government in Mexico City at once, distribute food to suffering people and establish a monetary system so that stores and banks can be reopened. Troops will patrol the railroad to Vera Cruz, which will be opened at once. Provision trains will be started for the capital under heavy guard.

In co-operation with General Obregon, Gonzales' troops will reopen the railroad lines from Mexico City to the north and northeast toward Torreon and San Luis Potosi, and transportation will be re-established into the State of Michoacan, where the government has stored 200,000 bushels of corn.

The plan upon which General Carranza will base his claim for recognition includes removal of his seat of government to Mexico City as soon as Gonzales has the situation in and around Mexico City under complete control.

Municipal elections in the various States and the calling of an extra session of the Mexican congress to choose a provisional president would follow. Carranza's agents here maintain that he now is powerful enough to carry out his program and can demonstrate that such a government will be entitled to recognition by the United States.

Against Peace Conference.

General Carranza is said to be firmly resolved not to yield to any proposal for a peace conference with his adversaries.

What influence this outline of Carranza's purposes will have on the plans for dealing with the Mexican situation, now being considered by President Wilson is not known here. If Carranza succeeds in opening communication to Mexico City and carries out also his campaign against General Villa toward the north and northwest, it might serve to delay any contemplated action by the United States.

To prevent Carranza from receiving the moral support of the United States, Villa and his adherents have proposed the counter-plan that all faction leaders join in a peace conference, select a man for provisional president entitled to it under the constitution, and then hold regular elections. If Carranza will not yield to this, they suggest that the United States support them in such a conference without him, provided they can show that they represent a majority of the people.

ERECT NEW BUILDING AT WINSTON ORPHANAGE

It Will Be In Memory of the Late W. M. Cundiff, Educator and Farmer of Surry.

(Special to The News and Observer).

Winston-Salem, July 31.—Prof. W. M. Cundiff, a wealthy educator and farmer of Surry county, who died in a hospital here last month, left in his will admitted to probate today ten thousand dollars for the Methodist Children's Home here, the same to be paid after the death of Mrs. Cundiff. Mrs. Cundiff is executrix of the will and her intention is to have erected a memorial building at the Children's Home for Methodist orphan girls as soon as she collects an amount sufficient to begin the work.

The ten thousand dollars was to be used by Mrs. Cundiff during her lifetime and then go to the Children's Home for the above specified purpose, but it was the husband's intention to have the building erected as soon as he could get his money collected but he died, and Mrs. Cundiff decided to carry out her husband's purpose.

ENGLAND TO SPARE NO COST TO WIN

Sir Edward Carson Expresses Nation's Unalterable Purpose To Succeed In War

OUTLINES FIRST YEAR

Declares Great Britain Has Devoted Energies in Past To Intelligence and Social Progress and Not To Preparations For War; Soldiers In Making For The Struggle

(By the Associated Press).

London, July 31.—Sir Edward Carson, Attorney General in the Asquith cabinet, has prepared for The Associated Press a signed statement giving a broad outline of the first year of the war from the British standpoint, together with expression of the unalterable purpose of the British government and people to carry on the war to a successful conclusion. In it he says:

"How long will the war last, and what will be the result? To such questions as these, any British subject can give but one answer, and that is that the war will last until the cause of the allies has been brought to a successful issue and Europe and the world have been relieved from the ideals involved in the aggression of Prussian domination.

"The word peace does not enter into our vocabulary at the present time.

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"Rightly or wrongly, we have in the past devoted our energies and our intelligence, not preparations for war, but to that social progress which makes for the happiness and the contentment of the mass of our people. And this, no doubt, is the reason why other nations imagine that we, as a nation of shop-keepers, are too indolent and apathetic to fight for and maintain these priceless liberties, won by the men who laid the foundation of our vast empire.

Says Nation Hates War.

"But they are entirely mistaken in forming any such estimate of the temperament or determination of our people. Great Britain hates war and no nation enters more reluctantly upon its horrible and devastating operations; but, at the same time, no nation when it is driven to war by the machinations of its foes who desire to filch from it or from its co-champions of liberty any portion of their inherited freedom, is more resolved to see the matter through at whatever cost, to a successful issue.

"A year of war has transformed Great Britain. Of our navy, I need hardly speak. It has upheld to the fullest extent the great traditions which fill the pages of history in the past; it has driven its enemies off the seas; it holds vast oceans free for almost the uninterrupted commerce of neutral powers, and it has preserved these highways for its own supplies of material and food almost without interruption.

Little Effect of Submarine.

"I do not minimize the peril of the submarines, which is in process of being dealt with through the careful and zealous watchfulness of our admiralty, but while the submarine has enabled the Germans to commit savage and inhuman atrocities contrary to the laws of civilization and against the settled rules of international law, it has done nothing to affect the vast commerce of our empire.

"The German submarine attack has signally failed to hamper our military operations. Under the protection of our navy, hundreds of thousands of men have been brought to the fighting area from the most distant parts of the empire. Troop ships are crossing daily to France and not a single ship or a single soldier has been lost in the passage. The manner in which our troops have received their supplies is a source of satisfaction to us and admiration to our enemies.

"At the commencement of the war we were not and never did pretend to be a military nation. An expeditionary force of 170,000 men and a small territorial army of 250,000 men for defense against invasion was all we could boast of; but today Great Britain teems with military camps in which millions of men of the finest material are being trained and equipped to cope with every emergency.

To Spend Last Man and Last Dollar

"It is, of course, true that our country has not been accustomed to organization and discipline, which leads unthinking men from time to time to imagine that there could be a different discipline in the coal fields or the workshops from that which prevails in the trenches; but all that is a mere temporary difficulty and it cannot impede the country, which has made up its mind to win if it has to spend the last man and its last dollar in the process.

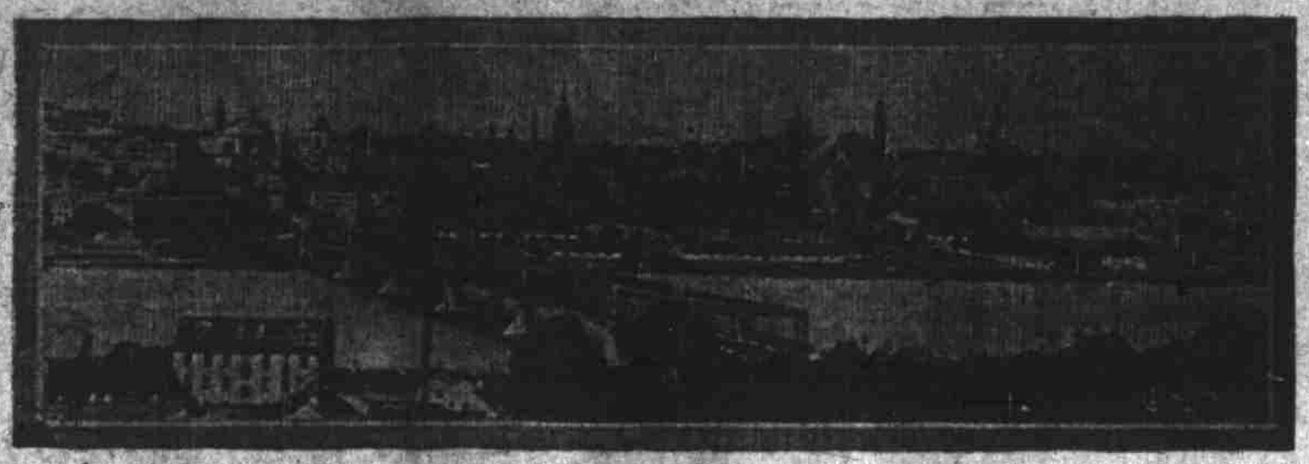
"The success of the recent war loan shows how anxious our people are to invest their money in the prosecution of the war.

"We have the right to say to neutrals that our cause is just; that the war has been forced upon us, and that we are making and are going to make every sacrifice that makes a nation great, to bring our cause to a successful conclusion. We have a right, I think to ask neutrals to examine their own consciences as to whether they have done everything that neutrals ought to do or can do, in insisting that the laws of humanity and the doctrines of international law which have been so carefully fostered in times of peace, are carried out.

"Neutrals are the executive power to compel observance of the principles of international law, and if they fail to do so, the result must be disastrous to the world at large, in the present and in the future, and give free play to a savagery and barbarism which is none the less revolting because it carries out its methods by the aid of the discoveries of scientific research and progress.

"But, however that may be, our courage is undaunted. It grows into exaltation by reason of the difficulties that surround us and we will go on to the end, without fear or trembling and in the certain inspiration of a victory which will restore to the world that peace which can alone bring happiness and contentment to the hearts of its citizens."

Warsaw, The Prize in The Greatest Battle The World Has Known



This is a general view of Warsaw, looking from Prague across the Vistula River. It has become the prize to be won in the greatest battle the world has ever known. The Germans and Austrians are pressing the Russians hard, and while the defense has been stubborn there is a feeling that this Russian city of nearly a million will fall into the hands of the kaiser. If it does it will be the largest city thus far taken in the war. No other city in Europe that might be taken compares with it in size except the capitals.

U. S. TO MAINTAIN PEACE IN HAITI

Apparently Preparing For Prolonged Stay of Naval Forces at Port Au Prince

THE CONNECTICUT ON WAY

Her 500 Marines Will Augment 400 Now Guarding City; Six Haitiens Killed in Thursday Night's Engagement; No Withdrawal of Force Until Lasting Peace Is Insured

(By the Associated Press).

Washington, July 31.—The United States apparently is preparing for a prolonged stay of American naval forces in Port-Au-Prince, Haiti, where two bluejackets and six Haitiens have been killed in fighting which followed the landing of Rear Admiral Caperton's forces to protect foreign lives and property. The battleship Connecticut sailed from Philadelphia today with five hundred marines to reinforce the four hundred marines and bluejackets now guarding the city. The transport Hancock and the hospital ship Solace will follow and other aid will be sent as necessary.

Admiral Caperton believes further disturbances are likely, and it is understood the American forces will not be withdrawn until a definite settlement insuring lasting peace has been reached.

Admiral Caperton advised the navy department today that six Haitiens were killed and two wounded in the engagement Thursday night when two American seamen lost their lives. Disarming of the natives continued, he said, and quiet generally prevailed both at Port-Au-Prince and Cape Haitien where American forces also are on guard.

Political activity resulting from the overthrow of the Guillaume government, he reported, already had manifested itself, the revolutionary committee having declared for Rosalve Bobo, leader of the recent unsuccessful revolt at Cape Haitien. Another aspirant is named Baurand. There are many unemployed men in and around Port-Au-Prince, complicating the situation.

No representations will be made to Haiti, it was officially stated today, until a new government is established with which the United States can deal. As soon as possible, however, efforts will be made to negotiate a treaty whereby the United States would manage the finances of Haiti and secure the right to intervene in the interest of peace.

Michigan Girl Who Is Heiress To $30,000,000 Weds

Husband Secretary to Manager of Company, The Stock of Which Forms Bulk of Her Wealth.

(By the Associated Press).

Harbor Springs, Mich., July 31.—Catharine Barker, of Harbor Point, daughter of the late John H. Barker, and heiress to $30,000,000, was married here today to Howard H. Spaulding, Jr., of Chicago. The ceremony took place at the bride's magnificent summer residence and was conducted by Rev. John M. Bleckmann of Mishawaka, Ind., for eight years chaplain of the Michigan City penitentiary.

Hundreds of guests from all sections of the United States and representing hundreds of millions of dollars were present to witness the ceremony which made the richest young woman in the country the wife of the secretary to the manager of the company, the stock of which forms the bulk of her wealth.

The bridal couple purposed a trip to the Panama Expositions, via Canada and then will visit Hawaii and the Orient for a year.

Miss Elizabeth Goodrich, life-long friend of the bride, failed to take her appointed place in the bridal party as maid of honor. Her mother explained the absence of her daughter as due to a "trivial difficulty" with the bridegroom.

HELD FOR FEDERAL COURT IN ARKANSAS FRAUD CASES.

(Special to The News and Observer).

Salisbury, July 31.—W. H. Hobson, United States Commissioner, today sent up to Federal court for trial at Asheville Stokely D. Brooks, alleged to be connected with the new famous government land cases at Fort Smith, Ark. Brooks was arrested by Deputy Marshal James Buchanan in Davie county yesterday.

MORE NAVY SHELLS TO BE MADE HERE

The $95,000 Contract of Raleigh Iron Works Increased Twenty Per Cent

(W. E. YELVERTON.)

Washington, July 31.—The contract of the Raleigh Iron Works Company, amounting to $95,000 for the manufacture of shells for the Navy Department, was increased 20 per cent along with all other contracts of a similar nature. William T. Harding, president of the company, was here today.

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, of Chapel Hill, asked officials of the Bureau of Mines today to locate one of the ten mine experiment stations in the Southern Appalachian regions. These stations area and mainly for testing ore and rock formations. Five such stations now exist in the United States and Congress recently decided to increase the number by ten, establishing them at the rate of three a year.

Visitors include Dr. George Howe, Chapel Hill; C. B. Bailey, Winston-Salem; R. V. Brawley, Statesville, and Theo Parker, Raleigh.

Neal Duval, a North Carolina mail clerk running from Richmond to Charlotte, has been promoted through the efforts of Senator Overman to clerk in charge.

SHOT FIVE TIMES DEATH IS RESULT

D. L. T. Capps, Head of Wilmington Plumbing Concern, Fatally Wounded

(Special to The News and Observer.)

Wilmington, July 31.—D. L. T. Capps, head of a large plumbing establishment, was shot and mortally wounded in front of his place, No. 109 North Second street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon by Melvin Horne, a relative by marriage as a result of bad feeling that has existed for a number of years and that arose from business transactions in which Horne claimed that Capps ruined him. Capps died at six o'clock at a local hospital. Horne was captured a few minutes after the shooting by Chief of Police Williams and two officers. He had gone nearly a mile.

Capps was seated in his automobile in front of his place when Horne pumped into him five bullets from a 38-calibre automatic Colt's revolver. Horne was leaning against a telephone pole only a few feet away. The men had been in conversation for a few minutes before the shooting though there appeared to have been no argument of any kind. Capps was rushed to the hospital in his own car but he was too badly hurt for medical attention to be of any aid.

Horne expressed satisfaction when arrested that he had probably killed Capps. He stated that the reason he hurried away from the scene was because he feared lynching at the hands of Capps' friends. He purchased the revolver this morning and a few minutes before the shooting he told a friend that he would hear something of him within a short time.

Horne very probably will claim insanity. He was at one time in very good circumstances. He was tried for selling whiskey soon after the prohibition law went into effect and although pronounced not guilty by the court this was the beginning of his downfall. His business soon passed into other hands and Horne has always accused Capps of having been responsible for the loss of his property. Horne was then deputy sheriff for some time, collecting taxes among other duties. He disappeared with $700 or $800 and was finally located by detectives after a search of several months and returned to Wilmington. Found to be a dope fiend he was given treatment for the habit. He got off light for the offense and has been living here ever since. Capps had Horne arrested and placed under a peace bond some two years ago. Refusing at first to give bond, Horne spent a day or two in jail.

KILLED ABOUT BICYCLE.

Jim Byrd Shoots Jerry Inman Through the Heart.

(Special to The News and Observer).

Lumberton, July 31.—In an altercation between Jim Byrd and Jerry Inman, both colored, three miles from Fairmont last night Byrd shot Inman through the heart, killing him instantly. The trouble originated about a bicycle. Coroner's jury held Byrd for court and he is in jail.

DAVIDSON FIGHTS ADULT ILLITERACY

Every Man and Woman in The County Urged To Join In The Campaign

(Special to The News and Observer).

Thomasville, July 31.—A movement has been launched to wipe out adult illiteracy in Davidson county. A county committee has been appointed as follows: H. B. Varner, chairman; Charles Young, P. L. Feezer, secretaries; Fred. O. Sink, J. B. Steele, Ray McCrary, J. F. Spruill, Zeb. V. Walser, Dave Conrad, Adam Berrier, Sam Finch, F. C. Robbins, Mrs. T. E. McCrary and Mrs. W. H. Mendenhall.

This committee will plan the county campaign against adult illiteracy and appoint local committees. The district committee will be appointed and notified at an early date and every man and woman appointed on this committee is earnestly urged to serve and do everything in his or her power to eliminate adult illiteracy in that district.

A call has been issued for every man and woman in the county who is interested in this great work to volunteer their services to help push the campaign.

A great many prominent men of the county have already offered their services as teachers, among them Capt. F. C. Robbins, and Attorney J. F. Spruill, of Lexington; Captain Robbins has asked for a class of Confederate Veterans.

Mr. Spruill has issued the following statement. "Realizing that illiteracy is one of the greatest handicaps to any section, race, or individual and being informed that 16.2 per cent of the white voters of Davidson county cannot read and write, I hereby volunteer and offer my services to the county and every school district in it to help in any way to wipe out the above condition and make this the banner county of the State in intelligence as it is in many other respects."

The local farmers' unions throughout the county will probably take up the work in their respective communities. The women' clubs in the different towns in the county will no doubt take an active part as has clubs in other places. The fraternal orders are expected to fall in line and aid in restoring from darkness to light the 904 white voters in the Davidson county who have never had a chance.

PROBING INTO EASTLAND DISASTER DRAGS ON

Secretary Redfield Says That He Is Profoundly Pained At Attacks Made on Him.

(By the Associated Press).

Chicago, July 31.—With one week elapsed since the steamer Eastland sank at its wharf with 2500 excursionists on board, investigation to determine blame for the accident tonight had simmered down to a federal grand jury inquiry, although a county grand jury continued to hear testimony and Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce went ahead with the steamboat inspection examination required by law.

Federal Judge Landis forbade the examination by others of witnesses desired for the federal grand jury and had taken possession of the ship and all documentary evidence.

Secretary Redfield today took notice of adverse criticism of his inquiry and in a speech before the hearing said he was profoundly pained by the attacks made on him before he had had time to delve into the case. He offered to make any sort of an investigation anyone could suggest provided charges were properly filed against any one.

One body was recovered from the Eastland today, making the total known dead 834. While 158 are still reported missing by the Western Electric Company, giving a possible total dead of 984, the missing list has rapidly dwindled.

Raid Religious Camp, Burn Tent, Beat Preachers

English Performance Then End With Singing Tipperary and God Save The King.

(By the Associated Press).

Leicester, Eng., July 31.—A traveling band of fifty preachers, members of a self-styled "Fellowship of Reconciliation," which had been touring the country spreading peace propaganda, met with short shrift here today. Crowds raided their camp, burned the tents and caravan equipment and administered a beating to the male members of the party. The performance was concluded with the singing of "Tipperary" and "God Save The King" over the ashes of the outfit.

GERMANS TORPEDO BRITISH STEAMER

Five of The Crew of Leyland Liner Iberian Killed By Submarine Shell Fire

ONE AMERICAN ALSO SLAIN

He Was a Muleteer Named Whyley; Vessel Disregarded Underwater Craft's Warning; Sixty-one of Crew Landed Safely; Ship Used For Transporting Supplies

(By the Associated Press).

London, July 31.—The Leyland liner Iberian has been sunk by a German submarine. Five members of the crew were killed, two died aboard a rescue boat and sixty-one were landed safely.

The casualties on board the Iberian were caused by shell fire. The submarine then torpedoed the Leyland liner and the vessel went to the bottom.

The Iberian, of 5,323 tons gross, sailed from Boston July 7 for Manchester, where she was reported to have arrived July 20. F. Leyland and Company, Limited, Liverpool, were the owners.

Upon her arrival at Boston from Manchester and Liverpool on July 2 members of the crew told of being chased by a German submarine when only a few miles from the mouth of the Mersey. The ship escaped, however.

The Iberian has been used for several months for the transportation of war supplies between the United States and England.

One American Victim.

Washington, July 31.—Only one American, a muleteer named Whyley, was killed when the Iberian was sunk, American Consul Frost, at Queenstown, reported today that the Iberian disregarded the submarine's warning to stop. Later the German commander gave the crew time to take to the boats before firing a torpedo.

Consul Frost's report said:

"Steamer Iberian submarined. Whyley, American muleteer killed. Ship surgeon Burns of the Iberian, an American citizen, stated that submarine did not shell Iberian until the latter disregarded signal. Gave them time to take boats. Whyley died from shock and superficial wounds. No other Americans injured."

PRIMITIVE BAPTISTS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Large Crowd of People Gathers at Mt. Lebanon Near Durham—More Expected to Come Today.

(Special to The News and Observer).

Durham, July 31.—A great crowd of people today gathered at Mount Lebanon Church, about nine miles from the city, to attend the annual convention of the Primitive Baptist Association. Ministers from many different states and the majority of the leading elders of the faith in this state are in Durham for this meeting. Many of them are staying with friends in Durham and making the trip out to the association grounds in machines every day. It is expected that ten thousand people will attend the meeting on Sunday.

Begin Community Building.

The Golden Belt Manufacturing Company has announced that it will begin immediately the erection of a welfare or community building for the benefit of the employees of the company. The building will be erected in the center of the factory settlement and will be a very substantial structure of two stories.

Weeding Out Blind Tigers.

The twenty-four blind tigers who were caught in the recent blind tiger raid by the police and a detective have been getting either heavy fines or road sentences at the hands of the recorder. Several of the alleged tigers have not been tried, but those who have received road sentences have taken chances on an appeal to the Superior court.

The police believe that they have rounded up in this raid some of the worst violators of the law that have been doing business in the city. They have gotten men who have been under suspicion for years, but have always managed in some way to evade the vigilance of the officers.

The blind tiger business has every indication of being on its last legs in Durham. Many of the men arrested in the raid were unable to furnish bond and several had no money and no resources with which to employ an attorney to represent them in the court.

EVACUATION OF WARSAW BEGINS

German Observation Aviators Report Russian Troops Moving Eastward

AUSTRIANS ENTER LUBLIN

Invaders Thus Have Succeeded In Cutting The Lublin-Chelm Railroad an Important Line of Communication With Russians Between Vistula and Bug

(By the Associated Press).

Warsaw, the goal of Teutonic armies in the East, is being evacuated by the Russian forces, according to advices received from Lisbach, Austria, transmitted through Geneva. German aviators returning from observations over the Polish capital, reported that the troops of Grand Duke Nicholas could be seen retiring to the eastward.

A hundred miles southeast of Warsaw, Austro-Germany cavalry have entered Lublin, one of the chief cities of Poland. The Austro-German military commanders have thus succeeded in cutting the Lublin-Chelm railroad an important line of communication, with the Russians massed between the Vistula and Bug rivers.

To the north of Warsaw, the Germans are making a determined effort to reach Vilna, with the object of severing the Warsaw-Petrograd railway and of making more hazardous the retirement of the Russian forces in the region of the Polish capital.

Military operations in the western theatre were confined to artillery duels, the explosion of mines and attacks by aeroplanes. German aviators dropped bombs on the French towns of Gravelines, Pol-Sur-Mar and Nancy, but according to the French official communication no great damage was done.

Steamer Torpedoed.

The British steamer Iberian of 5,323 tons gross burden and owned by the Leyland Line, carrying a large crew and a number of muleteers back to the United States was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine. Sixty-one members of the crew were saved, but seven, including one American are reported to have lost their lives. The captain of the Iberian, according to the report of the American consul at Queenstown attempted to escape and was shelled by the submarine. The crew was given time to enter the life boats before the vessel was torpedoed and sent to the bottom.

Eight more British fishing trawlers have been accounted for by German under-sea boats. The crews of all the vessels were saved.

Germany's reply to the American note of June 24 regarding the sinking of the American wheat ship William P. Frye by a German commerce raider in the South Atlantic has been despatched to Washington.

Anti-American outbreaks are reported by travelers arriving at Zurich, Switzerland, to have taken place in Berlin. Students are said to have gathered in front of the American embassy building, hooting and yelling until dispersed by the police.

Situation at Warsaw.

London, July 31.—The fate of the Russian armies in the Polish Salient still hangs in the balance. No official confirmation had been received up to a late hour tonight of the evacuation of Warsaw by the Russian troops but they are withdrawing eastward is certain.

What portion will succeed in getting back to the new line is a matter of speculation. The arrival of Austrian cavalry at Lublin, officially announced from Vienna, shows that the southern line of retreat is entirely barred to the retiring army.

There remain, however, the main double track route through Minsk and an equally good road from Ivangorod through Lukow and the northern [illegible] which runs south of the Bug river, to say nothing of innumerable vehicular roads which enter the Polish capital from the east. Therefore, so long as Field Marshal Von Hindenburg is prevented from crossing the Bug from the northeast, it is believed Grand Duke Nicholas has still an excellent chance of saving his whole army.

Will Face Another Danger.

When the Russians do reach the new line of defense they will be faced by another danger—that arising from the advance of General Von Buelow's army, composed largely of cavalry, which is now approaching the fortress of Kovno and which is within three days' march of the Vilna-Petrograd railway.

It probably will be several days before the struggle is finally decided. Nobody questions the fact that with the capture of Warsaw the Germans will score a victory which will not only put the Russians on the defensive for many months, perhaps well into next year, but which will greatly hearten the civilian population of the central powers and release an army of one million or more men for an offensive in the west.

Prisoners In Tombs Chew Up Collars, Munch Shirts

Chemist Finds Starch Used In Linen Contained Solution of Drug Used By "Dopers."

(By the Associated Press).

New York, July 31.—For several weeks a number of inmates of the Tombs prison have been observed industriously chewing up their linen collars and munching their shirts. One prisoner, it was said, had eaten up virtually all the collars he owned.

In reply to questions the prisoners told the keepers that they had been tobacco or gum chewers for years, and that not having either they found particular comfort in chewing their linen. But the keepers were skeptical.

Today when fresh laundry arrived it was subjected to a test. A chemist found that the starch used in the linen sent to the prisoners by relatives contained a solution of a drug taken by habitual drug users.