

AUSTRO-GERMAN FORCES IN LUBLIN; RAILROAD IS HELD BY THE INVADERS

GERMANS CROSS VISTULA RIVER AND GO FORWARD

Retreat of Russians in Connection With Retreat From Warsaw More Acute.

PEOPLE LEAVING WARSAW

Britain Much Concerned Over Recent Developments in Poland.

Warsaw, July 31.—The Austro-German army has entered Lublin, 95 miles southeast of Warsaw. Official reports to this effect from the German press supplemented the German news of last night that the Russian front along the northern front had broken and indicated that the Russian forces were retreating. The Russian forces are retreating in the direction of Warsaw. The Russian forces are retreating in the direction of Warsaw. The Russian forces are retreating in the direction of Warsaw.

ZAPATA FOLLOWERS INSULT FLAG OF UNITED STATES

Mexico City, July 24, Via Wire.—Less from Steamship City of Tampico to Galveston, July 21.—Paul Hudson, president of the Herald Publishing Company of Mexico City and an American citizen, with his family, are prisoners in Mexico City and threatened with court martial. The charges are unknown.

Allen Mallory, an American, has been assaulted by followers of Zapata. At the time of this attack Mr. Mallory was carrying an American flag, which was torn and insulted by his assailants. Zapata personally tore up the correspondence taken from Mr. Mallory. He broke the legation seals, saying that the Americans were fools.

The Brazilian minister made an effort to secure the release of Mr. Hudson.

Governmental control is lacking in Mexico City and terror prevails. Swiss and Spanish citizens have been ordered executed and removed. The resident foreigners are greatly alarmed. Zapata said that he intended to kill a local Spaniard. The foreigners feel their position is precarious because they are unable to appeal to any authorities. The governor of the federal district treats them with contempt. The food situation is desperate. Starvation is abroad and cats and dogs are being eaten. Even some of the foreign residents are starving.

Certain Mexicans are appealing to the Brazilian minister for intervention by the United States. Bands of troops are extending their control through the interior and most of all central Mexico today is without any constituted government. Carranza followers are fleeing toward the coast.

FEEL THAT WESTERN NATIONS SHOULD RELIEVE STRAIN

London, July 31.—The Russian press, according to special dispatches reaching London, feel that the western allies should have initiated some movement in France or Belgium to relieve the strain on Russia.

With events shaped as they are now, it is realized that Russia now has lost the initiative for the remainder of the summer, which will enable the central powers to strike hard at either France or Belgium, Serbia or Italy.

The American Is Killed When a German Submarine Sinks Leyland Liner Iberian

Washington, July 31.—The submarine commander gave the crew the Iberian time to take to the sea.

One American, a muleteer named Whitley, was killed. He was struck and wounded from the submarine.

Details Awaited. Washington, July 31.—The case of the four Americans killed in the sinking of the Iberian turned on whether the ship was warned by the German submarine and whether she attempted to escape. State department officials had no details today but took steps to get a report.

The degree of protection which a neutral government can give its subjects traveling on such a belligerent ship depends on the circumstances. In the case of the American, in which a score of Americans were lost, the United States held that the Americans lost the protection of their government when the vessel attempted to escape after being warned to stop.

Disregarded Orders to Stop. Washington, July 31.—Consul Frost at Queenstown reported that the Iberian disregarded German submarine orders to stop and was, consequently, shelled.

Denies Stealing Love of Her Secretary



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LEFT \$10,000 TO THE CHILDREN'S HOME IN THIS CITY

The Sentinel's Elkin correspondent writes that Prof. W. M. Cundiff, who died in the City hospital here last month, left in his will ten thousand dollars for the Methodist Children's Home in Winston-Salem, the same to be paid after the death of Mrs. Cundiff. It is being reported that Mrs. Cundiff intended turning this money over in a short time to the Home for the purpose of erecting a memorial building of some kind. The true facts, says the Elkin correspondent, are these: 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. It may be five years before the building is finished. This 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 had he lived; it is therefore Mrs. Cundiff's intention to do what he would have done, had he lived.

SHOT FROM AMBUSH; CONDITION SERIOUS

Lexington, July 31.—Mr. Henry Shoe, a well-known farmer of Big Lick section, who was shot Wednesday morning, is very low, little hope being entertained for his recovery. Mr. Shoe was shot from ambush while looking for a still he believed to be located somewhere in that vicinity.

Mr. Shoe was known to be doing all he could to aid the authorities in locating and destroying distilleries in that section of the county.

Mr. Shoe is a man of about 45 years of age and has a large family. The officers think they have a clue to the guilty party or parties, but they refuse to give names at present. Sheriff Blalock was called to the scene of trouble yesterday morning and will no doubt make several arrests soon.

MISS WATERHOUSE DROPS SOCIETY TO SERVE GOD

Pasadena, Cal., July 31.—Miss Madeline Waterhouse, prominent society girl and daughter of a former mayor of Pasadena, bids adieu to her family and friends today and takes her departure for Tokyo, where she expects to devote seven years in personal work among the girls and women of Japan. In preparation for her chosen work, Miss Waterhouse recently completed a course in the Hartford School of Religious Pedagogy. She is sent to Japan by the southern branch of the Pacific Coast American Board of Missions of the Congregational Church.

QUESTION STABILITY OF VESSEL

Evidence Sought by Federal Grand Jury Investigating Eastland Disaster.

SHIP REPORTED 'CRANKY'

Expected Evidence As to Her Past Performances Would Be Presented.

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Public Funeral Services.

Chicago, July 31.—Public funeral services attended by more than 1,000 persons, were held today for Willie Novotny, seven years old, whose body, No. 396, lay in the morgue for six days before it was identified. A procession, led by Mayor Thompson and a committee of public officials, four companies of Boy Scouts, delegations from numerous Bohemian societies and a band, followed the cortege to the cemetery.

AUSTRIAN AIRSHIP IS CAPTURED BY TWO RUSSIANS

Petrograd, July 30, via London, July 31.—One of the most thrilling minor actions of the war in the eastern theatre was the capture of an Austrian aeroplane on the 28th by Lieutenants Pokrovski and Corni Flonski, east of the Vloti Lipa river. Flying constantly at the Austrian aviators from a higher altitude, they forced them to descend.

The Russian machine followed and the Austrian lieutenant surrendered with a non-commissioned officer. The Austrian aeroplane was not damaged and was a new machine of the 120-horse power type.

TOBACCO SHIPMENTS AND STAMP SALES

The internal revenue stamp sales at the Winston-Salem office aggregated \$403,548.88 for the month of July, 1915. The sales for July, 1914, amounted to \$391,935.93. The gain for July of this year over the same month of last year was \$11,612.95. The tobacco manufacturers in Winston-Salem shipped during the month closing today a total of 5,044,361 pounds of the manufactured weed.

COBB, DAUBERT AND MAGEE STILL IN THE LEAD

Chicago, July 31.—Three members of the New York Giants have attained rank among the leading batters of the National League, according to averages published today, and have helped to bring the Giants into a tie for the batting leadership again with St. Louis.

Daubert, of Brooklyn, leads with .325. Dave Robertson, of New York, is seventh with .304.

Cravath, of Philadelphia, leads the league in the greatest number of runs scored with 55. He also holds the home run record with 15 drives.

Carey, of Philadelphia, is leading babe stealer with 25 while Saler, of Chicago, leads in total bases with 164. New York and St. Louis are tied for club batting with 255.

The leading pitcher is Pierce, who has won 9 and lost 2.

Cobb, of Detroit, leads the American league batters with .405.

American Girl, Now a Princess, May Be Queen of Poland if Allies Win



The name of Prince Poniatowski has been mentioned frequently as the future King of Poland in case the Allies should win, but some foes are already making strong objections, as his wife is an American (formerly Miss Helen Sperry, of Stockton, Cal.), and, they argue, would not do as the Queen of Poland. The Princess has been very popular in Europe, and influential friends are already congratulating her on her possible new honor. There is no doubt that the elevation of Prince Poniatowski to the throne of Poland would have the indorsement of the French people.

NICK WHITFIELD NOW ON TRIAL IN SUPERIOR COURT

Indictment Changed From Arson to Setting Fire to a Store Building—Clarence Wharton, Colored, Is Convicted of Murder in the Second Degree—Court Proceedings.

The trial of Nick Whitfield, a young white man, indicted on a charge of arson, was the first case taken up this morning in Forsyth superior court. He is charged with having set fire to the store of O. E. Caudle, on Liberty street, several months ago.

Addressing the court, Solicitor Graves said that after mature deliberation the state had decided not to ask for a conviction of arson, but to the second charge in the bill of indictment to wit: setting fire to a store building. This decision meant that the defendant would not be placed on trial for his life. Solicitor Graves, in addressing the court, said that there was a technical question involved, as the lower floor of the building was being used as sleeping quarters. Should the defendant have been tried on the charge of arson, only one of two verdicts could have been returned, viz., guilty, which carries the death penalty, or not guilty, which would have freed the prisoner.

The defendant was represented by Jones & Clement, Holton & Wallace, W. Reade Johnson and M. A. Walls. The solicitor was assisted in the prosecution by Attorney W. M. Hendren.

The Jury. The jury as selected in the Whitfield case is composed of S. F. Cromer, J. A. Laper, Curtis Stewart, J. R. Vanhook, J. B. Hastings, C. L. Davis, Hancey Bolling, T. E. Woosley, H. L. Newsum, O. M. Sapp, W. H. Endsley and Lee Pfaff.

First Witness Examined. Gray Peddycord was the first witness called for the state. He said he was with Whitfield on the night of the alleged crime; that Whitfield gave him 75 cents and the witness got a pint of whiskey, and both took several drinks of it. They were in the Caudle store while they were drinking. They remained in the store some time and then went out on the street. When they had got several yards from the store, Whitfield said he had to go back in the store for some whiskey. Whitfield did not want any one to see him go in the store this time and that the defendant borrowed his (witness's) hat. The witness further said Whitfield entered the store from the rear door and that he waited behind a sign-board near by. Just as the defendant came out the witness said he saw the reflection of a blaze; that Whitfield pulled the door to and ran to him, saying, "Let's leave here!" Witness said he accused Whitfield of setting the store on fire and then ran to the home of Mr. Will Hanes, on 13 1/2 street, and gave the alarm. In the meantime Whitfield ran. He told what had happened to the officers at once.

The witness was subjected to a typical "Ras" Jones cross-examination. But his main story remained unshaken.

Tax Collector Kinney testified that Peddycord's character was good; as did Mr. W. H. Clarend.

Fireman's Testimony. Mr. Will Hanes, a member of the fire department, told of Peddycord coming to his home and telling him that the Caudle store was afire. He hurried to the scene and was one of

the first firemen to get to the store. He saw Capt. June McGee when he opened the rear door to the store and the door was not locked. Peddycord told him about how the fire started.

On cross-examination witness said the distance from his home to the Caudle store was about 1,000 or 1,100 feet. Several other people live nearer to the store than he does. He saw a man named Guernsey Quate standing in front of the Caudle store when he arrived there.

Capt. McGee's Evidence. Capt. June McGee, of Fire Co. No. 3, testified that when he got to the fire he went to the door on the Fourteenth street side and it was not locked but shut. Only a few gallons of water was thrown into the building. The fire was about 8 feet and diagonally across from the Fourteenth street door. The floor was slightly burned.

On cross examination witness said he could not see the blaze in the store until he opened the door.

Statement by Chief Thomas. Chief Thomas told of going to the store on the night of the fire. The chief told of a conversation he had with Peddycord, in which Peddycord (Continued on page 10.)

A GALLANT DEFENSE BY RUSSIANS

They Are Fighting Desperately on the Narew and the Bug Rivers.

CLAIM SOME SUCCESSSES

Petrograd Asserts That Notable Victories Have Been Won at Two Points.

Petrograd, July 30, via London, July 31.—The crossing of the Vistula at several points on pontoons and the efforts of the Austro-German allies to construct bridges across the river, curiously enough has elicited less discussion among Russian military critics than the crossing of the Vleprz near Prozniki or the advance of the Germans southwest from Bansk which lies between Riga and Poniawesch in the Kovno province.

Operations against Kovno actually are regarded as interesting because of the importance attached to it as one of the strongholds of the prospective new Russian line. The Germans, proceeding from the southwest, have reached the advanced position of the Kovno and also are pushing northeast from Smvalki.

Meanwhile the Russians are defending gallantly their positions on the Narew between the Vistula and Vleprz and on the Bug. They claim notable successes in the sectors Chmiel and Proski where they caused their antagonists heavy losses and took 1,000 Austrian prisoners in the Sokal region.

MORGAN SEEMS TO HAVE RECOVERED COMPLETELY

New York, July 31.—Apparently fully recovered from the effects of a bullet wound inflicted by Erich Muentzer, several weeks ago, J. P. Morgan was at his summer home at Glen Cove, L. I., today, having returned yesterday from a two weeks' cruise on board his steam yacht, the Corsair.

"I am feeling fine," said Mr. Morgan to a member of his family as he stepped ashore and walked towards his home. He was tanned and apparently in good health.

It was said that Mr. Morgan probably would return to his New York office Monday and resume attention to business.

LARGER NAVAL FORCE AT HAITI IS WANTED

Washington, July 31.—Reports from the American legation in Port au Prince, Haiti, say the city is quiet and that the disarming of the natives is going on. They recommend that a larger naval force be sent to the island for the moral effect and to assist in patrol duty.

Battleship Connecticut On Way To Port Au Prince, Haiti, To Reinforce The Marines There

AN ORDER IS ISSUED APPROPRIATING METAL SUPPLIES

Berlin, via London, July 31.—Military authorities of the province of Brandenburg, in which Berlin is located, have issued an order appropriating all supplies of copper, brass and nickel.

The order covers skillets, pots, pans and kettles in households. These articles may be retained until further notice, but must not be sold, destroyed or disposed of.

TRAWLERS SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

London, July 31.—Four more Loest-ock trawlers have been sunk by a German submarine. The crews were saved. They were the Quest, the Sirlive, the Achieve and the Athena.