

SHOT J. P. MORGAN TO END THE WAR

Foremost Financier Shot in Own Home—Two Bullets Effective.

PHYSICIANS SAY WOUNDS NOT SERIOUS

Wall Street Heard First Reports of Matter—Prices Dropped a Point and Remained Steady—Assailant Gives Name of F. Holt, and Claims He is of German Descent.

Washington Hears Davis To Succeed Lansing



JOHN W. DAVIS

New York, July 3.—J. Pierpont Morgan was shot but not seriously wounded by an unknown man at his home at Glen Cove, Long Island at 9 o'clock this morning.

This announcement was issued by J. P. Morgan & Co. here today: "J. P. Morgan was shot by an unknown man, probably a crank, at his home at Glen Cove, L. I., at 9 o'clock this morning. The physicians advise that the wound is not serious. The first news of the shooting was received at 10 o'clock this morning from the office of Sheriff Pettit of Nassau county, at Mineola. The sheriff immediately dispatched men to Glen Cove to investigate the report."

Details of the shooting were lacking at that hour. It was reported in Glen Cove that the man who shot Mr. Morgan secreted himself in the Morgan home last night.

Assailant Captured.

A later statement by the Morgan firm says that two shots were fired and that both had taken effect. A telegraphic message received from Glen Cove states that the man who shot Mr. Morgan had been captured.

Mr. Morgan apparently did not consider himself very seriously wounded. When it was reported that he was shot, the Morgan house was the target for a volley of telephone calls. The first calls were answered by Mr. Morgan himself, who calmly told of the shooting and added that it did not amount to much.

Name Is Holt.

Glen Cove, N. Y., July 3.—Mr. Morgan's assailant this afternoon asserted that his name was F. Holt, and said that he was an instructor in French in Cornell University.

It is unofficially stated that one bullet took a glancing course after striking Mr. Morgan's breast, and passed out through his arm. The other wound is said to have been in the hip.

Mr. Morgan's assailant, it is declared by officials at the court house here, where he was taken, to have said he was of German descent and was willing to give up his life at any time to end the war.

It was added that he declared that Mr. Morgan was responsible for the shipment of arms and ammunition to the allies, and that he could stop the war if he would.

Justice of the Peace Luyster questioned the prisoner, but "I am a Christian gentleman," was the only reply the man would give when pressed for his name. He declined also to say where he came from. As to his reasons for shooting Mr. Morgan he was more communicative, however.

He told the justice that he had not quarreled personally with Mr. Morgan, but felt that the time had come for the war to come to an end that it was becoming more and more unbearable and that it was his firm belief that Mr. Morgan had it in his power to end it, and that he had intended to go to him and ask him to end it.

"I wanted to see Mr. Morgan," said the prisoner, "and reason with him. I have nothing against him personally."

Wall Street Calm.

New York, July 3.—The rumor of the shooting reached Wall Street soon after the opening of the stock market and was current on the Stock Exchange before it reached the office of J. P. Morgan & Co.

The market, which opened irregularly, shaded a point and remained practically stationary after the news was confirmed. The only partners of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. who were in town today so far as was known were William H. Porter and Mr. Morrow. W. P. Hamilton, another partner, was said to have been at his country home at Tuxedo, N. Y. H. P. Davidson is in London and Thos. W. Lamont is on his vacation in Oregon.

A second statement issued by the Morgan firm today follows: "Two shots were fired at Mr. Morgan, both of which took effect. Details regarding the wound have not yet been received. A statement from the doctors is expected in about an hour."

New York, July 3.—When Mr. Morgan's assailant arrived at Glen Cove

DROZCO IS REPORTED AS ESCAPED FROM GUARDS

Huerta's Lieutenant Eludes Six Men and Has Disappeared

SEARCH

United States Authorities Feel Confident of Recapturing Him Before He Can Cross the Border.

El Paso, July 3.—Pascual Orozco, who, with General Huerta has been under the surveillance of the United States authorities here was believed today to have disappeared. He was not in the house in which six men had been guarding him. The authorities did not abandon hope of recapturing him in his attempt to escape over the border to Mexico.

PASSENGER TRAIN FELL UPON FREIGHT BENEATH

All Coaches Except One Crashed Through Overhead Trestle Near Tacoma

DEAD AND WOUNDED

Number of Those Who Will Die as Result of Accident As Yet Undetermined—Wounded in Hospital.

Tacoma, Wash., July 3.—All the coaches of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul passenger train from Tacoma for Gray's Harbor broke through an overhead trestle about 20 miles south of here about 9 o'clock this morning, and fell upon a freight train passing underneath. The dead and dying are being taken to Ranier. The loss of lives is unknown.

BECKER WILL INFORM ON MEN HIGHER UP IS SAID

Should He Lose Appeal to Supreme Court of United States Will Tell

SIX MEN

Some of Those to be Named Are Now Officials of The New York Police Department is Reported.

New York, July 3.—On authority of Charles Becker, Becker's counsel, Martin T. Mantou, it was said that if Becker failed in securing his appeal to the United States Supreme Court he will, before going to the electric chair for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, make a public disclosure of the names of those with whom he is alleged to have divided \$100,000 graft money collected from gamblers and keepers of low resorts during his career as head of the famous "strong-arm" police squad.

Six men, some of them police department officials, are understood to be named in the statement which Becker has prepared.

More Rumshops Close.

Kansas City, Mo., July 3.—Seventy bar-rooms in this city close their doors tonight, under the order of the new board of police commissioners, issued March 1. A hundred saloons were affected by the order, thirty of which were closed down at once. Forty saloons owned by breweries have also been closed down.

So strict are the new rules regarding the booze dispensaries that on Main street, between 12th and 20th streets, only one saloon is allowed to be open, and it must be in the middle of the block and have a cigar store in front. No display windows showing the brilliant bottles are allowed.

Saugus, Mass., Celebrates Centenary.

Saugus, Mass., July 3.—The 100th anniversary of the information of the town of Saugus is being celebrated today. A pageant presenting the history of the region from the arrival of the first white man to the present day is the principal feature of the observance. Governor Walsh presided at the opening of the pageant today. The celebration extends until Monday night.

Go to Carolina Beach Sunday.

Boating, and Music.—Advertisement.—3t.

NOTED GERMAN ARMY COMMANDER



GENERAL VON FRANCOIS

First picture of General von Francois, German army commander, who aided in the fall of Lemberg. This picture is sent out primarily for stock purposes and may be used at any time a story warrants it.

NAVAL BATTLE IN BALTIC SEA

Will "Turn-Up" Grafters

Russian and German Cruisers Fight Half Day, Results Yet Unknown

PETROGRAD CLAIMS DECISIVE ADVANTAGE

Unofficial Reports Received at London, However, Declare Otherwise—Entente Allies Submarine Put in Heavy Day's Work—Belgian Steamer Sunk

London, July 3.—Details of the naval battle between the Russian and German cruisers in the Baltic yesterday apparently were lost in the fog which enshrouded the zone of the engagement.

Petrograd claims officially that a Russian cruiser squadron had driven a German cruiser ashore, but all official advices agree that the vessel beached was the mine layer Albatross. Petrograd says the German vessels retired before the Russian attack, while unofficial reports declare the Russians had to retire before superior numbers after fighting half a day.

Entente Subs Active.

The submarines of the Entente allies had their inning yesterday. From Athens it is reported that a Turkish troop ship was sunk in the Sea of Marmora by a British submersible, while Petrograd reports that a Russian submarine obtained a heavy bag of Turkish merchant ships in the Baltic.

London has been encouraged by reports from Gen. Hamilton at the Dardanelles, saying that the French troops also had advanced, until the Anglo-French line on the Gallipoli Peninsula is almost straight.

This report is countered by a Constantinople claim that the British were forced back into their original positions.

Activities along the western front excited interest with respect to the strong German attack in the Argonne. The Austro-German army steadily advances on the eastern front drawing near to Lubin, which might be termed one of the outlying defenses of Warsaw.

Russian Sub Effective.

Petrograd, July 3.—A Russian submarine in the Baltic Sea, says an Admiralty statement, has sunk two Turkish steamers and one sailing vessel, and exchanging shots with three armored schooners, in the mouth of the Bosnia, driving them ashore.

Germany Sinks One.

London, July 3.—The Belgian steamship Edoquon was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine. The crew was landed at Falmouth.

German Cruiser Beached.

Petrograd, July 3.—When the Russian naval squadron in the Baltic gave battle to five German cruisers and a flotilla of torpedo boats off the east coast of Gothland July 2nd, one German cruiser was beached and the other warships were put to flight according to an official statement issued today by the Russian Admiralty. The damage to the Russian cruisers, the statement added, was insignificant.

Ship Perhaps Sunk.

London, July 3.—An empty life boat and another boat marked "Craigard, Leith" were towed into Penzance today. It is thought that the steamship Craigard which sailed from Newport News on June 11th may have been lost.

Gadsby Sunk.

London, July 3.—The British steamer Gadsby was sunk today by a German submarine. The crew was landed at Merville, Ireland. The Gadsby sailed from Sydney on June 18th for an European port.

Unveil Shaft at Fort Ligonier.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 3.—The huge granite shaft to commemorate the erection of Fort Ligonier was unveiled today at Ligonier, Pa., by the Sons of the American Revolution. In the monument is imbedded a bronze tablet setting forth the history of the fort, which was built in 1758, after George Washington, then a surveyor, had designed the plan. The old fort is still in good condition. From it General Forbes, with Col. Washington, marched against the French at Fort Duquesne, and it was there that the expedition for the relief of Fort Pitt was organized.

Sentence Louisville Slayer Today.

Louisville, Ky., July 3.—Julius Babey, convicted of wife murder, will be sentenced to the electric chair today, the first white Louisville murder to pay the penalty in this fashion. Babey was found guilty in the first degree of the murder of his wife, which took place April 23. His defense was insanity, and his mother testified in his behalf that he was injured by a blow on the head.

UNABLE TO FIND WHO THREW BOMB

Washington Police Have Only One Clew—Life Had Exclamation Point.

Washington, July 3.—According to rumor, John W. Davis, solicitor general of the United States, is to succeed Robert Lansing, recently appointed Secretary of State, as Counselor to the State Department. The rumor adds that A. Mitchell Palmer will succeed Mr. Davis in his position of solicitor general.

he secured an auto and was driven by a chauffeur, Matthew Cramer, to the Morgan home.

As soon as the man had been overpowered by the servants after the shooting they secured a rope and tied him securely. They then took him out on the lawn to await the arrival of the officers from Glen Cove, for whom they had telephoned.

Dynamite.

Judge William Luyster and Constable Frank McGill took him in an auto to the court house at Glen Cove, where the contents of two newspapers carried by the prisoner were examined. One was found to contain three large sticks of dynamite and the other a bottle of nitro-glycerine. There were also two large boxes of cartridges for his revolver.

The prisoner is a tall, lanky man, was extremely reticent at first, but was later persuaded to talk, although he would not say much about himself.

When asked who inspired the plot against Mr. Morgan, he said not a word.

"It came to me from on high," he said. The man seemed to lack complete comprehension of what had happened, and he could not be persuaded that he had wounded Mr. Morgan.

HALF MILLION RUSSIANS TAKEN

Enormous Losses of Musovite Army Reported From German Capital

Berlin (Via Sayville Wireless Station, L. I.), July 3.—Military observers declare that the Russians from May 2nd to June 27th lost in the Galician campaign 1,630 officers, 520,000 men, prisoners, and 300 field guns, and 770 machine guns, besides incalculable war materials.

LINEMAN FELL TO SERIOUS INJURY

Goldsboro, N. C., July 3.—H. L. Rickenbaker, a lineman, employed by the Carolina Power and Light Company, fell at least twenty feet from a pole here today and was seriously injured. Mr. Rickenbaker lost his footing and fell to the ground. He was carried to a hospital.

GOVERNMENT LOSES SUIT

Philadelphia, July 3.—The United States District Court decided against the government in its suit to dissolve the Reading Company, and to separate the New Jersey Railway from the Reading Company.

HAD CANCELED REQUISITION

Status of Armenian, Sunk by Submarine, However, Remains Unchanged

Washington, July 3.—Ambassador Page at London cables today that the British steamer Armenian, torpedoed and sunk last Monday by a German submarine, had been requisitioned by the British government but that the requisition had been canceled before the steamer sailed from Newport News. The status of the ship as heretofore understood, however, is unchanged, as will be shown in the dispatch which has not yet been published.

BETHEL HAS \$40,000 FIRE; UNKNOWN CAUSE

Raleigh, N. C., July 3.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed Bethel Bank and Trust Company early today, causing damage of \$40,000; Bethel Hardware Company and Blount Hotel completely destroyed.

Germans Still Fighting Arms Export.

Detroit, Mich., July 3.—A giant meeting of representatives of all German and Austrian church, social, fraternal and political societies will be held here today, to discuss how to stop the sale of arms to belligerent nations. A temporary political organization of all German, Austrian and Hungarian societies will be formed to compel President Wilson, if possible, to place an embargo on the export of arms and ammunition. Among the distinguished Germans invited to talk are George S. Vereck the poet, Prof. Edmund Von Mach of Harvard, Dr. C. J. Hexamer of the German-American alliance and Congressman Richard P. Barthold of Missouri.

It is the sentiment of the leaders in the movement that strength only commands respect, and that only by showing a united front for the millions of Germans and Austrians can the supplies for the Allies be stopped.

Dedicate Nathaniel Greene Monument.

Greensboro, N. C., July 3.—The statue erected to General Nathaniel Greene, Rhode Island's Revolutionary War hero, at Guilford battle ground by the United States Government, will be dedicated today with impressive exercises. Roswell B. Burchard of Rhode Island will deliver the principal address, as the official representative leader. Other prominent men will speak, including the Lieutenant Governor of Georgia.

Sentenced For Land Fraud.

Tacoma, Wash., July 3.—D. R. Collier, convicted in the federal court of using the mails in a land fraud, will be sentenced today. The U. S. district attorney has recommended a fine of \$1,000. Collier's brother, a lawyer, will be tried on a similar charge next fall.

Lumina Concerts Tomorrow.

Lumina, N. C., July 3.—The Don Richardson Orchestra, Program includes Cello solo, "Aida," march, "Madame Butterfly," "The Swan," and vocal solos by "The Man With the Voice." Popular concert in afternoon.—Adv.

\$500,000,000 IN NOTES TO ISSUE

Russia Takes Steps to Replenish Treasury—Short Term Five Percents.

Petrograd, July 3.—The official Journal today published an Imperial edict authorizing the Minister of Finance to make two issues of treasury obligations of \$250,000,000 each.

The issue is to be made in 5 per cent short-term notes, free of income tax.

SHE DOES NOT GET THE THOUSAND

Raleigh, N. C., July 3.—Judge Bond, of Pittsboro, at noon today set aside the verdict of a thousand dollar award to Miss Lou Kelley, against W. H. Stone, the judge saying he could not allow the verdict to stand. The case grew out of allegations by Greensboro store that the young woman carried off articles without making out tickets for them. It is said Pittsboro is indignant.

Are You Going To Take The children to Lumina Monday?

Every convenience at Lumina for family parties. Delightful music. Dancing. Pictures.—Adv.

The Don Richardson Orchestra at Lumina tomorrow afternoon and night.

—Adv.

Drink Mint-Cola: Healthful and invigorating.

—Advertisement.