

THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Nov. 1, 1914.

Allies took Mariakerke. Allies crossed the Yperlee and occupied Bixchoote. Montenegrins bombarded Cattaro and advanced in Herzegovina. Austrian movement checked at Nadworna. Desperate fighting at Tsingtau; the city in flames. German squadron under Admiral von Spee defeated British squadron under Admiral Craddock off Chile coast; British cruisers Good Hope and Monmouth sunk. Turks bombarded Sebastopol.

Nov. 2, 1914.

Germans captured Messina. Allies took Ramscapelle with bayonet. Russians advanced on East Prussia, Germans retreating on three lines. Austrians and Serbians in battle near Rovye. Austro-German forces in Poland made another stand. Russians and Turks fought near Trebizond. Turks began advance on Egypt. Anglo-French fleet began bombardment of the Dardanelles. Germans mined coast of Asiatic Turkey. Martial law proclaimed in Egypt. British admiralty closed North sea to commerce.

Nov. 3, 1914.

Germans gained ground east of Soissons and Vailly. Allies checked Germans in Argonne region. Belgians trapped Germans at Furnes by ruse. Austrians stormed Sabao. British cruiser bombarded Akabah, Arabia, and sailors occupied the town. Turks threatened Suez canal. British submarine D-5 sunk by mine in North sea. Rockefeller Foundation relief ship sailed for Europe.

Nov. 4, 1914.

Germans lost along the Yser but repulsed allies south of Verdun and in the Vosges. Terrific fighting in Ypres region. Russians captured Bakalarjewo, drove German left wing back toward Biala and Lyck and dislodged rear guards from Kola and Przedborz. Austrians defeated on entire front from Kielce to Sandomierz. Japanese captured guns and 800 prisoners at Tsingtau. Germans defeated British in German East Africa. Russia began invasion of Armenia. German cruiser York sunk by mine in Jade bay. Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth sunk by Germans to prevent capture. American warship sent to Beirut to protect Christians.

Nov. 5, 1914.

Germans repulsed at Arras and Armentieres. Germans made further gains in Argonne region and the Vosges. Russians captured Miava, north of Warsaw. British mine sweeper Mary sunk in North sea. England and France declared war on Turkey. England annexed island of Cyprus. Turks won in Kara-Killissa and Tehan districts.

Nov. 6, 1914.

Allies retook Soupir and captured German trenches on the Meuse and east of Verdun. Battle raged around Ypres. French trapped Germans in Arras. Russians reoccupied Jaroslaw, Austrians retreating along entire Galician front. British ships shelled Belgian coast. Turks bombarded Batum. Austrian airmen dropped bombs on Antivari.

Placing Him.

"Pop?"
"Well?"
"Is the weather man the man who predicts what kind of weather we are going to have?"
"No, the weather man predicts the kind of weather we are not going to have."

Equivocal.

"Are you in favor of this anti-kissing crusade?"
"I certainly would set my face against the practice."

WAY TO TURKEY CLEAR TO TEUTONS

To Send Aid to Constantinople's Defenders.

GERMANS GAIN AT DVINSK

Invading Armies United in Serbia. Entente Allies Arranging To Send Big Force Against Them.

London.—The German Army which crossed the Danube at Orsova has joined hands with the Bulgarians, who invaded Serbia near Prahovo, and the Central Powers now have an open road through Northeastern Serbia and Bulgaria to the Aegean Sea and Constantinople.

They are thus in a position to send guns and munitions by river and railway to their Bulgarian and Turkish allies, who will be greatly strengthened thereby.

Fighting Continues in South. The invasion of the northern portions of Serbia by the Austro-Germans continues apace, while Bulgaria is putting forth a strong effort to secure control of additional sections of the Belgrade-Saloniki Railway.

So far as the north is concerned, Serbia, it is feared by her allies, is doomed, but in the south, reinforced by the British and French, who are now fighting by her side, Serbia is using all her strength to throw the Bulgarians back. After the French victory at Krivolak the Serbians, according to the Athens report, were able to reoccupy Veles, an important railway and road junction just south of Uskup, where a big battle is still in progress.

Reinforcements Coming. It is argued here that if the Bulgarians can be held in the south until Anglo-French reinforcements which are now on the way arrive Bulgaria may yet be robbed of Macedonia, on which she has set her heart. But the Allies will also have to make an attempt to block the German road to Turkey and their big attack may be directed elsewhere.

The internal situation of Bulgaria, which is reported serious, may have some effect on the campaign. A military conspiracy against King Ferdinand, Athens dispatches say, has been unearthed and the leaders have been shot. Many of the inhabitants of Bulgaria are said to be still loyal to Russia and showing disinclination to join the colors.

PORTER CHARLTON GUILTY.

American Given Six Years and Five Months For Murder.

Como, Italy.—Porter Charlton, who was found guilty of killing Mary Scott Charlton, his wife, will be set at liberty on November 21 next. Immediately after the verdict President Sciacca sentenced Charlton to a term of six years and eight months. As the young American had been in jail five years and seven months, he will have to serve only another month because of an allowance of one year granted to all prisoners by royal decree at the beginning of the war.

BANK ROBBERS USE GUNS.

Shoot Bookkeeper, Force Cashier To Open Safe.

Marble Falls, Texas.—Two unmasked men held up and robbed the First National Bank here of \$2,000 after fatally wounding Robert H. Heinetz, bookkeeper. The robbers escaped toward the Colorado river, pursued by half a dozen posses of citizens. Heinetz, was shot through the abdomen when he attempted to reach a pistol under his desk. The robbers then forced Walter Page, assistant cashier, to open the safe.

AMERICAN CONSULATE MOVES.

Follows Serbian Government From Nish To Tchatchak.

Washington.—The American consulate at Nish, Serbia, has been moved to Tchatchak, according to a dispatch received from American Minister Voplicka, at Bucharest, Romania. The American consulate moved with the Serbian Government and all other foreign consuls and missions.

\$5,000,000 MORE BRITISH GOLD.

First Of Numerous Shipments For Morgan & Co. In.

New York.—Five million dollars in gold sovereigns from Canada were received by the Assay Office here, the first of numerous anticipated shipments of about this size. The money was for the account of J. P. Morgan & Co. and is only about one-fifth the size of recent gold shipments made here from Canada for their account.

KILLS MAN SHE WED 7 TIMES.

After Repeated Divorces, Indiana Woman Uses Pistol.

Sullivan, Ind.—Holding her baby to her breast, Samantha Bennett shot and killed her former husband, William Bennett, aged 30, when, she said, Bennett attempted to force open the door of her home. The Bennetts were married and divorced seven times.

A KEEN OBSERVER
SCHUYLER WIGGINS SAYS RIDING IN A FLYING MACHINE MAKES A MAN FEEL HIGH-TONED. HE HASN'T GOT ANYTHING ON ME—I SMOKE

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STATE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Latest Gleanings From All Over the State.

TOLD IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS

Girl Incinerated in Reading Hotel Fire—Killed On Way To Work To Raze Iron Works and Erect Silk Mill.

Two new classes for industrial workers have been organized by the department of engineering extension of Pennsylvania State College. Employees of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, at Reading, will spend the winter studying technical subjects which will assist them to give better service to the railroad, and which at the same time, will increase their earning capacities. Another class was formed among the employees of the Ridgway Dynamo and Engine Company, at Ridgway. These new classes were organized by N. C. Miller, who last year had charge of the extension work in the eastern part of the State. C. F. Kopp, of Amite, Louisiana, has been added to the staff of the engineering extension workers, succeeding A. H. Spahr.

Forester R. G. Conklin received word from the State Health Department that all camping permits on the water shed supplying Chambersburg should be cancelled at once and no more granted for the present. The order was issued in view of the fact that the typhoid epidemic at Shippensburg has been traced directly to a camp. Twelve camps will be affected by this order, among which are the Locked Antlers, Still House Run, Fayetteville, Social Island, Wolf, Clay Springs and Still House Camps.

Colonel James A. G. Campbell, receiver, rejected a bid of \$21,000 for the plant of the S. and L. Rubber Company, Chester. The personal property was then sold in small lots, it bringing \$8,000.

After miners in the Gimlet Colliery, Shamokin, had ignited a fuse attached to six sticks of dynamite, John Bednarskie appeared on the scene as the dynamite exploded. He was blown many feet distant and injured fatally.

Skin grafting probably has saved the life of Charles Warner, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warner, of Mechanicsburg, who was injured seriously when an improvised firecracker on July 6 set fire to his clothing. A total of 191 pieces of skin have been planted on the boy's back, half of which are growing.

School Auditors of Coaldale, Tamaqua and West Mahanoy Townships were before court on an inquiry as to alleged excessive charges made for auditing the accounts of these districts. It was brought out in court that there are nearly one thousand phantom citizens on the Coaldale tax lists.

The iron works of John Mullen & Sons, Shamokin, were sold to J. H. and C. K. Eagle, New York, who will dismantle the structure and erect a silk mill to contain one thousand looms. The iron works were founded by Mr. Mullen forty-five years ago and occupied two city blocks.

Warren is threatened with an epidemic of diphtheria, fourteen cases having been reported to the health authorities. Infantile paralysis also has invaded Warren county, the disease proving fatal to Burdette, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison, of Fagundus.

Rumors of a wholesale shake-up in the management of the Reading Transit and Light Company, operating traction lines and lighting properties, resulted in announcement of the resignation of Norman McD. Crawford, as president and general manager of the company.

Emma Stewart, of Harrisburg, died in a hospital there from injuries received in an automobile accident in which a car driven by Frank B. Sherman left the road during a heavy fog and went into Spring Creek along the city parkway.

A fire in the St. Cloud Hotel, in the heart of the business district of Reading, created great alarm but caused little damage. Esther Firestone, four years old, daughter of one of the doormen, was burned to death.

The State Workmen's Compensation Board completed its organization by the election of Lee Solomon, a Philadelphia newspaperman, as secretary, a position carrying the duties of executive officer and a salary of \$4,000.

While on his way to work at the Lappert furniture factory, Williamsport, Harry W. Hill was struck by a train on the Pennsylvania Railroad and killed.

CHILDREN MAY REMAIN AT WORK

The Governor Believes Employers Also Will Keep Faith and Aid in State Plan.

Harrisburg.—Governor Brumbaugh issued the following statement regarding the decision of Attorney General Brown on employment certificates held by minors:

"The fear expressed in some quarters that children now legally employed in our Pennsylvania industries, but who do not possess all the standards of fitness fixed by the law that becomes operative January 1, 1916, will be required to return to school to complete the sixth grade, happily has been dispelled by the wise decision of the Attorney General. "The State has a contract with these children which it never intended to nullify. We shall keep faith with these children and we believe the employers also will keep faith and retain them in the industries of the Commonwealth. We shall not compel them to return to school, and employers, if wise, will not return them to the streets. They, of course, will work only fifty-one hours per week after January 1, 1916, and attend the continuation school for eight hours per week. To this humane and important decision no one in interest justly can object. "These children are the wards of the Commonwealth, and it will not allow willingly any harm or distress to come to them."

To Appeal Broomall Ruling.

The Attorney General's Department announced that the State immediately would enter an appeal to the Supreme Court from the decision of Judge Broomall, of the Delaware County Courts, that the Commonwealth cannot collect for maintenance of insane persons who have estates sufficient to maintain them. The Montgomery and Northampton County Courts have ruled that the State can collect.

Attorney-General Brown issued the following statement regarding the case:

"The decision of Judge Broomall in Delaware county in which he denied the petition of the Commonwealth for an order on the guardian of Walter Clarence Arnold, an inmate of the Norristown State Hospital for the Insane, for the amount due for maintenance from January 18, 1910, to December 1, 1914, does not touch on the recent Act of June 1, 1915, and is contrary to the decisions of Judge Stewart, of Northampton county, in the case of Lillian M. Repsher (24 dist.

rep. 15) and Judge Swartz, of Montgomery county, in the case of Annie E. Thomas (24 dist., rep. 31) both of which affirm the Commonwealth's right to recover. Judge Broomall's decision will be appealed to the Supreme Court at once."

Stock From Illinois.

The Pennsylvania Live Stock Sanitary Board issued the following amendment to the State quarantine regulations against foot and mouth disease, to be effective on and after Tuesday:

"No cattle, sheep, other ruminants, or swine, which originate in any part of the State of Illinois, under Federal quarantine, will be permitted to be unloaded in Pennsylvania for any purpose. Cattle, sheep, other ruminants, or swine, which originated in the State of Illinois, under Federal 'restricted' quarantine, handled in accordance with Federal regulations will be permitted to be shipped through, but not unloaded in Pennsylvania. No cattle, sheep, other ruminants, or swine, which originate in the State of Illinois, under Federal 'closed,' 'exposed,' or 'modified' quarantine, will be permitted to enter or pass through Pennsylvania for any purpose."

State Urges Vigilance.

Following a conference between Governor Brumbaugh and Commissioner of Labor and Industry Jackson on the panic attending the Pittsburgh box factory fire, the commissioner issued special instructions to all State inspectors and department employees to call attention of owners of buildings and employers to any fire hazards and solicit the aid of the residents of communities in the work of securing improvements. Officials of the department said that the fire and panic Act of 1909 removed from the jurisdiction of the department the regulation of fire escapes and fire exits in first and second class cities. Commissioner Jackson said he felt that the Pittsburgh disaster would result in renewed vigilance in municipalities.

Present Swords To State.

Two swords carried in the Civil War by General Alexander von Schimmelfennig, who commanded the Seventy-fourth Pennsylvania Volunteers, were presented to the State by his daughter, Miss Bertha M. von Schimmelfennig, of Brighton, Mass.

Organize Account Board.

The State Board of Accounts, whose appropriation was vetoed last spring, was organized, the Auditor General's Department arranging to meet the expenses. L. F. Hess, Luzerne, was selected as secretary.