



EDDYSTONE IS SEETHING WITH WAR PROSPERITY
News of Incorporation of Big Munitions Company Causes Much Excitement.

Believe Major Portion of \$97,000,000 Worth of Orders From Allies Will Be Filled and Anticipate Purchase of More Land.

Eddystone seethed with excitement today over the news that the Eddystone Munitions Company was to be incorporated to fill the major portion of the \$97,000,000 worth of war orders obtained by the Baldwin Locomotive Works. Word of the planned incorporation was accepted generally there as confirmation of the rumor that the Baldwin people were to purchase a wide tract of land adjoining the plant which the Remington plant is being built.

Fifteen thousand men will pour into Eddystone within the next few months, residents believe. This number, with those already at work, will constitute a small army corps of munitions workers. It will put the last touch to the transformation of Eddystone, once a sleepy little country village, and now rears with the boom spirit.

Strangers are flocking into the town with every train. Many are finding work and others are being told when to come back. All types are represented in the influx, mostly rough and ready men, but structural iron workers, who earn a living by raking their lives and live on excitement. The fame of Eddystone's boom is spreading widely. The residents believe the town will outstrip in growth Pennsylvania, New Jersey town that jumped in population by the thousand when the du Ponts moved there.

GUARDS WATCH FOR SPIES
Eddystone in the course of the last few weeks has become suddenly a "war town." It is by no means under martial law, but hundreds of guards patrol the streets, the saloons, the streets and the yards, and the streets are patrolled by hundreds of men at work night and day in the erection of the new plant of the Remington Arms Company, and in all, a cloud of veiled secrecy seems to cover the town.

MONSTER PLANT RISES FAST
The huge new Remington plant looms like a big red city or fortress around the green and quiet countryside here. The plant has made wonderful strides in the last three weeks. Red girders and beams are being shot into position, accompanied by a chorus of steam whistles and derricks. The visitor's memory cannot recall the time when the Baldwin plant—called—will cover an space of 16 acres. Although the work is being done under the name of Remington, the plant and its buildings will eventually become Baldwin.

ONE-DAY OUTINGS
From Market Street Wharf
\$1.00 Atlantic City, Cape May, Wildwood, Ocean City, Holly Beach, Angiers, Star Harbor, Wildwood Crest, Sea Isle City, Avalon.
Daily until September 2, inclusive.
\$1.25 Barnegat Pier, Bay Head, Point Pleasant, Freeport, Massenaun.
\$1.50 Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Long Branch, Belmar, Sea Girt.
From Broad Street Station
\$1.50 Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Long Branch, Belmar, Sea Girt.
\$2.00 Atlantic City, Cape May, Wildwood, Ocean City, Holly Beach, Angiers, Star Harbor, Wildwood Crest, Sea Isle City, Avalon.
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GREAT BRITISH ARMY OF 2,000,000 LEAVES FOR NEW OFFENSIVE
Vast Force Recruited by England Off for France. Today Set as Date for Final Sailings of Transports to Front.

LONDON, July 20.—"The great British advance will begin about the 1st of August and England will then make her great throw in the war," was the confident declaration today of one of Kitchener's newest army, a man equipped with information, although he is only a private. A year ago he was a newspaper correspondent, as well known in New York as in London, although now he is merely a man in the ranks of the Royal Fusiliers.

"Kitchener's great army of 2,000,000 men is at last on the way. Within a couple of weeks there will be another 750,000 British troops in France." A glance at the speaker would convince one that he was the very type of man needed for an officer. But he thought differently.

"I, and many like me," he said, "want to get to the front and in the midst of the fighting as soon as we can. We don't want to wear the stars of an officer and train recruits in some hole 50 miles outside the world. Us for France!"

MAY SETTLE "FRAUD" CASE OUT OF COURT
Civil War Veteran Accuses Two Women and Man of Attempt to Get His \$7500.

The hearing of Mrs. Josephine Gertrude Mace, wife of Fred Mace, prominent in New York motion picture circles; Mrs. Robert Buchanan, 336 Hunting Park avenue, and Coltan W. Johnson, a brother of Mrs. Mace, was postponed indefinitely by Magistrate Mcleary in the Trenton avenue and Dauphin street police station today. The three were to have been arraigned today to answer the charge of Harrison Campbell, a Civil War veteran, of 1453 North 15th street, who accuses them of conspiring to defraud him of \$7500.

Upon agreement of counsel for both sides the case was postponed until all concerned could be present in this city. It was also hinted by several connected with the case, that a settlement outside of court is being tried. According to Campbell, he knew Mrs. Mace when she was one of the famous "Florodora Sisters," and at that time bought her two houses and showed her that he had voluntarily given her \$5000 in return for a contract which specified a quarrel over a costume worn at one of these performances. Mrs. Mace forced Campbell to sign a document asserting that he had voluntarily given her \$5000. Mrs. Mace, who is now said to be about 70 years old, is living in one of the houses alleged to have been given her by Campbell. The latter, who is a brother of Edward Campbell, a member of the United League and a partner of this city, asserts through his counsel that he gave Mrs. Mace \$5000 to pay a mortgage on a building. He says that he was to receive the money, but that she never turned it over to him.

MEXICAN ARMIES RUSH TOGETHER FOR BIG BATTLE
Gonzales Quits Mexico City and Moves to Meet Flying Squadron of Villa.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Villa and Carranza armies are marching north of Mexico City for what may be the decisive battle of the civil war. The former's flying squadron of cavalry, under the command of General Carranza Reyes and General Rodolfo Fierro, has taken Queretaro in its dash southward on the capital, according to reports to the State Department today. The main Carranza army, under General Gonzalez, who evacuated Mexico City to go and meet Villa's flying squadron, is reported nearing Pachuca, where the coming decisive battle is expected to be fought.

Military men here place various estimates on the strength of the Villista column. The fact that it has occupied 1800 miles of railroad line beginning at Leon and that it has swept almost to the gates of the capital within two weeks is taken to indicate that it must number close to 10,000 men.

BODY IN COBB'S CREEK THAT OF CONTRACTOR
Frederick C. Michaelsen, Missing Since July 9, May Have Been Murdered.

The body found near the dam breast of Cobb's Creek and showing marks of foul play was identified today as that of Frederick C. Michaelsen, a contractor and builder, who disappeared from his home, 501 North 53d street, July 9. Michaelsen, left home ostensibly for his office at 211 South 5th street, and had not been heard of since.

Deputy Coroner Donnelly and H. F. Taylor, of Ridley Park, believe the dead man was murdered and his body thrown into the stream to give the crime the appearance of suicide. The finding of \$8 in the pocket of the man's trousers adds weight to the suicide theory, but as there was a cut on his head, in addition to a long gash in his throat, detectives working on the case contend he was murdered.

As the dead man's coat, collar or tie could not be found, the police believe he was led into a fight and then knocked down with a blunt instrument and robbed. The attack occurred near Ardmore, Donnelly believes, and after describing all clues which would lead to the man's identity his body was thrown into the creek and carried down the stream to a point beyond Beschwood, where it was found by three employees of the Philadelphia and Western Railway. The dead man was clad only in a striped silk shirt and dark trousers. The fact that he weighed about 220 pounds and carried a folding rule, such as is used by contractors, led to the belief that the body was that of Michaelsen.

GENERAL STRIKE ORDER BY UNION IN BRIDGEPORT
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pressure would be exerted and in event of refusal to treat with the union, the first in which a strike would be called.

The statement of Secretary Morrison, of the American Federation of Labor, mentions the Baldwin plant. Secretary Morrison said: "The American Federation of Labor does not care whether German gold started the Bridgeport strike or not," said Secretary Morrison. "I have heard that said. I do not know definitely how true it is or not. It is true, we can't blame Germany's representative, whoever he may be, for doing it."

"The big point to the American Federation of Labor is that agitation has been started in the Bridgeport and bow fields for better working conditions. The American Federation of Labor will do all in its power to make the Remington Arms Company's machinists strike the stepping stone to a thorough organization of that poorly organized field."

GENERAL STRIKE CALLED BY UNION IN BRIDGEPORT
BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 20.—Plans for the inauguration of the strike in the Remington Arms ammunition Company's plant at noon today spread shortly before 11 o'clock from an order calling 500 men out to an order affecting every machine shop in Bridgeport which makes any part of the sub-construction parts on bullets, ammunition and bullets.

Following this announcement from the union headquarters came the report that the naval militia had been ordered to report for duty at the armory for service in the strike zone on a 15-hr. blow on the city fire alarm system. Each militiaman has been supplied with 15 rounds of ammunition.

Frederick Johnson, of the Structural Iron Workers, said this afternoon there had been a delay in the general strike because the Remington Company here had locked the men in the factory and promised to pay a dollar a day for their stay.

The machinists in the Columbia Nat and Bolt Company, the Gaynor Manufacturing Company and the Bridgeport Engineering Company walked out in response to the order. The Locomobile Company has enormous orders for the Allies in automobiles and trucks, principally for the Russian Government. The officials refused to discuss the matter this morning.

TEUTONS BEAT BACK SLAVS TO NAREW RIVER FRONT
BERLIN, July 20.—Sweeping down on Warsaw from the north, a German army, under General Gallwitz, has forced the Russians to retreat across the Narew River at several points and has taken up positions less than 40 miles from the Polish capital.

An official statement from the War Office, issued early today, the first since that issued Sunday afternoon, declared that the great 100-mile drive to squeeze the Russians out of Warsaw is moving forward at amazing speed. From the Riga region to Bukovina the Slavs are everywhere in retreat, abandoning guns and ammunition.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIANS FORCE WAY TO EAST BANK OF BUG RIVER
VIENNA, July 20.—Austrian troops have crossed the Bug River, northeast of Sokal, and have gained a foothold on the eastern bank of the stream, the War Office announced today. The resistance of the reinforced Russian forces has been broken down, and they are retreating, the official statement adds.

RUSSIAN DEFENSE LINE BENT, IS ADMISSION FROM PETROGRAD
PETROGRAD, July 20.—Russian armies are now sustaining on all fronts the most terrific assaults that the Austro-German armies have yet launched. The Teutonic allies have bent the Russian lines at several points, but nowhere have they succeeded in piercing the Russian front, the War Office asserted today.

WELSH COAL MINERS' STRIKE SETTLED
Lloyd-George Gets Men to Return to Work—New Conditions Kept Secret.
CARDIFF, Wales, July 20.—Minister of Munitions David Lloyd-George has effected a settlement of the strike in the South Wales coal fields that threw 230,000 men out of work and threatened to cripple the British navy and the munition plants supplying the army.

HERRESHOFF, BUILDER OF CUP YACHTS, DEAD
Blind Designer of Racing Craft Expires at His Home in Bristol, R. I.
BRISTOL, R. I., July 20.—John B. Herreshoff, aged 73, famous blind designer of cup-defending yachts, died early today after a long illness. Until the past few weeks he had continued actively in charge of the manufacturing company of which he was president.

MOTHER GIVES SON POISON, THEN DRINKS SOME HERSELF
Now Praying for Her Death and That of Backward Boy.
NEWARK, N. J., July 20.—Mrs. Fredrick Manthey, 27 years old, is in the City Hospital praying that she and her 5-year-old son Robert may die from the poison they drank last night, and physicians at the hospital believe her wishes will be granted so far as the son is concerned. Present indications are that Mrs. Manthey will recover; but a policeman has been sent to the hospital to guard her, as she is technically under arrest.

SLAVS REPORTED EVACUATING LINE ALONG VISTULA
Warsaw, Novo Georgeievsk, Ivangorod and Lublin Evacuated, Headquarters Hears.

Small Forces Left to Cover Main Armies' Withdrawal to Second Fortified Line—Teutons Speed Up Offensive Along Entire Front.

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TURK PATROLS RAID TRANSCAUCASIA
Penetrate to Ardost, Nearly 100 Miles Within Russian Territory, Petrograd Admits.
PETROGRAD, July 20.—Turkish patrols have penetrated nearly 100 miles into Trans-Caucasia, according to an official statement on operations in the southern theatre of war issued today by the War Office. It follows:

BIG DROP IN TEMPERATURE
Hot Spell Ended by Rain Storm—Mercury Down to 74.
Philadelphia is recovering today from the first real hot wave of the year, the back of which was broken yesterday by heavy thunder showers. During the night the destruction of the hot spell was made complete by more rain and today the weather might be called too cool if it were not for the memory of recent heat records.

MUSIC ON CITY HALL PLAZA
Philadelphia Band Will Give "Sing Night" Program.
This will be "Sing Night" at the Philadelphia Band concert on City Hall Plaza. The program:

LIGHTED MATCH AND GASOLINE Will Be Brought in Contact in Fire Extinguisher Test.
A lighted match will be thrown into an open tank containing 80,000 gallons of oil at the plants of the Crown-Leick and the Inter-Ocean Oil Companies, in Chester, at noon today, to test the efficiency of a newly invented fire extinguisher designed to extinguish oil tank fires. Hundreds of fire insurance companies and oil men will be present to witness the demonstration. The extinguisher is the invention of W. W. Walker, of Camden, N. J., Mr. Walker, who is a fire prevention engineer, is very resistant about his discovery. His statement, however, that the fire extinguisher is not unlike the liquid generally used, and that he has added a foam-producing substance, which is a product of hydrogen, is so simple that the experimenter will capture the world if the test is known.

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