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## PHILS ELIMINATE DODGERS; BOSTON GOLFERS VANQUISHED

## **GERMANS TAKE** 21,000 SLAVS ON VILNA LINE

General Von Eichorn Wins Big Victory in Fierce Battle

FORCE RETREAT IN SOUTH

Russians Again in Retrograde Movement Along Dubno Front, Berlin Says

BERLIN, Sept. 28. The Germans have resumed the offen-sive on the east front and the first re-sults of the new movement are victories in the north and south of the battle line. General von Elchhorn captured 21,968 men; 70 officers, 3 cannons and 72 machine guns on the front east of Vilna. after a fierce battle.

This victory, won on a line where the Russians have been delivering feroclous attacks, is regarded as a very important one, in view of the big number of pris-oners and machine guns captured.

The Russians are reported to be in retreat all along the front north of Dubno. Northeast of Wischniaka the Germans broke through the Russians' positions, capturing 24 officers and 3300 men, as well as eight machine guns.

The bridge head east of Baranovitch (75 miles north of Pinsk) has been stormed by Prince Leopold's army, which captured 300 Russians there. General von Linsingen's troops have

#### KAISER ORDERS HINDENBURG TO TAKE DVINSK IN WEEK

PETROGRAD, Sept. 28. The situation on the Dvina River front stage. Heavy snowstorms are raging north of the Guif of Finland and are rapidly sweeping south, the snow bring-ing the first touch of winter to the Baltie provinces. The approach of winter makes it necessary for the Germans to redouble their efforts in their attempt to take Dvinsk if they are not to meet with fail-

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### TWO BOSTON GOLFERS LOSE MATCHES TODAY IN HAVERFORD EVENT

J. H. Sullivan and B. W. Estabrook, of Brookline, Beaten by Buxton and Washburn

#### H. W. PERRIN A WINNER

HAVERFORD. Pa., Sept. 28.—As a re-sult of the third round of match play in the invitation tournament of the Merion Cricket Club here today the two remain-ing Boston representatives were elim-

ing Boston representatives were eliminated.

Playing extremely steady golf, C. B. Buxton, of Huntingdon Valley, defeated J. H. Sullivan, of the Brookline Country Gub, 4 up and 3 to play. It had been expected that Sullivan would reach the final but Buxton won on his merits. The Huntingdon Valley man showed much better judgment than his opponent. Time and again Sullivan misjudged distances, and it frequently led him into trouble. Buxton's approach shots and putting were extremely accurate, and it was in this department of the game that he completely outplayed his opponent.

B. W. Estabrook, the second of the Bostonians, succumbed to L. M. Washburn, of Marion, but only on the 18th hole. The match was the best contested of the morning, and Washburn deserved no little credit, for at one stage of the match he was four down.

H. L. Willoughby, the local champion.

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played remarkably good golf against Cecil B. Calvert, and at the finish he had

the Aronimink man 5 down and 4 to play. Summary:

L. M. Washburn, Marion, defeated B. W. tabrook, Brookline, I up.

L. W. Perrin, Merion, defeated Dr. F. De Hisrd, Merion, 5 up and 4 to play,

E. Sherwood, Merion, defeated R. S. ancies, Merion, 2 up.

L. F. Prancise, Huntingdon Valley, detect J. O. Suddards, Overbrook, 4 up and to play.

fested J. O. Buddards, Overbrook, 4 up and 5 to play.
C. B. Buxton, Huntingdon Valley, defeated J. H. Bullivan, Brookline, 4 up and 3 to play, J. H. Jey, Jr., Philadelphia Cricket Club. defeated E. Buttherthwalte, Aronimink, 3 up and 1 to play.
R. Moti, Huntingdon Valley, defeated M. P. Jones, Frankford, 2 up.
H. Willoughby, Jr., Philadelphia Country Club, deteated C. B. Calvett, Aronimink, 5 up and 4 to play.

#### THE WEATHER

September has indeed been a strange month. When the thermometer reads 47 degrees it's not cold. Since the reedhird season opened the title glags tube that plays such an important part in our daily life has registered both these extremes. Considered in the abstract it's most ungentlemanly conduct on the part of the weather delties. But concretely you would, not have today different if you could; now, would you? If there be among us any who prefer weather of the veriety we had the early part of this month, let them keep quiet. They have had their days. Most of us are having ours now!

FORECAST For Philadelphia and vicinity-Fair and continued cool tonight and Wednesday, with probable frost on clauda tonight; gentle, northerly LINER HESPERIAN SINKING OFF IRISH COAST



## TRAIN PLOWS THROUGH FIFTY, KILLS TEN MEN

esed the Styr River, below the fortress | Six Other Workers Injured So Severely That Some May Die

PASSENGERS IN PANIC

Ten men were killed at 1:15 o'clock this morning and six others were injured, when a speeding Philadelphia and Reading Railway express train ran through a gang of 50 workmen in the Phoenix-ville tunnel. Seven of the dead were killed instantly. Three others died within a few hours. More deaths are ex-

The train was due to arrive at Philadel-phia at \$107 o'clock. There was a panic among the passengers, who feared asphysiation from the heavy gas in the

A section train, in charge of James Kenny, had just pulled into the tunnel with the gang of workmen, most of whom ere foreigners, and the smoke from the engine had not cleared away when the express train, which was nearing Phoenixville, came rushing into the tunnel. The smoke obscured the view of the workmen, who by that time had left the section train and were walking through the tunnel to the scene of their work. The workmen heard the noise of the train, became confused and stampeded. The train plowed into the ranks of the

Six of the men, all foreigners, were taken from the tunnel dead. They lay for some time at the Readling station at Phoenixville. Ten others, badly hjured, were taken to the Phoenixville Hospital. where one man died shortly after being

admitted.

All the dead are foreigners from Bridgeport, opposite Norristown. Among those injured, not foreigners, are James Kinney, foreman of the section gang, and Wallace J. Zimmerman, of Mahanoy City, who was in general charge of the

work in the tunnel.

More deaths are expected at the hospital. Doctors from Phoenixville and the surrounding country gave their services to relieve the injured.

The section gang had been working at

widening the tunnel for more than two As far as can be learned, no passer

gers were injured in the panic that fol-lowed the accident. The trainmen con-ducted those in the rear cars to the front of the train, which was outside the tun-nei, so that none would be affected by the heavy gas. Just about a year ago, on September 22, the engineer and conductor of a Pottsville express train were asphyxiated

in the tunnel, where the train had stopped after striking a woman. She had at tempted to cross the tracks near the en

trance to the tunnel.

After making an investigation, the Coroner at that time said the engineer and conductor were killed by coal gas, which had been generated by the engine. Many passengers were overcome fumes, but subsequently recovered.

#### MOUNTAIN RANGE IN N. H. SNOWBOUND TO TTS BASE

Peaks Heavily Covered and Their Sides Are Frosted

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., Sept. 28.— The Presidential range is anowbound to-day. The peaks are heavily covered and the sides of the mountains are frosted

The road between Bretton Woods and rawford Notch has been closed owing Crawford Notch has been closed owing to the fallen trees that were snapped off across it in the gale.

#### Choosing the Junior Member

When the executive affairs of hust-cess become too weightly for one mind. the head of the house generally looks around for sensebody to help him out. But where tan he find a main with conscious temperament, sare judgment and sufficient capitals.

Phone, Walnut or Main 3000



One American lost his life on September 6 when the Allan steamship Hesperian sank near Fastnet, after being struck either by a torpedo or mine. The upper picture shows the ship beginning to list. The lower one shows her going down by the head as two vessels rush to

# IN EFFORT TO BREAK

**ANGLO-FRENCH OFFENSIVE** 

Allies in Second Stroke Increase Gains in Champagne and Artois-Berlin Disputes Claims of Victory Put Forth by Paris

Allies' Attack Repulsed, Berlin Says Officially BERLIN, Sept. 28.—All Anglo-French attacks of yesterday and last night were repulsed with heavy losses, the War Office stated in an official bulletin this afternoon.

The enemy continues violent attacks at nearly every sector, but has been unable to pierce the German front.

The French suffered very severe losses in heavy attacks against the German works in the Champagne region. Massed French cavalry forces time and again assailed the German lines only to be forced

German artillery and machine guns poured a frightful fire into the cavalry ranks, forcing the French to flee in confusion. The Saxon and Frankfurt troops were especially mentioned for gallant fighting in this afternoon's official statement.

PARIS, Sept. 28,

Further progress by the French troops in the Artois region and in Champagne is announced in today's official communique from the War Office. The official report-also chronicles a severe check for the army of the German Crown Prince in the Argonne.

.The German forces which opened an attack in the Argonne to relieve the pressure which the French troops were bringing to bear on the Champagne front numbered 18 battalions, approximately 18,000 men. The communique states that the ground before the French trenches was covered with bodies of Germans killed in obstinate assaults.

#### FRENCH OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE

The text of the communique follows: "In the evening and during the night we gradually gained ground in the Artois district toward the heights to the east and south of Souchez. In Champagne, the Germans are resisting in the positions to which they have fallen back, protected by concealed wire entanglements stretched along their front. We made some new progress toward Hill No. 185, west of Navarin Farm, and toward La Justice, north of Massiges.

"In the Argonne, obstinate attacks made yesterday by the enemy with 18 bartalions against our first-line trenches at Fille Norte and Nolante were ended by a serious check. Counter-attacks launched by us in the course of the nigh enabled us to drive out the German soldiers at almost all points where they had penetrated. The ground before our trenches is covered with the enemy's dead."

#### GERMANS' COUNTER ATTACKS STRONG.

Furious counter attacks, in which asphyxiating gases, liquid fire, artiflery, and the bayonet are employed, are being launched by the Germans against the Allies over the greater part of the \$50-mile battle front in the western theatre, except at the eastern extremity, where storms have brought about

## CHALMERS HOLDS **BROOKLYN WHILE** DAISIES WIN, 6-4

Cravath Wields Willow at 1.000 Clip With Three Hits

DODGERS USE 3 SLABMEN

By a Staff Correspondent EBBETTS FIELD, Brooklyn, N. T., Sept. 23.—Outplaying their rivals in every department of the game this afternoon, the Phillies defeated Brooklyn by the count of 5 to 4 and put them out of the race for the National League pennant. The victory, won with George Chalmers on the mound, puts Moran's men within one game of the flag.

The Phillies have seven more games to play and lead the Boston Braves by that number, while the lafter club has eight games scheduled to go.

After the third inning today the result was never in doubt, as Chalmers got a champions, while the Dodgers appeared

champions, while the Dodgers appeared to have lost their nerve entirely.

Larry Cheney, who began on the hill for Brooklyn, lasted but five rounds, Wheezer Dell replacing him. Dell was later relieved by Mails.

Chaimers yielded seven hits and passed three men, while the home tossers gave up eight hits and five bases on balls.

The Phils started off with a rush, sooring twice in the first inning on Passeoring twice in the first inning twice in the first i

coring twice in the first inning on Passcoring twice in the first inning on Pas-kert's single and a hit to left by Cray-ath, which Wheat allowed to get past him, both runners crossing the rubber. In their half of this frame Brooklyn tied the score on O'Mara's single, Daubert's double, Whitted's poor return of the hit to the infield and a sacrifice fly by

In the third the Phillies took a tworun lead on a pass to Bancroft, his steal, Cravath's single and Myers' muff

of Luderus easy fly.

Moran's leaders added another in the fifth on Bancroft's single, his steel, Miller's wild throw and Paskert's long fly to centre.

Stock tripled in the seventh and continued the plant of the control

tinued to the plate on Cutshaw's bad relay throw to third. Brooklyn counted in thus same inning on Geta's triple and a sacrifice fly by Olson, who batted for Dell. Chalmers started the eighth with two passes, but pitched himself out of the hote by constant use of his spit ball.

In the ninth Gets hit a home run down the left field line, but the Dodgers could not rally sufficiently to the the score. FIRST INNING.

Stock went out, O'Mara to Daubert, Bancroft was thrown out by Cutshaw. Paskert singled past third base. Cravath singled to left and the ball was fumbled by Wheat and rolled to the left-field fence, Paskert and Cravath both scoring. Ludgerya went out, Daubert to Chesay. Luderus went out, Daubert to Cheney, who covered first. Two runs, two hits,

O'Mara singled to right on the first ball pitched. Daubert doubled to centre and Whitted recovered the ball after it got by Paskert, and made a poor return to

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The Kensingtonian Says: Rughie Boyle, who keeps the grocery stere at Linwood, Haddon Heights, is one great fellow. His specialty is to please everybody and in the pleasing average he bats about .600.

#### PERSONALS

HEALTHY MAN wanted, willing to give bloss for sick woman; reasonable compensation apply tonight, Norrie Drug Store, Tist and

#### LOST AND FOUND

WHAT DID YOU LOSE? WHAT DID YOU FIND!

All lost articles advertised in the ladger will be insted in a permanent file at Ledger tentral, where the finder can locate the organ at any time. If you have found an article that has not been advertised as less the Ledger will also record your name and address and assist in finding the rightful water, who will be placed in touch will you. This like all other service at Ledger Central, is tree.

PHILLIES DEFEAT BROOKLY

PHILLIES Bancroft, ss Pankert, of Cravath, rf Luderus, 1b Cutshaw, 2 Whitted, If Miller, c Chalmers, p Mails, p

TODAY'S BASEBALL SCORES

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would be granted at present.

TODAY'S FOOTBALL SCORES GETTYSBURG

ALL BRITISH OFFICERS ON LEAVE RECALLED LONDON, Sept. 28 .- All officers of the British army the leave have been recalled. Under Secretary of War stated in the House of Commons this afternoon that no fur

MAY SEND U. S. TROOPS TO QUELL BORDER BAN

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 .- Unless the situation of t tder in the Brownsville district clears within a few hor Diockson, commanding the American troops in that he urge that the American forces be ordered to go into Meni terminate the bandit bands now operating there. He of General Funston in a dispatch which that officer forward War Department this afternoon. Blockson reported that 5 organized into a military organization have massed a ferry. Artillery has been rushed to the American side of

19,000,000 RUSSIANS DRIVEN FROM

BERLIN, via Sayville, L. L., Sept. 28,-1-144 69 including 3,000,000 Poles, have been drived from their Russian soldiers because of the advance of the Garmans, newspaper estimates.

VON PAPEN AND PRINCE DEPART FOR B SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 28 .- Captain I's Prince Hatzfeldt, it was discovered today, an "vacation" here yesterday and departed for Memilitary attaches business in Mexico was the publ discussion in official stretes here, but in a