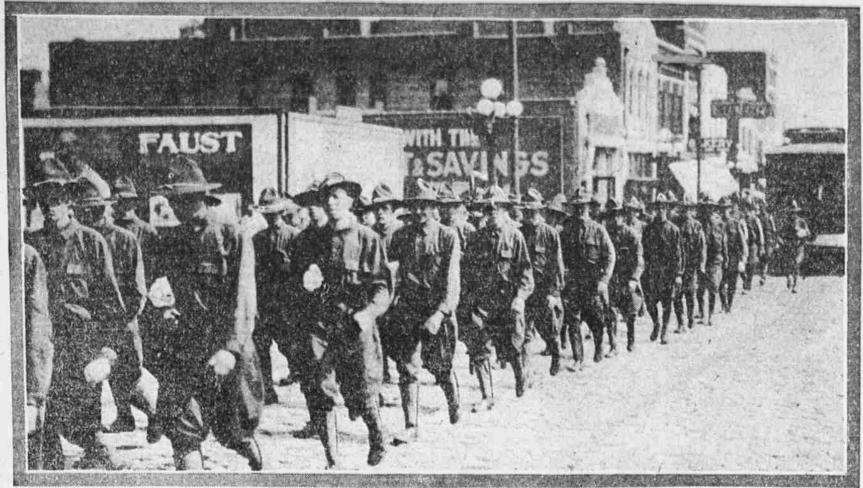
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2D INFANTRY LEAVES TRAIN AND PARADES THROUGH MEMPHIS



This chance to stretch their legs came as a welcome relief to the Philadelphia soldiers after long hours of sitting on train seats. They were shown many

FRENCH OCCUPY **NEW GROUND ON** SOMME FRONT

Advance North of Hem. Batter Foe's Third Defenses

KAISER AND HIS STAFF ARRIVE TO HALT DRIVE

British Gain at Thiepval. Raid Trenches Near La Bassee Canal

BERLIN ADMITS LOSSES

Teutons Shell Verdun Cathedral. Artillery Active on Meuse

night, have resumed the attack against | Blanca region. the German front north and south of the Somme. French artillery is shelling the third line of Teuton defenses before Peronne, while the infantry under General Foch has gained new ground north of Hem village, which the French captured yesterday.

The Germans have launched strong attacks north and south of the Ancre. The British made a slight advance in the fighting at Thiepval, northeast of Albert. South of La Bassee Canal British troops raided successfully a number of enemy trenches, bringing back prisoners. Highland infantry entered enemy trenches near Hulluch, capturing and killing many Germans.

With French troops now almost in the outskirts of Peronne, the Germans are reinforcing heavily, particularly on their right flank northwest of the village.

Admissions that the British have made progress at Thiepval and that the French have captured Belloy-En-Santerre, on the Somme River front, are contained in an official statement issued by the Berlin War Office today. It was stated, however, that the British gain at Thiepval was balanced by successful counter-attacks by the Germans.

The Kaiser and members of the General Staff arrived on the west front determined to halt the Allied advance at any cost.

Today's communiques show that the first phase of the new offensive is over, and, while the infantry activity is still intense, the principal business of the Allied armics for the next few days is again to pave the way with heavy guns for another forward dash.

In brief, the main achievements of the Anglo-French troops are these:

First. The capture of nearly a score of strongly fortified villages from the Germans.

Second. The capture of about 16,-000 German soldiers, as well as many heavy guns, some of which had been sent north from Verdun.

Third. An advance of from six to eight miles on both sides of the Somme over a front of 20 miles.

So rapid was the French advance south of the Somme in the carly stages of the fighting that German detachments were cut off during the night in nome instances and surrounded before

they knew they were under attack. A Continued on Page Two, Column Oca

SECOND REGIMENT AT EL PASO TODAY AFTER HARDSHIPS

Six Days of Tortuous Train Journey Will End at Border

MEN CHEERED IN TEXAS

By CARL L. ZEISBERG

Evening Ledger Staff Correspondent TOYAH, Tex., 2d Regiment Troop Train

En Route to El Paso, July 6. Six days of torturous journey over desert, mountain range, hill, peaceful valley and past productive farms will end today for the 2d Regiment. El Paso is almost in sight.

As the two long trains, the first and sec ond sections, clipped off the miles up the Rio Grande Valley toward the goal, United States soldiers encamped along the route cheered and waved their hats. Sharphooters with loaded rifles watched over the sleeping coaches during the last night spent on rails. On every platform stood an expert marksman picked by his company commander to guard the regiment from Mexi-French troops, after a brief hill last can snipers reported active in the Sierra

> Close guard over the trains began at Big Spring late yesterday, where the two sections met. The available ammunition, about 50 rounds, was distributed among picked sharpshooters. Thereafter at every stop a determined-looking man in khaki stopped between the cars and allowed no one not in uniform to approach the steps. The guards were picked without the knowledge of the rest of the regiment, which passed through the treacherous foothills of the Davis Mountains without being aware that sentinels were on watch.

> GUARDS ON DUTY. The guards on the first section were Sergeant Charles Appel, Company A; Sergeants Floyd McMonigali and James W. McMeekin,

> of Company B; Sergeants Robert Whittaker and Walter Eagan, of Company C, and Artincer Anthony Comick and Sergeant Rudolph

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FIVE HURT; SECOND RIOT AMONG LONGSHOREMEN ON DELAWARE AVENUE

Two Detectives Among the Injured in Battle of Bricks and Bottles With Negroes

POLICE RUSHED TO RESCUE

Five persons were injured in a second riot this afternoon on the Delaware avenue piers, where longshoremen are on strike. In last night's riot one man was killed and three other persons injured, bringing the total casualties in 24 hours to

Those injured this afternoon were: Charles Barnes, negro detective; contu-

ions, shot through hat, built searing scalp Joseph Chambers, 34 years old, 1721 Titan street; contusions, hit on head with brick. John Sawyer, 26 years old, of 1938 Fernor street; shot in right hip; Pennsylvania

Hospital. Glenn Perrymore, 48 years old, of 1169. lieveland avenue; lacerated skull, knocked down with club.

Charles Beckman, detective; treated at City Hall for broken ankle by Dr. John Wanamaker, 3d.

So perious has the situation become that Superintendent of Police Robinson, shortly after the riot call was sounded, appeared at the piers to take personal charge of the solicemen, to whom other reinforcements is large numbers had been sent. The Pennsyl-

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JACKIES KILLED 21 MEXICANS IN MAZATLAN HARBOR CLASH

Twenty-five Also Reported Wounded After Firing on Boat

SAN DIEGO, Cal., July 6 .- Twenty-one Mexican soldiers were killed and 25 wounded n the clash between blue ackets of the United States gunboat Annapolis and Carranza soldiers at Mazatlan June 18, according to officers of the naval transport Buffalo, which is in port here today. The officers said they heard the estimate from Mexican sources before the Buffalo left for San Diego with refugees.

A Korean holding the position of lieuenant in the Mexican army fired the shot n the Mazatlan fight which fatally wounded Boatswain's Mate I. M. Laughter, officers of the Buffalo said.

ARMY WON'T QUIT MEXICO UNTIL U.S. IS FULLY ASSURED

Pershing to Stay Until Car-His Pledge

WILL REPLY TO NOTE

WASHINGTON, July 6 .- Secretary of State Lansing announced, following half an hour's conference with the President, that an immediate reply would be sent to Carranza's latest note. He also stated that future negotiations with the de facto Government would be conducted solely through diplomatic channels. He made it plain that while this Government regarded mediation favorably it did not think it was required in the present Mexican situation.

The department issued the positive state ment that General Pershing's expedition would not be ordered out of Mexico at this time as a result of Carranza's note. It was treops would not be withdrawn until further assurances are received that the border will be protected against raids similar to that at Columbus.

The fact that Carranza did not disavow orders to General Trevino to fire upor American troops left a real issue, but officials view his reply as indicating a desire to clean the slate and start anew.

In the absence of Secretary Lansing, who starts his vacation tomorrow, Counselos Frank Polk will handle whatever negotiations are undertaken. Direct dealing between Polk and Ambassador Arredondo is the probable Administration course. It is probable Secretary Lansing will

begin work at once on the reply to Carranza. It is possible he will have it ready to present to the Cabinet tomorrow before he leaves. What the reply will embody

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Pictures From the Front

Philadelphians and Pennsylvaare in the Federal service will be keenly interested in knowing how their soldier-heroes work and play

"Down on the Border" Actual photographs tell the story

far better than words can do. Realizing this, complete arrange-ments have been made by the

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to show just how the troops live in camp, the character of their sur-roundings and their daily activities, even if actual fighting occurs.

Staff Photographers

as well as staff correspondents for this newspaper are with the sol-diers and as long as the troops are on duty the best service possible will be rendered to the readers of the

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SUCCOR SPEEDED

TO CARRANZISTAS

BEATEN BY VILLA

Battle Near Jiminez Expected to Follow Rout of Romas

NEW ARMY OF BANDITS

EL PASO, Tex., July 6 - "Pancho" Villa's wild horsemen today are beating back the Carranzista forces in a running battle between Parral and Jiminez. Minister of War Obregon has ordered General Jacinto at Chihushua to rush reinforcenents to the battlefield from Chihuahus

Long trains carrying Carranzista soldiera already are reported to have arrived at Santa Rosalio, northwest of Jiminez. Wire communication south of Juarez wa destroyed last night and this added to the anxiety of the Carranza leaders in the city just across the Rio Grande. Mounted

ouriers brought the last reports. Villa's latest outbreak comes at a time extremely embarrassing to the Carranza government, as Villa's activities character istically do.

In official reports the Carranzistas have endeavored to prove to the United States that Villa was dead and that his outlaws were dispersed. Upon this Carranza largely based his demands for the withdrawal of the punitive expedition.

In his latest communication to Washingon. General Carranza stated that his forces had the power to subdue any rebel army that might renew hostilities. He promised this strength to quell new uprisings.

The diplomacy of Carranza had suc ceeded well. According to the best information General Pershing's expeditionary force was about to return; in fact, has already started the retrograde movement to Colum made emphatically plain that the American bus. In addition to this, negotiations were opened and well on their way to an agree ment for the joint patrol of the border, an other Carranaz Idea.

Then came the news that Villa was at i Continued on Page Two, Column Four

WEDS NIECE IN SECRET AND FINDS HER FALSE; TAKES LIVES WITH GUN

Clandestine Marriage at Shore Unknown Even to Slayer's Sister Until Norristown Tragedy Reveals It

OTHER MEN LOVED GIRL

NORRISTOWN, Pa., July 6 .- John C Williams, of 306 East Ellm street, had planned to go to Philadelphia today. His sister, Mrs. Jennie Reynolds, and her daugh ter, Miss Martha Reynolds, who made their home with him, had helped him pack his satchel and his trunk, which he had checked to the Vendig Hotel, Philadelphia.

Mr. Williams had been ill and he did no feel any too well today, he said, so he did not get up for breakfast. When Miss Reynolds was about to go to the Diamond State Fibre Company plant, where she was em ployed as an inspector, she said to her mother. "I must go up and tell Uncle John good-by.

She went up. A moment later Mrs. Reypolds heard revolver shots in the bedroom up stairs. She acreamed and ran up. She found her daughter and her brother lying dead on the floor. Blood was spurting from the girl's breast and streaming from her head. Williams had blown out his brains. Neighborn rushed in and Charles F. White, registrar of vital statistics, and monest. Mrs. Reynolds atood wringing her

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QUICK NEWS

PITTSBURGH, July 6 .- Damage to the extent of \$400 000 was done by a fire today in the heart of the Pittsburgh wholesale district, For a time the destruction of an entire business blockw asthreatened, but the firemen were able after two hours' work to confine the fire to the M. Kauffmann warehouse, which was destroyed, and an adjoining four-story brick building which was badly damaged.

PENSACOLA WATERFRONT REPORTED WASHED AWAY

ATLANTA, Ga., July 6. - The water front at Pensacola was washed away in yesterday's hurricane, according to unconfirmed reports trickling into Atlanta this afternoon. The damage in Pensacola is said to be extensive. No mention was made of loss of life. The high water has begun to recede and wire communication has been restored as far as Flomaton.

FEAR TROUBLE BETWEEN NEGRO TROOPS AND CIVILIANS

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., July 6 .- General Function today appealed to the citizens of San Antonio to aid in preventing trouble between the Illinois negro militia regiment here and civilians. He said he had no fear from the beffer element, but that "roughnecks" and rowdies might try to start something with the negro troops. The officers of the negro guardsmen have been instructed regarding Texas laws applying to blacks,

AQUEDUCT RACING RESULTS

First race, 3-year-olds and up, handicap, 6 furlongs-Thunderer, 116, Keogh 7 to 10 and out, won Hanson, 102, Schuttinger, 7 to 1, 9 to 5 and 3 to 5, accoud; Dr. Larrick, 107, Garner, 16 to 5, 4 to 5 and 1 to 4, third. Time, 1.15.

U. S. WAR BONDS IN SMALL FIGURES PLANNED

WASHINGTON, July 6 .- An entirely new issue of war bonds will be authorized by Congress. The Panama Canal bonds, now authorized, are not to be used to raise money to pay the expenses of any military operations, according to present indications at the Treasury Department. The Panama bonds run for 50 years, and the Administration is opposed to saddling the Government with the burden of 50 years' interest charges. Special war bonds of small denominations running from one to five years probably will be the medium selected, it was stated at the Treasury today.

CITY HAS BALANCE OF \$8,187,586.97

The amount paid into the City Treasury during the week ending last night was \$3,921,348.88 and the payments amounted to \$1,113,470.29. This, with the balance on hand from the previous week, not including the Sinking Fund account, leaves a balance on hand of \$8,187,586.97 deposited in various banks and trust companies.

AMERICANS WIN DOMINICAN BATTLE JULY 1; LOSE ONE

WASHINGTON, July 6.-Rear Admiral Caperton, commander of American marines in Santo Domingo, today reported to the Navy Department that a battle was fought between marines and revolutionists on July 1 in which one American was killed, one seriously wounded and several slightly wounded. Twenty-seven natives were killed, five captured and an unknown number wounded. The American killed was Corporal George France. The marines were advancing toward Santiago. Santo Oomingo, under Colonel Joseph H. Pendleton, when they encountered about 250 rebels strongly intreached at Guaycanes. The rebel outposts started firing, the American being killed at once. The natives were soon routed, carrying their wounded with them.

1600 SINN FEINERS INTERNED

LONDON, July 6 .- Of the 3000 persons arrested in Dublin during the Sinn Fein uprising 1200 have been released and the others have been placed in an internment camp, it was announced in Commons today by Home Secretary Herbert Samuel.

86 KILLED IN SULPHUR MINE IN SICILY BY EARTHQUAKE ROME, July 6.-Eighty-six persons were killed, 26 were injured and 100 were entombed by the collapse of three sulphur mines in Palpanessetta during an earth-

AMERICAN SURGEON ORDERED OUT OF TAMPICO

WASHINGTON, July 6 .- Acting Assistant Surgeon Oscar J. Maher, of the United States Public Health Service, today reported from Aransas Pass, Tex., where he has arrived, that the Mexican authorities ordered him to leave his post at Tampico. Maher arrived yesterday with about 80 other Americaen refugees. The coast guard cutter Comanche has been ordered to give a number of refugees free passage to Galveston, as they are destitute.

WAR CLOUDS HOVER OVER SOUTH AMERICA

BUENOS AIRES, July 6.-Venezuela and Peru have secretly concluded a poten tally warlike alliance against Colombia and Ecuador, according to a report, which though unconfirmed, has reached Buenos Aires from usually reliable sources. Vene zuela wants a strip of eastern Colombia 30 miles wide. Peru wants the portion of Ecuador forming a triangle on the east and the portion of Colombia forming a triangle on the south. In case of war, it is reported, Peru engages to invade Ecuador on the south, while Venezuelan troops attack Colombia on her eastern frontier. Washington has been advised of the situation and certain negotiations are reported

BUSINESS CONDITIONS MUCH IMPROVED AT TAMPICO

WASHINGTON, July 6 .- The local branch of the Mexican Petroleum Company today advised the State Department that conditions at Tampico as they affect the oil interest were much improved. The authorities there have offered guarantees to the company and their shipments are going forward without interruption.

REFUGEES FROM MEXICAN WEST COAST SAIL FOR U. S.

WASHINGTON, July 6 .- Rear Admiral Winslow, commander of the Pacific fleet, today reported to the Navy Department that all Americans wishing to leave Mexico from the west coast, except a few at Guadalajara, had been started for the United States. The Guadalajara refugees were "expected to arrive at Manzanillo high rank with to avoid yesterday." Admiral Winslow said: anything that might precipitate hostilities."

CASEMENT APPEAL TO BE HEARD JULY 17

LONDON, July 6,-The hearing on Roger Casement's appeal was today set for July 17. Five Judges will hear the arguments to be presented by his counse why sentence of death imposed on him should not be executed.

WOMAN AIDS IN \$2400 BANK ROBBERY

ST. MARYS, Kan., July 6.-Four persons were shot, one probably fatally, by robbers who camped after having stolen \$3400 from St. Marys State Sank here. The pobbers came to the town in an automobile driven by a woman, witnesses said, who guarded the street leading to the bank while her three companions wrecked the safe. Carrigan, detective, were sum- The robbers fired shots up and down the street as they fied. Mrs. James Howard and her son. Cay Howard, were wounded while standing in the doorway of their hands and weeping and crying out that home noar the bank. R. J. Best, city marshal, was shot through the lungs and is

GERMAN RIGA LINES PIERCED BY SLAV ARMY

Lemberg Railroad Cut by Russian Left Wing

AUSTRIANS ROUTED ALONG THE DNIESTER

Desperate Battle Still in Progress in the Region of Baranovichi

COUNTER-ATTACKS VAIN

Another Town on Delatyn-Korosmezo Railway Occupied by the Czar's Forces

The Russian right wing, on which rests the defense of the northernmost sector of the front north of the Pripet, has attacked the German lines in the Riga zone, according to an official announcement made today at Petrograd, and has pierced the first-line trenches of Field Marshal von Hindenburg. Probably the attack was made after the Russian staff noticed that troops were withdrawn from that sector to be sent to France, and in order to prevent further shifting of German units to the western war theatre.

Petrograd announces that the Russian forces operating in southern Galicia have cut the railroad between Delatyn and Korosmczo, "the principal" line of communication for the Austro-German forces defending Lemberg."

Delatyn is on the Pruth River, about 20 miles west of Kolomea; Korosmezo is in the Carpathians, near the Tartaren or Magyar Door Pass. Delatyn itself is about 100 miles southwest of Lemberg, too far from the Galician capital to endanger seriously its defense. Morcover, the railway between Delatyn and Korosmezo is not the only one or the main one linking Lemberg with Hungary or the rest of Austria. The city can freely communicate with the rest of the empire north and west of the Duiester through at least three more railroads, two of which lead into

Hungary across the Carpathians. However, the Delatyn - Korosmezo Railroad was the only direct communication left to the Lemberg forces to keep in touch with the remnants of von Fflanzer's army, whi probably have retreated across the southern ridge of the Carpathians into Transylvania. It is likely that the Petrograd official statement intended to refer to Pflanzer's army when it announced that "the main line of communication for the forces defending

Lemberg" was cut. Certainly the Russian success is very important, as it clears the Carpathians west of Kolomea of the Austrian forces and compels them to seek another route. some 40 miles to the north, to communicate with the centre of the Teuton

RUSSIANS POUND TEUTONS' LINES NEAR RIGA; ADVANCE

FURTHER TOWARD HUNGARY PETROGRAD, July 6.-Important sucesses for the Russians all along the front were reported today by the War Office.

Russian soldiers opposing the army group f Field Marshal von Hindenburg have broken through the first line positions of the German, in the Riga sector. In the region of Baranovicht the great

battle between the Russians and the Germans under Prince Leopold of Bavaria continues with many prisoners falling into the hands of the Russians. In Galicia Mikuliczyn has been captured,

and on the right bank of the Dniester Austro-German forces opposing the Russians have been put to flight.

Following is the text of the official reports

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It's just about this time that the straw hat which we placed great dependence upon begins to show its real disposition. Its complexion of innocence is departing and it seems to take great delight in letting the people know that it dates away back from

people know that it dates away back from early May.

For an excuse it will tell you that it withs atood the rains of June and the dust and sun of other weary days. To make matters worse, even the black band which encircles its candid face is fading in sympathy.

And beckening to you from the windows are platoons of other sportly straws. They, too, hold out great promises but, like the traiter you are about to discard, will turn on you before the bell of autumn rings, lest you take great cars. But you should be thankful. Think of what it would be if you were turtured by a clinging black Derby in these ideal days.

FORECAST For Philadelphia and vicinity—Fair tonight and Friday; slightly wormer Friday; gentle, shifting winds.

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