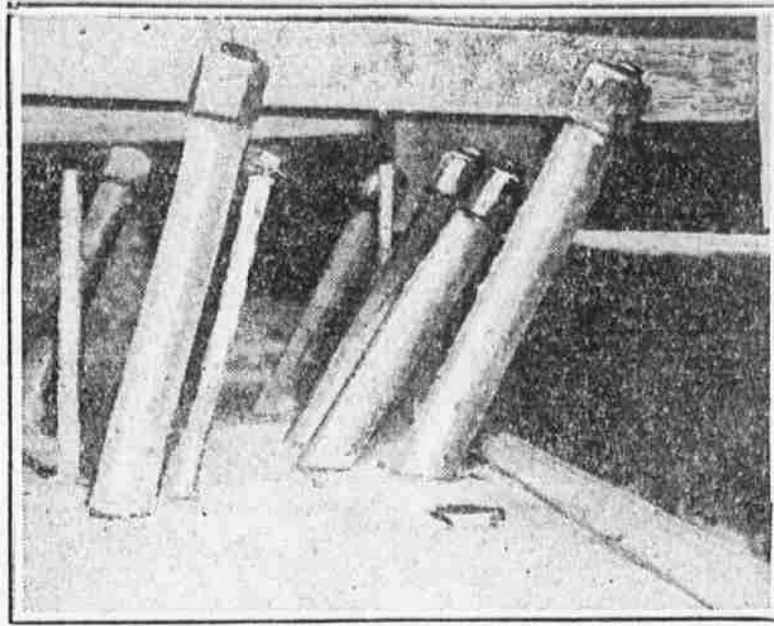
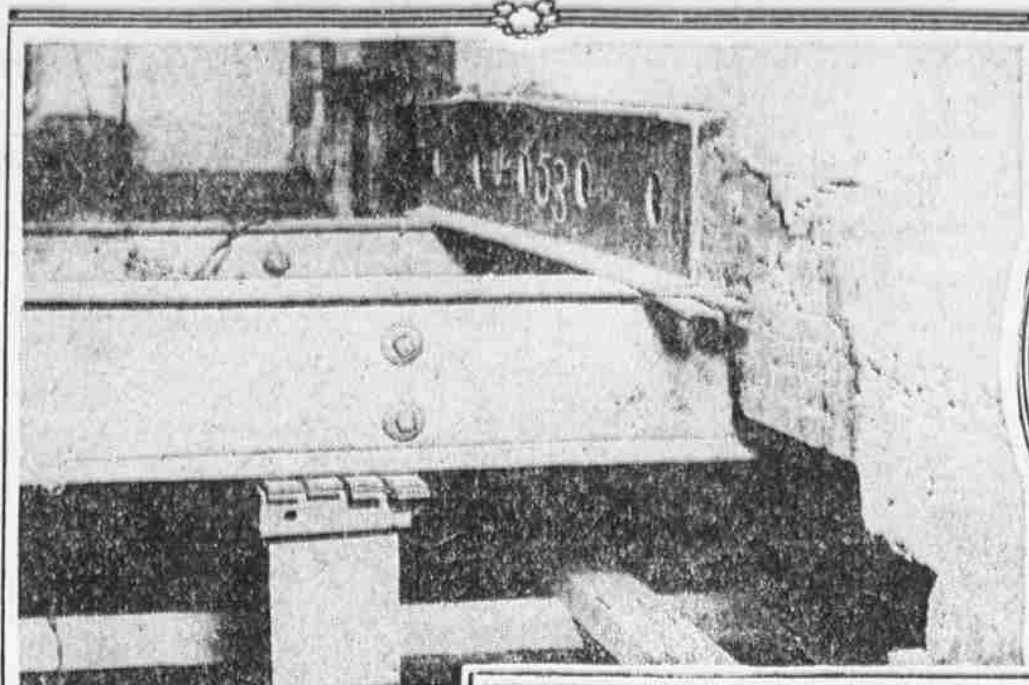


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GIANT AIR DRILLS WILL BORE THROUGH SOLID WALLS OF CITY HALL IN SECOND STAGE OF TUNNELING FOR SUBWAY



The upper picture at left shows steel girders bracing new walls. Opposite brick reinforcement is being laid. Below are pipes through which concrete is being forced to fill up cracks in flooring.

level under the centre of the city, two pits, each 60 feet deep, have been sunk, one at the north side and the other at the south side of the building. The water, flowing to the lowest level, seeps into these pits and is pumped out with large hydraulic pumps, which are kept working night and day.

There are three distinct steps in rebuilding each six-foot section. The wall is first pierced at the basement-floor level by two 15-inch steel girders and the dirt is removed from both sides of the wall to the depth to which it will be torn away. Two other girders are then forced through the wall at the base of the excavations and these are bedded in concrete.

Temporary steel girders are then laid in opposite directions just under the upper set of girders. Four 100-ton jacks, one at each end of the two girders, then lift the weight of this section of the wall, and massive wooden props are driven in, with one end on the steel and concrete base and the other supporting the ends of the upper set of girders. With the removal of the jacks

the weight is shifted to the steel and concrete base.

The second step in the removal of the old wall in this section. In the case of a normal wall-built with this work would require an entire day, but with the crumbling walls which have been found under City Hall this particular part of the work proves the easiest of the whole undertaking. Yesterday one whole section of wall, six feet wide, two and one-half feet thick and 11 feet high, was torn down in 10 minutes.

The third step is the rebuilding of the new wall. This is simply a matter of masonry construction, differing in no way from the building of an ordinary wall except that it is thicker and stronger. With the new section built, the cement between the bricks is allowed time to dry and the wooden props are then removed, allowing the weight of the wall and building to rest upon the new foundation.

More than 200 men are now being employed on the work by the New York Underpinning Company, which is working jointly with the Keystone State Construction Company.

AMERICA WAS INTENDED TO BE A SPIRIT AMONG NATIONS, SAYS WILSON

Should Be Finest Example of Ideals That Promote Standards, He Tells Citizenship Convention

PRAISE FOR NEWCOMERS

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Speaking before the citizenship convention today, President Wilson declared America was intended to be "a spirit among nations of the world."

"You should find the best way to introduce to newcomers this spirit," said the President. "It isn't fair to the multitudes of men and women of other countries that we should receive them without that friendly help which will enable them to find out what America is like and what she stands for."

"These people should be educated in the same school that all of us are educated in—that furnished by the life of the community to which we belong."

"I don't doubt that many a simple soul has been stirred by the Statue of Liberty, which represents the ideals of men. Thinking on this has caused me to turn on myself the light of investigation to see if there burned there the true fire of America, as those coming expect to find."

"I've never been among those who felt comfort in the superiority of America over other countries. The way to dispel that is to travel in other countries and find out how much of nobility and good there is among the people of those countries."

"America should be the finest example—not the only example—of the things which go to promote the standards of the world."

"If we are genuine Americans those coming over here cannot avoid an infection. We must illustrate the ideals of justice and of liberty."

"When you ask a man to become loyal to this Government when he comes to America, he thinks he must be loyal to a few people. But that is not our ideal. We want him to be loyal to our objects and ideals."

PENNSYLVANIAN TO BE CONSUL AT STUTTGART

George H. Ifft, Butler City, Succeeds Edward Higgins, Accused by Germans as Un-neutral

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Plans were officially written on the German protests against alleged unneutral acts of Edward Higgins, of Boston, United States Consul at Stuttgart, today when Higgins was ordered to leave the post. Higgins will be replaced by George H. Ifft of Butler City, Pa.

- Other transfers announced are:
- Benjamin F. Chase, Clearfield, Pa., from Fiume to San Jose, C. R.
 - Cornelius Ferris, Hillsdale, Mich., Bluefields to Mannheim, Germany.
 - Paul H. Foster, Galveston, Tex., Juarez de la Frontera to Bilbao, Spain.
 - Robert Francis, Jr., Philadelphia, Bahia to Kobe, Japan.
 - Joseph E. Hazen, Chicago, Catania to Turin, Italy.
 - Charles L. Hoover, Okaloosa, Ia., Prague to San Paulo, Brazil.
 - Samuel L. Lee, Ann Arbor, Mich., San Jose to Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil.
 - Lester Maynard, San Francisco, Amoy to Chefoo, China.
 - William J. Pike, Scranton, Pa., State Department, Madrid, Spain.
 - Henry P. Stewart, Boston, Fort William to Mombasa, East Africa.
 - William C. Teichmann, St. Louis, Mannheim to Bluefields, Nicaragua.

DROWNING YOUTH SEIZES COUSIN, WHO ESCAPES GRASP

Lad Goes to Relative's Aid and Nearly Dies, Too

TRENTON, July 13.—Two youths barely able to swim went in bathing last night in a culvert, 30 feet deep, just off the Delaware River, at Broad street park, just below this city.

Nicholas Labor, 19, of this city, was drowned. John Dell, 17, his cousin, was rescued.

Labor went out too far and when he found he was over his depth he tried to his cousin, and the latter went out to him. Labor grabbed hold of the younger boy and held on so tight that he kept him from swimming. Labor sank as Dell was rescued.

MEXICANS TO TALK PEACE HERE

American Union Against Militarism Luncheon Host Next Week

A meeting of the American Union Against Militarism will be held in this city either Wednesday or Thursday of next week to talk over peace prospects in Mexico. Three prominent Mexicans have been invited to speak at a luncheon. They are Luis M. Rojas, director of the National Library in Mexico City; Modesto C. Rolland, an engineer of Yucatan and New York, and Doctor Alt, editor of Accion Mundial, a magazine published in Mexico City.

Electrician Killed by 2300 Volts

WATERBURY, July 13.—John Frazier, aged 25, an electrician, was killed late today at Alexandria Bay by an electric shock, 2300 volts passing through his body.

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BRITAIN'S ACTION LEGAL IN NEW BLOCKADE RULE, LORD CECIL CONTENDS

Defends Rescinding of Declaration of London Regarding Privileges of Neutral Nations

ANSWERS DR. HOLLWEG

LONDON, July 13.—Great Britain acted on strictly legal principles when she abandoned the Declaration of London as a code regulating blockades and rights of neutrals and belligerents at sea, Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of Blockade, said in an exclusive interview today. The British Minister answered several assertions made by the German Chancellor in a recent statement regarding the Declaration of London.

"Apparently the Chancellor regards the Declaration of London as a charter of freedom of the seas," said Lord Robert. "What are the true facts?" The Declaration of London was merely a code endeavoring to reconcile certain contradictory theories of international law. It specifically permitted the destruction of neutral prizes. It did not repeal the well established rights of belligerents against enemy commerce.

"It is strange the Germans should put forward their present contention in view of the action of their commerce-destroying cruisers such as the Emden, Gatterbe and Eitel Friedrich, which during the early months of the war sank many allied and neutral vessels in places far removed from the port of any belligerent."

"It was in this respect very different from the treaty guaranteeing the neutrality of Belgium, which was absolutely binding upon the signatories, but which Germany callously violated the moment war broke out, following this act by waging a land and sea warfare with methods both contrary to international law and repugnant to the ideas of civilization and humanity. I need not remind you of the amount of neutral shipping and the number of neutral lives destroyed by German submarines."

"Some delays and inconvenience undoubtedly have been caused neutral traders, but that is the inevitable accompaniment of a state of war and everything possible will be done to reduce them to a minimum. Surely the record of Great Britain will compare favorably with that of Germany, who has not scrupled to sink neutral vessels at right angles and destroy neutral innocent lives on too many occasions."

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1000 CHILDREN HAVE PICNIC

"Angel of Kensington" Gives Eighth Annual Outing to Kensington Youngsters in Fairmount Park

The eighth annual picnic for 1000 children, given by Mrs. M. W. Ketchum, "the angel of Kensington," is being held today at the Smith Memorial Playground in Fairmount Park, at 33d street and Columbia avenue.

The children met at 9 o'clock this morning in front of Mrs. Ketchum's residence, Franklin and 33d streets, and went to the playground in trolley cars. A large number of youngsters appeared without having eaten breakfast, and Mrs. Ketchum served them cinnamon rolls and coffee before they started out.

Athletic games were played this morning until noon, when luncheon was served. At 2 o'clock there was a picnic scramble. At 4 o'clock ice cream and cake are to be served. The return trip will be made at 6 o'clock.

PARADISE BUS AT WORK

Country Week Association Begins Vacation Work

The Paradise motorbus is on its regular summer job again, carrying to points far beyond the heart of the city the children who are the guests of the Children's Country Week Association. The first trip of this season was made to Boothwyn, with 40 girl passengers, who will spend a week's vacation provided for them by the association.

The bus was given to the association by Charles W. Kolb, whose death occurred several weeks ago. The bus will make daily trips into the country with the young guests of the association and their mothers. Today's destination is Bellevue, the camp of the association near West Chester, and 50 mothers and children left here in the bus this morning.

SLAVS TO MAKE DESPERATE DASH FOR KOVEL BASE

Teutons Bring Heavy Reinforcements to Check Gen. Brusiloff's Drive

2700 SLAVS CAPTURED

LONDON, July 13.—The situation on the eastern front has shown little change since Tuesday. The battle continues along the Stokhod River with the same determination to win animating the opposing forces. The Germans are reported to be bringing up all possible reinforcements and guns in an endeavor to advance along two railway lines.

Russian detachments failed in an attempt to establish themselves on the left bank of the river near Janowka. German forces were driven back over the stream after crossing it near Grouchivka.

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Comparative quiet prevails along the rest of the eastern front. The Russian request for a short armistice in order to bury the dead at Baranovichi was granted, and heavy fighting has not yet been resumed.

A dispatch from Berlin tells of the astonishing use of Russian cavalry on the front south of the Pinsk swamps. Masses of horsemen have been used against the dead and unbroken infantry under conditions which would make these tactics appear the height of madness.

An explanation of this has been received in Berlin, showing that there is a certain amount of method in this madness and that the Russians have devised new tactics, which are employed, not to press home an assault, but to advance a line of skirmishers rapidly across the danger zone before the actual charge is started.

The role of the cavalry is played when the infantry lines reach a point some 200 yards from the Austro-German trenches. A swarm of cavalry in widely extended lines then flung forward through the intervals of the infantry lines. The horsemen dart forward at headlong speed. Soon they fling themselves to the ground and open a rapid fire against the enemy.

The Cosack horses are trained to participate in this maneuver and lie down at the word of command and form a diving breastwork for the riders. Under cover of the heavy fire from the dismounted horsemen, the infantry lines advance across the intervening country.

The Cosacks are being largely used in attempts to force slightly guarded river crossings, though the Russian pioneers have devised a new scheme for the crossing of the infantry where more resistance is looked for. Long slender rafts are moored along the banks of the narrow rivers with which this swamp country is intersected, concealed by overhanging bushes. At the

Twenty-five Hours of Steady Grinding Needed to Cut Through Masonry at Foundations. Inside Supports Are Ready

A new stage in the Broad street subway work under City Hall was reached today, when two giant compressed air drills were set to work boring through the solid masonry foundation walls of the big building. The experts working the drills estimate that it will require about 25 hours of steady boring to pierce the first holes through the six-foot wall.

The rebuilding of the foundation walls of the City Hall has been under way for more than two months, but until today all the work had been done on the smaller inside foundations supporting the basement partitions and vaults. Nearly one-third of these smaller foundations have now been replaced with the solid brick walls down to a depth point which will be the roof of the Broad street tube, and today the first step was taken to begin the more difficult work of rebuilding the outside foundations.

The first holes are being bored through the foundation under the western side of the courtyard just north of the archway leading through to Market street. From here the work will be carried along the foundation wall in both directions, and similar borings will be begun in a few days under the wall at the northwest corner of the building.

Including both the outside and the inside foundations, nearly a mile of new wall, averaging 11 feet in depth, will have been built when the work is completed. The entire work is being done in six-foot sections, irrespective of the thickness of the wall being replaced. In some places the crumbling foundation walls are 12 feet thick, in other places they are no more than 3 feet.

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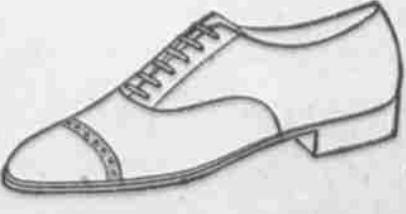
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