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TEUTON ALLIES PLAN GREAT BALKAN DRIVE; FRENCH GUNS CONTROL ROADS TO PERONNE

Big Offensive Decided Upon by Central Empires Against Rumania and on Macedonian Front. Rome Asserts

LONDON, Sept. 14 .- Revolutionary movements have broken out in the Creek Islands of Chios, Mytilene and Samos and are extending to other Greek ions in the Aegean Sea. Dispatches from Salonica today reported the arrival of Greek officers from those islands disguised as sailors, stokers and chauffeurs. Some of these officers have volunteered for service with the allied ferces in Macedonia.

A great offensive designed to punish Rumania and drive the allied forces the Salonica front will soon be undertaken by the Central Empires. This offensive was decided upon at the war council held yesterday by repreentatives of the Teuton allies and presided over by the Kaiser. Troops are bready on the way from Belgium to the east front to reinforce the German-Bulgar-Turkish army.

While the plans for the big drive are under way French and Serbian forces are continuing their attacks on the Struma and Vardar fronts. Paris and Salonica report gains for the Franco-Serbians, and these reports are denied by Sofia and Berlin. A great battle is now raging in the Dobrudja district between Russo-Rumanian and German-Bulgar forces, according to Petrograd. Heavy German reinforcements have joined the Austrians in Transylvania, but Bucharest continues to report progress in that theater.

On the Somme front the French troops have now gained control of all the highways to Peronne. The town is almost entirely isolated from the rest of the German line, and its fall is believed near. The British have extended their ground in the neighborhood of Ginchy, thus bringing their lines closer to the new positions of the French. The fall of Peronne would force the abandonment by the Germans of the entire Noyon salient.

GOES INSANE AND ENDS LIFE

Lancaster County Official Threatens

Family and Commits Suicide

room by placing a gas hose in his mouth.

insane and driven his wife and child from

FOOD VENDERS FINED

FOR EXPOSING WARES

Fifty Street Dealers Netted in

Extensive Raid on South

Fourth Street

Fifty street merchants, venders of fruit;

cakes, meat and other foodstuffs, were ar-

rested today in a raid along Fourth street

between South and Catharine, conducted

by physicians and sanitary inspectors.

When the prosecutors arrived in the neigh-borhood, notorious for violations of the san-

flary laws, they found but one policeman

and, unwilling to await the arrival of more

from the station house, raided the accused

It was one of the largest wholesale ar-

rests ever made in this city in so short a

time and the majority of the defendants

were forced to pay a fine of \$10 and \$2.50

in costs. They were taken before Magis-trate Baker, in his office at Fifth and Tas-

ker streets, protesting their innocence in

A few men with stands on the pavements

were arrested, but the majority of the prisoners were pushcart venders, whose

wagons stand in the atreet. As each of the latter was select he was forced to stand

a dozen different tongues.

CENTRAL EMPIRES DECIDE TO INITIATE GREAT DRIVE IN BALKANS, ROME SAYS

LONDON, Sept. 14.—Emperor William and representatives of Germany's allies in conference at German military headquarters have decided to initiate a great offensive in the Balkans, according to a Rome dispatch to the wireless press. This states that Germany will send 200,000 men and Austria will contribute 100,000 to co-operate with the Bulgarians and Turks. be Bulgarians and Turks.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 14.-Large numbers German troops stationed in Belgium are og transferred to the eastern front. All menger service on the German railroads been held up for two days to facilitate

sestern movement.

German troops stationed in Belgium reserves consisting of men higherto reled as too old for continued active los. That they should be sent to the ern theater indicates a possible Teuton sive in the Balkans.

PRENCH AND SERBS PUSH GAIN ON SALONICA FRONT. PARIS WAR OFFICE SAYS

PARIS, Sept. 14. PARIS, Sept. 14.

Continuing their joint offensive on the allies left wing, the Serbian and French troops have won further successes over the Edgarians, according to an official report to the Salonica operations issued by the War Office today.

The Serbians, it states, maintain their treeress west of the Vardar. They have

ess west of the Vardar. They have red a height west of Hill 1500. The ag in this district is still in progress.

SALONICA, Sept. 14. Bulgarian troops have made prisoners of the entire Fifth Division of the Greek army at Kavais, it was announced here to-day. The Bulgars also took possession of all Greek military supplies, in the town and the forts nearby.

RUMANIANS AND FOES ENGAGED IN BATTLE ON DANUBE, RUSSIANS REPORT

PETROGRAD, Sept. 14.

Rumanian troops are engaged in battle on the Danube with German and Bulgarian forces, the Russian War Office andounced today. The fighting is in progress in the region of Silistria and thus far has favored the Rumanians, who captured eight light guns.

The War Office report follows:

On the western front of the Russian armies the situation is unchanged.

In the Caucasus as a result of engagements in the region of Hamadan we captured a herd of cattle and camelia. PETROGRAD, Sept. 14.

On the Balkan front in the region of Bilistria fighting is proceeding on the Danube. The Rumanians repelled the attacks of the Germans and Bulgarians a and captured eight light guns.

ALLIED OFFENSIVE HALTED IN MACEDONIA, BULGARIAN DISPATCHES ASSERT

BERLIN, Sept. 14.
The new allied offensive in Macedonia been completely halted, according to in dispatches today, arge British forces that attempted to rance in 'he region of Seres were relead, suffering heavy losses. The British re forced to reitnquish temporarily octed positions and are now in retrast. Icpeated attacks by French and Italian tops have been easily repulsed. The tos on the Bulgarian right wing, after lew temporary successes, have been shad back to their former positions, be-

THE WEATHER

FORECAST

For Philadelphia and vicinity-Unelled tonight and Friday, with prob-bly some light rain; somewhat cooler riday; gentle variable winds.

LENGTH OF DAY

5:30 a.m. Micon rises... 7:20 p.m.

aia 6:12 p.m. Micon scuths: 1:16 a.m. DELAWARE RIVER TOP CHANGES
CHESTNUT STREET

Water 2075 a.m High water 227 p.m.
water 10715 a.m How water 10715 p.m.

TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR 9 10 11 12 11 2 31 4 6 78 80 81 80 86 84 84

LOST AND FOUND

MOB OILS RAILS: EIGHT HURT AS TROLLEYS CRASH

One May Die as Result of Consignment Worth \$32,600 Accidents in New York Strike

Elevated Cars Bombarded With Stones and Bottles From Housetops

NEW YORK, Sept. 14 -Eight persons were hurt, one seriously, in a series of colthe Bronx today, when strike sympathizers greased the rails of the surface car line.

Grease made the motormen unable to stop their cars on the grade at this point. Traffic was tied up more than an hour. Crowds jeered the crews until dispersed by the police.

Rioting along the elevated and surface lines affected by the traction strike continued today. During the early hours no serious violence occurred, but there were enough disturbances throughout the strike zone to keep the police on the jump.

As usual, the favorite method of attack was hurling missiles from roofs at elevated trains and dragging motormen and conductors from surface cars.

A Ninth avenue train was bombarded with bricks and bottles as it sped past 127th street. A brick crashed through a car window, but nobody was injured.

From the roof of a tenement at Sixth avenue and Fiftieth street a fusillade of stones and bottles showered upon a train, smaahing several windows. Another train was bombarded at Ninth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, but no one was hurt and no arresta were made.

LINES CLAIM VICTORY Reiterating their declaration that the

strike on the elevated and subway lines had LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 14 .- J. Henry been broken and the struggle on the sur-Sherts, forty-five years old, a courthouse official, committed suicide today in his bed-During the night he had become violently making their threat good.

the house, threatening their lives and his surface barns, they sent out the cars at own. When they returned the body was

SMALL SAMARITANS RAISE FUND FOR PARALYSIS VICTIMS

These little girls were so affected by stories they heard of the sufferings of poliomyelitis victims they organized themselves into a band. Then they made up and sold small articles, which brought them a total of \$19, all in nickels, pennies and dimes. This sum they sent to Emergency Aid headquarters to be used in making things easier for paralysis convalescents. Left to right, they are Francis Sarvinsky, Jennie Cutler, Anna Schlossberg, Clara Berstein, Lillie Lashinsky, Bella Hershovitz and Rebecca Weirs.

AS PREACHERS TRY TO

Enthusiastic and Clad in Over-

alls, Ministers Run Afoul

Union Rules Preparing for

Lyon Campaign

DISPUTE SOON SETTLED

Twenty-five carpenters at work on

tabernacle in Camden, where the Rev. Mil

ton Lyon, evangelist, will conduct services

next month, went on strike today because

a committee of ministers insisted upon help

ing them in the construction of the building

The walkout was of short duration, how

ever, as the ministers, called "scabs" by the

carpenters, after a five minutes' conference

agreed to surrender to the workmen and to abandon their intentions of working on the

structure. When the ministers left the lot

HELP ON TABERNACLE

CAMDEN LABOR QUITS

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PROOF OF DOPE **SMUGGLING FOUND** BY REVENUE MAN

Shipped From Here to Canada and Returned

MANY TRAINS ATTACKED SYNDICATE'S HAND SEEN

Bottles Bearing Labels of Philadelphia Drug Firm Peddled in Tenderloin

Evidence of the smuggling back into Philadelphia of a portion of a consignment lisions at Westchester and Brook avenue in of narcotic drugs valued at \$32,600 has been discovered by Colonel William Gray Beach, general deputy internal revenue collector, in checking up the Government order blanks of one of the largest wholesale drug firms of this city.

The Government order blanks show that within the last few weeks this Philadelphia house has shipped to Canada 2500 ounces of heroin and 2300 ounces of morphine at the wholesale price of \$7 per ounce. That would make a total of \$32,600 received for the "dope" by the Philadelphia firm.

Evidence that a portion of the consignment was smuggled back to Philadelphia over the Canadian border by agents of the 'dope" syndica's was furnished when agents under Colonel Leach discovered several botles of the consignment in circulation in the Tenderloin. These bottles of "dope" bore the labels of the Philadelphia firm. The "dope" was being retailed by peddlers in the Tenderioin at \$48 per cunce.

The Philadelphia firm, according to the Internal Revenue Department of this city. acted within the law in making the shipment to Canada. The order blanks were filled in properly and met the legal requirements in every way.

Acting under orders from United States District Attorney Francis Fisher Kane, R. H. Oyler, special agent of the Internal Revenue Department at Washington, returned to this city yesterday to take charge face lines would terminate in twenty-four hours in a complete defeat of the union, traction officials early in the day set about making their threat good.

The discrept struction in Philadelphia. Mr. Oyler is considered one of the most capable men in the department. He has just completed a two months' investigation of the narcotic drug situation in New Or-Assembling 1400 loyal employes at the brake up a ring of "dope" smugglers who urface barns, they sent out the cars at were smuggling 20,000 grains of heroin into frequent intervals, all under police guard, of a druggist who had sold 4049 ounces of

AMERICANS IMPERILED

IN RIOTS AT KAVALA

ATHENS, Sept. 14.

United States Citizens in

Grave Danger

Americans are in grave danger at the

Greek port of Kavala, now occupied by Bul-

garian troops, as a result of serious riots

that have broken out in the city. Bul-

garians and Turks are massacring the in-

ments have been pillaged. A heavy guard

has been placed about buildings owned by

American tobacco interests and connecting

stores valued at several million dollars. It

is impossible to ascertain whether any Americans are included among the dead and wounded.

SALONICA, Sept. 14.—British and Rus-dan warships today bombarded the heights and Greek forts at Kavala occupied by the

Bulgarians.
Unofficial reports state a mazascre is in progress in the town itself. Turks and Bulgarians massacring the inhabitants.

Samuel Untermyer Operated On

Samuel Untermyer Operated On YONKERS, N. T., Sept. 14. Samuel Intermyer was operated on yesterday for stoatinal trouble following a sudden arious attack, it was tearned today. The poration was performed by Doctor Endman, a New York specialist. It was an ounced at Untermyer's home today that be trey weak, but in no danger unless con-

QUICK NEWS

ST. LOUIS 1000 PHILLIES..... 0 1 1 0

Watson and Gonzales; Mayer and Killefer.

ATHLETICS ..! 0000 CLEVELAND ..

'Nabors and Pitinich; Gould and Deberry.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PITTSBURGH O O BROOKLYN O O O

TODAY'S RACING RESULTS

First Montreal race, maiden two-year-olds foaled in Canada, purse \$500, 5 1-2 furlongs-Tea Cup, 112, Pickens, \$4.80, \$2.60. \$2.60, won; Bavarde, 112, Robinson, \$2.60, \$2.60, second; Wishaway, 100, McAtee, \$4.00, third. Time, 1.09 1-5.

Second Montreal race, purse \$500, claiming, two-year-olds, 6 furlongs-Rhymer, 108, Robinson, \$6.20, \$3.60, \$3.00, won; Gratitude, 95, Luke, \$22.50, \$9.50, second; Great Dolly, 109, Parrington, \$3.60, third. Time, 1.13 3-5.

First Havre de Grace race, three-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs-Little Dipper, 102, J. McTaggart, \$26.20, \$9.90, \$4.40, won; Shoddy, 112, Schuttinger, \$3.30, \$2.90, second; Palanquin, 112, Troxler, \$3.10, third. Time, 1.13 4-5.

BUSINESS BOOMS IN WALL STREET NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Wall street experienced the greatest day's trading today since the McKinley boom times of 1838 to 1901. The demand for stocks was so large that brokers failed to execute many orders at stipulated prices. The million-share mark in trading was passed at midday. Many new high records were established.

ALFONSO HALTS WAR REPRISALS ON PRISONERS

MADRID, Sept. 14.—Announcement was made today that King Alfonso, after long negotiations, had succeeded in effecting an agreement among the belligerent. nations to suspend reprisals upon prisoners of war.

RUSSIANS LET TURK SICK FREEZE, SAYS WOMAN

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—Two carloads of Turkish prisoners suffering from typhoid were left last winter by the Russians to freeze to death, according to the Polish newspaper Kray, says the Overseas News Agency. The newspaper quotes Mrs. Mary Bentkowska as authority for the story. The Turks were left in the cars in an open camp near Samana for two weeks. When the Turks were all frozen

CITY'S TREASURY BALANCE IS \$16,074,457.18 The weekly statement of City Treasurer William McCoach shows that the re-

ceipts amounted to \$177,004.47 and the payments to \$684,408.27, which, with the sum on hand last week, not including the sinking fund account, left a balance of \$16,-974,457.18 at the close of business last night.

U. S. NOT YET SATISFIED WITH RUSSO-JAPAN TREATY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.-The State Department this afternoon announced that in response to America's demand for an explanation of the Russo-Japanese secret treaty recently entered into both those Governments have assured the United States that the "open-door" policy in the Far East has not been infringed upon. It is admitted, however, that further information concerning the treaty will be sought before this Government is satisfied.

FEDERAL INVESTIGATION OF MILK INDUSTRY STARTED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The first public hearing in the Department of Agriculture's nation-wide investigation into the milk industry began here today when Maryland and Virginia dairymen told the investigation committee that dairying conditions were ruinous.

AMERICAN MERCHANTS CONFER ON TRADE EXPANSION

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.-Plans for the organization of a conference of American merchants and manufacturers to conduct the United States campaign in the war for the world's trade, which will follow the European war, are under consideration by officials of the Department of Commerce.

HINDENBURG GIVES KAISER A "CALL-DOWN" ROME, Sept. 14.—The Agenzia Liberia states that Field Marshal von Hinden-

burg has curbed Emperor William's habit of giving military commands by advising him to confine his activities to visiting the wounded and delivering speeches.

SALE OF LOUVRE MASTERPIECES TO U. S. PROPOSED

PARIS, Sept. 14.—America bids fair to become the home of many of the masterpieces now hanging in the Louvre and Luxembourg museums. The sale of these gems in the world of art has been proposed by Urbain Gohier, prominent French publicist, to restore France's trade balance with America.

CARRANZA ASKED TO SPARE AMERICAN DOOMED TO DIE

MEXICO CITY, Mex., Sept. 14.-The American State Department has asked that the death sentence imposed upon Harold E. Elton be commuted to twenty years' imprisonment. Elton, an American mining engineer, was tried in Oaxaca on a charge of aiding the reactionaries. A month ago, at the request of the Bulgars Massacre Inhabitants. United States, General Carranza postponed the execution.

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Daily Average for April, 117,310 Daily Average for May, 122,011 Daily Average for June, 125,808 Daily Average for July, 121,009 Daily Average for August, 117,856

SEVENTY AFTER POLITICAL ALLY OF 'HIGHER-UPS'

Intimated Minor Leader Is Vare Adherent of Director Wilson's Ward

SENATOR MAKES THREATS

Funds Needed to Prevent Wholesale Poll Frauds

THE Committee of Seventy needs \$7500 to carry on the work of exposing fraud in registration.

In an appeal for funds the committee expresses the hope of receiv-

ing hearty co-operation.

It is pointed out that prosecutions have been brought against fifteen defendants for violations of the

It is announced that warrants will soon be issued for many of the offenders.

Additional arrests in the Committee of Seventy's city-wide crusade against false registration loomed up as certaintles today, when detectives were sent out with a warrant for a politician whose arrest, it was said, would lead to the arrest of men higher up.

Intimations that the man in question was a Vare follower in the Twenty-sixth Ward, the stronghold of Director of Public Safety Wilson, brought forth a warning from Senator Edwin H. Vare. Should the threat be carried out, he told reporters, he would issue a statement attacking the motives of the Committee of Seventy.

The identity and political affiliations of the man in question were withheld. It was said, however, that although he personally was of not much political weight, taking him into custody would open up avenues of information that would enable the Committee of Seventy to carry the attack on fraudulent registration to the very thresholds of political leaders.

SEVENTY TO PRESS PROBE

E. D. L. Roach, secretary of the Committee of Seventy, today called upon the city committees of the several political parties to furnish lists of voters registered on the first registration day. Should the registrars, who ordinarily hold the lists until registration is completed, refuse to comply with the demand, the work of the Committee of Seventy will be delayed until after the last registration day, October 7. It is the plan of the Committee of Seventy

to obtain the lists immediately, so that its probe of fraudulent registration may be ORGANIZATION AGOG

Belief that the Committee of Seventy would cause more arrests caused quite a stir in Organization Republican ranks, following the arrest of former Police Lieutenant John A Woods, Select Co William J. Harrington and Common Co. climan Daniel Cahill, both of the Fourth

Friends of County Commissioner Moore, who is one of the political lieutenants in the Penrose-McNichol wing of the Organization, charge that action of the Committee of Seventy may be credited to the influence of the Vares.

It is conceded that Woods did not regis ter or vote in West Philadelphia or from any other than the South street address during the period covered by the affidavit, sworn to by Leon Schwartz, formerly of 404 South street, on which the three warrants were issued. The former lieutenant takes the position that he was entitled to vote from the place of his choice under the law and that he had no thought of shirking responsibility for his acts.

Councilman Harrington declared that "Schwartz either lies or is mistaken when he says that I had anything to do with aiding or abetting Woods to register or vote in the Fourth Ward." Mr. Harrington disclaimed any knowledge of the facts. He admitted that he knew both Woods and Cahill well, but did not even know whether Woods voted in the ward. "He may have claimed a residence in the seventh d of the Fourth Ward, but if he did I had no knowledge of such a claim," said the ac cused Councilman.

HEARING NEXT WEDNESDAY

The three men will appear before Maxis trate Imber at 12 o'clock next Wednesday, to answer the accusation of the Committee of Seventy. They are accused of false regimtration, perjury and false voting at the primary election in 1915. Woods was at that time lieutenant of the second and Christian streets police station.

All three have been staunch supporters of County Commissioner Robert J. Moore whose political leadership in the Fourth Ward was wrested from him at the May primaries by the Vares, when they put Senator Samuel Salus in political com

Harrington is a compare clerk in the Alice of Register of Wills Shellau, and Cahill is an inspector in the Department of Weights and Measures.

Weights and Measures.
Sohwarts, who now makes his home.
Roxbordugh, exist forth in his affidavit.
Woods illegally registered and voted this home on South street. The allegation in the him and promised him protection immunity in case he got into trouble permutting Woods to register and vote this house.

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