

RUSSIANS STIFFEN LINES FOR BATTLE

Prepare to Fight Invaders Between Dniester and Pruth, Says Berlin

TEUTONS IN BESSARABIA

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—The Russians have prepared for battles between the Dniester and the Pruth Rivers, the War Office stated today.

GENEVA, Aug. 6.—It was reported from Berlin today that the Teuton forces have crossed the Galician frontier into the Russian province of Bessarabia, in the Raranczo-Bojan sector.

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Photo from Underwood & Underwood. An immense throng lined the streets of Chicago as the future soldiers of that city, carrying flags massed in review before General Thomas H. Barry, U. S. A., and members of the Russian Commission. Thomas Clancy, first to appear in the list of "perfect 258's," is shown wearing the new army brassard, or arm band.

LYNCHING MAY RESULT IN TIE-UP OF ALL BUTTE

More Strikes Threatened as Result of Killing I. W. W. Leader

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 6.—Butte today was facing several additional strikes which threaten to tie up local industries as a result of the killing of Frank W. Little, I. W. W. leader.

Seven hundred members of the clerks' union are to take a strike vote tonight. A decision to walk out will close virtually all stores in Butte. All mine engineers are seriously considering a strike also, according to leaders of the metal mine workers' union, which would force a complete shutdown of the mines.

No attempt is being made by the street car company to break the strike of carmen and no cars have moved since Saturday morning.

Union leaders declare 12,000 miners were still out as a result of the original miners' strike, and that less than 3 per cent of the miners deserted the union.

The funeral of Frank Little, held yesterday, was a peaceful demonstration and no violence resulted. Paraders, estimated at 5,000, marched behind the body. In the line of march were members of the I. W. W. and the Peasants' Club, an Irish Nationalist organization. No religious service was held, the body being interred after speeches of protest and condemnation by various leaders.

The entire police department, many extra deputies and two companies of the National Guard were mobilized during the ceremonies in the expectation of trouble.

A mass-meeting, at which speakers demanded justice for the killing of Little, followed the funeral. Sensational charges that Tom Campbell, president of the local I. W. W. miners' union, was offered \$15,000 by the operators to call off the strike, and \$15,000 more when the men returned to work, were made.

The third session of the Coroner's inquest over Little's body was begun today.

Delaware District Appeal Board Named

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—President Wilson today named the following district appeal board for Delaware: A. B. Magee, Dover; Oliver Newton, Bridgeville; Doctor Robin, Wilmington; A. R. Saylor, Wilmington; Charles Warner, Wilmington.

SUPPOSED DEAD MAN ALIVE

Negro Thought to Have Been Killed in Chester Turns Up

Oliver Jones, a negro, who was reported to have been killed in the Chester race riots, is in Moyamensing Prison. He came here a few days ago with a bullet wound in his back and went to the Pennsylvania Hospital.

After his injury was attended Jones was sent to prison, accused of inciting to riot. He is being held to await requisition by the Delaware County authorities.

Excursionists Fight Policemen

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 6.—Marcus Finkel, a Philadelphia excursionist, was badly battered with blackjacks and then sent to jail for assault and battery upon Reading Railway policemen as a result of a fight which nearly created a riot when thousands were boarding late trains in a rush in the excursion district late last night.

Edward Moore, one of the policemen, was knocked down in a free-for-all fight with Finkel's friends and saved from a worse beating by reserves.

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FOUR NEW COMPANIES ARRIVE AT MT. GRETN

Ammunition Train of Pennsylvania Division Auxiliary Units Now Complete

MT. GRETN, Pa., Aug. 6.—The ammunition train of the Pennsylvania Division auxiliary units was completed here today by the arrival of four additional companies, increasing the strength of the command to twelve companies.

Two companies, No. 4, Lieutenant Garfield J. Phillips, Selinsgrove, and No. 9, Lieutenant William J. McCune, Carlisle, reported at noon, while Company No. 5, Lieutenant J. Fred McKay, Williamsport, and No. 5, Lieutenant Harry A. Hall, Allentown, followed during the early afternoon.

The ammunition train, which is commanded by Lieutenant Colonel H. S. Williams, is the second complete unit in camp here, the motor truck unit of six companies—Major J. B. Wheeler commanding—being the first.

While preparations were made today looking toward the physical examination for muster of the Philadelphia company of the military police, plans also were perfected for the early arrival of the Pittsburgh company of the same unit and the field bakeries, all of which organizations are looked for here within the course of a few days.

ALLIES AGREE ON PLAN TO REMODEL EUROPE

Many Changes in Boundaries Proposed for Safeguarding of Nationalities

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The Allies have come to a full agreement as to the remodeling of Europe's map after the war.

Taking territory here, straightening lines there, they intend to have such restoration as will tend to guard international peace in the future. While Germany dreams of a Middle Europe—running from the North Sea to Bagdad, under Teuton dominion—the Allies have agreed that the war shall go on until this dream has vanished.

First in the Allies' proposal is the restoration of stricken Belgium. Then France, according to plans, is to have Alsace-Lorraine. Constantinople will be internationalized, and the Turkish Government's grasp in Europe will be loosened.

The Grecian boundary will be shoved northward, while Greece will also get some of the islands near her in the Mediterranean. Italy will have Trent and Trieste, some straightening of her northern boundary and a small slice of territory across the Adriatic.

Croatia and Bohemia will be made into independent States, while Poland will be established as an independent territory as a buffer between Germany and Russia.

It is further proposed to divide Austria-Hungary into two States.

These readjustments are not based upon conquest, but upon determination that peo-

ple shall live in States of their nationality—not under an unyielding yoke. The Allies do not propose to yield back German African colonies in view of German abuses there and moreover because the colonies threaten the Allied territories in their hands.

Lehigh Legislator Dies of Apoplexy

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 6.—Oliver Leh, farmer, Assemblyman from the Second District of Lehigh County, died last evening at his home in Egypt suddenly of apoplexy. He was sixty years old. Leh was one of the big men of the Lehigh cement region and was identified from the start with the development of the American and Reliance Cement Companies. He leaves his wife, one daughter and four sons.

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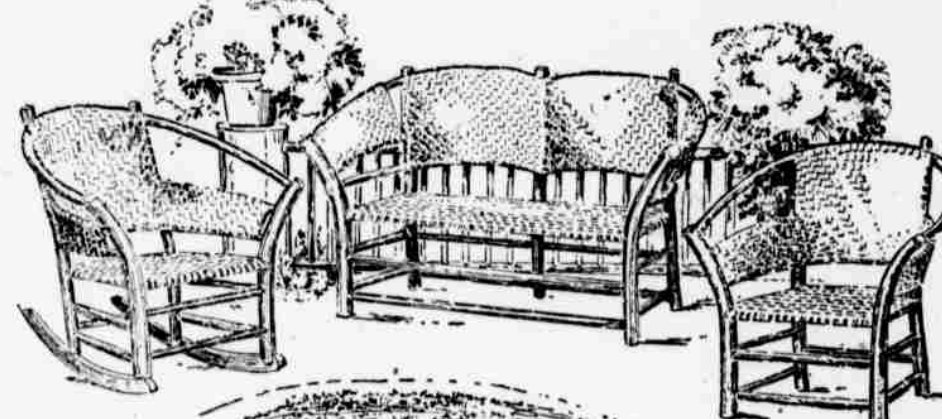
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standpoint of beauty and durability. The opportunities for saving on every kind of furniture here are—and we use the terms advisedly—unique and unparalleled, for in this period of high and rising costs our position as manufacturers as well as retailers works out to the public's advantage more strikingly than ever before.



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\$65 Sanford Beauvais Ax., 11.3x15 ft. \$43.50
\$52 Smith Extra Axmin., 11.3x12 ft. \$29.50
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\$36 Hartford Body Brussels, 9x12 ft. \$24.50
\$32 Smith Seamless Ax., 9x12 ft. \$24.50
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\$24.50 Best Tap Brussels, 8.3x10.6 ft. \$19.85
\$18.50 Tapestry Brussels, 9x12 ft. \$13.75

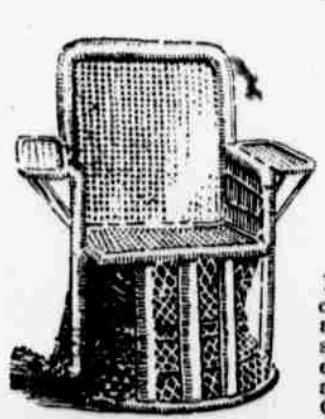
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\$310.00 Muscabad, 13x9.7. \$125
\$325.00 Sultanabad, 14x12.1. \$145

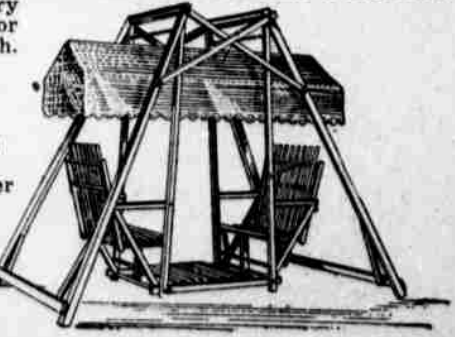


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