

THE WEATHER
Showers this afternoon followed by clearing and cooler tonight; Friday fair; moderate westerly winds.
TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR
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YACHT RESOLUTE INCREASES LEAD OVER SHAMROCK

Germany Accepts Coal Demands of Entente But Stipulates Three Essential Conditions

AMERICAN SLOOP HALF MILE AHEAD AT 10-MILE MARK
Resolute Crosses Line First and Steadily Draws Away From Shamrock
DRENCHED BY RAIN IN DRIFTING MATCH
Challenger Gives Defender a Time Allowance of 6 Minutes 40 Seconds

LUSITANIA LIFE-JACKET FOUND IN RIVER HERE



This lifejacket from the torpedoed ship was found floating beside a wharf at Race street in the Delaware after drifting thousands of miles. Theodore De Lane, a Baltimore and Ohio Railroad detective, one of the finders, is shown wearing the jacket. The word Lusitania can easily be made out.

SHAMROCK LOOKS LIKE BEATEN BOAT

Actions Seem Sluggish Compared to Brisk Maneuvering of Defender Resolute

KEEN BATTLE AT START

By LAWRENCE PERRY
New York, July 15.—Up to 1:40 o'clock this afternoon, considering time allowance, and the leading position of Resolute, the challenger in the first of the great international yacht races looked like a beaten boat. But, of course, this was only an impression. Many things are likely to happen in a yacht race only a third completed, and Resolute seemed to have a lighter movement through the water, whereas Shamrock acted as though she were a bit sluggish.

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At least one man was injured when a roof collapsed at 1609 Ransstead street, just below Market street, shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon.

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This is St. Swithin's Day, the summer number of Ground Hog Day, which is supposed to decide the moisture of the next forty days.

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Empire City Race Track, July 15.—A two-to-one shot won the opening event here this afternoon on a slow track. In spite of the adverse weather conditions a good crowd saw the races.

CHRISTENSEN HEADS THIRD PARTY; 4TH MAY PUT UP TICKET

Bolting Members of Committee of 48 Talk of Nominating La Follette
HAYES IN SECOND PLACE ON FARMER-LABOR BALLOT
Radical Workmen Alienate Other Political Elements, Preventing Harmony
By CLINTON W. GILBERT
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LUSITANIA-BELT PICKED UP HERE

Strands of Faded Hair Still Cling to Life Jacket Found in River at Race Street
A life-jacket, silent remembrance of the tragic sinking of the Lusitania five years ago, and bearing a strand of faded blonde hair, has been picked up on the Race street wharf, in the Delaware river.

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GERMANY APOLOGIZES TO FRANCE

Berlin, July 15.—(By A. P.)—Dr. Haniel von Helmhausen, under-secretary of foreign affairs, today expressed to M. de Martelli, the French charge d'affaires here, the regret of the German government at the incident of yesterday when an unknown person removed the French flag hoisted over the French embassy in honor of Bastille day.

STATE READY TO PUSH CAMDEN BRIDGE WORK

Governor Sproul announced today the state of Pennsylvania is ready to proceed with preliminary work on the Delaware river bridge project. The one thing needful, he said, is the active cooperation of this city. Both the Governor and Mayor Moore favor the appointment of three engineers for the bridge with Chief Webster, of the surveys bureau, as one of that number.

BULLET SHATTERS VALUABLE JEWELS

Diamonds Bought by Gurnee Munn for Wife Ruined by Mysterious Marauder
Police Are Investigating
Mystery surrounds the smashing by a revolver shot of diamonds worth \$3000. The jewels are the property of Gurnee Munn, of Radnor.

FARMERS HOLD ALOOF

Mr. Hampton, leader of the more radical farm organization, which includes many of the tenant farmers, took the platform yesterday afternoon at the Farmer-Labor convention in behalf of the so-called La Follette platform supporters.

MAYOR HITS DRUG MENACE

Calls Conference to Prevent Spread of Narcotics Evil
The drug traffic in Philadelphia is the subject of a conference called by Mayor Moore in his office today.

PERHAPS!

Gentle to moderate westerly winds, Meteorological, secret Jenny Lind, Sing as they blow while the world they inform
A fair Friday will follow tonight's thunderstorm.

ALLIES TAKE UP TEUTON ANSWER TO ULTIMATUM

Reply to Berlin's Proposals Delayed as Premiers Act Cautiously
DIFFER ON QUESTION OF PAYMENT FOR COAL
Simons Says German Cabinet Has Gone to Utmost Limit
By the Associated Press
Spa, Belgium, July 15.—Germany today notified the Allies that her cabinet had agreed to the allied demand for the delivery of 2,000,000 tons of coal monthly under three essential conditions and other minor conditions. She also stipulated that she must receive raw materials.

HELEN TAFT WEDS YALE PROFESSOR

Bryn Mawr College Head Becomes Mrs. Frederick J. Manning in Quebec Church
A 38-year-old daughter of Rodman Wanamaker, deputy police commissioner of New York, and a grand-daughter of John Wanamaker.

CHILDREN GIVE DAISY HORSESHOE

An enormous daisy horseshoe had been placed over the door by the bride entered by the children of the convalescent home, Yale blue was the prevailing color, as the bridegroom is a professor at Yale University.

SOVIETS OFFER BIG REWARD FOR PSEUDO CAZAR'S HEAD

London, July 15.—(By A. P.)—The Soviet government is offering a reward of 2,000,000 rubles for the head of a man claiming to be Czar Nicholas II of Russia, according to information received by the Jewish correspondence bureau today.

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