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HARRISBURG, PA., WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 19, 1914.

MAN MYSTERIOUSLY

Found Shortly Before Midnight by Captain Thompson at 15th and Herr

CONNECT COPELIN'S

Morning Newspaper Reports Hint That City Treasurer Worked the Gun

With seven bullet holes in his right thigh, one near the left groin, and two fingers of the left hand chipped as if by the flight of other bullets, Walter M. Quigley, machinist, 42

as if by the flight of other bullets, Walter M. Quigley, machinist, 42 South Cameron street, rested fairly comfortable on a Harrisburg Hospital cot to-day and steadfastly refused to divulge to the police a single clue that would help to solve a mystery that had all Harrisburg by the ears. Quigley was found shortly before midnight last night by Police Captain Joseph P. Thompson and City Detective Ibach tottering about in the vicinity of Fifteenth and Herr streets.

The ambulance was called and Quigley was hurried to the hospital. To the police he first gave his name as "George Thomas."

Morning newspaper reports associated the name of City Treasurer O. M. Copelin with the shooting and this statement had all Harrisburg discussing the mystery.

At the office of the City Treasury the clerical force explained that Captain Copelin left the office at 3.35 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Mt. Gretna. Consequently Captain Copelin's host of friends in this city and in Mt. Gretna flouted the morning newspaper's broad hints that the Eighth Regiment's inspector of small arms practice might have had any connection with the shooting in the vicinity of the Copelin home at Fifteenth and Verbeke streets.

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Mrs. Copelin was prostrated by the story, it was explained at her home to-day, and remained in bed upon the advice of her physician and refused to see reporters.

Mrs. Quigley frankly admitted that she wouldn't talk now, but it all depended upon what might develop as to whether or not she would in the future.

future.

Friends of the captain were eagerly seeking for some word from him today in view of the more or less conflicting reports that were current as to his whereabouts yesterday.

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Inquiry at the rifle range to-day
elicited the fact from Colonel L. V.
Rausch, deputy quartermaster general
on the ranges, that Mr. Copelin was
seen on his way to his hotel with his seen on his way to his hotel with his daughter presumably to register. This was at 6.20 or thereabouts last evening. Further inquiry at the Hotel Conewago and Gretna Inn falled to reveal any registration by Captain O. M. Copelin.
On the register of the Hotel Plaza, at Union Station entrance, this city, the name of "O. M. Copelin," no residence given, appears. He was assigned to room No. 1.

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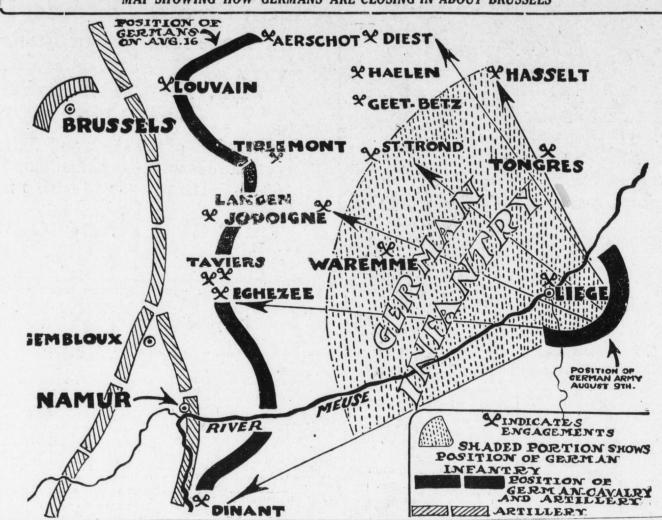
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MAP SHOWING HOW GERMANS ARE CLOSING IN ABOUT BRUSSELS



Returning Yankees Telling of Lying in Ditches While Bullets Fly Over Them

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United States Commissioner Leroy Wolfe told the police that he went down to Gretna on the 3.35 train the afternoon with Captain Copelin and his daughter.

Prior to his departure the inspector of small arms practice conferred with Colonel Joseph B. Hutchison, commander of the Eighth and the city arrangements for the opening of the rifle practice on the Gretna ranges to-morrow.

Captain Copelin's right arm had been in a sling up until a few days ago because of a fracture he received in a fall from his horse July 4, and even now hasn't the full use of his right hand—or arm. Because of this he asked that Lieutenant Ambrose be placed in charge of the rifle range to-day elicited the fact from Colonel L. V.

By Associated Press

New York, Aug. 19.—First-hand tales of the fight at Liege and grim narratives of the war sweeping Europe came into port to-day on the lips of open came into port to-day on the lips of he Americans aboard were without money or basyage; some had been held as spies; others had made their may on foot from the interior of Belgium to Antwerp amid the scenes and dangers of warfare and nearly all had stories of hardships encountered in their flight.

With a Dutch pilot aboard. Captain in their flight.

With a Dutch pilot aboard. Captain a steamed his ship through a little-used channel of the harbor of Antwerp to the North Sea where he found the horizon smudged with the sprious passage through the minestrewn waters there were no buoys to guide him.

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Late News Bulletins

POPE PIUS SUFFERS RELAPSE

has had a sudden relapse. A bulletin issued by Dr.

Marchiafava leaves no doubt that the patient's life is

in danger. The sisters of the Pope are convinced that

a momentuous crisis has arrived, and they are deeply

apprehensive. They have lighted candles before the miraculous image of St. Joseph and remain prostrate

Rome, Aug. 19, 1.10 P. M., via Paris, 6.15 P. M .- It

is reported that the Pope has received the last com-

Munion.

Mexico City, Aug. 19.—A decree is to be issued to-morrow by the governor of the federal district repudiating government notes of the issue of July 25 last. This issue was made during the regime of Provisional President Franscico Carbajal on the authorization of the \$60,000,000 six per cent. ten-year gold bonds, made by the Huerta administration. About ten million dollars of this paper is now in circulation. Rotterdam, via London, Aug. 19, 5.25 P. M.—The Cologne Gazette asserts that the advance of the German troops while slow, has not been seriously checked anywhere. Large contingents of Austrian troops including mountain artillery which the Germany army is without, have passed points along the Rhine on their way to the front.

London, Aug. 19, 3.55 P. M.—An unsubstantiated report has been received here from St. Petersburg to the effect that a Russian warship foundered in the Black sea after striking a mine, and that the Odessa docks are on fire. The official information bureau has no confirmation of this report.

Washington, Aug. 19,—The President signed to-day the nominations of Attorney General James C. McReynolds to be a member of the United States Supreme Court and Thomas Watt Gregory, of Texas, to be attorney general of the United States.

Rome, Aug. 19, via Paris, 4.10 P. M.—The Pope

at Union Station entrance, this city, the name of "O. M. Copelin," no residence given, appears. He was assigned to room No. 1.

A friend of Mr. Copelin recalled

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Washington, D. C., Aug. 19. — Senator Government licensing of grain warehouses. A bill for licensing cotton warehouses is pending. Both are designed to facilitate loans on farm products, particularly during the European war.

Katy Sings of Early Frost and Cold by Mid-September

Who's Telling the Glad News About Town? Why the Smiling Coal Man, Who Else?

The farmers through this section culturists of this section, is that conof the State are preparing for an early through the first appearance of the katydid by is being rushed with all possible speed. The cause for the alarm came last week when the katydid was, for the first appearance of the katydid by not more than six weeks. The cause for the alarm came last week when the katydid was, for the first appearance of the katydid by not more than six weeks. The cause for the alarm came last week when the katydid was, for the first appearance of the katydid by not more than six weeks. The insects appeared unusually early this year. They do not usually arrive until the last of August or Sepmeadows. An old weather legend, tember 1. Farmers expect the weathman, which is infallible with the agri-

tation From Palace of the Vatican

By Associated Press Rome, via London, Aug. 19, 10.50 m.—The Pope has addressed the following exhortation to the whole

At this moment, when nearly the whole of Europe is being dragged into the vortex of a most terrible war, with its present dangers and miseries and the conse-quences to follow, the very thought of which must strike every one with grief and horror, we whose care is the life and wel-fare of so many citizens and peo-ples cannot but be deeply moved and our heart wrung with the bit-

ples cannot but be deeply moved and our heart wrung with the bitterest sorrow.

And in the midst of this universal confusion and peril we feel and know that both fatherly love and apostolic ministry demand of us that we should with all earnestness turn the thoughts of Christendom thither "whence cometh help"—to Christ, the Prince of Peace and the most powerful mediator between 6-vd and man. We charge, therefore, the Catholics of the whole world, to approach the throne of grace and mercy, each and all of them, and more especially the clergy, whose duty furthermore it will be to make in every parish, as their bishops shall direct, public supplication so that the merciful God may, as it were, bewearied with the prayers of His children and speedilly remove the evil causes of war, giving to them who rule to think the thoughts of peace and not of affliction.

From the Palace of the Vatican, the second day of August.

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(Signed)
PIUS X, PONTIFEX MAXIMUS. Report of Servian

> Victory Confirmed; 3,000 Austrians Dead

Head of Church Addresses Exhor- Hundreds at Funeral of Aged Henry Frickman in Augsburg Church



HENRY FRICKMAN Man Who Drove Last Horse Car City is Buried*

Henry Frickman, the man who rove the last horsecar in Harrisburg was buried this afternoon from the ugsburg Lutheran Church, Fifth and Muench streets. Mr. Frickman died more than thirty years he had been a resident of Harrisburg.

For many years Mr. Frickman was a farmer in New York county but in the eighties he came to this city and [Continued on Page 3]

War Causes Loss of \$300,000,000 to German Marine, Is Estimate

Special to The Telegraph London, Aug. 19, 3.55 A. M.—The Daily Express estimates that the By Associated Press

London, Aug. 19, 12.20 P. M.—An official communication received here from Paris declares that confirmation is at hand of previous reports of a Servian victory at Shabats over 80,000 Austrians. Shabats is in Servia, forty miles west of Belgrade.

The Austrians suffered a severe defeat with very heavy losses in men and munitions. According to advices from Rome, their casualties amounted to 3,000 men killed and 5,000 wounded.

London, Aug. 19, 3.55 A. M.—The Daily Express estimates that the number of large German vessels captured at sea by the Brittsh, French and Russian warships totals 200 with a tonnage of one million tons and a value of \$300,000,000.

Daily Express Correspondent Declares Second Emperor Is to Meet His Waterloo

ording to the Belgian government's decision to allow no outside newspaper men in Belgium, arrived in Ostend resterday and sent the following dis-

patch to his paper:

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"On Sunday the real German attack began in an attempt to strike toward Waterloo and France. The battle started with the pushing forward of cavalry supported by infantry and artillery.

"This entire force, as soon as it came n contact with the Belgians was virtually surrounded and its advance guards exterminated. The shattered fragments fell back on the massed availes waiting to attack.

"Later on Sunday the main German attack began from Saint Trond, eleven miles east of Trilemont. The fighting was tremendous, great execution being done on both sides.

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"By sheer weight on numbers the Germans finally forced the Belgians back on their second line. Then the French came up and heavy firing was heard all along the line all day yesterday at Wavre.

"The German advance did not follow any of the main highways. They cut across these, using the smaller roads. The Germans were unable to operate their heavier field artillery.

"The outstanding fact in the developments in the present week is the dramatic abandonment of Brussels, which was an heroic act of self abne-

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THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Generally fair to-night and Thursday; not much chauge in temperature.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Unsettled to-night and Thursday, probably local showers; gentle to moderate shifting winds.

River
The lower portion of the main river will rise slightly to-night and begin to fall Thursday; the upper portion will fall slowly to-night and Thursday. A stage of about 1.1 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Thursday morning.

General Conditions

The Western discurbance is central over lows this morning, with its front reaching northwestward into Western New York. A secondary depression is central over Southern Arizona. Pressure is high over the Southeastern States and along the Northwest border. Thundershowers have fallen generally from the Lake region eastward to the Atlantic const, the heaviest rainfall reported, 1.42 inches, occurring at Binghamton, N. Y.

Temperature: S a. m., 75.
Sun: Rises, 5:20 a. m.; sets, 6:57
p. m.
Moon: New moon, August 21, 7:26
a. m.
River Stage: 2.5 feet above low
water mark.

water mark.

Vesterday's Weather

Highest temperature, 91.

Lowest temperature, 65.

Mean temperature, 78.

Normal temperature, 72.

Censors Silence **News of Battle** Raging in Belgium

Reports Which Have Leaked Through Lines Indicate Fight Between Allies and Germans Is Now in Progress; Battleships in North Sea Are Believed to Be Shelling Each Other, But Official Confirmation of This Is Withheld; Liege Forts Said to Be Holding Out; Servian Victory Over Austrians Is Confirmed

Washington, Aug. 19. — Secretary Garrison of the War Department admitted to-day that the cruiser Tennessee, held at Falmouth, Eng., on her mission to relieve Americans stranded abroad, was awaiting his orders, but refused to discuss the matter. The secretary said, negotiations with various countries the Tennessee will visit, were proceeding but he would not say how far they had proceeded or state why it has been found necessary to hold her.

Complete silence is maintained as to the fortunes of war in the big fight understood to be in progress somewhere along a line extending through Belgium and Luxemberg. Dispatches give evidence of the presence of masses of German troops pushing their way to the front behind an impenetrable screen of cavalry whose dashes in scarch of information as to the whereabouts the allied troops have resulted in sharp clashes and heavy casualties.

The commanders of the allied forces of French, British and Belgian will not permit anything about their positions to become public and since the official note made known the presence of a large British expeditionary force on the continent its movements have been hidden from the outside world.

At Brussels it is said there has been no change since yesterday, in the position then reported to be excellent for the allies.

The fate of the Liege forts is not definitely known. German dispatches describe them as in the hands of the German army since the arrival of heavy artillery while Belgian military authorities assert they are still intact and holding out bravely.

FRENCH PROGRESSING STEADILY

In Alsace Lorraine the French turning movement through Southern Alsace appears, from French reports, to be progressing favorably for the French and this seems to receive confirmation in a dispatch sent out by the Wolff Bureau, the German official news agency, saying two batteries of guns were taken by the French, who continued their march forward.

All these reports, however, refer to the preliminary meetings of London, Aug. 19, 3.05 A. M.—The opposing bodies of troops leading up to the great battle which may paily Express correspondent, a Belliar who was expelled Monday acpoint out to the countrymen that the decisive conflict is yet to come and that too much reliance must not be placed on reports of demoralization among the German troops.

It is reported that a naval encounter has occurred in the North

Sea but this is without official confirmation. patch to his paper:

"The great battle may be said to have been begun on Saturday when an attack was made on the French positions south of the river Meuse near tions south of the river Meuse near Dinant. This feint attack, without

On the Russo-German-Austrian frontier ight of small importance are recorded. German troops to-day occupied Mlawa, in Russian Poland, close to the German frontier, and Russian reports relate a repulse with heavy casualties of Austrian troops who had attacked Vladimir, in the Russian province of Volhynia.

SERVIAN VICTORY CONFIRMED

A strong force of German troops is said to have attacked Edykuhnen, a German town on the Russian frontier which was occupied by the Russians soon after the outbreak of hostilities.

A French official note confirms reports of a Servian victory at

Shabats, over an Austrian force of 80,000 men. The Austrians are said to have lost 3,000 killed and 5,000 wounded. A Montenegrin army is reported within two hours march of the fortified Austrian seaport of Ragusa, in Dalmatia. The Montenegrins

had already captured a number of towns in the vicinity. Two large Austrian steamers were captured to-day by the

French. An exportation to the world by the pope calls for prayers for peace, "so that the merciful God may, as it were, be wearied with the

prayers of his children and speedily remove the evil causes of war, giving to them who rule to think the thoughts of peace."

King Alfonso of Spain, with Premier Dato, are to confer with

the French and British ambassador at Madrid concerning Spain's attitude. Dispatches from Paris and London report fighting around Brus-

sels but with what success is not known. The Belgian and French allies are in contact with the advance lines of the German army. Germans Attacking Brussels

London, Aug. 19, 2.20 P. M.—The curt announcement of a telegram from Brussels dated last night of fierce fighting between Belgian and German troops along an extended front is generally accepted in London to-day as indicating the real beginning of the first great battle in the war.

The German attack is to-day again reported made on the direct orders of Emperor William himself to his generals in the field.

The exact extent of the line of fighting has not yet been revealed, but presumably it stretches in a north and south line. Beyond this its definite location is virtually guesswork.

Refugees from Dierst, Tirlemont and other towns in that section of Belgium who fied as the Germans approached, are coming into Brussels in great numbers. They declare that since the inhabitants vacated. Tirlemont German shells have been dropping in the town and that subsequently the Belgians broke the German advance there at the point of the bayonet.

Paris Believes Fight Is Started

Paris, Aug. 19, 1.09 P. M.—Careful study of the military situation on norther frontier leads French military observers to the conclusion that events transpiring in Belgium to-day are the beginning of operations immense scale. on an immense scale.

Germany, it is declared, is making fresh effort to break into France through the comparatively open Belgian country.

Government opinion in Paris, however, is confident that the allies will be able to meet this shock successfully and reply to it crushingly

EMPEROR NICHOLAS SENDS GREETINGS TO HIS SOLDIERS

London, Aug. 19, 2.40 A. M.—Reuter's Moscow correspondent, telegraphing Tuesday says:
"In the hall of St. George in the great palace of the Kremlin to-day, Emperor Nicholas and the Empress Alexandria fulfilled the ancient ceremony of the eve of war. They received deputations of the nobility and the Zemstvos

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