

LATEST MAP OF NEW WAR MOVEMENTS



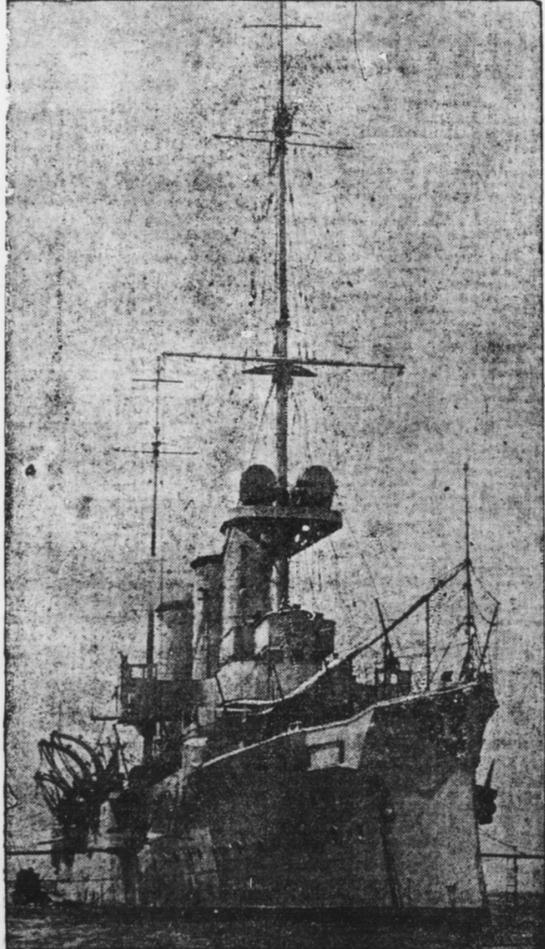
This map shows battle lines of French and German forces and scenes of recent German victories.

Belgian Congo Attacked by German Soldiers

Paris, Aug. 28, 12.40 P. M.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Libreville, in the French Congo, says the Belgian Congo has been attacked by German troops.

The Belgian administration, in accord with Great Britain, has taken defensive measures and has informed the French government of its action. The Belgian Congo lies in the center of Africa. It is separated from Gamru, the German colony of Western Equatorial Africa, by the French Congo.

German Cruiser Out of Coal in American Waters



GERMAN CRUISERS OUT OF COAL IN AMERICAN WATERS THE KAISER'S CRUISER BREMEN The fleet British cruiser Essex, hearing sounds of firing off Cape Henry, steamed up to investigate. Her commander supposed the German cruiser Bremen had met and engaged some other British vessel off the Virginia capes. The Bremen is known to be almost entirely out of coal in American waters. She is now awaiting her chance to capture some merchant vessel and take from it its coal cargo. When the Essex officers discovered that it was American warships at target practice that were making all the noise they ordered the cruiser turned about and made all speed in the opposite direction.

TWO AND HALF STORY HOUSES ARE POPULAR

Many Dwellings of This Kind Are Going Up Throughout the City



Two-and-one-half-story brick houses are getting to be quite the fashion, according to indications at the Department of Streets and Public Improvements offices, where another permit for a 2 1/2-story brick and concrete house is being issued on the west side of Fourteenth street near Sassafras street. The houses will cost \$4,000.

City Clerk Miller to Head Committee on Legislative Work

City Clerk Charles A. Miller, of Harrisburg, will head the general committee on legislation that will be appointed by the newly organized association of city clerks of the various cities of Pennsylvania which was formed at Meadville just prior to the adjournment of the annual Pennsylvania third class league convention.

Problems to be Threshed Out Chief among problems which will be threshed out will be the questions of a rearrangement of the taxation and assessment that will be considered will be the possibility of levying a municipal tax on public utility corporations.

Police Know Nothing of Plan to Bring an Action in Shooting Case

Rumors in municipal circles that an arrest is to be made in the recent shooting affray in the East End were current to-day. Walter Quigley, the man who was shot, had been removed from the hospital to his home.

Wireless Censorship Is Not Yet Settled

Washington, Aug. 28.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, conferred with Secretary Bryan today on the censorship at German-owned wireless stations. Secretary Bryan said afterward that the question still was unsettled.

The ambassador, touching on the question of anti-German sentiment said he felt the American people must realize that although delayed and censored messages from Berlin have brought the truth and that many reports from London have been disproved. Fighting on the Russian border, the ambassador said, had merely been a series of outposts. The country is open and undefended, he explained, the towns reported captured by Russians are undefended and unimportant points. No Russian dispatches, the count declared, had mentioned engagements with more than one of the Prussian army corps.

Occupation of Tilsit Confirmed in London

London, Aug. 28.—The Russian embassy has received telegrams confirming the Russian occupation of Tilsit, a town in East Prussia, 60 miles northwest of Koenigsberg. It is added that the Russians made great captures and that the garrison and populace fled.

Wounded Soldier Carries Another on His Back

Paris, Aug. 28, 2.20 a. m.—A dispatch from Coulommiers, France, says: "Among the wounded who have arrived here is a German infantryman from Alsace, who came into the French lines during the fight in the Luxembourg carrying on his back a wounded French sergeant, thus saving him from falling into the hands of the enemy. The Alsatian himself was wounded while rescuing the Frenchman."

EXPECT TO FINISH WALL TO MACLAY ST.

Work to That Point to Be Completed Before Cold Weather

Unless Father Susquehanna should materially interfere with the present plans of the Stucker Brothers Construction Company, the "Front Steps of Harrisburg" will be completed to MacLay street before the cold weather sets in, according to George B. Stucker, secretary of the Stucker Brothers Construction Company, today.

To-day's wet weather didn't interfere very extensively with the work, although it did cause some temporary delay at certain points. The wall and steps have been completed practically to Market street from Iron alley and on Monday Foreman Dandel and Kopperhaver will begin putting on the steps from a point a short distance above Walnut street northward. Some of the steps have already been finished above Walnut street.

If high water doesn't interfere work will be started on the steps construction from Hamilton street to MacLay by Foreman Williams, the construction having been practically finished from that point south to Calder. A stretch of about 3,700 feet comprises the open gap in the step construction to MacLay street, and this is figured can be finished within three or four weeks.

Work Slow at Waterhouse The section that is probably the most difficult portion of the job is around the waterhouse. So much rock is encountered there as to make the progress tedious. From Herr street southward the construction of the steps and stringers is being pushed, although the high water has interfered to some extent with the big eastern corner of Washington. Before the work on the Second street subway can be started, however, Front street's subway must be completed for the passage of traffic and it is expected that this will be possible by Wednesday or Thursday.

Russians Are Occupying Town Near Koenigsberg

St. Petersburg, Aug. 28.—It is officially announced that the Russians have occupied Tilsit, a town sixty miles northeast of Koenigsberg, East Prussia. Tilsit is famous on account of the treaties concluded there in 1807 between Napoleon and the sovereigns of Prussia and Russia. The official communications states: "Our offensive both in East Prussia and Galicia developed increasing success on August 25. The Germans hastily retreated everywhere toward Koenigsberg and Allenstein. "In Galicia our troops are marching rapidly on Lemberg; they are approaching the city quickly. Our cavalry has pursued the enemy everywhere on our line, our advance frequently engaging the Austrians, who each time have been beaten and routed."

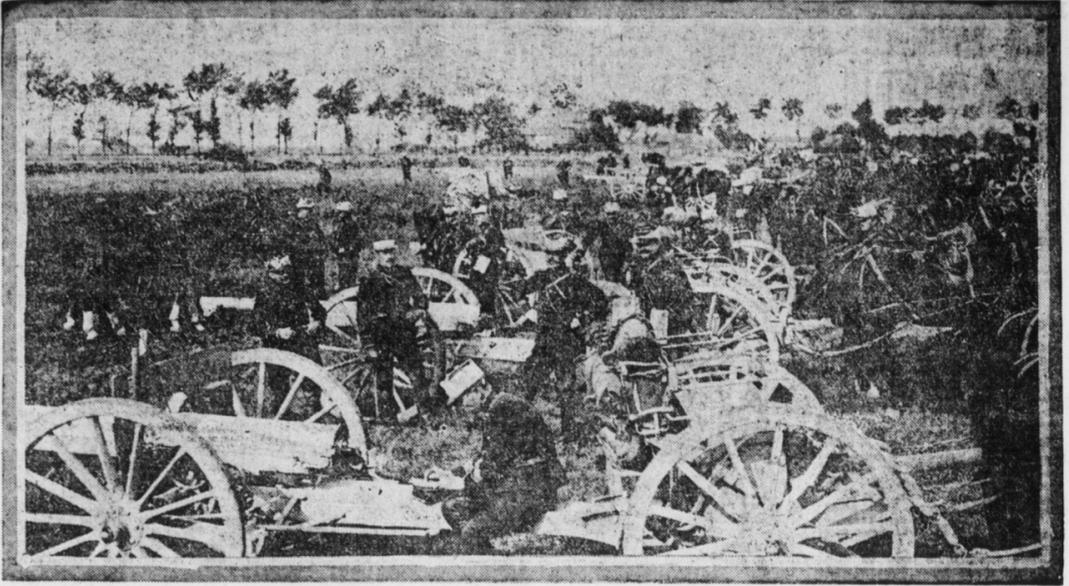
British Marines Landed in Antwerp, Are Now in Control of Belgian City

London, Aug. 28, 6.05 A. M.—The British marines in force are now in control of Ostend, says a dispatch to the Times. The men present a splendid appearance and all are eager for a speedy meeting with the enemy. The work of disembarkation is proceeding with smoothness and precision. The British officers declare they did not land sooner because of objections by the local authorities who held a meeting at which officials objected to the British landing on the ground that it would frighten the hotel visitors. The fighting at Snaekerke on Tuesday changed the minds of these objectors and the city fathers did forthwith ask the British government to send marines.

Austrians Are Building Fortifications Along Danube Near Vienna

London, Aug. 28, 8.35 a. m.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Post says a significant piece of news has reached there that the Austrians have begun extensive fortifications along the Danube near Vienna on the ground that it is necessary to relieve the needs of the populace by providing work. The Russian chambers will be summoned in November to ratify acts of high state importance.

FRENCH BATTERY ABOUT TO FIRE ON THE GERMANS



Reports have come from the war in Europe that the French artillery is superior to the German and that the German infantry has been unable to stand the fire. This photograph shows a French battery ready for action.

Germans Will Have No Trouble in Getting to Paris, Paper Declares

London, Aug. 28, 3.15 A. M.—The Chronicle, commenting to-day on "the war's progress" says: "Since the great disaster which befell the allies in Belgium a silence deeper than ever has been imposed by the censorship. "From a message sent out 24 hours ago by the French embassy, showing fighting on the line between Cambrai and Leontou, it is apparent that the French have been driven back past their line of frontier fortresses to a point 20 miles behind that line. "There is no longer any serious fortified obstacle between the German main advance and Paris. Under the circumstances it is not surprising that French Ministry has resigned and reconstituted itself as a committee of public safety. "Meanwhile as if a siege of Paris was now looming foremost in their minds, their first step has been to appoint a general insubordinate command of Paris and its troops."

Germans Besiege Antwerp and Cut Communication

London, Aug. 28.—That Antwerp is besieged by the Germans is indicated by the following dispatch from Rosendaal, Holland: "There is no railroad communication between Antwerp and the Dutch frontier. There have been no arrivals from Antwerp since Sunday. All entrances to the town have been closed. "This also is indicated in a dispatch from Amsterdam, which says: "A terrible battle is raging at Mechlin. Dead bodies are piled to a height of six feet. The greater part of Mechlin was destroyed by the Belgians themselves. They blew up part of the town for the purpose of using the forts' guns effectively. The population fled to Antwerp, where a fierce onslaught is expected. "The Belgian General staff left Antwerp and the Germans are demanding a war contribution of \$90,000,000 from Brabant province."

Emperor Francis Joseph Congratulates Germany

London, Aug. 28.—German official wireless dispatch was received to-night by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company. It reads as follows: "Emperor William has received the following telegram from the Emperor of Austria: "Victory after victory! God is with you. He will be with us also. I most sincerely congratulate you, dear friend, also the young heroes, your dear son, the Crown Prince, and the Crown Prince Ruprecht, as well as the incomparably brave German army. Words fail to express what moves me, and with me my army, in these days of world history. "FRANCIS JOSEPH."

Wilson to Let Railway Securities Bill Go Over

Washington, Aug. 28.—President Wilson has virtually yielded to the judgment of the Democratic leaders in Congress and agreed to sidetrack the railroad securities bill. Democratic Senators and Representatives advised the President that it would be wiser to take more time and investigate the railway situation before legislation on stocks and bonds. The President gave as a reason for his action the unsettled condition of the railroad business at this time.

Announcement was made to-day that the Administration has decided upon the early enactment of a war revenue bill. This decision has grown out of a number of conferences between the President and the leaders of the House and Senate. Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo has informed the President that the Treasury will need approximately \$100,000,000 additional revenue to meet the falling off in customs and other revenues brought on by the European war.

Senator Simmons and Majority Leader Underwood of the House have reached an agreement upon the general character of the measure to be put forward. It will levy a special tax on a number of articles, probably beer, tobacco and other luxuries. The bill, it is expected by the President, will be introduced in both houses of Congress some time next week. All the force of the Administration will be exerted to bring about its early enactment.

South America Sends Big Rail Order to U. S.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 28.—The growing demand from South America for American steel, due to the European war, was made evident this week, when an order for steel rails reached the mills here. It calls for 100 miles of eighty-pound standard section rails. The order is one of the most important that has reached the Pittsburgh mills since the trend of business to this country from South America began.

Gives Birth to Four Boys; Each Lad Will Be Given War Name

Pittsburgh, Aug. 28.—Mrs. John Korak, of Braddock, last night and to-day gave birth to four boys. Mrs. Korak and her husband are intensely interested in the war and both said to-day that they will name their children after the great battles won by their countrymen. When the possibility of the youngsters being compelled to go nameless because of the absence of Austrian victories was suggested to the happy father answered: "They can wait, but it will not be for long." Three of the children were born last night and the fourth this afternoon.

Progressives Scorn Sulzer in Convention

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 28.—The Progressives repudiated Sulzer, cast off Hinman, resurrected the Armageddon spirit of two years ago and in the face of wild cries from a handful of Sulzer boomers that the primary law was being knifed and the party's gospel profaned, nominated an all Progressive ticket by "suggesting" candidates. Colonel Roosevelt before the state committee was officially adopted by the State committee in the Hotel Utica conference told State Chairman Robinson over the telephone that he would stump the State for it in October and early November except for a few days. Several have been covered over with stampered the conference into naming Roosevelt for Governor failed utterly. For the Colonel set word that if they picked him he would have to write a letter of declination.

Frederick M. Davenport, of Oneida, was slated for Governor. Scorn for Governor Sulzer leaped from William H. Childs when he presented his committee's report. "Even Governor Sulzer has recognized the spread of prohibition," he said. He has refused to take a drink. I wish he would also join the Anti-Tobacco Association and refuse to take a chew." The crowd laughed.

Referring to Colonel Roosevelt as the "angel of good news" from whom all blessings flow," Mr. Colby said of Senator Root that "he reminded him of the English chancellor of whom it was said 'his mission was to nip in the bud the spread of human improvement.' He has a spontaneous aversion to all reformers."

War May Cause Rate Case to Be Reopened

Washington, D. C., Aug. 28.—Extraordinary conditions in this country brought about by the war in Europe are likely to cause a reopening of the advanced rate case decided about a month ago by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Information has reached the commission that the gross revenues of the Eastern trunk lines have suffered a sharp decline since the war and that they are now really facing a serious condition. The information here also is to the effect that the carriers are preparing to take the matter up with the commission with a view of obtaining relief.

ODD FELLOWS READY

The seven-county Odd Fellows' Association has completed plans for a mammoth outing at Hershey Park tomorrow. Several thousand are expected to attend from all over Central Pennsylvania.

WHAT NEXT?

Among the wonders of the scientific world are the triumphs of modern orthopedic surgery. A case which looks little short of the miraculous is reported from the Emergency Hospital at Washington. William Averhill, a 5-year-old boy from near Oxford, N. C., was taken to the hospital with clubfoot. His feet were turned aside and under, and his gait was slow and laborious, really more a shuffle than a step. He was put on the table and the surgeon went to work on one foot, then on the other, cutting ligaments, penetrating tendons and readjusting the child's feet. Then the members were adjusted, given the necessary antiseptic treatment and skillfully wrapped in plaster of paris casts extending to the knees. About three weeks ago, a little less than five weeks after the operation, the plaster cases were removed and something akin to a miracle had been wrought. Two little feet, once considered hopelessly deformed, had been transformed into normal organs, in which practically no trace of their former deformity was left except the scars made by the surgeon's knife. It is under the intellectual enlightenment and golden civilities of the Christ, who came into our world to do what he did immediately by divine power, that the blind are made to see and the lame to walk. Jesus said this word by John's disciples: "The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear" (Matt., 11:5). "ONLY A STAB"

Venus De Milo Locked Up For Safe Keeping



This photograph shows the world's most famous statue, the Venus de Milo, which the authorities at the Louvre, Paris, have removed to the vaults. The roofs of the picture galleries have been covered over with bags of sand and other protection against aeroplane bomb attacks. Other art treasures, gems and state jewels share with the Milo Venus the experience of being locked in the Louvre vaults.

doubtless will excite astonishment and incredulity, and perhaps derision, among those who have deemed him a "swelled head." But it is an actuality. Perhaps no better proof of it can be offered than the course he took when he was stabbed by a highwayman in Detroit one night in 1912, when he was on his way to catch the Tiger for the East.

He proceeded to the depot and went to his berth without saying a word about the affair to any one except the Tiger trainer, Harry Tutthill. He mentioned it to the trainer because he thought the wound might need attention. And verily, it did! Tutthill discovered a wound in Cobb's back more than two inches deep by about three inches long! Trainer Harry applied antiseptic solutions, and when they reached Syracuse a prominent surgeon was called, who regarded the wound as so serious that it must not be sewed up at once, owing to danger of infection. So, with a yard and a half of gauze, he bandaged it, and left it open to drain. "That same day, instead of being in a hospital, Cobb played a full game with the Tigers against the Syracuse team. As an exhibition of grit, it was without a parallel. He supplemented it the following day by playing in a championship game against the Yankees in New York with his wonted energy and dash. Almost any other player similarly wounded would have been out of the game for two weeks. By continuing with his team, not missing a single game on the Eastern trip, he convinced the public that the stab had been merely a scratch, not worth bothering about.—The Popular Magazine.

Do You Know About the Extra Cheap Tickets to the Pacific Coast

For a little while you will be able to go to California at a greatly reduced fare. You do not have to sacrifice any comforts to take advantage of this fare. Tickets are good in tourist sleeping cars on fast express trains. And the trip is made in daylight. These tickets are also good on our "personally conducted" excursion parties. These parties are in charge of an experienced conductor who will see that your trip is made in comfort from start to finish. Let me tell you all about the excursion parties any about these reduced fares. I am employed by the Railroad to see that all travelers are well taken care of and I want to be of as much service as possible. I'll be glad to tend to details, send you maps and pictures of the country, etc. Mail me a post card to-day or call at the office.