



NEW YORK DETECTIVES BREAK UP ANARCHISTIC PLOT TO ASSASSINATE RICHEST MEN IN AMERICA

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP BIG CATHEDRAL FAILS; CHECK REIGN OF TERROR PLANS

Metropolitan Police Trail Bomb Thrower and Place Him Under Arrest as He Hurls Explosive at Main Altar of St. Patrick's; Destruction of Edifice Was Intended as Signal For Lawless Gang to Inaugurate an Epoch of Murder and Pillage

New York, March 2.—An attempt to blow up St. Patrick's Cathedral with a bomb to-day and the arrest of two men by detectives who had been informed for months of their activities were followed by an announcement made at police headquarters that the arrests had balked an anarchist plot to kill with bombs Andrew Carnegie, John D. Rockefeller, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and other wealthy men.

The wrecking of the cathedral was to be the signal for the opening of the elaborate campaign of murder and looting. The next move, according to the police, was to place bombs in the homes of Andrew Carnegie, the Rockefellers and Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Detectives at Work For months a central office detective had worked in the inner circle of the anarchists, according to the police. He had kept the detective bureau advised of all their plans. This detective, Frank Baldo, assisted in the manufacture of the bomb with which the attempt was made to-day to blow up the cathedral.

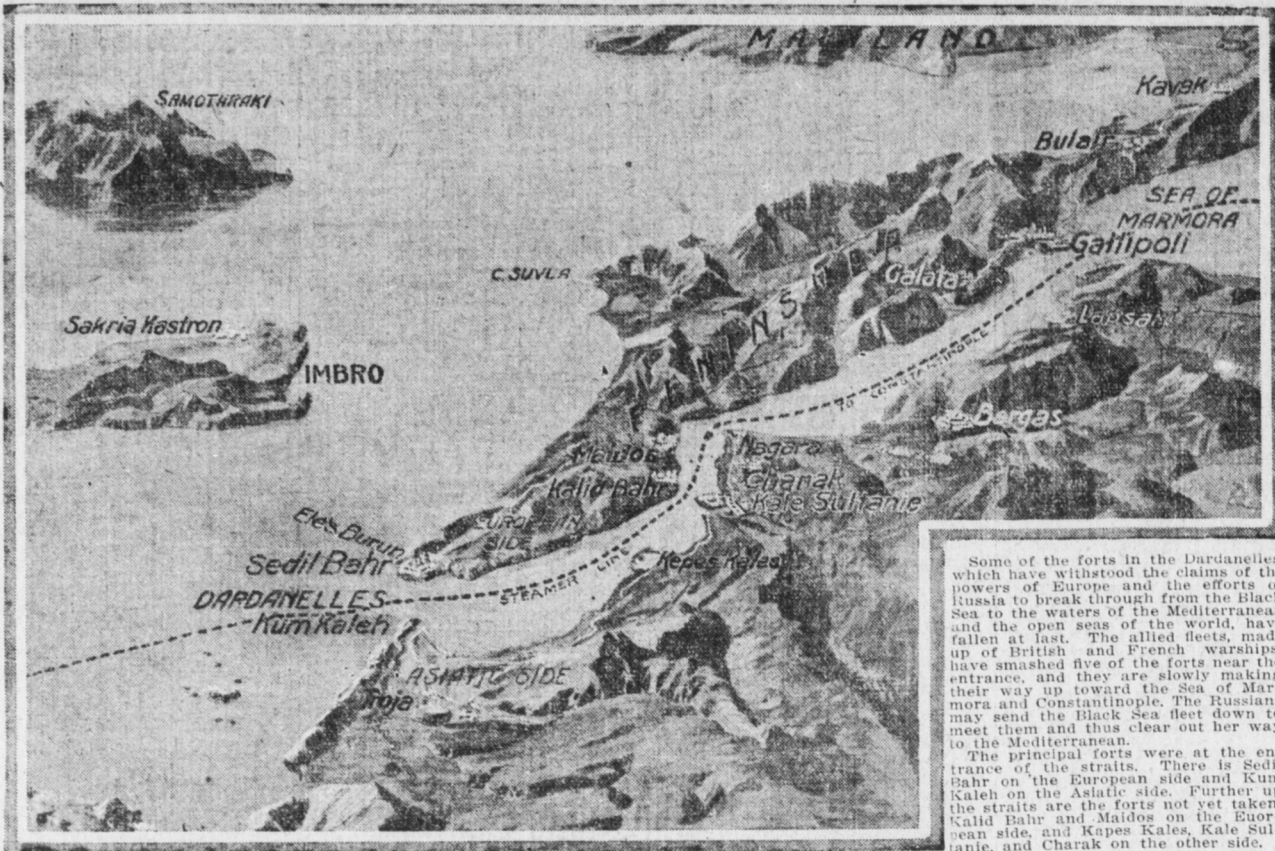
Accomplice Arrested At police headquarters the alleged bomb thrower, Frank Baldo, 24 years old, soon after he was taken to headquarters, detectives acting upon information given them by Baldo, arrested Charles Carbone, a 22-year-old boy, and charged him with complicity in the plot and with helping to make the bomb.

Abarno Under Arrest Abarno realized the identity of his companion a moment after he had lighted from the glowing end of a cigar the fuse of the bomb which he carried under his coat. The missile had barely left his hand, to lie for a moment on the carpet at the foot of the altar, when Baldo plunged his arms behind him, told him that he was under arrest and started to leave the church.

Knights of Pythias Talk Over Plans For Big Benefit Concert at Tech March 10 Details of the proposed big benefit concert for the "quick relief" fund of John Harris lodge, Knights of Pythias were discussed last evening at a meeting of the committee of arrangements following the regular session of the lodge in Union Square.

THE WEATHER For Harrisburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy to-night and Wednesday. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Partly cloudy to-night and Wednesday; colder Wednesday on the north and west portions; moderate north and west winds.

PICTURE MAP OF DARDANELLES AND FORTS DESTROYED BY ALLIED FLEETS



Some of the forts in the Dardanelles, which have withstood the claims of the powers of Europe and the efforts of Russia to break through from the Black Sea to the waters of the Mediterranean and the open seas of the world, have fallen at last. The allied fleets, made up of British and French warships, have smashed five of the forts near the entrance, and they are slowly making their way up toward the Sea of Marmora and Constantinople.

BRITISH REPLY TO AMERICAN PROPOSAL ANXIOUSLY AWAITED

Washington Considering What Step to Take as Result of Latest Announcement of Allies

BOMBARDMENT IS HALTED

Unfavorable Weather Stops Action of Fleet Attacking Dardanelles

Washington is considering to-day what step shall be taken by this country following the announcement by the British and French Governments that they would attempt to cut off trade to and from Germany. Great Britain's reply to the American proposals respecting this general situation, however is yet to be received.

The attack of the Anglo-French fleet on the Dardanelles has been interrupted by unfavorable weather, but a dispatch from Athens states that before the operations were suspended the two Turkish forts at the narrowest part of the straits had been silenced. It is stated that the Turkish army massed on the peninsula for defense of Constantinople consists of 100,000 men.

REPORTS DISAGREE

Of the land operations the most important at present under way are along the East Prussian frontier, in Northern Poland, and in Champagne, on the western front. Concerning the latter engagement French and German reports disagree sharply.

BRUMBAUGH WANTS LOCAL OPTION LAW

Governor Will Make Primary Fight Over State For Measure If It Is Killed

Governor Brumbaugh last night showed the members of the Legislature that he was in earnest about the local option bill presented in the House by Representative Williams, of Toxa, chairman of the law and order committee. The Governor in his

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180 MEN ENTOMBED BY MINE EXPLOSION AT THURMOND, W. VA.

Hinton, W. Va., March 2.—An explosion occurred to-day in the mine of the New River and Pocahontas Consolidated Coal Company, near Thurmond, W. Va. The mine connects with another mine, each employing 80 men, all of whom are believed to have been in the pits when the explosion occurred. Rescue parties were at once organized, and the fans were set going within fifteen minutes after the explosion, but two hours later none of the miners had been brought out.

Assistance was hurried to the mine [Continued on Page 10.]

BEIDLEMAN BILL FOR RECEIVER OF TAXES

Would Do Away With Costly System of Tax Collectors in Counties of This Size

Senator E. E. Beidleman, Dauphin, presented in the Senate this morning a bill for the creation of the office of the receiver of taxes in counties ranging in population from 90,000 to 150,000, which, if passed, would do away with the costly system of tax collection now in operation.

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RELIEF WORKERS TO EXHIBIT SUPPLIES

Paintings and Sketches of War Scenes by Irving College Girls Have Been Received

Artistic water-color paintings and sketches from the brushes and pens of the Irving College misses, together with hundreds of the various garments, bandages and medical supplies made up by the Home and War Relief workers will form a part of the unique exhibition which will greet visitors to the "open house" which is

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STUDENTS TO MAKE VIGOROUS PROTEST

Willing to Take Over Lease of Island Park to Save Elimination of Sports

At meetings of the athletic associations of Central High and Tech High schools, to be held to-day or to-morrow, a vigorous protest will be entered against making Island Park a free athletic field.

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U. S. WILL REPLY TO NOTE FROM ALLIES

President Tells Callers Message Does Not Tell How Blockade Will Be Abolished

Washington, March 2.—The United States will send a note to Great Britain and France in answer to the one received yesterday inquiring what means will be taken in carrying out the policy of holding up supplies being carried to and from Germany.

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TROLLEY EARNINGS DECREASE \$49,449

Total of Over 23 Million Passengers Carried; Operating Expenses Increase

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Harrisburg Railways Company held this morning the report of President F. B. Musser showed a decrease of \$49,449.85 or 18.2 per cent. in the net earnings for the fiscal year.

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REA EXPRESSES FAITH IN BUSINESS FUTURE

Gives Assurance in Annual Report That Improvements Under Way Will Soon Be Completed

Improvements started in Harrisburg by the Pennsylvania Railroad last year will be completed in 1915. Other improvements will be made providing sufficient cash can be procured. This information is a part of the annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad, made public to-day, and signed by President Samuel Rea.

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TRAFFIC ALMOST NORMAL

Berlin, via London, March 2, 10.15 A. M.—The minister of railways has informed the budget committee of the Prussian diet that 70 per cent. of all railways operated in times of peace have been in use since November 1. Passenger and freight traffic, he said, increased steadily up to March 1. The former is now more than 80 per cent. of normal and the latter over 90 per cent.

POLITICAL UNREST INCREASES

Paris, March 2, 5.10 A. M.—Internal dissension and political unrest are increasing in Portugal, according to a special dispatch from Madrid. The directorate of the Portuguese republican party is said to have decided at a meeting held at Lisbon to institute court proceedings against cabinet ministers on charges of violating the constitution.

WILL NOT CALL EXTRA SESSION

Washington, March 2.—President Wilson stated definitely to-day that he has abandoned plans for an extra session of the Senate immediately after March 4 and may not do so even in October.

THIRD JUDGESHIP BILL IN SENATE

The Dauphin county third judgeship bill, which passed the House last night by an emphatic majority, was reported to the Senate this morning and placed on the calendar. The bill providing \$47,000 to pay for cost of advertising constitutional amendments and the uniform cold storage bill were also reported out.

FIRE IN BUSINESS SECTION

Harrisburg—Fire in the Shearer building, 206 Market street, this afternoon, caused damage amounting to \$25. According to Chief John C. Kindler the blaze started between the partitions at the head of the stairway, from a crossed electric wire. The flames were eating through the Owl picture gallery when discovered.

RAILROAD TRAFFIC SUSPENDED

Washington, March 2.—All traffic on the railroad between Mexico City and Vera Cruz has been suspended, official dispatches to the State Department say to-day that the line may be free for military purposes.

BOMB THROWER CONFESSES PLOT

New York, March 2.—It was announced at police headquarters this afternoon that Abarno, the anarchist bomb thrower, had made a confession in which he admitted the existence of a plan to begin a reign of terror in this city which would include the assassination of Andrew Carnegie, John D. Rockefeller, Cornelius Vanderbilt and other wealthy men.

LOCAL OPTION BILL PASSES

Trenton, N. J., March 2.—The Senate to-day passed the local option bill by a vote of 11 to 9 with one senator not voting. The bill provides for a referendum on the question of local option when 30 per cent. of the citizens of a municipality request a special election. The bill will now go to the House.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

William O. Sheets and Ruth R. Stokes, Steelton. George Kunt and Flora Duoka, city.