



FIRE PLUG STREAM FLOODS OUT NEGRO BARRICADED IN HOME

2,000 People See West End Colored Man Hold Posse of Police and Firemen at Bay For an Hour; Fires at Officers Who Attempt His Capture; Tries to Kill Himself, but Cartridges Miss Fire

Wanted on Charge of Threatening to Kill Wife; Frequent Quarrels With Spouse; Had 200 Cartridges on Bed Beside Him; Thought to Be Dope Fiend

Baricaded in his home, 1430 Fulton street, with a 32-caliber revolver and 200 cartridges, Nicholas William Hager, colored, aged 48 years, from 9 to 10 o'clock this morning, held at bay a posse of policemen and a squad of Good Will Fire company members.

A crowd of 2,000 people watched Hager's fight for liberty, from all sides of the house. Car traffic was blocked in Reitz street and other traffic in Fulton, Calder and North Fourth streets, was at a standstill during the excitement.

Hager, who was wanted on a warrant, charging him with felonious assault and battery of his wife, and with threatening to kill her, barricaded himself in the front room on the second floor of his home. Three times he sent bullets at the officers on the outside of the house; and twice he fired two bullets through the door of his room, outside of which were five other officers.

Plug Stream "Gets" Him Hager finally surrendered himself when driven from his room by a fire plug stream. The hose was drawn through the Blough Company manufactory plant to the warehouses, opposite the Hager home. The doors were opened far enough to let the branch pipe of the hose stick out. Then the stream of water was directed to one of the windows of the second story room in which Hager was located. When the water poured into the room, Hager fired two shots at the water from the window. But the water finally proved too wet and he gave up.

Tried to Kill Himself Hager tried three times to kill himself. Twice he placed the revolver barrel to his breast and once at his temple and pulled the trigger. Each time the cartridges missed fire. Before the officers could get to him he intended to give up Hager called out "Good-by everybody."

When Sergeant Page stepped into the room, Hager said: "Come here, I'm ready." He was brought to the police station in the patrol, where a series of other charges of felonious assault and battery with attempt to kill, were lodged against him. He made no denial that he intended to kill his wife if he got a chance.

Quarrels With Wife "Nich" Hager, as he is known in the locality in which he lives, is employed as a night watchman for the Pennsylvania railroad at Lucknow. For some time, it is said, he has been having quarrels with his wife. Neighbors claim that Hager is a dope and whisky fiend.

Mrs. Hager said her husband has been acting strangely of late and was taking some kind of medicine all the time. She said he abused her frequently, and she finally refused to remain in the house with him, except to get his meals, after which she went to her stepmother's house. Mrs. Agnes Williams, 1409 North Fourth street. When Hager returned from work shortly before 7 o'clock this morning, Mrs. Hager was at her stepmother's house. According to the wife's story,

GOING ON A VACATION?

Before you leave home don't forget to order the Harrisburg Telegraph sent to your vacation address; otherwise you'll miss something every day you're away. No matter where you go, the Telegraph will follow you and keep you posted on what is doing in Harrisburg and the rest of the busy world. You won't fish, bathe, dance and play all the time, and you'll long for news from home if you don't get the Telegraph. The cost is just the same as when you are home, 6 cents a week. A postal addressed to the Circulation Department will bring you the next issue.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair to-night and Thursday, somewhat cooler to-night. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair to-night and Thursday; moderate northeast wind.

River The Susquehanna river and all its tributaries will remain nearly stationary. A stage of about 3.4 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Thursday morning.

General Conditions The disturbance that was central north of Lake Huron, Tuesday morning, has moved northeastward to the North Atlantic coast. It caused thundershowers in the last twenty-four hours along the northern and eastern border of the Great Lakes, in the Upper Ohio Valley and thence eastward to the Atlantic coast.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 60. Sun: Rises, 4:57 a. m.; sets, 7:37 p. m. Moon: Full moon, June 26, 11:27 a. m. River Stage: 3.4 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 66. Lowest temperature, 57. Mean temperature, 62. Normal temperature, 72.

REIGN OF TERROR IN MEXICO BORDER CITIES AS RESULT OF 3 EARTHQUAKES

At Least Five Are Killed; Heavy Property Losses in Area Covering Several Hundred Miles

DECLARE MARTIAL LAW; CAVALRY IN STREETS

Greatest Damage at Calexico; Railroad Town Reported Destroyed by Fire; Two Shocks in Arizona

Calexico, Cal., June 23.—Martial law has been declared here and in Mexicali, Mexico, just across the border line, and a reign of terror exists in both towns, resulting from three earthquake shocks last night. Reports of at least five dead and many injured were brought here early to-day by refugees from the Mexican city. Most of the buildings there are in ruins and hundreds are sleeping in the open. The earthquake was accompanied by tremendous outbursts of dust. American cavalry are patrolling the streets here. Villa soldiers are on duty in Mexicali.

El Centro, Cal., June 23.—An earthquake shook up the Imperial Valley of California last night, killed five persons, caused damage estimated at \$1,000,000 in the valley's little cluster of towns, and left almost undamaged the great irrigation system which transformed the valley from a desert to a fertile farming country.

El Centro suffered more than any other town. The five killed were caught in falling walls at Mexicali, just across the border. Martial law was proclaimed there.

As far as can be learned the shocks were severest at and below the Mexican border. The towns of Calipatria and Niland appear to have been injured less than the towns in the south end of the valley. The earthquake extended all the way to Yuma, Ariz. The direction of the first shock was about thirty seconds. This was followed half an hour later by a second shake almost as severe as the first.

Plate glass windows, brick walls and hollow structures were more or less damaged. No one in Imperial Valley was killed. The five reported to have lost their lives in Mexicali were killed when a wall fell.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 23.—Reports of three severe earthquake shocks which resulted in the death and injury of several persons in the Imperial Valley, were received here to-day.

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MILITIA GUARD GEORGIA'S GOVERNOR



GOVERNOR JOHN M. SLATON AND MRS. SLATON

An entire regiment of the Georgia National Guard is kept on hand to protect Governor John M. Slaton from mob violence following his commutation of the death sentence of Leo Frank, condemned for the murder of Mary Phagan. Two machine guns have been placed to guard the approaches to the Governor's country home and a cordon of troops is thrown about the grounds. Riots in the city of Atlanta have kept the police busy since the announcement of the Governor's decision in the case.

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Galician Capital Taken After Campaign Costing Hundreds of Thousands in Killed, Wounded and Captured; Second Advance Takes City From Russians.

Strip of Austrian Territory Still in Hands of Invaders; Czar's Troops Short of Ammunition, Give Up Town Only After Terrible Fighting.

Berlin, June 23, by wireless to Saragossa, L. I.—Lemberg has been conquered after a very severe battle, according to an official report received here from headquarters of the Austro-Hungarian army. The Galician capital fell before the advance of the second army.

Lemberg, capital of Galicia fell before the Austro-German armies which have been sweeping across the province for the last two months. Austria has now reclaimed most of the province of Galicia, occupied by the Russians early in the war. The fall of Lemberg had been expected for several days and was admitted in Petrograd to be imminent. The Russians are reported to have withdrawn most of their forces and supplies from the city, which was threatened with envelopment by the Austro-German armies advancing from the north and south.

South of Lemberg in the Dniester region, a strip of Austrian territory is still in the hands of the Russians. An official statement from Petrograd reports an important victory after a battle along the river which lasted several days. At Rawa Ruska, 32 miles northwest of Lemberg and near the Bukowina border other Russian successes are claimed.

Occupied in September Lemberg, capital of Galicia, was occupied by the Russians on September 2, 1914, about one month after the outbreak of hostilities, in the course of the early Russian drive into Austria. It has therefore been in Russian control for over ten months.

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from Galicia is counted upon in Berlin to help maintain the status quo in the Balkans.

Captured All Galicia The capture of Lemberg was one of the earliest important successes of the Russians. Following it they pushed onward rapidly through Galicia. The high water mark of the invasion found almost all the province in their hands. They appeared within striking distance of Cracow, at the western end of the province, close to the German frontier; stormed the heights and passes of the Carpathian mountains, which separate Galicia from Hungary, and, to the east, toward Bukawana.

All this has been changed by the steady succession of Austro-German victories of the last few weeks. The change began with the launching of the great drive from Cracow eastward. Great numbers of German troops were sent in to assist the Austrians, as well as a vast amount of field artillery. The use of artillery by the Teutonic allies has been described by correspondents as on a scale never before undertaken. Its effectiveness was relatively increased by the shortage of shells on the part of the Russians, which is believed to have contributed largely to the weakening of their resistance.

Terrific Bombardment The Austro-German armies pushed forward westward through Galicia, recaptured Przemyśl, June 3, and then, without pause, struck at Lemberg from the south and west. At no point were the Russians able to withstand the terrific bombardment directed against their positions and even the line of defenses near Grodek, sixteen miles west of Lemberg, which is of great natural strength, proved to be untenable. The objective of a series of fierce and concentrated attacks on the part of the Teutonic allies. Their success

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FOUNDER OF D. A. R. DEAD Saratoga, N. Y., June 23.—Word was received here to-day of the death in a hospital at Washington of Mrs. Ellen Hardin Woolworth, one of the founders of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

LEMBERG'S CONQUEROR HONORED Vienna, June 23, via London, 5:42 P. M.—Emperor William has given Archduke Frederick, of Austria, the rank of Field Marshal in the Prussian army in recognition of his services in the campaign which resulted in the fall of Lemberg.

LANSING GETS BRYAN'S POST Washington, June 23.—President Wilson offered Robert Lansing the post of permanent Secretary of State at a conference held at the White House to-day. It was said officially that an announcement on the subject would be made at 5 p. m.

Calexico, Cal., June 23.—Further earthquake shocks were felt here to-day. Several tremors after midnight were followed by a severe shock at 10 o'clock this morning.

London, June 23, 5:15 P. M.—The steamer Tunisiana has been torpedoed off Lowestof by a German submarine. Her skipper was able to beach her. The Tunisiana was bound from ontreal to Hull with 5,000 tons of wheat. Her crew landed at Lowestof.

Washington, June 23.—From Vera Cruz, Consul Canada reports a train on the narrow gauge line south had been fired on Monday and nineteen persons were reported killed. He also reports that the railway from Vera Cruz to Mexico City had been cut, preventing the leaving of two troop trains.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Howard Nelson Keller and Mary Ellen Harrold, Marysville, Arthur Park Rutherford, Rutherford, and Elizabeth Holmes, Paxtang.

STRIKE STREET FROM MAP FOR PLAYGROUND

Commissioner Taylor Will Offer New Measure to Fill Requirements of Defeated Measure

An ordinance authorizing the striking from the city map of Atlas street from Emerald to a point 234 feet northward—the section that extends through the new Fifth and Emerald

Bad Elephant in Bronx Zoological Park Shot by Assistant Curator

Special to The Telegraph New York, June 23.—The days and the troubles of Gunda, the bad elephant of the Zoological Park in the Bronx, ended this morning, when from the vantage point of the small iron door, leading from the side of the elephant house into his enclosure, Carl E. Ackley, assistant curator of the American Museum of Natural History, sent a bullet into his brain. The killing was ordered by Dr. William T. Hornaday, director of the Zoological Park, with the approval of the Executive Committee, because in the last few days the conduct of the great animal became such that it was no longer

Hugh G. Eastburn, Big State Educator, Dead

By Associated Press Doylestown, Pa., June 23.—Hugh G. Eastburn, 69 years old, president of the Bucks County Trust Company, died at his home here to-day. He was a member of the Bucks County Bar Association, former superintendent of schools of Bucks county and was prominent in educational and financial circles in the state. A widow and two sons survive. The sons are members of the bar.

Hugh G. Eastburn was well known in Harrisburg, attending all conventions of educational bodies and school directors here in the last ten years. He also took a prominent part in the discussion on the school code several years ago at the Capitol.

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