



BALKAN DRIVE IN FULL SWING WITH RUMANIA ABOUT TO FIGHT

Russian Brigade Reaches Saloniki as More Italians Disembark; Indicates Start of Important Campaign; Rumania May Enter Conflict With Allies

FIGHTING ON 150 MILE FRONT GENERAL

Serbs Take Two Forts North of Saloniki While the Anglo-French Are Driving the Bulgarians Back Northwest of Seres; Teutons Make Some Gains in West

The offensive in the Balkans is in full swing with Russian troops arriving in Saloniki to fight with the entente forces and Rumania reported about ready to enter the war on the side of the allies.

Landing of Italian troops who are also to take part in the Balkan operations, is continuing. An official dispatch also reports that Greek troops have been engaged with Bulgarians in the vicinity of Seres.

Indicates Big Campaign

Athens advices indicate that Russian troops have been in the Balkans for more than three weeks, the initial contingent having apparently arrived at Saloniki some time previous to July 31, the news having been just released by the entente camp.

Arrival of the Russians at Saloniki, together with yesterday's announcement that Italian troops had landed there, is another indication that the entente allies have decided to concentrate on this front forces sufficient for an important campaign.

It is only about 350 miles in an air line from Russia to Greece at the nearest point, but Rumania and Bulgaria lie between and to bridge the distance the Russians were obliged to travel thousands of miles. As the Bosphorus is closed by the Turks they were deprived of the short sea route. The Russian troops which were sent to France earlier in the war made a journey of approximately 17,500 miles, traveling by Port Said, Manchester, overland, and thence by water via the Suez canal and the Mediterranean. Since the White Sea is open at this season it is possible that the Russians traveled by the Atlantic route and reached Saloniki by way of Gibraltar and the Mediterranean.

Fighting on Wide Front

To-day's dispatches regarding developments on the Macedonian front indicate that the engagement is becoming general all around the 150-mile line. Immediately north of Saloniki in the Dolra region Serbian troops are reported to have captured two forts, while in the heaviest fighting reported, on the bank of the Struma, the Anglo-French forces are attacking the Bulgarians north of Seres.

Allies Winning in the West

For the moment at least operations on the eastern and western fronts are

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THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Generally fair to-night and Wednesday; cooler Wednesday. For Eastern Shore: Fair to-night and Wednesday; cooler in north and west portions Wednesday; light variable winds becoming south.

River The Susquehanna river and all its branches will probably continue to fall slowly or remain stationary. A stage of about 3.1 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Wednesday morning.

General Conditions The disturbance that was central over Iowa, Monday morning, has moved northward to the Lake Superior region. It has caused showers in Illinois, Missouri, Colorado, South Dakota and Minnesota in the last twenty-four hours.

The temperature has moderated somewhat over the southern part of the Lake Region, but continues high in the Atlantic States and the Ohio Valley, where rises of 2 to 4 degrees to 10 degrees have occurred generally. The center of the heat wave is near Philadelphia, where the temperature at 8 a. m. was 84 degrees, or ten degrees higher than at 8 a. m. Monday. Between the Rocky Mountains and the Mississippi river, including the western part of the eastern portions of the Lake Region, there has been a general fall of 2 to 12 degrees in temperature as a result of an area of high pressure from the Northwest.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 76. Sun: Rises, 5:24 a. m.; sets, 6:25 p. m. Moon: New moon, August 28, 12:51 p. m. River Stage: 3.1 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 97. Lowest temperature, 70. Mean temperature, 83. Normal temperature, 71.



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RUSSIANS LAND AT SALONIKI TO AID IN BIG DRIVE

Will Take Part in Campaign Which Would Have Been Taken by Greeks

HAS EFFECT ON BULGARIA

Definitely Disperses Dream of Greater Greece; Policy Irritates Many

By Associated Press

Athens, July 21, via London, Aug. 22 (delayed by censor).—An initial brigade of Russian troops has arrived at Saloniki to join the entente allies in the fighting in the Balkans.

The arrival of the Russians has created a profound impression here. Even the Royalists, who have consistently opposed participation in the war by Greece on the side of the entente allies, seemed almost stunned by the news that Russian troops had arrived to take part in the campaign, which under other conditions might have been taken by the Greek army.

The general feeling here is that the bringing in of Russian troops has dispelled definitely the dream of a greater Greece which was conceived a year and a half ago by the then Premier Venizelos, who carried Greece well on the way toward entrance in the war with the entente allies.

It is regarded as possible that the presence of Russian forces in Macedonia will effect a change in the attitude of Bulgaria. In some quarters irritation is displayed at the recent foreign policy of the Greek government, which is said to have overlooked the interests of this nation.

Main Crater of Katmai Volcano Found to Be One of Greatest in World

By Associated Press

Kodiak, Alaska, Aug. 22.—The main crater of Katmai volcano is one of the greatest in the world, according to a statement made to-day by Robert F. Griggs, who has reached Kodiak after a careful study of the volcano in the interests of the American Geographic Society.

"This crater," he said, "is miles wide and extends down thousands of feet to a blue-green lake, shimmering and sputtering at the bottom."

Mr. Griggs was accompanied on the expedition by Lucius G. Folsom and Donovan Church, a student at the Ohio State University. This is the first close examination by scientists that has been made of the volcano since the great eruption in June, 1912, when the top of the mountain was blown off and Kodiak Island, across Shelikof Strait, was covered with a foot of volcanic ash.

German Peace Terms Are Intolerable, Asquith Says

London, Aug. 22.—"The German government has as yet shown no disposition to agree to peace except on terms that would be intolerable or humiliating to some of the allies," said Premier Asquith, replying in the House of Commons to-day to Sir William Pollard Byles, one of the little group of peace advocates.

"The suggestion of Dr. Zimmerman (German under-secretary for foreign affairs) that the entente is influenced by any pressure from Great Britain is quite untrue," added the Premier.

Asked further whether terms of any kind had been suggested, Premier Asquith replied:

"Only what has been seen in the press; nothing official."

Veterans' Annual Meeting at Rocky Springs Park Today

Veterans of the Philadelphia division of the Pennsylvania Railroad to the number of 2,000 to-day at Rocky Springs Park, Lancaster. It was the annual reunion meeting and the first basket picnic. Two special trains carried Harrisburgers to Lancaster, where trolley cars were in waiting to take the picnickers to the park.

Philadelphia sent a special train of eleven cars and about 700 people. The program for the day included a business meeting, concerts by the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. band of Enola, athletic sports and dancing. The first train for Harrisburg will leave Lancaster to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

Wants to Go to Heaven, Fattens Conscience Fund

By Associated Press

Washington, Aug. 22.—With a \$4 contribution to the treasury's "conscience fund" to-day came the following letter, signed by a Texas preacher: "You will find inclosed four \$1 bills. The person that is sending them has got to God, and is doing his best to get to Heaven. He wants to beat the government out of several years ago, so please make some disposal of them, as the one sending them don't want them."

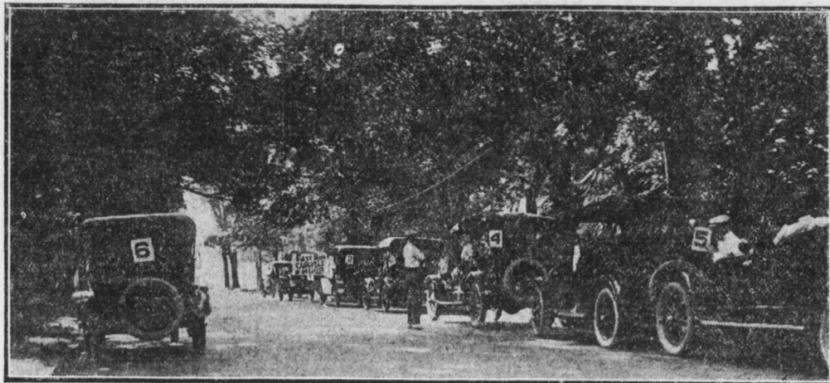
CHURCH GETS CHARTER

On application of Attorney A. E. Brandt, President Judge George Kunkel has granted a charter to the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Harrisburg. Eight directors who signed the petition for a charter are Florence S. Baxter, Roy E. Bignall, Arthur L. Hall, Ethel Searle Hall, Clarence P. Hench, Catherine C. Morganthaler, Lilla A. Peay and A. Carson Stamm. The charter is perpetual and the annual income is not to exceed \$30,000.

OFF TO CAMP

The Boys' Brigade of New Cumberland left this morning for camp at Lewisberry Dam, York county, under the command of the Rev. Thomas Wilcox. They are fully equipped, without rifles.

CARLISLE MOTOR CLUB PARKS CARS IN RIVER-FRONT PARK WHEN THEY REACH CITY ON FIRST SIGHT-SEEING TOUR



Members of the Carlisle Motor Club held their first sight-seeing run to-day, leaving the Cumberland county seat at 7 o'clock this morning and passing through Harrisburg at 8 o'clock. This was the first checking station and above are a few of the cars entered. There were twenty-eight cars in the run carrying 132 people. The trip included stops at Lancaster, Ephrata, Mainheim and Hershey. Dinner was served at Ephrata and supper at Hershey. Almost 150 miles were covered.

EXPECT HALF OF NEEDED NAMES ON PETITION TODAY

754 Signers by Noon; Striking Carmen Assist in Canvass Throughout City

JITNEURS BUSY, TOO

City Clerk Miller Will Keep Office Open Friday Evening He Announces

One hundred and sixty-one additional signatures to the petition in the City Clerk's office, asking Council to amend the jitney ordinance, were obtained until noon to-day. This makes the total number of signers 754, or almost half of the required amount.

During the noon hour a number of men from plants in the outskirts were brought to City Clerk Miller's office by former jitney men. Strike leaders and union men said that they expected to have more than half the required number when the office closed to-day.

City Clerk Miller has consented to keep the office open on Friday evening from 7 to 11 o'clock, for signers who are at work during the day and have no opportunity to go to the courthouse.

Striking car men continued their ward canvassing to-day for men to add the names of the list, and succeeded in getting almost as many as

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Death Threat Is Sent to Candidate Hughes From Los Angeles Party

Special to the Telegraph

Long Beach, Cal., Aug. 22.—The Long Beach police made public yesterday a letter said to have been received by the secretary of Charles E. Hughes, in which the life of the Republican candidate for the presidency is threatened. According to the postmark, the letter was mailed in Los Angeles late Saturday.

"We warned you before you left the Supreme bench that you never would sit in the presidential chair. We will get you. Watch out at Santa Ana."

The letter is unsigned. Mr. Hughes is scheduled to speak through Santa Ana on his way from San Diego to Los Angeles.

Colonel Ott's Dog Wuff Saves Drowning Mongrel

Although he won't get a hero medal presented to him after public commendation, Wuff's a really, truly hero, at least so a certain mongrel dog probably thinks, after being saved from a watery grave and an untimely death.

Wuff, one of the alert hunting dogs on the farm of Colonel Frederick M. Ott, near Rockville, yesterday was the hero. Floating down the river about 100 yards from shore was a burly pup, from which came continuous yowls. Wuff answered, and by dog language learned that one of his fellow creatures needed help. So Ott, Wuff swam, brought back the pup, and tore it open. Inside was a mongrel cur who had probably been thrown into the river up stream. The two dogs are fast friends to-day.

Plans for Labor Day Parade to Be Outlined

A general committee, representing practically all of the labor organizations of the city, will meet this evening at the hall at 221 Market street, at 7:30 o'clock, to plan for a big Labor Day parade.

For several years the city has had normal observance of Labor Day, and the committee is planning now to have one of the largest turnouts of workers in the history of the city. About fifty unions will be represented, and, according to reports from various organizations, the idea is meeting with approval.

SHOT WHILE ROCKING BABY

Huntingdon, Pa., Aug. 22.—Mrs. Catherine Yerko, wife of Michael Yerko, of Mount Union, died here in the hospital yesterday from a wound in the abdomen caused by a pistol shot Saturday night. While rocking her baby some one fired through the window. Before she died Mrs. Yerko accused Nicholas Moritz, her husband's nephew, who was arrested. He denies the shooting, but said he knew Mrs. Yerko before her marriage and followed her from Europe to this country.

COUNCIL PASSES BRIDGE MEASURE

Despite Negative Recommendation of City Planners, Swift and Co. May Build Crossing

Despite the City Planning Commission's recommendation that the ordinance granting Swift & Company the right to erect an overhead bridge across North Seventh street be not passed, City Council this morning by a unanimous vote approved the measure.

Commissioner Gorgas introduced an ordinance designed to compel motorists to provide dimmers on their auto lights while operating in the city and the ordinance evoked some unfavorable comment and criticism from other members of Council.

Mayor Meals, however, hailed the measure as a proper one and insisted that the ordinance merits the support of his colleagues. The bill was passed on first reading. Commissioner Lynch put in ordinance providing for sewers in the following thoroughfares: Sections of Crookwood street and Bellevue road; Agate street from Geary to a point 130 feet west of Geary; in an 85-foot section of a 3-foot-wide alley that runs parallel with and immediately off Agate street, and in an 85-foot section of an adjacent 15-foot-wide alley.

Award Contracts

The contract for grading sections of Nineteenth and Swatara streets was awarded to W. H. Murphy & Son on the recommendation of Commissioner Lynch. The following ordinances were passed yesterday: Laying water pipe in Twenty-seventh street from Derry to Greenwood; appropriating \$1,500 for the completion of the Paxton creek improvement and fixing the compensation of aldermen who hold police court in the absence of the Mayor.

The Commissioners accepted an invitation from the teacher of the Playdomestic school to dine with the pupils of the school on Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

Thirteen Shipwrecked Sailors Coming to Phila.

Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—Signaling that she has on board thirteen members of the shipwrecked crew of the Norwegian steamship Cossack, the British steamship Tamaqua from Glasgow, yesterday at Delaware Capes to-day bound for Philadelphia.

The Cossack was bound from New Orleans for Grangetown, England, with a cargo and was abandoned at sea.

PENNYPACKER ABLE TO SIT ON HIS PORCH IN EASY CHAIR

Schenckville, Pa., Aug. 22.—Former Gov. Samuel W. Pennypacker, who has been ill at his home here since his return from Atlantic City, early in April, showed a slight improvement in his condition to-day.

The former governor, according to his physician, is suffering from a general breakdown. When he returned from Atlantic City he was so weak that it was necessary for his son, B. A. Pennypacker, to take him from one train to another in a wheelchair. Mr. Pennypacker was also a patient at the Pennsylvania Hospital, in Philadelphia, for a short time in April.

Doctor Allen, the attending physician, last night said that the former governor has never fully recovered from the broken arm which he sustained 11 months ago, and has been suffering very much ever since. His pains are of a rheumatic character. At present he is able to sit on the porch in an easy chair. Last week his condition was such that he was confined to his bed.

WOMAN SPY KILED

Paris, Aug. 22.—The execution of a woman as a spy is reported to-day in a Havas dispatch from Marseille. According to this information, Felice Plani was put to death this morning at the Lighthouse Shooting Range, having been convicted of espionage by the Council of War of the fifteenth regiment.

MEN TO EAT WATERMELON

The Men's Bible Class of Stevens Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a watermelon party on McCormick's Island next Tuesday night, August 23. President George W. Bogar is arranging an interesting program.

VALLEY FOLKS COMING HERE

The annual excursion this year of Chambersburg and Waynesboro shoppens will be held on the same date this year, if plans now under consideration are successful. The date will be announced within the next two days.

FIND 20 EXPLOSION VICTIMS

London, Aug. 22.—The bodies of twenty persons killed by the explosion yesterday at a munitions plant in Yorkshire have been recovered. Considerable destruction of property resulted from the explosion.

DID YOU CAST YOUR VOTE FOR QUEEN SALUNGA?

Who Is She? Presiding Spirit of First Annual Kipona, Who Else?

EVERY GIRL ELIGIBLE

Pretty Miss Who Wins Will Sit on Dais and Throne in Special Float

The campaign is on for Queen of the Kipona!

The winner will be the girl who has received the highest number of votes by Saturday, September 2. In keeping with the legendary atmosphere that surrounds the river carnival on Labor Day, it has been suggested that the chosen queen be called "Salunga," which is the euphonious Indian name of the beautiful Chickasaw girl who was the cause of the bloody battle between the Chickasaws and the Susquehannas at Mt. Joy years ago.

The competition is open. Any Harrisburg girl is eligible to become "Queen Salunga." Voting boxes have been put in conspicuous places in the front part of the stores of Eowman and Company, Dives, Pomeroy and Stewart and Kaufman's. Each vote

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President Will Again Veto Immigration Bill if It Comes Before Him

By Associated Press

Washington, Aug. 22.—President Wilson let it be known to-day that he would veto the immigration bill if it came before him again with the literacy test and the Senate defeated the motion to take up the measure and returned to consideration of the revenue bill. The President's announcement, which settled the question, arrived just when the Democrats were continuing their party row over the action of the men revolting Democrats who refused to be bound by the caucus which decided to let the bill go over, and the leaders of the revolt were making caustic replies to the reproaches of a Senator Stone.

On the President's word that he would veto the bill five of the revolting Democrats turned about and voted against the motion to take it up. They were Senators Beckham, Chamberlain, Culberson, Lane and Overman. They made the vote 32 to 23. Senators Ashurst, Hardwick, Myers, Smith of South Carolina and Vardaman, all Democrats, however, stuck to their votes to take it up. The Senate's action means that efforts to consider the bill at this session probably will be dropped.

Sights Deutschland Slowly Steaming Along in Lane

By Associated Press

Newport News, Va., Aug. 22.—Capt. Olsen, of the Norwegian steamer, Alf which arrived here to-day, says that on August 6, he passed the German merchant submarine Deutschland proceeding at a very moderate rate of speed in an east and southeasterly direction.

Seeing the craft low in the water, with masts both fore and aft but with no sails set, Captain Olsen thought she was a sailing ship in distress. When he started toward her she submerged but soon rose to the surface again. The submarine was in the regular steamer track south of Cape Race, longitude 51 west, latitude 41.40.

P. C. KNOX, JR., AT RENO

Philander C. Knox, Jr., son of the former United States Senator and Secretary of State, has been living in Reno, Nev., for a month, according to dispatches received from that city yesterday.

Mr. Knox eloped with a Providence, R. I., shopgirl in March, 1916, and since then there have been spasmodic reports that he was seeking a divorce. Mrs. Knox lived in an apartment in Pine street, near Seventeenth, this city, for a time. She was in charge of a candy counter in a Providence store when "Tip," as the Senator's son is known, met her while attending a school near that city. Mrs. Knox was Miss May Gertrude Boler, stepdaughter of John Geary, a night watchman.

REPLY TO STRIKE PLAN OF WILSON BEING FRAMED

Railroad Presidents Are Drawing Up Counter Proposal For Averting Trouble

HOPE FOR SETTLEMENT

Both Sides Optimistic; Brotherhood Delegates Visit Senate by Invitation

By Associated Press

Washington, Aug. 22.—The answer of more than sixty railway presidents, including those of western roads newly arrived, to President Wilson's proposed plan for averting the threatened strike was being formulated to-day. Every utterance of the railway heads displayed opposition to the President's suggestion, but it was considered possible a counter proposal acceptable to the employees would be made as the basis for further negotiations.

A committee had in charge the framing of a reply and it appeared doubtful that it could be finished to-day. The employees' committee of 640 continued to mark time, and considered issuing a statement refuting charges of the railway heads that the President's settlement plan would provide virtually a 25 per cent. wage increase rather than an actual eight-hour work day.

Cabinet Reviews Situation

While the railroad executives were working to-day on the counter proposal to President Wilson's plan for averting the threatened railroad strike the cabinet went over the situation fully and confidence was expressed by members that in the end, the railroads would accept the president's plan. What assurances the cabinet had to go on for such a conclusion was not disclosed.

Cabinet members agreed that it was not feasible to hurry the railroad executives into a decision as they had many things to consider. The counter proposal is expected to be the next step, but there was no outward discussion of when it would be taken.

Makes Patriotic Plea

The president's yesterday heard from Mr. Wilson at the White House, a strong personal plea for concessions to avoid a tie-up at a time when he said "every ounce of American energy has to be mobilized to meet the ex-

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DEMAIN EXPECTS MERCURY TO GO TO 100 TODAY

Entire East Sweltering in Grip of Worst Heat Wave of Summer

101 AT PHILADELPHIA

Park Department Forced to Water Grass to Prevent Its Burning Out

By Associated Press

Washington, Aug. 22.—No immediate relief from the heat wave which over spreads the country east of the Mississippi is promised by the Weather Bureau. Some material change may be expected to-morrow night or Thursday in eastern districts as a disturbance central this morning north of Lake Superior, causing a decided fall in temperature in that region, is expected to advance eastward within the next thirty-six hours.

With the temperature at 95 degrees at 1 o'clock and still going up, United States Weather Forecaster E. R. Demain predicted the mercury would stand at 100 degrees by 4 o'clock this afternoon.

With the mercury at 95 at 1 o'clock it was just three degrees higher than yesterday at the same hour. Late in the afternoon yesterday 97 was recorded and Forecaster Demain believed the highest to-day will be at least three degrees more.

The entire East is sweltering in the worst heat wave of the summer. Philadelphia at 1 o'clock had a temperature of 101 degrees. Reading and Lancaster recorded temperatures of 98; Pittsburgh's temperature was 95 at 1 o'clock.

In Market Square at noon to-day the thermometers registered 99 and 100 degrees. Along the river front there was a little breeze. The hot wave is drying up the grass in the local parks and to-day forces of men were kept busy sprinkling the grass to prevent it from being destroyed.

The swimming holes in the river were crowded with men, women and youngsters all afternoon and bathtubs were kept busy in many a home. Three heat prostrations were re-

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HARRISBURG HIGHEST TEMPERATURE 98 DEGREES

Harrisburg.—The highest temperature of the year was registered this afternoon when the official thermometer climbed to 98 degrees at 3 o'clock.

961 HAVE SIGNED PETITION

Harrisburg.—Just before the City Clerk's office closed this afternoon, 961 had signed the jitney petition.

RUSSIANS WINNING IN ARMENIA

Petrograd, Ag. 22.—The Russian army of the Caucasus has gained further ground from the Turks, occupying considerable territory west of Lake Van, n Armenia. There is no change on the main battle front in Russia and Galicia.

London, Aug. 22.—A British official announcement this afternoon says it is believed that a German battleship of the Nassau class has been sunk by British submarine E-22.

Berlin, Aug. 22, via London.—The Serbian positions on the Malka Nieceplanina, east of Banica, on the Macedonian front have been captured by troops of the central powers, the war office announced to-day. The French, adds the announcement, have been driven out of Butkhova and Tah-

HOUSE PASSES ARMY BILL

Washington, Aug. 22.—Without the revised articles of war, to portions of which President Wilson and the War Department objected, the House to-day repassed the army appropriations bill. The Senate is expected to insert acceptable revisions and the House is expected to later accept. President Wilson vetoed the bill because of portions of the revision.

TYPHOID VICTIM

Harrisburg.—J. Raymond Hoerner, aged 24, died at the Harrisburg Hospital early this morning from typhoid fever. He is survived by his wife and two children; his father and mother, five sisters and five brothers.

DISAPPEARS AFTER MOTHER'S FUNERAL

Harrisburg.—Relatives of Mrs. Mary Virginia Miller, of Edgemont, have asked the police to aid in a search for the woman, who called at the home of her brother, William H. Thomas, 917 Capital street, last Friday afternoon after attending the funeral of her mother. She left the house and has not been heard from since.