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CITY PASSES ITS GOAL IN RED **CROSS CAMPAIGN**

For Harrisburg's Share of Nation's Fund

WOMEN TAKE HONORS EXPERTS ARE IN CHARGE TELLS HOW HE KILLED

Persons in All Walks of Life

Ordinarily Harrisburg hits the bulleye. But when it comes to a of the American Clearing House, one

Actually raised—\$137,406.22.
The figure given was that reportd at noon to-day at the Board of
rade rooms. That the final total
fill reach \$140,000 seems certain.
The results for the day by the first will reach \$140,000 seems certain.

The results for the day by divisions are as follows; each division consisting of four teams:
Division A, Arthur H.
Bailey, commander, \$2,025 43
Division B, J. William
Bowman, commander, \$2,892 71

er, Division C, George S. Reinoehl, commander, Division D, John F. Sweeney, commander Division E, Mrs. Marlin E. Olmsted, com-Executive Committee W. T. Hildrup, Jr.

Previously reported, . . Total for Harrisburg,... Auxiliary towns to-day,

S137,500 S13 Collections By Tean
1—Capt. Allen,
2—Capt. Murray,
3—Capt. Rodenhaver,
4—Capt. Rodenhaver,
5—Capt. Hilleary,
6—Capt. McCormick,
7—Capt. Sites,
8—Capt. Wert,
9—Capt. Hall,
11—Capt. Hall,
11—Capt. Gilbert,
13—Capt. Gough,
14—Capt. Lowengard,
15—Capt. Pass,
16—Capt. Tritle,
17—Mrs. Boyd,
18—Mrs. Chamberlin,
19—Mrs. Hall,
20—Mrs. Tate,

Auxiliary Town Totals

Lykens,\$2,150	
Elizabethville, 997	
Gratz 286	
Wiconisco,	
Enders, 180	
Halifax, 350	
Millersburg, 1,300	
Williamstown, 1,199	
Loyalton, 100	
Hershey, 1,374	
Hummelstown, 862	
Lemoyne,	
Duncannon, 2,125	
Newport, 600	
Camp Hill, 515	
New Cumberland, 825	
During today's luncheon pep	W
added to the proceedings when n	i

added to the proceedings when nine little folks from the Majestic Theater put on a sketch of a patriotic nature. Under the direction of Miss Ruth Daniels they did very nicely. The children were John and Edward Quillan, Mary Caroline Daniels, Thomas Quillan, and Mollie, Lilly, Bernard, Esther and George Shapiro.

Sevplosion in munitions factories at explosion in munitions factories at machine made in the lower house of the Austrian Parliament by the minister of defense, as forwarded in a dispatch from Vienna. The casualties were given by the minister as follows:

Dead, 136; missing, 170; woundpiro.

Of the wounded 520

Washington, June 23.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Sunday, issued by the weather bureau to-day follow: Middle Atlantic States: War weather first half and lower temperature second half of week, occasional local showers and thunder storms probable.

Germans Told Horrible Tales of How Prisoner Plot to Do Dams By Associated Press Copenhagen, June 23.—The

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Un-settled weather, probably show-ers and thunderstorms to-night and Sundary; not much change temperature. The change of the change for Entern Pennsylvania; Prob-ably showers and thunder-storms to-night and Sundary; not much change in temperature; moderate variable winds.

River
the main river will rise except
the upper portion, which will
begin to fail to-night; all tributaries will probably fail, except
local rises may occur as a resuit of heavy showers; a stage
of about 5.9 feet is indicated
for Harrisburg Sunday morning.

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General Conditions

Scattered showers, mostly light,
fell in the upper Ohio Valley, in
New York and Central Pennsylvania, and in the western Canadian provinces; no decided
temperature since last report,
it is somewhat cooler over a
part of the lake region, the
southern Rocky Mountain region and in western Canada;
over the greater part of the remainder of the Country slightly
higher temperatures are generally reported.

perature, S a. m., 72 degrees. riaes 4.29 a. m. a, full, July 4. r stage, 5.2 feet.

Yesterday's Weather st temperature, 87. it temperature, 60. temperature, 74. al temperature, 72.

PERSHING PUTS ALL SUPPLIES UP TO RED CROSS

Workers Turn in \$137,406.22 U. S. Commander Orders Italian Fugitive Breaks Down Amalgamation of Vast Depots

Contributions Are Given by Necessity of Sending Amer- Efforts Redoubled to Bring ican Army to France Recognized

By Associated Press

campaign for funds for meritorious of the chief institutions for handling dealer, abandoned to-day his prepurposes Harrisburg shoots over the the vast supplies contributed by tense of innocence of the murder of America, with the American Red Cross For example in the Red has been decided upon by General Ruth Cruger and confessed his guilt. Pershing. The transfer has already Jealousy was his motive. begun and the organization of the Clearing House and all its assets will unable, he declared, to win her love be in the hands of the Red Cross by and became furious when she re September 1. The Clearing House has been the intermediary between 5,000

ity the numrous missions of the military character that have arrived at one time or another.

Need U. S. Troeps

This has been going on for a full week and the French ministry of war has been notified that all requests upon it for mission groups of any kind must and will come through American headquarters. The result sought is to eliminate confusion and duplication of effort. Each mission will work under the authority of one head.

The longer the American military leaders are here the more they appreciate the importance which the French attach to America's decision to send troops. The soldiers are desirable not merely for themselves but because American participation in the war in a military way has had a wonderfully inspiring effect on all the other allied troops.

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The women's division captured all slight injuries. The minister said the explosion probably was due to lack of caution on the part of men employed in a trench mortar workshop.

Tales of How Prisoners Plot to Do Damage

Plot to Do Damago

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COCCHI ADMITS HE MURDERED RUTH CRUGER

Under Searching Questioning

Fiend Back to New York For Trial

Bologna, June 23 .- Alfredo Cocchi buffed his persistent attentions

been the intermediary between 5,000 final total certain.

been the intermediary between 5,000 been the intermediary between 5,000 division of the United States and has handled 5,000,000 francs worth of food and clothing and 11,000,000 francs in casin. All its administration has been by american volunteers under the presidency of H. Herman Harjas and the business management of H. O. Beatty, who becomes director general of the merged bodies.

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The new organization with which the Clearing House combines is the American Red Cross for France and Belgium, which recently arrived with Major Grayson Murphy, a member of the war council, as chief commander and James H. Perkins as assistant. The work of the Red Cross has now been divided under the following leads:

Military affairs engineering social with the United States and has handled 5,000,000 francs in casin. All its administration has been by secretary whose escape the New York police failed to prevent, were made in tears after searching interrogation by Judge Zucconi broke down Cocchi's reserve. Prior to this examination Cocchi had coolly and insistently maintained he had known Miss Cruger only two days before her disappearance in February, when she went on his shop to have her skates sharp-toned, and had declared; his conduct.

His Nerve Breaks

Under Judge Zucconi's searching

heads:

Military affairs, engineering, social conditions, civil affairs, transportation, finance, information, with experts heading each branch.

The amalgamation is but one portion of the constructive co-ordinative work with which General Pershing has been busying himself since his arrival. As one of his first steps, he found it necessary to combine, centralize and subordinate to one authority the numerous missions of the military character that have arrived at one time or another.

His Nerve Breaks

Under Judge Zucconi's searching questions to-day, however, Cocchi finally burst into tears. He became so agitated as his confession fell haltingly from his lips that the persons surrounding him believed he was granted time to recover and then resumed the story of how the eighteen-year-old Wadleigh High hands in the building where her body was recently unearthed from the cellular.

WOMAN WHO FOUND RUTH CRUGER'S BODY



Mrs. Grace Humiston, the New York lawyer, whose persistence in the ans. Grace Humiston, the New York lawyer, whose persistence in the belief that missing Ruth Cruger was a victim and that her body would be found in the shop of Alfredo Cocchi, led to the uncovering of the girl's body. Out of Mrs. Humiston's efforts is growing a movement to safeguard young girls from the city's "wolves."

NATION BEGINS GREAT DRIVE FOR VOLUNTEERS

ried Men to Join Colors For War Service

The longer the American military leaders are here the more they appreciate the importance which the French attach to America's decision to send troops. The soldiers are desirable not merely for themselves but because American participation in the war in a military way has had a wonderfully inspiring effect on all the other allied troops.

Thousand Casualties

Result of Munitions

Blast in Austria

By Associated Press

Amsterdam, June 23.—More than 1,000 persons were killed or injured or are missing in consequence of an explosion in munitions factories at Bloeweg, according to an announcement made in the lower house of the Austrian Parliament by the minister of defense, as forwarded in a dispatch from Vienna.

The casualties were given by the soldiers are desirable not marked to American attach to American attach to America's decision to send the prison attendants:

"At last I feel relieved. I have the myself from a nightmare which tortured myself from a nightmare which totacene. Now I have told everything and I am ready to suffer any penalty."

Pleas Illness

Previous to his examination Cocchi has the close confinement under which he was ill with a fever and asked to be sent to a hospital. The prison doctor could find no symptoms of sickness and his I just was refused.

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Washington D. C. June 23.—The Course grave for the back to this country, in additive back to the scanner of the country, in additive back to the scanner of the country, in additive back to this country, in additive back to the scanner of the country, in additive back to this c

ANOTHER U-BOAT COMES TO GRIEF IN SEA BATTLE

President Calls For Unmar- American Gunners Knock Off

Washington, D. C., June 23.—A nation-wide drive of one week to recruit 70,000 men to bring the regular army up to its authorized war strength of 300,000 men began today in accordance with President Wilson's proclamation calling for volunteers.

This is the first step in the war organization of America's army. Next is the task of completing the full strength of the National Guard; then comes the selection of men for

PARK EXTENSION

cupying Temporary Quarters Must Vacate

Underground Conduits Will Be Placed; All Buildings Down August 1

Things are moving rapidly in the final steps for the permanent treat-Buildings Shreiner to-day notified of a general engagement. the heads of the various departments Board of Public Grounds and Build ings having determined to proceed without delay in the regrading of the extension section and the instal-lation of underground conduits and service pipes of every sort. Superin-tendent Shreiner also invited propos-als to-day through advertisement for the removal of several proporties in

he removal of several properties in Fourth, Walnut and Short streets. Fourth, Walnut and Short streets. At the present time the contracting firms which purchased the buildings are removing the St. Lawrence Catholic Church and schoolbuildings, the old Fry Hotel and other structures. The National Hotel at Fourth and State streets, has entirely disappeared, and the basement has about been filled up to the level of the ground as is provided in all sales of these properties. All Down By August 1

It is expected that all the buildings now remaining will have been removed on or before the first of American Gunners Knock Off
Periscope With WellAimed Shot

An Atlantic Port, June 23.—A fight between an American freight steamship and a German submarine which took place June 6 one day out from Genoa, Italy, and resulted in the navy gunners on the American vessel scoring at least one hit, was reported by the captain of the steamer on its arrival here to-day. The captain said the U-boat suddenly appeared at a distance of about 500 yards and launched a torpedo. Its wake was clearly discernible and it was possible to maneuver the vessel so that it missed the ship by about twenty feet.

The was immediately opened on the U-boat from a stern gun and twas possible to maneuver the vessel so that it missed the ship by about twenty feet.

The reap and the U-boat disappeared. The American vessel so that it missed the ship by about twenty feet.

This is the second encounter reported by the captain said, struck the periscope, the last shot fired hit the water on the la

WORK ON CAPITOL GERMAN ARMY MOVING RAPIDLY ASSAULTS IN Heads of Departments Occupying Temporary Quar-

TO START REGRADING Crown Prince Fails to Gain Any Substantial Success in Terrible Assault on French Positions Along the Aisne; Tide of Battle Turns in Favor of Defenders Whose Artillery Makes Great Inroads Into Infantry

Heavy attacks by the Germans are continuing along the Aisne perintendent of Public Grounds and front with the fighting at times assuming almost the proportions

No substantial successes have attended the Crown Prince's efforts. The latest bulletins from the front, indeed, indicate the cleared area east of the Capitol that fighting to be turning even more favorably for the French, whose they must immediately vacate, the artillery is proving that it has lost none of its effectiveness in

> on the Chemin des Dames, in the neighborhood of Epine de Chevregny in one such attack. Last night they newal of the French offensive movement which was expected in this important sector, southwest and south of the fortress of Laon, the German pose apparently is to forestall the readvance. So far as appears. Genmanding positions, while the Germans have sacrificed heavily for such small gains as they have been able

ENGLAND LIFTS BAN

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By Associated Press

London, June 23.—The government
has decided to relax the prohibition
upon importations of cotton hosiery
and glassware from the United States.
Licenses for the importation of these
goods will be granted.

LAST CONTRACT LET

Washington, D. C., June 23.—Let-ng of contracts for the national rmy cantonments was completed

TAKE UP WAR-TIME PROHIBITION

Washington, June 23. - Prohibition as war measure loomed up as the big issue in the House to-day with a sharp fight promised before a final vote on the food control bill, which is expected by to-night. The Meeker amendment to strike out the price-fixing section of the bill was rejected by a vote of 125 to 33.

RED CROSS NEAR GOAL

Washington, June 23. - More than \$77,500,000 was marked up at Red Cross headquarters to-day toward the hundred million humanity fund. Leaders in every city were exerting efforts to put their campaigns through with a glorious finish. Monday, the closing day will be known as Pershing Day.

TO TRANSFER CHURCH

Chambersburg, June 23. - Judge S. J. McCarrell, Harrisburg, Edward Hays, of Newville, and J. R. Ruthrauff, Chambersburg, met here this afternoon to arrange Spring congregation.

LABOR MAN ARRESTED

Philadelphia, June 23. - Charged with attempted blackmail and extortion in connection with an agreement to end a strike at a plant in this city where government work is being done, Robert S. Walsh, a picket for local union No. 15, International Molders' Union, was to-day held in \$2,500 bail for a further hearing on Mon-

FRENCH REPULSE ATTACK

Paris, June 23. - Continuing their offensive on the Aisne front, the Germans last night made repeated attacks in the region of Vauxaillon and southeast of Filain They also multiplied their efforts against the French positions north of Froidmont, where they failed yester-

SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGN CLOSES

Harrisburg. - The Red Cross campaign in Harrisburg came to a close here at noon to-day with a total of \$137,406.22 subscribed The city set out to raise \$100,000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Harry Gray Dyblie, Harrisburg, and Jeannette Morrison Mullen, Penbrook, Daniel Franklin Carl, Jr., and Mabel May Bolton, Linglentown. John Grant and Elia Auchaeen, Harrisburg, Charles Lane Boomer, Harrisburg, and Elia Amanda Snith, Mt. Holly? Athert Leftoy Egolf and Maude Ford, Harrisburg, Murtin Lloyd Speck and Helea Katharine Baish, Dillsburg, Harvey Peters Rhoads, East Handver township, and Annie Elizabeth Eshelman, Shellsville. Guy Luther Dobbs and May Montgomery Stouffer, Harrisburg.