

WHOLE RUSS FRONT ALIVE WITH BATTLE

Germans Rush Troops From Other Fronts in Effort to Hold Lines Assaulted by Armies of New Republic; Teuton Commanders Entirely Rearrange Their Positions to Receive the Shock

AUSTRIANS IN FULL FLIGHT TO THE CARPATHIANS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT

Sea Transports Used to Get Needed Reinforcements to Scene of Battle; Heavy Automobiles Pressed Into Service Near Lemberg For Quick Moving of Infantry to Threatened Lines

Washington, July 16. — The whole Russian front from the Gulf of Riga to Rumania is reported in official dispatches to-day from Petrograd to the Russian embassy here to be alive with battle.

On the northern front near Riga German reinforcements are rushing up by sea transport. On the Lemberg front the troops are being shifted back and forth by means of heavy automobiles in an attempt to prevent further advances by General Korniloff.

Kaiser Plans Offensive

The German reinforcements of the Riga front by transport is understood to be for a German counter offensive as a diversion to the severe Russian attacks further south.

On the Lemberg front the left flank of the Austro-German army defending that city is stated to be seriously threatened with the result that the enemy is rushing men back and forth in heavy automobiles in order to support the weakened wing.

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Russian Army Takes 35,809 Prisoners and Many Guns in Battle

Petrograd, July 15. — The Russians yesterday captured sixteen officers and 900 Austro-Germans in the battle in Eastern Galicia, says the official statement issued to-day by the Russian War Department.

Serial Numbers of Conscriptable Men On Pages 6 And 7

Continuing publication of the serial numbers and names of men liable for conscription, the HARRISBURG TELEGRAPH presents this evening the remaining city division and part of the first county division, on pages 6 and 7.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy to-day; Tuesday, fair, followed by thunderstorms in the afternoon; not much change in temperature.

Germans Make Series of Strong Attacks in an Effort to Break Lines

Paris, July 16. — The Germans made a series of strong attacks last night between the Somme and the Aisne and in the Champagne.

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Break With Germany Is Urged in Austrian Diet as Means to Get Peace

Zurich, July 15. — The Austrian Reichsrath was thrown into an uproar Saturday when the former Czech Minister Herr Praschek declared the hate of the entire world was not directed against Austria, but against Germany.

Boy Scout Court of Honor Is Appointed

George B. Tripp, president of the Central Construction Company; Robert B. Reeves, general secretary of the Harrisburg Y. M. C. A.; John E. Musser, president of the Dauphin B. Fager, Jr., principal of the Technical High School, and William Bowman, Bowman and Company, will constitute the court of honor for the Harrisburg Council Boy Scouts of America.

COMPANIES D AND I ON ISLAND TRAIN FOR WAR



Above is a view of the "Tented City" on Island Park baseball grounds which is sheltering Companies D and I, of this city. They went into camp yesterday and to-day everything is in first-class condition.

POLICE SUSPECT TOMPKINS IN AUTO TRAGEDY

Search For Alleged Highwaymen Ceases Because of Doubt of Existence

Johnstown, July 16. — To clear the mystery surrounding the shooting yesterday on a country road near Carrolltown, this county, of Edward Humphries, coal operator, Mrs. Carrie Humphries, his wife, and 16-year-old son, Edward Humphries, Jr., all members of an automobile party, was the task taken up by District Attorney D. H. Weimer and other county authorities.

According to the story told by Tompkins, the highwaymen surprised the party while a punctured tire was being repaired and that the shots which caused the deaths of the Humphries were fired at a distance of seventy feet in front of the automobile.

Now For Forty Days of Rain if Legend Tells Truth

Sowers yesterday—it being St. Swifth's Day—led many to wonder how much truth there is in the ancient legend.

"Charlie" Fleck Wreathed by Cloud of Smoke Is Back on Job

When reporters dropped into the police station this morning on their morning rounds the first greeting was "Charlie Fleck is back." Sure enough Charlie, looking chipper as ever, is pushing the little switches on the telephone desk and getting police patrons accustomed to his short and crisp "Hello."

MINERS FORCE EXODUS OF ALL ALIEN FAMILIES

Situation in Missouri Lead Belt Serious, Military Authorities Believe

Flat River, Mo., July 16. — The situation in the lead belt in Southeastern Missouri, from which American-born miners have driven hundreds of foreign-born workers during the last two days, was still serious to-day, in the opinion of the civil and military authorities here.

Navy Places Another Big Shell Contract With Pipe and Pipe Bending

W. T. Hildrup, Jr., general manager of the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Works, announced to-day that the United States Navy Department had placed a large contract with the local company for four-inch shells.

States Delay Draft of New National War Army

Washington, July 16. — The burden of responsibility for hastening the first drawing of men for the new national army to-day rests entirely on the shoulders of the State and local authorities.

GOVERNOR SIGNS ROAD BILL AFTER SLASHING IT

Measure as Approved Carries \$10,373,470.40 For Highways

Governor Brumbaugh to-day announced that he had approved the State Highway bill, after cutting half a million dollars from the two-million-dollar item for "constructing and maintaining state-aid highways."

Body of Steelton Youth, Who Drowned at Dauphin, Is Recovered Here

The body of Lawrence Brandt, aged 19, of Steelton, who was drowned in the Susquehanna river Thursday afternoon while bathing at Dauphin, was found early this morning by Merle Danner and John Marshall, employed at the city filter plant.

U. S. to Send a Part of National Guard to France Within a Few Weeks

Washington, July 16. — Mobilization of the National Guard for war service begins to operate when orders for embarkation of State troops for France will be given until after August 5, when the entire force will be formally drafted into the United States army, there are indications that some divisions will be regarded as ready to board transports soon after that date.

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Harrisburg this morning again turned out to give the departing members of Truck Company No. 1 a rousing farewell.

Practically the same organizations turned out again this morning for a short parade prior to the leaving of the guardsmen.

CROWN PRINCE LEAVES BERLIN

Amsterdam, July 16. — Berlin reports that the German crown prince who has been in Berlin in connection with the political crisis, has left for the western front.

GERMANS NOT BACKING I. W. W.

Washington, July 16. — Reports that the activities of the Industrial Workers of the World in the west recently have been financed by German gold have failed of substantiation after an exhaustive investigation by federal agents.

TOMPKINS CHARGED WITH MURDER

Johnstown, Pa., July 16. — George K. Tompkins, Jr., a Philadelphia coal operator, arrested in connection with the mysterious deaths by shooting, of Edward Humphries, his wife and son, yesterday, on a country road near here, was formally charged with murder before a justice of the peace to-day and is locked up in the Cambria county jail.

GERMANS TO TRY FOR PEACE

Amsterdam, July 16. — A Berlin telegram to an Amsterdam news agency quotes the Tageblatt of Berlin to the effect that the Catholic party in the Reichstag has decided with two dissenting votes to make a declaration in favor of peace efforts without regard to the attitude of the National-Liberals.

RUSSIANS REPULSE ATTACK

Petrograd, July 16. — The Russians have driven the Austrians out of the village of Dodziany, Northeast of Kalusz the Germans began an attack this morning. The Russians threw them back.

BERLIN CLAIMS SUCCESS

Berlin July 16. — Three attempts made by the British yesterday morning to recapture the positions won by the Germans at Lombaertzyde on the Belgian front, says a statement issued by the German war department, were repulsed with heavy losses to the attackers.

NEW CHANCELLOR TO MAKE MAIDEN TALK THURSDAY

Successor to Hollweg Expected to Outline Program For Continuance of War

MAPS PEACE POLICY

Reichstag Stand Approved and Censured by Different Factions

Copenhagen, July 6. — Dr. George Michaelis, the new chancellor, will deliver his maiden speech in the Reichstag Thursday.

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FOUR OF KAISER'S LARGEST U-BOATS SUNK BY U. S.

American Warships Destroy Germany's Most Modern Submarines in Battle

BERLIN ADMITS LOSS

Three Die When Undersea Pirate Sinks U. S. Merchantman

London, July 16. — Four of the largest and most modern German submarines were destroyed by American warships which were conveying the first instalment of American troops to France, according to a report from German sources.

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