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RUSSIAN ROUT **UNMATCHED IN WAR'SHISTORY**

Great Nation Struck Appalling Blow Because of Treachery and Cowardice on Part of Army Divisions at the Front; British and French Guns and Gunners Unable to Bolster Up Courage of Demoralized Troops

INFANTRYMEN SHOOT ARTILLERYMEN TO GET HORSES FOR WILD FLIGHT TO REAR

Situation Gravely Dangerous With Swift and Decisive Action Necessary to Save Nation; Chaos and Anarchy Ahead if Provisional Government Fails to Meet Successfully Issue Put Forward by German

London, July 26. - A dispatch to the Post from Petrograd says that under General Korniloff's drastic measures to restore order in the Eleventh army, one whole division thereof was blown to pieces by their own artillery "to avenge the insults which all loyal troops, especially the artillery, have been silently enduring for the past four months from these traitorous rascals.'

London, July 26. - An appalling blow is the description of the Russian collapse given in a dispatch from Petrograd to the Post. Never in the war has Russia put afield such enormous armies. British and French guns and gunners, flying machines, aviators and British armored cars were added to the unprecedented technical strength of the Russians themselves to make this particular front equal to anything. The artillery was planted on admirably natural prepared positions. There were places where the artillery

THE WEATHER

for Harrisburg and vicinity. Fair to-night and Friday. Continued

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Partly cloudy to-night. Friday fair. Gentle south winds.

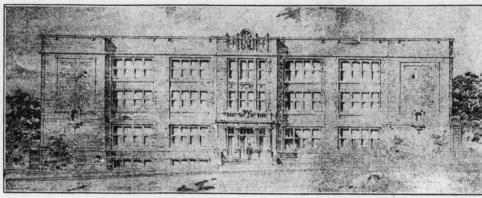
River

The Susquehanna river and all its branches will continue to fall slowly. A stage of about 4.6 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Friday morning.

emperature at S a. m.: 74 derees. n: Rises \$4.52 a. m. con: Full moon August 2. ver Stage: 4.8 feet.

Yesterday's Weather st temperature 85. at temperature 73. temperature 79.

ELEVATION OF NEW JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLBUILDING



For Sessions of Third

Class City League

CONFEREES WILL KEEP SECRET ITS FOOD BILL WORK

Nothing to Be Made Public Until Control Measure Is Complete

By Associated Press Washington, July 26.—Conferees on the administration food control bill to-day undertook to reconcile

on the administration food control bill to-day undertook to reconcile differences between the House and Senate with a vigorous fight threatched over certain features of the legislation. Their task was made the more difficult by the action of the House in instructing its conferees to disagree to all Senate amendments. The main contests were expected to come over the Senate's proposals for the creation of a congressional war expenditures committee and a food control board of three members, both of which are opposed by President Wilson.

The President wants the war expenditures committee eliminated because, he says, it would embarrass him in the conduct of the war and also the proposal to have three food commissioners instead of one because he wishes to leave Herbert Hoover unhampered in his work.

Several Differences

The Senate's amendments to fix a semit continuance of the use of food-stuffs in the manufacture of light wines and beer also are subjects of differences to be overcome in conference. In their first session to-day gen-

Tremendous Losses of Herr Forestern the State State of the State of th

Sydney, C. B., July 26.—Officials of the Dominion Coal Company to-day said they had been unable to determine the cause of the explosion in the company's mine at New Waterford yesterday which caused the death of sixty-two men. Forty-six bodies had been located early to-day. Officials said there was no fire in the mine.

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By Associated Press
With the American Forces in France (Wednesday), July 25.—The Instruction of the American forces occurred to-day. A solicer became too inquisitive in regard of the construction of a live French omb among the supply broacht to amp for training purposes. He exacted the safety pin in some months and the safety pin in safety ner and very soon thereafter a load explosion occurred. Fortunately for the soldier the bomb did not contain a charge of full battle strength, or he would have been blown to pieces. As it was, he escaped with the loss of his right hand.

At every vantage point near 'the camp men in khaki and men in blue could be seen to-day drilling, marching and digging side by side. Field maneuvers were in progress at several places, while from more secluded spots came the rattle of machine guns. Musketry practice was being held and on every hand was activity which was most impressive.

By Associated Press

An Atlantic Port, July 26.—The establishment.

KILLED IN FALL TO ROOF

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DECIDE TO HOLD COMMEND LOCAL **BIG CONVENTION** RECRUITING IN IN HARRISBURG SPECIAL LETTER

Council Agrees to Arrange Captain Harrell's Office Is Praised by War Department For Enlistments

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Willard and Buffalo

Bill Wild West Show Here For Exhibitions

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WILLED IN FALL TO ROOF

Owing to the war conditions existing in this country to-day, nearly every bridge, viaduct and tunnel throughout the country is guarded by our soldiers, who have little or no chance to buy a daily paper or reading matter of any kind. If you will throw this paper off to one of them when you are through with it, or a magazine you may have read, we feel

PHYSICAL TEST TO COME FIRST IN ARMY DRAFT

Claims For Exemption on National Guardsmen and Any Ground Will Then Be in Order

TO PREPARE A KEY LIST FIFTY ARE UNDER ARREST SAY THE KAISER IS SAFE

Drawn How They Stand

By Associated Press

Washington, July 26.—While local selection boards were at work today assembling men of the sective draft forces, officials of the provost marshal general's office began preparing a new publication to furnish registered men with an easy method of keeping track of their status in their districts.

The new list will be issued with cross reference by number between the red ink and drawing numbers. It will be possible for those, supplied with the lists to inform any man almost instantly in what order he was drawn when he furnished his red ink number. Presumably these lists will be placed in the selection boards' headquarters so that registrants may find out quickly where they stand. If the master list is used for this purpose it might be necessary to read over several thousand numbers before a registrant could find his own number.

To Give Instructious
A careful outline of the proceed to be followed both by the selectic slass being prepared for public tion. Registrants and their relative

May Send Packages Now to Friends in Service With Troops in France

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Par-

Postmaster Sites received the new regulations this morning and posted them in the local office. At inter-vals since some of the local boys landed in France of the local boys vals since some of the local boys landed in France friends and relatives in Harrisburg have made inquiries how they would send packages to the "Sammies" in France. Postmaster Sites was unable to help them out under the old regulations.

Holland to Send Mission Here Because of Embargo

The Hague, July 26.—"We are going to America to clear up what we believe is a misunderstanding of our position," said J. B. Van Der Höuven van Cordt, member of the mission which is being sent to the United States to plead the cause of Holland in the export question, in a statement made here to-day. He is former vice-president of the council of the Netherlands and the East Indies and former under secretary for the colonies.

"We shall go prepared to show the United States government and people by facts and figures the real situation," he continued. "I believe it is in the interests of America and her allies that our traffic with America shall continue. For instance, sixty or seventy Dutch ships are now in American ports. That alone is a big disadvantage to the allies in view of the shortage of cargo space."

Hurley to Rush Work on New U. S. Marine

Washington. July 26.—Work on America's new merchant marine, it was said to-day, probably will begin soon under the guidance of Edward N. Hurley, whose appointment as chairman of the shipping board to succeed William Denman has been ratified by the Senate.

Senate action on the nomination of Bainbridge Colby, of New York, to succeed Captain John B. White, was being withheld to-day pending the result of an inquiry concerning his political status by Senators Wadsworth and Calder, of New York.

The resignation of Theodore Brent The resignation of Theodore Brent-vice-chairman of the board, still was before the President. It prob-ably will be accepted. White House officials said a successor was under consideration but would not reveal

CHESTER QUIET AFTER A NIGHT OF RACE RIOTING

State Police Aid in Restoring Order

Hurt in Street Battles

By Associated Press

and negroes in the river front section

were shot; a dozen were otherwise hurt, and about fifty whites and Press who has just returned here inciting to riot.

The outbreak was the sequel of an affair Tuesday night, when Edward McKinney, 21, was stabbed by two (Continued on Page 6)

Siam Interns Germans Resident in Country

By Associated Press
Bangkok, July 26.—The machinery
of the Austro-German steamers which
were seized after Siam had declared
war against the central powers July
22, was found to be damaged.
All male subjects of enemy countries have been interned and all enemy business will be wound up.

line steamers, aggregating 19,000 tons, were seized by the Siamese government with its entrance into the war. They were owned chiefly by the North German Lloyd Company,

BERLINS WORLD **CONQUEST DREAM NOW SHATTERED**

Newly-Captured Peasants Do Not Know America Has Entered the War

Table Will Show Men First Four Men Shot and Many Teutons So Used to Monarch That They Refuse to Depose Him

blacks were arrested, charged with after a visit to the large internment mately 1,900 German prisoners are quartered, is enabled to present many interesting sidelights on the German viewpoint as represented by men of (Continued on Page 6)

Private Decorated For Rescue of Drowning Child

By Associated Press
Paris, July 26.—The newest member
of the Legion of Honor is Private
Charles Caulet, who, despite the amputation of his leg, risked his life to
save a child who was drowning when
the steamer La Madjerda was torpedoed. Caulet plunged into the water, rescued the child, and, by his
coolness and courage, set an example

CHESTER RIOTERS HELD

by Magistrate Leary to-day. Some were held others were sent to jail for ten or thirty days and still others were held for further hearings.

GERMANS CAPTURE GALICIAN CITIES

Berlin, July 26. - German troops have captured the Galician towns of Buszacz, Tlumacz, Ottynia and Delatyr says the official statement issued to-day by the German war office. The Russians also are said to be retreating in the direction of Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina.

GERMANS PAY HEAVY PRICE

Paris, July 26. - German assaults were reopened last night along a front of about two miles on the Aisne able to penetrate into certain elements of the French

HURLEY TAKES HIS NEW PLACE

Washington, July 26. - Edward D. Hurley, of Chicago, was sworn in as a member of the shipping board. to succeed William Denman, who resigned at the request of President Wilson. Mr. Hurley will be elected chairman at a later meeting of the board.

MANY RUMORS ABOUT KAISER

Amsterdam, July 26.1 - The Weser Zeitung, of Bremen, prints prominentlly "stories, with more or less elaborate particulars, that have gained currency of an attempt made recently on the life of Emperor William." The "details" include one report that the Emperor's jaw was smashed.

GOETHALS MAY GO TO FRANCE

Washington, July 26. - The possibility that Major General Goethals may go to France to head the American army engineers is foremost among the developments which have followed President Wilson's georganization of the shipping board.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Hank Lewis Durnell, Stockton, Cal., and Magdalen Almon, Boston; Harry E. Barnhart, Jr., and Ruth A White, city; Leo A. Smicher Lykens, and Marie M. Kennedy, Williamstown.