



NEGRO SOLDIERS REMOVED FROM SCENE OF RIOT

All but Three of Men Taking Part Accounted For

BRING MURDER CHARGES

White Guard Thrown About Camp to Prevent Further Outbreak

Houston, Texas, Aug. 25.—The negro soldiers of the Twenty-fourth infantry who Thursday night took part in shooting in the streets that killed seventeen persons were taken here from the front lines...

MEN WITH WIVES MAY BE EXEMPT IN FIRST DRAFT

President Takes Stand For More Liberal Policy in Army Selection

VIEWS ARE IN CONFLICT

Wilson Declares Single Men Should Be Called in Advance

Washington, Aug. 25.—President Wilson has written Secretary Baker expressing a view that the drafting of married men who are heads of families, should be carefully examined to avoid it, if possible, and expressing the view that single men should be taken where it is possible.

As the President is empowered by the draft law to make the regulations under which it will be carried out, the effect of his letter to Secretary Baker is to throw his influence toward a more liberal policy for exemption of married men...

Bulgaria Wants Peace But is Confident As to Outcome of the War

Sofia, Aug. 25.—"We want peace and desire to end this terrible bloodshed," said Premier Radoslavoff in an interview on the papal peace note...

Penalty in Time of War is Punishable by Death

"Mutiny in time of war is punishable by death," he said. "Murder at all times involves the death penalty. Punishment will be dealt out to those participating in the disturbance promptly and effectively."

Wash With Rain Water if You Fear Germans Poisoned Your Soap

Soap is the latest article to be received at the State Department of Health by the Federal Bureau of Investigation...

U.S. Spending \$24,000,000 a Day to Carry on War

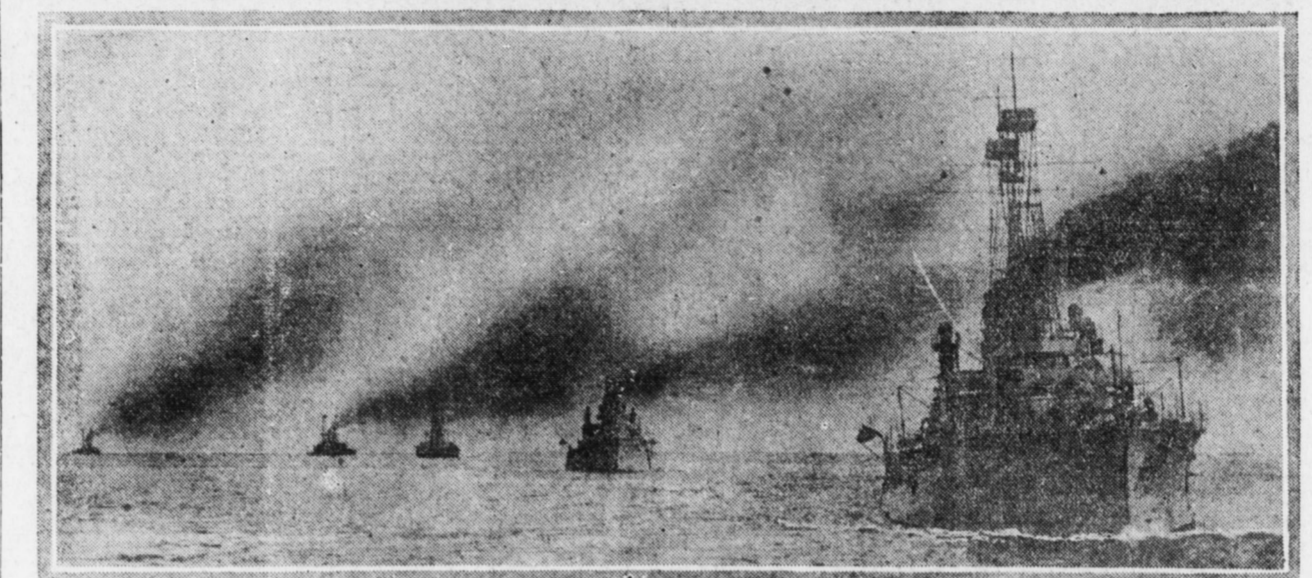
Washington, Aug. 25.—War expenditures of the United States, including Allied loans, have mounted during August to more than \$24,000,000 every twenty-four hours.

General Conditions The northern disturbance that has caused unsettled and showery weather over the eastern part of the country during the last few days, is moving slowly northwestward down the St. Lawrence Valley.

American College Men Get French War Crosses

Paris, Aug. 23 (delayed).—Charles M. Ashton, Jr., of Philadelphia, and Charles W. Isbell, of North Adams, Mass., both Dartmouth students in the American field service, were today awarded war crosses.

LATEST PHOTO OF SOME BATTLESHIPS OF THE AMERICAN FLEET READY FOR ACTION



This is the latest photograph of a line of battleships of the American fleet—the Atlantic fleet—which is somewhere on the Atlantic coast ready to be called to action in Europe should the Germans, who have been bottled up in the Kiel Canal, show fight.

BIG COAL PRICE JUMP INEVITABLE DEALERS DECLARE

Government's Allowance is Higher Than Present Cost at the Mines

Harrisburg coal dealers are unanimous in their statement that anthracite coal cannot be delivered in this city at prevailing prices this winter, and all declare that a reduction is absolutely out of the question.

"Nig," Machine Gun Co. Mascot, Safe From Dog Catcher; Gets License

Boys of the Machine Gun Company of the Eighth Regiment, National Guards, are taking no chances on the city dog catcher paying a visit to camp and taking their fine shepherd dog, "Nig," the members of the company are planning to have their mascot safe from capture by any enemy dog catcher, so to-day...

Lightning Shocks Chief Justice and Family

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 25.—Chief Justice J. Hay Brown, his family and several friends, were shocked by a bolt of lightning which struck the justice's summer home at Paradise.

Yes Indeed, Many Have Suspected the Bitter Truth

Washington, Pa., Aug. 25.—A shortage of \$1 and \$2 bills acute in many sections exists throughout the country. Banks, looking to the treasury for relief, are unable to have their full demands satisfied because of the low reserves of these denominations in the vaults.

BABY ABANDONED

Lewistown, Pa., Aug. 25.—Awakened by a baby's cries that came from the wagon shed, Mrs. Charles Maxwell, living near McVeytown, found a three weeks' old girl in a fruit jar container, with a nursing bottle at her side. The clothing indicated the refinement of the mother, but there was no mark of identification.

HOW COAL PRICES INCREASE FROM MINES TO THIS CITY

Table with 7 columns: Coal Type, Mine Price, Freight to Harrisburg, Price Plus Freight, Cost Plus Average Delivery Expense, Independent's Price Plus Freight, Present Harrisburg Price. Rows include Broken, Egg, Stove, Chestnut, and Pea.

EXEMPT 69 WHO FILE CLAIMS; 52 TAKEN FOR ARMY

Third Division Board Refuses Only Ten Who Ask Discharge From Service

The draft exemption board for the third county division in official figures given to-day disallows the exemption claims of ten of the seventy-nine who asked discharge from service in the national army.

Bank Clearings Here Fourth Highest in State

Bank clearings in Harrisburg for the week ending August 23 totaled \$2,450,000, according to figures compiled by Bradstreet's Journal.

WILL HOLD JUBILEE PARADE

The committee in charge of the Draft Jubilee parade in honor of the city's drafted men has not given up the idea of holding the demonstration.

STEAM SHOVEL GONE, BUT SONS OF REST IGNORANT

Those of the Sons of Rest who had been waiting anxiously for weeks and weeks to see the contractors remove the steam shovel from the cellar of the Penn-Harris Hotel were verbally castigating the aforesaid contractors to-day, when pickets discovered that the shovel was gone.

CITY PLANNING BODY APPROVES RIVERSIDE PLAN

Pass Resolution Favoring Annexation of Large Tract North of City

The City Planning Commission at a meeting yesterday afternoon approved the plan for the annexation of Riverside to the city, provided Council can settle the financial and other questions in connection with the taking in of the large strip of property from Division street to several blocks above the end of the Riverside car line and from the Pennsylvania railroad to the Susquehanna river.

Five Hurt When Autotruck Collides With Machine at Front and Kelker Streets

Five persons were injured, none seriously, this morning in an automobile accident at Front and Kelker streets, when a truck collided with a touring car. The injured are: Mr. and Mrs. N. Richards, their daughters, Lillian and Jean, and C. J. Rogers, all of Pittsburgh.

U.S. TO USE GERMAN CRUISER

Washington, Aug. 25.—The former German cruiser Geier, which was seized by the government on the declaration of war, is to enter the war against the Germans as a unit of the United States Navy, it was announced to-day.

Eat More Fish and Less Meat, Is Hoover Plan

Washington, Aug. 25.—A campaign to increase consumption of sea food to save meat was begun to-day by the food administration with the appointment of Kenneth Fowler, of New York, to direct the movement.

Draft Quarters No Place For a Woman Clerk

News of resignation of a woman clerk employed by Erie county board No. 2 at Girard was received at the State Registration and Draft Bureau here to-day. She was the only woman clerk employed and resigned hurriedly when physical examination of men began.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George D. Bittner and Sadie Theresa Schultz, Harrisburg; John Hanich and Anna J. Marter, Steelton; Robert H. Stiles and Violet Leah Smilick, Harrisburg; Harvey V. Hershey, Lemoyne, and Edna M. Osmond, Harrisburg.

FRENCH SMASH KAISER'S ARMY NEAR VERDUN

Italians Secure Brilliant Victory in Bold Dash For Fortified Position on the Austrian Front in the Alps; General Cadorna Breaks Through Line and Closely Pursues Enemy Through Difficult Ground

Paris, Aug. 25.—The French scored a new victory on the Verdun front last night north of Hill 304. Three fortified works near Bethincourt were captured. The number of prisoners taken has been increased to 8,101.

The Austrian line on the Isonzo front has been broken at several points by the Italians, it is announced officially at Rome. The Italians, continuing their furious assaults between Tolmino and the Adriatic are now pursuing the retreating Austrians, who are defending the difficult ground yard by yard.

One of the most brilliant features of the Italians was the capture of Monte Santo, 2,245 feet high. This peak, seven miles north of Gorizia, dominates the broad plain beyond that city, and occupancy of it has enabled the Austrians to hold up the Italian advance to the east since their capture of the city.

Having developed their principal objections on the Verdun front, the French are completing their victory by local attacks to round out and secure their new lines. Profiting by the capture of Hill 304 yesterday they advanced last night to the north of it. Three fortified works in the vicinity of Bethincourt were stormed.

Renewal of fighting in the Campaign may be forecast by the statement in the official French report that violent artillery engagements are in progress there. In Belgium also in the vicinity of Dixschote the big guns are heavily engaged.

FATAL BLAST NOT AN ACCIDENT

Washington, Aug. 25.—The explosion at Mare Island Navy Yard in July, killing five and injuring more than thirty, is pronounced, in an official report made public to-day by Secretary Daniels, to have been the deliberate act of some one unknown, and not an accident.

TO PROBE I. W. W. PROBE

Washington, Aug. 25.—The I. W. W. situation throughout the country, and especially in the west where activities are interfering with war industries, is to be investigated, with the approval of President Wilson, by a commission appointed by the Council of National Defense.

CANADIANS DRIVE AHEAD

Canadian Headquarters in France, Aug. 25.—Another carefully planned minor operation by the Alberta battalion which holds that part of the line east of St. Theodore, in the region known as the Cricket Pitch, on account of its flatness, gave the Canadians possession of 250 yards of German front line with light casualties to-day.

TROOPS TO SHOOT TO KILL

Portland, Ore., Aug. 25.—Detachments of troops started into the forests of Oregon to-day with orders to shoot on sight any person caught setting fires.

COAL MEN GOUGED PUBLIC

Washington, Aug. 25.—Boston coal dealers, the Federal Trade Commission reported to-day, with a few notable exceptions "did not hesitate" during the spring months this year "to take advantage of the necessities of the public and to charge for anthracite a price that netted them unreasonable margins."