

SEA CASTS UP STORY OF FATE OF THE CYCLOPS

Message in Bottle Says Collier Was Captured by German Submarine

Harrisburg, Aug. 12.—A bottle containing either the explanation of the mysterious disappearance of the United States collier Cyclops some months ago or a grim job was found on Saturday where it had floated ashore off Quarantine Station by Frank Riston. The bottle, which was tightly corked, contained a paper on which was written with a blue crayon pencil the following message: "Captured by German submarine off the coast of Virginia. Our ship 'Cyclops.'"

Clark's Valley Boy Hurt in Motorcycle Accident

Dauphin, Pa., Aug. 12.—A serious accident occurred last evening about 7 o'clock, when Theodore Fuhrman, of Clark's Valley, son of Mrs. Mary Fuhrman, was dragged by his motorcycle for a distance of about fifty feet on the Clark's Valley road while returning home. Fuhrman, who was just sixteen years, has had the machine for only a week. Witnesses of the accident say he was speeding at the time and the machine skidded, throwing him underneath it. Young Fuhrman was brought here to Dr. A. C. Cobble's office unconscious, suffering from a fracture at the base of the skull. He was taken immediately to the Harrisburg Hospital. Small hope is expressed for his recovery.

Two of the boy's brothers are serving with the United States Army in France, while another was thrown from a horse some time ago and died from a fractured skull. His father met his death some years ago by being caught by a saw in a sawmill and cut to pieces.

Speakers to Tell About Shipbuilding Program

The meeting of the Manufacturers' Council of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce at which details of the shipbuilding program will be explained will be held at 8 o'clock this evening, in the Engineers' Club, Front and Chestnut streets. Among the speakers will be: W. S. Seaman, Jr., of Philadelphia, district supply manager; Miss Maude Fay, head of the Women's Employment Division; Colonel E. Evans of the British army; and J. H. Heron, a welfare expert.

ENFORCING SPEED LAWS

Dauphin, Pa., Aug. 12.—Owing to a recent ruling of the borough council, officials started yesterday to enforce the speed limit laws of the town. The speed limit has been for some time fifteen miles per hour, but motorists have been disregarding it in such a manner that it was necessary to become more rigid in its enforcement. From now on motorists exceeding fifteen miles will be arrested and fined. The same action will probably go into effect in regard to the use of cutouts on both automobiles and motorcycles.

TOWN HALL BELL TOLLED

Marietta, Pa., Aug. 12.—Yesterday at noon the old Town Hall bell was tolled for five minutes in memory of Private Owen McFarland, Company E, 6th United States Infantry, who was killed in France. Custodian Eschenbach has performed this act five times within two months for fallen Marietta boys.

MEMORIAL FOR SOLDIER

Marietta, Pa., Aug. 12.—A memorial service was held to-day in the Marietta Lutheran Church, in memory of Private Elam B. Palm, who was killed in France, June 11, 1918.

NURSE TELLS OF HEROIC ACTIONS OF U. S. TROOPS

Miss Laura Gemberling Writes of Her Experiences in the War Zone



MISS LAURA GEMBERLING

How an American soldier saved the life of his Major who was operating on a wounded soldier in the trenches, is narrated by Miss Laura Gemberling, a Selinsgrove girl, who writes to her aunt, Mrs. P. V. Ritter, 1835 North Sixth street from Base Hospital 24, Nantes, France. In her letter, Miss Gemberling tells how the Major was at work, soothing the pain of the soldier when the Germans captured the trench in a minor attack. No details of the heroism are given in the letter but the girl praises the soldier highly for his bravery. "I tell you our boys are right there," she comments, "and I am mighty proud of them."

Use Many Bandages

Miss Gemberling's letter tells of the work of the Red Cross nurse. "Usually we had just a few wounded men but now they are many. The seriously wounded are daily increasing. We had plenty of bandages furnished by the Red Cross but our supply is becoming exhausted. We will soon have to make our own bandages and supplies."

Nurses Are Busy

In her letter, Miss Gemberling says that the nurses have been very busy and that they are oftentimes unable to do all of the work. The wounded are often kept on trains for 24 to 48 hours and they are sadly in need of attention when they reach the base hospital.

EIGHT IN LOCKUP

New Cumberland, Pa., Aug. 12.—Eight men were put in the lockup on Saturday night. A hearing was held Sunday morning. The room was crowded with spectators.

Drive Silences Guns Aimed Toward Paris

Paris, Aug. 12.—The long range cannon with which the Germans have intermittently bombarded Paris for more than four months past, has now been silent for two days. This fact may be explained by the allied advance toward Novon and Gulsard, 612 miles north of Novon, whence the recent firing is said to have been proceeding, as these localities are now endangered by the French forward push.

YORK LOSES SCORE OF VALIANT SONS IN MIGHTY DRIVES

Pennsylvania Division Covers itself With Glory; Comrades Rechristen Keystone Boys the 'Iron Men' After Marne Victory

York, Pa., Aug. 12.—With more than a score reported killed and severely wounded in action or missing since the participation of the Americans in the thick of the fighting on the front in France on July 15, the York county is maintaining its enviable record established during the Revolutionary War and upheld during the War of 1812, the Civil War and the Spanish-American War. For several weeks the York boys, who formerly comprised Companies A and K of the 121st Infantry, have been and have suffered heavy losses.

The first of the local youths to give his life in the Picardy battle was Sherman W. Leifer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byles, of Anville. He is one of two brothers in the American Army serving on the western front, while a third is awaiting the call. The latest Lebanon boy on the casualty list is George DiGabriella, serving at a good job, who reported wounded in the fighting on July 15. Gabriella is a native of Italy, where his parents live. He was employed at the Bethlehem steel plant here when America entered the war, and at once volunteered his services.

Lackawanna Loses 140

Ample proof that the 19th Infantry, Companies A and F, and the 28th Infantry, Company B, with the twenty-eighth Pennsylvania Division took an active part in the Marne offensive, is furnished by the names of the members of these units were among those killed, wounded or missing in action.

In a letter sent to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Matteson, of Scranton, Oscar Matteson, a private in an infantry regiment, tells about a battle in which American soldiers took part and of the heroism displayed by the members of the Twenty-eighth division. Matteson is recovering from shell-shock in a military hospital, his brother, Sergeant Edward Matteson, is also suffering from shell-shock. In Matteson's letter he says:

"We were fighting for three or four days and nights, with hardly any food and no rest, and that, coupled with almost constant shelling, broke down nearly every soldier. I caused many cases of what they call 'shell-shock,' strained nerves, that's all it is, and none of the cases is serious, except in the casualty list." "Monday, or rather Sunday, night, the Germans started the biggest drive in the history of the war, and we had to retreat to the trenching. Well, D and H companies were in the valley and only slightly entrenched. Our job was temporarily to check the Hun in case he broke through the French and American lines. Well, he crossed the Marne, all right, but it cost him one bunch of men, believe me. He didn't get as far as he wanted. He was routed. He shelled our valley and position for twelve long and awful hours, and, oh, such nerve-racking hours, that in the end few of us were left. We couldn't fight him back, and that made it all the worse."

"I believe the war can't last long now. I get the impression that if they fall in the west, they will give in they have fallen. So I guess it will soon be over." "S. Eichelberger, of Carlisle, one of the first selected men for enter service, has been severely wounded in France, according to word reaching his parents. He went to France early in April."

More Allegheny county soldiers have been killed in action, according to telegrams received from the War Department. Mrs. Margaret T. Donovan, of 1944 Liberty street, has received word that her son, Private Frank Burnett Donovan, of Company D, 101st Engineers, was killed in action July 16. Private Donovan enlisted in Cleveland, last October, and was sent overseas with the contingent accompanying Secretary Baker. His brother, Sergeant A. D. Donovan, is in the defense service at Long Island, N. Y.

Bomb in Hospital

From a base hospital in France, Lieutenant Guy P. Brown, of the 10th Infantry division, has written a remarkable letter to his brother, Ray S. Brown, of Allentown. Due to hard work in the rain about a month ago he developed sciatica and was sent to a hospital for treatment. A German aviator bombed the place, and although the bomb exploded within twenty feet of the sick officer, no harm seem to have resulted. Brown was covered with debris, and he remarked: "Imagine me helpless, utterly unable to move, while I was trying to get a shot at the scoundrel."

There was, however, swift retribution for this example of German cruelty. Near the field hospital was a French pen filled with German prisoners. The same aviator, on the same trip, missing his hospital target, dropped a bomb into the pen and more than 100 of the German prisoners were killed outright. The carnage was frightful, with the wounded unable to help themselves. Behind the barbed wire entanglement forming the pen, Lieutenant Brown is improving in health.

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BOLO VISITED AT HEARST HOME LEWIS ASSERTS

Attorney General Declares Traitor and Kaiser's Envoy Were Guests

New York, Aug. 12.—Attorney General Morton E. Lewis made public last night the affidavits of five taxicab chauffeurs, two former employees and a doorman in the apartment house at 137 Riverside Drive, who assert that Bolo Pasha, who was executed by the French government as a traitor, was received by William R. Hearst in his home; that Count Von Bernstorff, formerly German ambassador, and Bolo were received by Hearst in his apartment at the same time, and that Count Von Bernstorff was a frequent visitor. Mr. Lewis' statement says in part:

"It has been shown by the testimony of Mr. Hearst's Paris correspondent, Bartelli, given at the trial of Bolo for treason, that instead of Hearst meeting Bolo only once, he met him three times."

"First, Hearst entertained Bolo at luncheon; second, Bolo entertained Hearst at the Sherry dinner; third, Hearst entertained Bolo at a theater party and supper."

"I am now prepared to show by six affidavits that Hearst received Bolo at the Hearst home on Riverside Drive. I am prepared to show by three affidavits that Hearst entertained Bolo at the Sherry dinner; that German ambassador, and Bolo at the Hearst home at one and the same time and that this happened on two or more occasions."

"I am prepared to show by many affidavits that Count Von Bernstorff was a frequent visitor at the Hearst home at about the time of Bolo's visit to New York in the spring of 1915, when Bolo obtained \$1,683,000 from Von Bernstorff with which to carry on the same German peace propaganda in France that Hearst was then conducting in America."

As a postscript to the statement, there was a paragraph explaining that exhibits one and two, referred to in the accompanying affidavits, are photographs of Bolo, and exhibit three one of Von Bernstorff."

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The Rev. Oliver Goodwin, the Rev. J. E. Baldwin and the Rev. M. J. Mont were the speakers at a meeting of the Central Pennsylvania Baptist Women's Missionary Society, held yesterday afternoon in the Courthouse in the interests of missions. The Rev. A. J. Greene presided. Music was furnished by members of St. Paul's Baptist Church.

TROLLEYMEN STRIKE

Chambersburg, Pa., Aug. 12.—Conductors and motemen of the Chambersburg, Greencastle and Waynesboro Trolley line went on strike today for increase of wages, and after 8.30 in the morning not a car was run.

AUGUST FURNITURE SALE

BELL 1901-2356 UNTEED HARRISBURG, MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1918. FOUNDED 1871

Economy

This War has proven the greatest teacher of Economy this country has ever known. And before it is over, we all may have to learn more of this great subject—to our own benefit.

In purchasing things here, it has been and always will be, our aim to provide merchandise of such quality that it will prove in service to be worth what you paid for it. That means economy to you. We could purchase cheap goods with a quality appearance and offer it for approximately one-third less than real quality merchandise. But the cheap goods wouldn't wear half as long as the good grades.

A good way to practice economy is to buy dependable qualities always. You can buy them here.

An Important Special Purchase Sale of Hosiery

1,000 Pair

Unexpected savings for you! A prominent manufacturer sold us one thousand pair of hosiery at a lower-than-regular price and we are turning this savings over to you.

Women's Thread Silk Stockings—black, white and colors—double soles, high spliced heels, wide garter top, full fashioned. As these are seconds, which otherwise would sell for nearly double the price asked for them, you will find them excellent values at

\$1.00 Pair

Yarns and Art Needle Work

This department offers an excellent assortment of the many beautiful Yarns, Crochet Materials and Stamped Work for embroidery. Dark Gray and Khaki Wool—used for knitting soldiers' socks, helmets and wristlets, hank 89¢ Sweater Silks—slightly soiled, desirable shades, ball, 35¢ and 50¢

Pillow Tops—with cords, \$1.00; without cords, 59¢. BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

DER MARWITZ AND VON HUTIER FLEE TOWARD PERONNE

Germans Sacrificing Important Rear Guards to Save Their Main Forces

Paris, Aug. 12.—The allies last night were fighting their way forward with the armies of Generals von Der Marwitz and Von Hutier in full retreat in the direction of Peronne, Noyes and Ham. Important rear guards are being sacrificed by the Germans to insure the safety of their main armies and there is a well defined feeling among military critics that the German reserves are not as important or numerous as was originally thought.

The recklessness with which the crown prince threw them into the battle of the Marne, drawing also from the stocks of his royal cousin, Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, is believed to be causing General Ludendorff some worry.

A temporary lull may be expected in the fighting on the present lines, as the Germans are desperately striving to save their material and retire their troops to the old Hindenburg line and rectify the front where they intend to make their stand. Yesterday was the fourth Sunday since the allied high command wrested the initiative from von Hindenburg and Ludendorff, and apparently Paris is already becoming as calmly confident in victory as was displayed and stoical in times of reverse. The newspapers contain no egotistical comment now that the immediate danger to Paris is removed, but express contentment at the turn the operations as regards the conduct of the war in general is taking.

Social Items of Persons

Along West Shore Towns

Mrs. S. A. Williams, of New Cumberland, has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Robert Shelly, at Trenton, N. J. with her mother, Mrs. Nelson Reed and daughter, Regina, of Dunellen, N. J., were guests of Mrs. J. A. Wolf, at New Cumberland, on Friday.

George and Howard Watkins, of New Cumberland, were pallbearers at the funeral of their aunt, Miss Susie Kregg, at Wormleysburg, on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Margaret and son, of New Cumberland, spent several days with relatives at Goldsboro.

Mrs. E. E. Plurrie and son, Donald, of New Cumberland, are at Atlantic City. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Spahr of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wagener. Harry Bowman, of Philadelphia, spent a vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bowman.

A. J. McAlla and family, who occupied the large stone house at Gettysburg and Second street moved to West Chester where Mr. McAlla is employed.

MRS. JACOB SPANGLER

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Jacob Spangler in Girard, Ohio, last Wednesday. Burial will be made in Girard. Mrs. Spangler had many friends here.

PRaises TROOPS NOW IN FRANCE

Former Harrisburger Says They Are Most Glorious Soldiers on Earth

In a letter to a friend in Pittsburgh, Hiram Schock, an attorney of that city who formerly resided in Harrisburg and studied law here, has written an enthusiastic letter telling of his experiences as a Y. M. C. A. worker in France. A part of the letter follows:

"I have in the past few weeks had the pleasure of welcoming, sometimes in England, sometimes in France, Pittsburgh friends. I shall not soon forget the look of absolute amazement on the face of Captain Harry Howe when I walked up to him in an English port and said, 'Hello, Harry, I couldn't believe it was I at first. Then on the same day I met Captain Schock, of Selinsgrove, a cousin, and only a couple of days ago in a certain port in France, where many thousands of men were filling by a soldier saw me and nearly fell out of ranks. Once he was free I went to him and he was Harry I. Morrow, of Bellevue.'"

"Great times here in France, and certainly it's a big thing so far for me. I'd like to tell you one-tenth of the things I see and hear. Not under any circumstances would I return home, and my one great prayer is that I may continue to keep in good health and keep up this incomparable work of serving our wonderful soldier boys."

"Oh, Davis, we have the most glorious soldier boys on earth. You may not know our boys at home. Great heavens, you don't! Such soldiers, such workers, such funny grumblers and such incomparable fighters and, bless their dear souls, they die when necessary as Christians and American gentlemen should. Wonderful! Wonderful! How little those, and here I even dare include myself, who are in this fight with the real spirit, and I guess that includes about all the Americans here, care for death. The only prayer is to be spared from death in battle or from sickness long enough to have accomplished some one thing at least that is worth while."

DISORDERLY HOUSE RAID

Emmas T. Lupper, 1319 Marion street, being held under \$500 bail to answer the charge of conducting a disorderly house. A hearing was held before Alderman Murray this afternoon. Three women and six men who were arrested with her, were released under \$25 bail to appear at the hearing, Constable I. J. Grove and a half dozen city patrolmen the raid Saturday night.

LITTLE GIRL DIES

New Cumberland, Pa., Aug. 12.—On Saturday at 1 o'clock, Evelyn May Livingstone died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Livingstone, in Fifth street. The little girl was a great sufferer, having been ill for eight weeks with spinal meningitis. She was seven years old and was a beautiful and attractive. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school. Private funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. David S. Martin, of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, will officiate.

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Preserving Requisites

There is not an article necessary for good canning that cannot be found in our Food Conservation Section in the Basement—there is not a day passes that we do not hear comment on its completeness.

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Even after the canning is done, we have some necessities, such as Books of Labels for marking each jar, and Wrenches for opening jars—come in and see the variety of Fruit Jars, Canners holding 6 to 8 and 12 jars.

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Leaps to Life After Half an Hour in Morgue

Mahanoy City, Pa., Aug. 12.—After Andrew Smar, thirty-eight, had lain for a half hour in an undertaker's morgue as a corpse, he suddenly leaped from the box surrounded by ice and ran into the street. The man, who is an epileptic, had escaped from the county asylum at Schuylkill Haven and was found lying in a road near town. A passing auto picked him up and conveyed him to the morgue of William Truck, He was taken back to the asylum.



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