



REIGN OF TERROR ROOMS IN BERLIN UNDER SOCIALIST

Radical Socialist Has 15,000 Men Well Armed, Zurich Says

GUNS BREAK UP RIOTERS Cologne Scene of Uprising For Food; Mob Plunders Stores

CASUALTIES IN RANKS Conflicts Between Mobs and Police During Night Are Reported

Paris, Dec. 5.—A terrorist revolution under the leadership of Dr. Liebknecht, the radical Socialist, will break out in Berlin Friday evening, according to advices received by the Zurich correspondent of the Journal, Liebknecht, the reports say, has 15,000 men well armed.

Copenhagen, Dec. 5.—Machine guns were used in suppressing food riots in Cologne on Tuesday, according to reports received here. Several stores in different parts of the city were plundered. There were a number of casualties in the ranks of the demonstrators.

Private McIlhenny Says He Lost Ten Years of His Life in Battle For Fismes

The people of Pennsylvania don't need to be ashamed of their boys. This was the reward of Private C. S. McIlhenny of the 11th Infantry, who is at his home in South Thirtieth street, for a few days before leaving for the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington.

Private McIlhenny was in the first line trenches at Chateau Thierry in July, and later was wounded in the right thigh during an engagement at Fismes. He came to this city this morning from the Staten Island Embarcation Camp Hospital where he had been detained while his wound was healing.

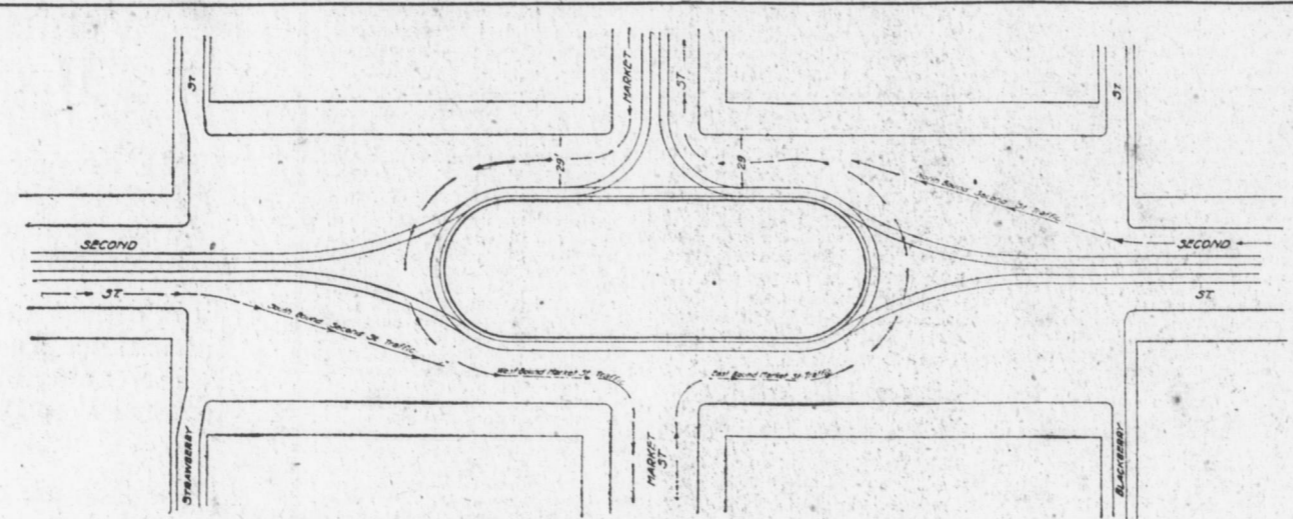
A Dauphin Countian on the Peace Commission

Dr. L. S. Hershey, head of the department of international law at the State University of Indiana, has been appointed and has gone with President Wilson's party to the Peace Conference. Dr. Hershey's appointment is an adviser in international law, and for the past four months he has been working for the Carnegie endowment, at Washington, D. C., along peace lines.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Cloudy to-night, with lowest temperature about freezing; Friday cloudy and warmer, probably rain. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair in southeast, cloudy in north and west portions to-night; Friday cloudy with occasional rain in north and west portions; general west to south winds.

Closing of Market Street Would Leave Only 29 Foot Roadway Along Market Square



The accompanying diagram shows the weakness of the idea of safety plan for Market Square. Under this arrangement all Market street traffic must cross two tracks and mingle with the Second street traffic. If Market street is not closed, the Market street traffic need cross only one track as at present.

DANIELS FREES YOUTH OF NAVY FOR HOME DUTY

Discharge of 100,000 Enlisted Men Is Authorized by Department

Washington, Dec. 5.—Discharge of 20 per cent. of the Navy's wartime personnel, about one hundred thousand men, has been authorized. Secretary Daniels said today that the men would be released as quickly as possible with due regard to the convenience of the service.

PNEUMONIA IS FATAL TO PASTOR; GRIPPE SPREADS

Rev. S. S. Garnes Dies Following Attack of Spanish Influenza

The Rev. S. S. Garnes, pastor of the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Hershey, died this morning of influenza, which is again breaking out in the eastern part of Dauphin county. The Rev. Mr. Garnes had been pastor of the Hershey church for a period of six months only, coming from the Trinity Springs Lutheran Church, Mechanicsville. During his short pastorate he had made many friends, was very successful and was very much liked. He was 28 years old. His father, the Rev. Samuel H. Garnes, is pastor of the Lutheran church at Newville, and his brother, the Rev. Herbert Garnes, is pastor of the United Evangelical Church, Hummelstown. Funeral services have not been announced.

Influenza is rapidly growing in the eastern part of the county. Rev. Garnes' death was caused by pneumonia, following influenza. His wife is seriously ill, and very nervous as the result of the shock of her husband's death.

Not only the eastern part of Dauphin county is feeling the effects of the epidemic, but the disease has spread into Lebanon county, many persons in Palmyra being affected. The disease was not generally prevalent in this section during the time of the epidemic elsewhere, but its outbreak at this time is considered as serious.

LIFT BAN ON NEWSPRINT Washington, Dec. 5.—All restrictions on the use of newsprint paper were withdrawn yesterday by the War Industries Board, effective December 15. In making this announcement Chairman Baruch urged the adoption of permanent rules by publishers, prohibiting wasteful practices, and continued voluntary conservation of reading matter space for a time.

SPAIN'S CABINET IN TO-DAY Madrid, Dec. 5.—Count Romanones, who has been engaged in the task of forming a new Spanish cabinet, on leaving the palace at midnight, announced that the new ministry would take the oath of office at noon to-day.

BURGESS LUDWIG, A GRANDFATHER, WINS CAPTAIN'S DOUBLE BAR

Penbrook's Chief Executive Back From Camp Johnson With Commission Earned After Hard Work in Training School; Entered Service After Age Limit Was Raised

Burgess M. Ludwig, of Penbrook, is back from the wars, wearing a captain's bars. Penbrook's chief executive returned from Camp Joseph E. Johnson, Jacksonville, Fla., this week and stands willing to prove that although a grandfather, he is as brave of arm and husky of body as youths many years his junior. Captain Ludwig left in August to try his hand at the old game. He had made a half dozen attempts to get into the service before he was finally successful, military authorities ruling that he was above the age limit. When the limit was raised to 38 years, he made another application and was admitted for active duty in the Remount Service.



BURGESS LUDWIG

WILSON IS BUSY AS SHIP RIDES SEA TO EUROPE

Keeps in Touch With Official Business at Washington by Wireless

On Board U. S. S. George Washington, Dec. 5.—(By Wireless to the A. P.)—President Wilson spent most of the first day of the trip on this steamship working in the office part of his suite. After acknowledging from the bridge the greetings that were given him as the ship put to sea, he turned to the pile of letters and telegrams awaiting him and spent several hours working with his stenographers. He has slight cold. In the afternoon, on the advice of his physician, Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, he lay down, and rested for a time because of a slight cold that was affecting his voice.

Later the President received calls from officials on board, including the Italian and French ambassadors. Following this he took a walk on deck with Mrs. Wilson. President Dines Quietly. The Presidential party dined quietly in the evening, being served by the crew.

ROMANOFF FAMILY MURDERED ONE BY ONE BY BOLSHEVIKI AND THEIR BODIES BURNED

Final Request of Emperor Was That Wife Die in His Arms; Bodies Burned on Outskirts of Ekaterinburg

London, Dec. 5.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdam says: The Kiev newspapers publish a story, given by the valet of the former Empress of Russia, of the murder of the entire Romanoff family by the Bolsheviki. According to this story the once royal family was compelled to live in a single room of a convent at Ekaterinburg for weeks before the murder, under guard of Bolsheviki soldiers who insulted them shamefully. The valet said on July 17 all the members of the family were taken to the cellar of the convent and shot one after the other. According to the story the murderers granted the last request of the former Empress, Nicholas, that his wife, who was ill, should die in his arms. According to the valet the Grand Duchess Tatiana was only wounded by the shots of the riflemen and was killed by blows from their rifle butts. All the bodies were burned in the outskirts of Ekaterinburg.

MAYOR SELECTS THE COMMUNITY TREE BOOSTERS

Flavel L. Wright Named to Lead Movement; Committee Called to Meet

Flavel L. Wright was today designated by Mayor Keister as chairman of the Municipal Christmas Tree Committee, and J. Ross McManis, city clerk, was named as secretary. The mayor at the same time announced the makeup of the committee which will arrange for the celebration on Christmas Eve. "I chose the members of the committee because of their activities in the various city organizations and clubs of the city and for the reason that I knew them to be interested in Harrisburg and the doings of the community. I am especially well pleased to announce that Mr. Wright has accepted the chairmanship and Mr. Seaman the secretaryship and I have no doubt that with the committee named to-day in charge the celebration will be the merriest and most enjoyable in the history of the city."

The committee exclusive of the chairman and secretary, is as follows: Frank B. Musser, L. L. Ferree, Robert F. Irons, Paul Johnston, S. S. Rutherford, A. Boyd Hamilton, Mrs. William H. Henderson, Arthur H. Bailey, E. S. Herman, William S. Worst, Harry Lowengard, H. B. McCormick, W. P. Starkey, W. C. Alexander, John F. Dapp, C. L. Shepley, V. Hummel Berghaus, George G. McFarland, Dr. H. M. Kirkpatrick, Mercer B. Tate, Frank H. Hoy, Jr., Warren B. Jackson, Mrs. William Jennings and Mrs. John W. Reily.

The first meeting of the committee will be held Tuesday evening at the last to council chamber in the court house. Particularly Appropriate. "I look for a good turnout of the committee," said Chairman Wright. "It is particularly appropriate that we have a community tree this year, the first Christmas Eve since peace has come to the war weary world, and it should be the biggest and best celebration the town ever had."

80 PERISH WHEN BIG LAKE STORM STRIKES VESSELS.

Surviving French Sweeper Reaches Ontario Without Word of Two Ships

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Dec. 5.—Two French mine sweepers and their crews, numbering about eighty men, are believed to have been lost in one of the severe storms that have swept over Lake Superior in the last two weeks. The vessels, the Cerise, Inkerman and Sebastopol, left Port William, Ont., where they were built for the French government on November 22. The Sebastopol has arrived at Kingston, Ont., but no word has been received from the others for more than a week. The vessels, which are bound overseas, were 150 feet long and carried four-inch guns fore and aft.

HARRISBURG BOY IS ON THE GEORGE WASHINGTON

Raymond P. Marsh, 1058 South Cameron street, is believed to be on board the U. S. transport, George Washington, which is taking President Wilson and his peace party to Europe. Marsh has been stationed on the George Washington as chief petty distributing officer, and the last time he was home on a furlough he was still on the ship. Friends and relatives of the young man in this city believe he might be on the ship now, and on his way with the peace party overseas.

JITNEYS SOON MAY DISAPPEAR FROM STREETS

Long Fight Made by Popular Carriers of the Public Seems Lost

HIT MANY LEGAL SNAGS At Height of Popularity They Forced First Initiative Ordinance Through

FAIL IN COURT APPEAL Only One Chance Left For Men to Keep Cars in Operation

With the announcement that jitneys in Harrisburg will drop their appeal to the Superior Court from the Public Service Commission ruling, and that few if any of the drivers will operate without complying with the orders of the commission and face the possibility of arrest, the "jitney bus" in the city may soon pass into history.

First in 1914 Jitneys first appeared in the city in December, 1914, because of the weather conditions only a few were operated until in the spring of 1914. They soon became popular with the public, and scores of them were running during the entire summer. At that time the city had no legislation taxing jitneys, and upon payment of a \$5 license fee for an "auto to hire" tag the drivers could run for the entire year.

Late in 1915 City Council passed an ordinance fixing a scale of license fees, according to the number of passengers jitneys could accommodate, and requiring each jitney to pass a surety bond to indemnify him in case any one should be run down and bring suit for damages. The city officials contended that if the drivers were not bonded the city might be found liable for damages if the jitneys were permitted to run without any restrictions.

Renewed Popularity This action by Council forced a number of the drivers out of business and only a few went to the trouble of getting bonds. During the summer and early summer of 1916 the jitneys were scarce again.

The strike of employees of the Harrisburg Railway Company in July, 1916, which was not settled until a [Continued on Page 14.]

Allies Take Turkish Fleet; Intern Ships in the Golden Horn

London, Dec. 5.—The entire Turkish fleet now in the hands of the Allies, the admirals announced today. The warships after surrendering were interned in the Golden Horn, at Constantinople. The former German cruiser Goeben was among the surrendered vessels.

Daniels Tells of Cut of Billion From Navy Estimate in New Year

Washington, Dec. 5.—More than a billion dollars has been cut from the Navy's estimates of expenditures for the coming fiscal year. Secretary Daniels disclosed today that the estimates sent to Congress Monday were based on the war program and that the reduction process that already has eliminated over two-fifths of the \$2,600,000,000 total is continuing.

RESTRICTIONS ON SUGAR SALES ARE REMOVED

Local Restaurant Men May Return to Use of the Bowl

All sugar restrictions were lifted this morning, Donald McCormick, Dauphin county food administrator, announced. Price regulations, however, remain in force.

The new order means that restaurateurs, hotelmen and eating house proprietors may serve as much sugar as they please to their customers. It means that the small paper sacks, containing individual portions may be done away with at once, and the bowls may make their appearance on the tables once more.

Local restaurateurs were divided in their opinions this morning as to whether they would reinstate the time-honored and long-remembered sugar bowl at once. It is apparent that restaurateurs will force delinquent restaurateurs to place the bowls on the table again. Several restaurateurs at once expressed their intention to serve sugar as formerly.

Householders are not limited to the amounts they purchase, insofar as their grocers are able to supply them. Grocers may sell as much sugar as they choose to individual customers, and need keep no records of sales.

In other words, the lid is off the sugar conservation.

WILSON HONORS THREE YANKEES AS WAR HEROES

Washington, Dec. 5.—Three American soldiers—a colonel, a captain and a private—have been designated by President Wilson to receive the highest military decoration given by the United States for valor in action, the Congressional Medal of Honor. They have won the first of the medals awarded during the war with Germany, and their names are: Colonel Charles W. Whittlesey, Three Hundred and Eighth Infantry; Captain George G. Neibaur, First Battalion, Thomas C. Neibaur.

Colonel Whittlesey, then major, and Captain Neibaur were at the head of the famous "lost battalion" of the Three Hundred and Eighth, which lost half its men holding out against the enemy when surrounded in the Argonne forest until relieved five days later.

Private Neibaur distinguished himself when the Rainbow Division took Cote de Chailion, in October, by stopping the enemy charge against a ridge single-handed with his automatic, after all others of his patrol detachment had been killed or wounded. In spite of wounds through both knees, he completed the enemy's capture in eleven Germans at the point of his pistol.

VOLUNTEER DAYS TO BRING MANY TO THE RED CROSS

Other Cases Follow Idea First Advanced in Harrisburg Campaign

Welfare of Soldiers in France Fairly Up to Folks at Home

Over at Red Cross headquarters this morning workers were getting the tip of the "volunteer" days next week are going to be the busiest days the Red Cross folks have known since the war began. On [Continued on Page 14.]

PRIVATE FREEDMAN RETURNS TO DUTY

Harrisburg—Private Isaac Freedman, reported as killed in action, has been reported as present for duty November 14, according to a letter from the Adjutant General received this afternoon by Private Freedman's brother, Joseph Albert Freedman, 1618 North street.

WOULD CODIFY MEASUREMENT LAWS

Harrisburg—Codification of all laws relative to the sale of foods and inspection of weights and measures, sale of bread by weight and adoption of weight standards for poultry, vegetables and fruit were recommended today by the committee on legislation of the state leaders of weights and measures.

BISHOP HEIL STRUCK BY TRAIN

Allentown, Pa.—The Rev. William F. Heil, bishop of the Eastern Pennsylvania Conference of the Evangelical Church, was struck by a Lehigh Valley train here to-day and is in a serious condition in a local hospital.

McADOO NAMED DEFENDANT HERE

Harrisburg—Federal court will adjourn this afternoon to meet again Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, it was stated by court officials. The criminal business is practically cleared up with Arthur Harry Eppler Dushore, now on trial on the charge of failing to register. Monday afternoon the court will take up the civil case of Victor Le Barre, Perth Amboy, N. J., vs the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company. An order has been handed down making the defendant W. G. McAdoo, Director-General of Railroads. This is a trespass action.

BRETZ ACQUITTED BY JURY

Harrisburg—Harry M. Bretz this afternoon was acquitted by a jury of two charges of false pretense, but directed to pay the costs. The jury had been out four hours.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

John Scarpilli and Beatrice Brunen, Harrisburg; Lester A. Haupt, Jr., Tyrone, and Caroline M. Yarnell, Huntingdon; Thomas H. Tuce and Katharine Stanford, Middletown; Daniel A. Sanderlin, Harrisburg, and Lillie M. Zimmerman, Scepton.

RETURN TO THE FAMILY ALTAR IS SYNOD AIM

Presbyterians Seek New Era in Religious Work in the Homes

SESSIONS TO OPEN HERE Men of National Prominence to Take Part in Conference

IN PINE STREET CHURCH State Synod to Open Tuesday With Reports of Officers

Figures of national prominence in the Presbyterian denomination will address the convention of the Presbyterian Synod of Pennsylvania at its four-day conference in Harrisburg next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Approximately 250 commissioners from the Pennsylvania churches will be in attendance.

The conference will be held in the Pine Street Presbyterian Church, of which the Rev. L. S. Mudge, is pastor. The Rev. Dr. Mudge is chairman of the local committee on arrangements. Associated with him on the committee are the Rev. Dr. Geo. E. Hayes, of the Market Square Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. Harvey Klaer, of the Covenant Presbyterian Church. This committee will have charge of the entertainment of the commissioners and the arrangement of the program.

Plan For "New Era" "The New Era" program, which includes the rehabilitation of the Christian home, the re-establishment of the Family Altar, the return to the [Continued on Page 14.]

GOULD UNDER KNIFE

New York, Dec. 5.—George J. Gould, capitalist and yachtsman, who underwent an operation in a hospital here yesterday, was believed today to be on the road to recovery.