Attempt to Capture New London Repulsed By the Army.

"ENEMY" SEIZES TWO STATIONS

Admiral Higginson Did Not Delay After Hostifities Started, and Seized Army's Signal Station at Martha's Vineyard and Block Island.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 2. - Admiral Higginson did not long delay after the declaration of hostilities yesterday to cut out work for the jackies and marines of his fleet, accomplishing in dayfight, but under cover of fog, two things that General MacArthur's army had anticipated. These were the seizure of Martha's Vineyard and Block Island and the capture of the army's signal station at each place. Last night he followed up his good work by a demonstration in force against the extreme western end of the line of defending fortifications, but it cannot be determined until later if at actually attempted to force his way into Long Island Sound or simply aimed to give his crews a little big gun practice and his captains the opportunity to manoeuvre within striking distance to determine the location and calibre of the ordnance in the forts.

The navy's night attack was not expected at the western end of the line quite so early in the game. The theory was held all day, after it was known that Higginson had secured a base on the outlying islands, that he would send his cruisers for a reconnoissance against both ends of the line, and then awing his fleet into the center or around Newport for a sharp yet heavy attack there, manoeuvring quickly, and then, when things became most interesting, sail to the westward and make his grand effort to force his way into Long Island Sound. This would have been his night attack, for it seems almost certain that the day attack will be against Fort Rodman, the aastern point.

Once last night Newport got a scare when a message came from Port Judith that marines were being landed William N. Appel, of this city, and Mrs. there in the fog. All communication with that point was cut off. Then at 10.30 came an official bulletin announcing the bombardments of Forts they were driving, and it ran away, up-Michi and Wright, but when Point Judith signal station was again in touch with the central intelligence bureau, it was explained that the signal men there were given a drill in saving of the skell and died last evening at equipment, on supposition that the enemy was making a landing. They cut out the telegraph and telephone wires, picked up their equipment and Calder, accompanied by her four chilmade a record-breaking retreat, then, dren. returning, re-established the station, doing a creditable piece of work.

First Attack In War Game. New London Conn., Sept. 2.-At just 10.20 last night the big guns of Forts Wright, Terry and Michie belched forth almost simultaneously and there was no longer doubt that the first attack in the war game was in effect. For daughter's bedside on a special train, an hour the cannonading continued and the result from the army stand- left several hours later when assured point is best stated in this official bulletin posted at headquart rs early this

"Movement to pass through the Race began at 10.20 p. m. Forts Michie, Wright and Terry engaged fifty minutes. Apparently the ships entering have been put out of action by points scored by the army guns."

The result, however, will be determined later by the board of arbitra-

All was quiet at army headquarters when suddenly the reports of the big guns was heard and General MacArthur listened attentively. The attack was on, but it came sooner than was expected by the major general command-

SWAM NIAGARA RAPIDS

Carlisle Graham Succeeded After a Desperate Struggle.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 1.-Carlisle D. Graham swam from the Whirlpool below Niagara Falls through the lower rapids to Lewiston vesterday afabout his waist and a neck float. Only once was he in danger. A current suddenly tossed him toward the shore. The middle half was in 59% seconds. dangerously near a big boulder that showed threateningly above the surface. By desperate swimming he just the stream.

Below the Devil's Hole, where the river narrows, Graham had another hard battle. For a time he was completely hidden from view, and the hundreds of spectators on the bridge and along the banks grew greatly excited. water, where the river widens, and the crowd cheered him heartily. He dealined to enter a boat and swam to the shore just below the new trolley bridge. After a rub down Graham said he felt no bad effects from his hazardous swim.

Express Messenger Robbed.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 2. - As through passenger train No. 2, northbound on the Louisville and Nashville road, due here at 7.30 last evening, was pulling out of Franklin, Tenn., 18 miles south of here, the express car was boarded by two masked men. With a revolver at his head, Messenger Battle was forced to open the outside safe, which the robbers rifled. Keeping the messenger covered with their guns, the men rode with him into the South Nashville yards here, where the train slowed down and they disappeared. It is not known how much moty was secured.

BELIEVES IN MONROE DOCTRINE Roosevelt Says It is a Doctrine of

Peace and Defense. Rutland, Vt., Sept. 2. - President Roosevelt resumed his tour of New England yesterday. He reached Burlington from Shelburne Farms, Dr. Webb's home, during the forenoon and was given an hour's drive through this city. Governor Stickney and Mayor Hawley acted as hosts.

A half-hour's stop was made at Proctor, the home of Senator Proctor. The president delivered an address from the steps of the senator's porch. After thanking the people for their greeting,

the president said: "We believe in the Monroe doctrine. not as a means of aggression at all. It does not mean that we are aggressive toward any power. It means merely that as the biggest power on this continent we remain steadfastly true to the principles first formulated under the presidency of Monroe, through John Quincy Adams-the principle that this continent must not be treated as a subject for political colonization by any European power. As, I say, that is not an aggressive doctrine. It is a doctrine of peace, a doctrine of defense, a doctrine to secure the chance of this continent for the United States here to develop peacefully along their own lines. Now we have formulated that doctrine. If our formulation consists simply of statements on the stump or on paper, they are not worth the breath that utters them or the paper on which they are written. Remember that the Monroe doctrine will be respected as long as we have a first class, efficient navy, and not very much longer.

"Shame on us if we assert the Monroe doctrine and then, if our assertion shall be called in question, show that we have only made an idle boast, that we are not prepared to back up our words by deeds." (Loud applause.)

President Roosevelt yesterday concluded his tour through Vermont at BrBattleboro and spent the night at Northfield, Mass.

FATAL RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

Mrs. Walker Dies of Injuries and Mrs. Appel In Serious Condition.

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 2.—While Mrs. J. Stewart Walker, of Lynchburg, Va., were out driving yesterday morning a runaway horse scared the animal setting the carriage and throwing them out. Both landed on their heads, with the carriage on top of them. Mrs. Walker sustained a compound fracture the Genera' 'lospital, without having regained conciousness. She was here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. George

Mrs. An ''s condition is very grave, but there are strong hopes for her recovery. She is suffering from concussion of the brain and severe abrasion en the face. Mrs. Appel is a daughter of President George F. Baer, of the Reading Railroad Company. He was immediately notified, and hurried to his arriving here yesterday afternoon. He that Mrs. Appel was in no immediate ning. danger and would likely recover.

DAN PATCH'S FAST MILE

Famous Brown Stallion Reduced His Record to 1.59 1-2.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 30.-The Grand Circuit meeting at Narragansett Park was brought to a close yesterday afternoon in a blaze of glory. Dan Patch, the unbeaten son of Joe Patchen, paced an exhibition mile in 1.591/2. reducing his record from 2.00%. The mile was within a quarter of a second of the world's record of 1.59%, made by Star Pointer at Readville five years ago. This is the fastest mile in harness in half a decade, and Dan Patch is the second horse to beat two minutes. No other horse except Star Pointer ever went so fast, and he did it only twice, and then beat Dan Patch's mark of yesterday by only a quarter of a second. Myron McHenry drove the famous brown stallion.

An immense throng saw the exhibition. The track was lightning fast. The ternoon. Graham wore a life preserver, fastest quarter was the second, in 29 seconds flat. The first half was in 59 1/2 seconds, and the last in one minute,

Blinded By Red Pepper.

Cleveland, Sept. 1 .- Saturday night avoided the rock and was carried down an unknown man entered the jewelry store of Charles E. Wilsdorf, on Fayne avenue, and after the jeweler had placed a tray containing about \$1,000 worth of diamonds on the counter, the man threw a handful of red pepper in the jeweler's eyes, grabbed the tray of diamonds and made good his es-Graham soon appeared in the smoother cape. Later Mr. Wilsdorf was found wandering helplessly about the streets, and the physicians at the hospital to which he was taken are of the opinion that his sight has been totally de-

Four Girls Drowned.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug. 28.-Anna and Susan Beach, of Danbury, Conn., and Stella and Martha Duncan, of Pawling, N. Y., were drowned near the latter place yesterday. The Beach girls were visiting at the Duncan home, near Pawling. The four girls went bathing in Pearce Lake, got beyond their depth, and before aid could reach them were drowned. The bodies were recovered

Relative of Lincoln Dead.

Cumberland, Md., Aug. 30.-Thomas L. Lincoln, an aged lawyer of Carmichael. Pa., is dead near Oakland, Md. where he was spending the summer. He was related to Abraham Lincoln, whom he greatly resembled. Mr. Lincoln was an orator of great ability.

PELEE KILLS 200 MORE

Morne Rouge Entirely Destroyed By Another Eruption.

LE CARBETSWEPT BY TIDAL WAVE

Horrible Detonations Were Heard, and the Ground Rocked and Quaked. Hot Water Poured Down On Lorrain and Basse Pointe.

Castries, Island of St. Lucia, British West Indies, Sept. 2. - The British steamer Korona arrived here Sunday evening from Fort De France, Island of Martinique. She reports that a terrible eruption of Mont Pelee occurred at 9 o'clock Saturday night, and that people who arrived at Fort De France from the northern part of the island reported that the village of Morne Rouge, a summer resort near the district previously devastated, had been entirely destroyed, and that Le Carbet, a village on the coast, which was destroyed at the time of the great eruption, had been swept by a tidal wave. About 200 persons lost their

A sloop from the Island of St. Vincent, which reached here yesterday morning, reports that Mont Pelce's crater is now quiet, but that the detonations during Saturday night were the loudest heard up to that time, and that the inhabitants were terribly alarmed.

Mont Pelee has been in constant eruption since August 15. The night of the 30th there were three separate eruptions. It is impossible to approach the ruined town of St. Pierre from the The people of the village of Le Carbet, on the coast, are terror-stricken and flying to the interior. Hot water is pouring down on Lorrain and Basse Pointe, villages to the northeast of the crater. Horrible detonations were heard, the ground rocked and quaked and articles on tables were thrown to the floor.

The governor of Martinique has ordered every available boat to remove people from the coast villages to Fort De France.

At 8 o'clock on the evening of Saturday, the 30th, the sky was cloudless. Suddenly and without warning, onehalf of the horizon was obscured by a pitch black cloud of dust. This cloud was the centre of most magnificent electric effects, the flashes of light surpassing the most elaborate fireworks. Flames and flashes continued to burst from the cloud until nearly midnight. Columns of flame shot out of the crater of Mont Pelee to explode about the cloud in showers of balls of golden fire, which fell through the darkness in myriads of sparks. Three large aureoles were seen in the sky over the opening of the crater.

A tidal wave rushed upon Fort De France, and the terrified inhabitants fled in large numbers to the interior. The wave was not severe and did but slight damage. At midnight of the 30th Mont Pelee

was quiet; shortly after this hour there came another shower of ashes, accompanied by vivid sheet light-In addition to the 200 persons re-

ported to have lost their lives at Le Carbet and Morne Rouge, many other persons are said to have been killed all over the northern districts of the island. The governor of Martinique is believed to have started for the scene of destruction.

3,000 LEBANON EMPLOYES IDLE Importation of Strike Breakers Causes a General Walk-Out.

Lebanon, Pa., Aug. 30 .- A committee of the striking employes of the American Iron and Steel Manufacturing Company called at the office of General Manager Lord yesterday morning and demanded that the colored strike-breakers from Reading and other men who had been sent there be removed and the old hands be taken back. This was refused. The committee then returned and reported the matter to their leaders, and a few moments later the men still at work. some 1,800, were told to come out. The order was obeyed almost to a man, and all left the big plant. Each man carried a small American flag. When the men filed out they were greeted by their friends on the outside. In the crowd was noticed a large number of women. Much excitement of a subdued character followed the action of the men.

The plant when in full operation employed nearly 3,000 men and boys. When the first strike occurred, 16 weeks ago, about 800 men quit. The others remained at work. Now the entire plant with the exception of that portion manned by the new-comers

Officers of New Jersey K. G. E.

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 2.-The New Jersey Grand Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, met here yesterday in annual session and elected these officers: Grand chief, Thomas H. Seals, of Annandale; vice grand chief, Frank K. Gane, of Long Branch; grand high priest, Dr. George W. Chamberlain, of New Egypt; grand master of records. A. L. Clark, of Trenton; grand keeper of exchequer, George P. Sutphin, of Collingswood.

Turkish Troops and Brigands Clash. Athens, Sept. 2.-A telegram received here from Larissa, Greece, reports an encounter between a detachment of Turkish troops and a band of 35 Bulgarians, under Captain Petroff, near Drekki. Nineteen Turks and 20 Bulgarians, the latter inluding Captain Petroff, were killed.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Wednesday, August 27. The United States training ship Chesapeake, with 150 naval cadets aboard, arrived at Annapolis last evening.

The first message over the new telegraph line between Seattle, Wash., and Valdez, Alaska, was received at Seattle yesterday.

The Culver Lumber Company, of Kansas City, Mo., was placed in receivers' hands yesterday. Liabilities are \$250,000 and assets estimated at

\$650,000. Albert Waller, conductor on a New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk train, was fatally shot yesterday near Delmar, Del., while attempting to eject a negro from the cars.

Thursday, August 28. The Pennsylvania State Camp, P. O. S. of A., will meet in Lancaster next

The navy department yesterday accepted the torpedo boat destroyer Truxton, built at Sparrow's Point, Md.

Burglars blew open the safe in the postoffice at Ridgetop, Tenn., yesterday and secured \$800 in stamps and other Despondent over losses caused by the

coal strike, Ephraim Luezhover, a saloonkeeper of Shenandoah, Pa., killed himself yesterday. The harness manufactory and sev-

eral other buildings at Judyville, Ind., belonging to John F. Judy, were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, \$100,-

Friday, August 29.

The torpedo boat destroyer Barry made 28.12 knots an hour in her official trial yesterday.

Frank Smith, a colored lad, aged 11 years, was drowned at Atlantic City, N. J., yesterday while bathing.

Engineer Dan Carey and Fireman Lee were killed yesterday in a wreck on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railway near Terre Haute, Ind.

Ex-Secretary of the Treasury John G. Carlisle delivered the annual address before the American Bar Association at Saratoga, N. Y., yesterday. Secretary of State Hay has ap-

pointed Thomas R. Dawley, of New York, a United States delegate to the International Coffee Conference, to be held in New York in October. Saturday, August 30.

Congressman R. C. De Graffenreid, of Texas, died of apoplexy last night at a hotel in Washington, D. C.

Charles Mallory, an amateur bicyclist who was thrown from his wheel in a race at Atlanta, Ga., died from his injuries yesterday. Masked robbers held up a street car

at Spokane, Wash., yesterday and robbed the passengers, one of whom was Chief of Police Reddy. It was announced at Havana yesterday that letters had been received

from Greece, Austria and Brazil, recognizing the Cuban Republic. Statistics published by the Russian minister of justice show that 8,691 murders were committed in European

Russia last year, an average of over Monday, September 1.

Over 10,000 men participated in the Labor Day parade at Kansas City, Mo., today.

A trolley car at Kansas City last night ran down a carriage, instantly killing two men.

The annual convention of the National Letter Carriers' Association was held at Denver, Colo., today.

Murdered by robbers, the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Britton Lewis were found in their home at Gainesville, Fla., Saturday.

The bark City of Papeta, loaded with 217,000 codfish, was badly damaged by fire while lying at her dock at San Francisco.

During a dense fog the steamer Char. lotte collided Saturday off West Point, Va., with the schooner Annie N. Harris, killing two sailors on the Harris.

Tuesday, September 2. The Seaboard Air Line Railway has given an order for 31 new locomotives. W. J. Bryan was the principal orator in the Labor Day celebration

at Lincoln, Neb., yesterday. The 13th annual convention of the Polish Singers' Alliance of America was held in Chicago vesterday.

A steam launch containing ten young men capsized yesterday in the Hudson river near Albany, N. Y., and two men field, Dr. J. W. Sampsell, Pennsriver near Albany, N. Y., and two men were drowned.

The customs receipts at Havana for the month of August amounted to \$735.885, a decrease of \$133,840 for the same month last year.

While alone in his office, Alver E. Ives, manager of an ice company at Rivere, Masss., was fatally shot by thieves, who ransacked the safe.

Killed For Stealing Grapes. Rome, Sept. 2.-A Dominican lay brother named Cuzzoli recently dis-Rome. The brother was the custodian of the vineyard. When he saw the boys he deliberately fired a gun at them and killed one of their number, despite their prayers for mercy. Cuzsoli has been arrested.

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Stabbed at a wedding feast three weeks ago John Wasco died at Allentown Thursday neght.

A Communication.

Mr, Editor—Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's cough remedy. I suffered for three years with the bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried severa doctors and various patent medi-cines but could get nothing to give covered three boys stealing grapes from a vineyard of the Minerva Convent, which is situated outside of Rome. The brother was the county of the Brockman, Bagnell, Mo. This remdy is for sale by Middleburg drug

> Two nasked men who held up Mrs. Marion Walters near Sharon, took \$12 and a gold watch.

A Boy's Wild Ride For Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville Ind., endured death's agenies from asthma, but this wonderful med-icine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He now writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cure of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, coughs, colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and long troubles Guaranteed bottles 50c an : \$1,00. Trial bottle free at Middleburg drug store, Graybill. Garman & Co Rich-field, Dr. J. W. Sampsell, Penns

Certain Cure for Dysentery & Distribu Some years ago I was one of party that intended to make a long bicycle trip; says F. L. Taylor, of New Albany Bradford County, Pa "I was taken suddenly with disrrhom, and was about to give at the trip, when editor Ward, of la ceyvide Messinger, suggested that take a dose of Chamberlaid's colle cholera and diarrhoea remedy. I purchased a bottle and took two doses, one before starting and on on the rout. I made the trip successfully and never felt and ill effect Again last summer I was almost completely run down with an atual of dysentery. I bought a bottled the same remedy and this time one dose cured me." Sold by Middle burg drug at the same to burg drug at the same t burg drug store.

Referring to b idges, the astest horses in the world are span without a peep

Not Doomed for Life.

"I was treated for three years by good doctors," writes W. A. Greet, McConnellsville, O., for piles and fistual, but, when all failed, Buch len's Arnica salve cured me in to weeks." Cures burns, bruises, as corns, sores, eruption, salt Rheum, piles, or no pay. 25c at Middlebur drug store, Graybille Garman & O. Richfielt, Dr. J. W. Sampsel Pennsersek creek.

It is usually t e man who consideres life a burden who is always getting loaded.

Summer complaints

is not alway brought about by change of air and water. The say at-homes are just as susceptible diarrhoes; due, generally, to one eating, as unripe fruits, ect.; drinking ice water all accompanion by painful bowel discharges, and not checked, results serious Perry Davis Painkiller is the pure reliable remedy. 25c and the companion of the