

WILHELM VON RATH



Wilhelm von Rath, who has been attache of the German embassy at Washington, is now in the thick of the fight with his regiment. Before leaving Berlin for the front, he submitted to the kaiser for his approval the name of his intended bride, Miss Cecilia May, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Henry T. May of Washington.

MILLIONS NEED FOOD

Famine Follows Flood in Chinese Provinces.

Washington, D. C.—Twelve months' famine, which only outside aid can avert, faces the Kwangtung and Kwangsi provinces in China, which were devastated by flood in July with a loss of 3,000 lives and more than 100,000 homes. Consul General Chere reported from Canton that more than 8,000,000 people suffered losses and many millions in distress would need food until the next harvest. Reports of American mission workers forwarded in the Consul General's report told of the extent of the havoc and destruction.

Villa Wants U. S. Troops Moved Out

Mexico City.—Gen. Alvarez Obregon telegraphed to Gen. Carranza a request from Gen. Villa that the Constitutional chief request Washington to remove the United States troops from Vera Cruz. The dispatch quoted Gen. Villa as follows: "With the dissolution of the Huerta government and the disbandment of the Federal army now completed we shout: 'Have but one flag waving over Mexican soil.' It is humiliating that the Stars and Stripes yet wave."

Karlik Survivors Are Safe.

Washington, D. C.—Eight white men and an Eskimo family, survivors of the wrecked Canadian exploring ship Karlik, are safe aboard the revenue cutter Bear after being marooned on frozen Wrangell's Island since last January. A relayed wireless dispatch from the Bear received here said she was due at Nome, Alaska. The dispatch told of the death of three of the explorers on the island, George S. Malloch, geologist; Bjorne Mamen, assistant topographer, and John Brody, seaman.

To Build Big Reservoir.

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TOWNSPEOPLE WON'T ASK OFFICE SEEKERS

BROWNSVILLE TO HAVE OLD HOME WEEK—DONORS BALK AT HELPING OFFICE SEEKERS.

Town Takes Sides and Part Refuses to Pay for Entertainment of Candidates—State News Brevities.

Western Newspaper Union News Service Brownsville.—With Brownsville's old home week less than one month away, complications have arisen that may prove serious. West Brownsville folk have refused to contribute to the fund, declaring that they will not pay for the entertainment or reception of any class of political candidates, regardless of the office. Politicians were to have been among the chief guests. Greensburg.—After being respited nine times by the pardon board for the murder of Mat Fekek at Export, Pa., two years ago, Joe Erjaervig was sentenced to not more than 16 years and not less than 12 years by Judge L. W. Doty.

Meadville.—Albert Consla, aged 18, son of Andrew Consla of Harmonsburg, was suffocated by a slide of gravel at a pit near his home and was dead when dug out by companions.

Mercer.—Two men were killed and two slightly injured in an automobile accident on the Franklin road, two miles from here. The men were returning to Newcastle from the Stoneboro fair and the automobile ran into a four-foot ditch and overturned. The dead are: Frank Byerly of Mahoningtown, a locomotive engineer of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and Chas. Johnson of Newcastle. The injured are W. E. Davey of Newcastle and C. J. McWilliams of Newcastle. Byerly and Johnson were crushed to death under the car when it overturned. It was reported that McWilliams lost control of the machine when the steering gear became defective.

Kittanning.—Squire C. R. Huber, who owns a farm in Cowanshannock township, near here, recently invented a device to frighten away thieves who have been visiting his roasting ear patch. The squire arranged a series of small pieces of dynamite along the side of the field from which the thieves were accustomed to enter. He stretched a wire along the fence, while every few yards he attached a piece of sandpaper and a match in such a manner that the least pressure against the wire would ignite the small pieces of dynamite, which would explode, frightening the "daylights" out of the thieves. After all was carefully arranged, Squire Huber resolved to give his system a tryout. Suddenly he stumbled and fell against the wire, almost directly over one of the pieces of dynamite. A terrific report followed, and the squire alighted some distance away.

Connellsville.—Connellsville school teachers may entertain beaux only on Friday nights and keep in the good graces of the school board. The directors take the view that a teacher cannot do justice to the pupils unless she has had a good night's rest. A year ago the teachers were told not to tango because of the bad example set for the pupils. Two years ago President F. E. Younklin recommended a daily bath.

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REPUBLICANS SAY PENROSE IS MENACE TO THEIR PARTY

Public Ledger of Philadelphia, G. O. P. Organ, Calls on Decent Republicans to Save Party by De'ating Boss

Philadelphia, Sept. 15.—Decent Republicans in Pennsylvania are calling on their party associates to defeat Penrose in order to bring back the party to the ideals of Lincoln.

They point out that with Penrose in the saddle, Pennsylvania can get nothing at Washington. They declare that any protective tariff endorsed by him will arouse country wide suspicion and distrust. They are backing Gifford Pinchot who stands on a strong protective platform.

They declare that Penrose is responsible for the present Democratic tariff because he and his associates so broke faith with the people on the Payne Aldrich tariff bill that the party was repudiated.

Says Penroseism is Fatal. The Public Ledger of this city, one of the staunchest of the Republican papers, foresaw what evil effects the attempt to re-elect Penrose would bring to the party in this state.

In a clarion call to the Republicans of Pennsylvania it declared that Penrose was a menace to the National Republicanism and if the party was to live and regain popular confidence, Penrose must be defeated.

The editorial from the Public Ledger is as follows:

Ledger Calls Him Menace.

PENROSE A MENACE TO NATIONAL REPUBLICANISM

The Republican party does not begin nor does it end in Pennsylvania. The Pennsylvania electorate in the selection of a nominee for the United States Senate is expected to have due regard for the exigencies of the party throughout the Union. It must begin the rehabilitation of Republicanism nationally by tangible evidence of complete repudiation of those elements which have dragged the party into unpopularity and burdened it with the mass of discreditable leadership.

Republicans in other States cannot understand the peculiarities of politics in this State. The test of the new spirit in Republicanism will be to them, simply whether or not Mr. Penrose is the nominee of the party. No explanation of the whys or wherefores of his nomination will answer Kansans who hurl at Republican candidates the charge that Penrose is a man and for that matter his right of leadership in the party has been indorsed by his own State. There will be no argument which Republican candidates in other States can make if confronted with a Penrose victory in Pennsylvania. The stain of Penroseism will stick to them; they will be unable to wipe it off. They will be forced to assume responsibility for a leadership which has been repudiated by the nation. The alliances which Mr. Penrose is able to make in Pennsylvania, other Republicans cannot make in other States. A fair wind for him means a foul wind for them.

The expectation of some manufacturers that equitable tariff rates can be restored by the nomination and election of Senator Penrose is fatuous. There is no surer way to perpetuate the opposition in power. If protection is to have a proper hearing in the United States, it will get that hearing without Penrose, but it will not get it with him. A Republican majority in Congress can only be obtained if it is certain that that majority will not be dominated by Penrose, that Penrose will not even be there. Penrose is a big Democratic asset in Pennsylvania; he is Democracy's biggest asset everywhere else. Republican principles and Penrose cannot dominate the Government at one and the same time. If Republican principles are again to determine national policies, they must have some other interpreter than Penrose.

During his tour of Somerset county, Pinchot was approached by an old soldier at Somerfield. "I'm a Lincoln Republican," said the old man. "Are you for Penrose?" asked Pinchot. "No, sir; I'm for you and a protective tariff," he answered. "I know what kind of a man Abraham Lincoln was. He was always against such fellows as Penrose."

The Philadelphia Public Ledger, a Republican paper says: "The anti-Penrose movement within the Republican party is a sign of political health. For the past few years Republicanism in Pennsylvania has been suffering from a wasting disease, malignant, but not chronic, distressing but not necessarily fatal, serious but not incurable. It is Penroseitis."

On the occasion of Penrose's recent visit to Allegheny and nearby counties the machine managers sent out a request to the people to put Penrose's picture in front of their places of business.

Nearly every saloonkeeper had a Penrose placard in his window. They were practically the only ones who obeyed the request.

AMERICAN FASHIONS.



McCall Design

New York, September 10.

If American women are not unusually well turned out this year, it won't be the fault of our clever designers. Owing to the paucity of French models, experts here who usually content themselves with modifying foreign ideas have gone a step farther and really originated a number of clever conceits, exactly adapted to the clientele on this side of the pond.

It would be curious if one of the effects of this deplorable conflict, is the launching of authoritative American fashions for American women.

DRESS MATERIALS.

Serges are decidedly in the lead just now, especially in the Gaberdine types and satins are back with a vengeance, especially in combination with the serge. Very attractive are those models with the narrow petticoat, sleeves and girdle of black satin and the rest serge. Dark blue still holds the lead in this combination but there are lovely shades in purple, greens and browns that combine as effectively but are not so universally becoming as the blue.

BUTTONS.

Buttons are of special importance and in the serge satin combinations one sees considerable use of satin covered buttons. Jets are reckoned particularly smart and are advancing in price, as these are largely imported so it is an opportune time to seek out any nice jets one possesses to make the most of them while they lead the mode. Crystal and amber buttons are also in demand, and the new fad for finishing narrow neckties on shirt waists with an olive shaped button is pretty and popular. Jet jewelry in combs, barrettes, pins and chains is naturally to the fore.

MILLINERY.

Never was there a more attractive showing of hats, or an easier time to secure the hat that brings out all one's best points. Small hats lead in variety of shape but there are no end of pretty sailor models with wide spreading brims, that appeal to the girls especially in the softly draped black velvet models which set off the face and fluffy hair bewitchingly. Soft crowns are seen in many of the most exclusive places and the prices tacked on to unobtrusive little velvet hats with a whisp of expensive feather trimming effectively placed, are startling to one not conversant with the awe with which say a "Vivrot" model is viewed by the fashionable. Fortunately for those of us whose purse strings don't stretch immoderately, there are many clever copy cats who reproduce the masterpieces at prices that we can afford to pay.

The hat is the main thing, its shape and material and finish are the essential thing, then just a bit of garniture, where it will do the most to accent the style of headwear and wearer.

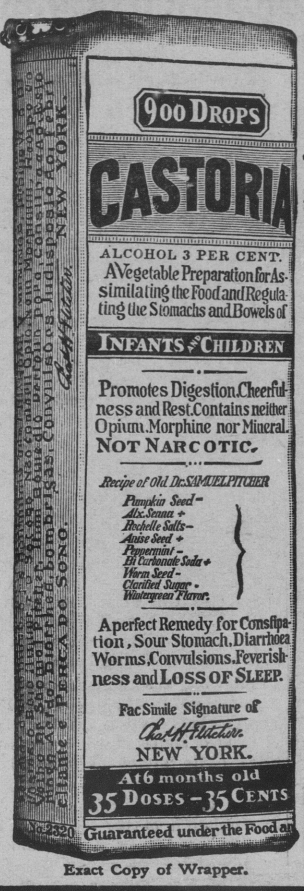
One of the newest, prettiest black velvet hats, in the small class, resembles a soft crowned Derby with a cuff of velvet at one side from centre front to back, topped with a few whisps of black paradise or other light feather fancies. Fannie Field.

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NOT ONLY IN MEYERSDALE.

SIMILAR CASES OCCUR DAILY IN THIS VICINITY.

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Must Display Licenses.

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Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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