

GERMAN DRIVE INTO POLAND GAINS FORCE

BERLIN REPORTS CONTINUED PROGRESS THROUGHOUT EAST.

TEUTONS DRAW NEARER WARSAW

England Puzzled Over Intention of Austro-Germans—Arras Storm Center in West.

London, July 1.—The Austro-German drive northward into Poland from Galicia is gaining momentum and England is puzzled as to whether the main effort is to make this the main effort or to continue to concentrate her offensive to force the Russians from the southeast tip of Galicia. Whatever the ultimate object the fighting along the Galla Lipa river has not abated and Berlin not only reports progress here but also further north in arc around Lemberg and between the Vistula and Bug rivers. The Teutonic forces on this front are estimated at two millions, and their progress has been rapid. They are not far from Sandomir fortress, twenty-six miles north of the Galla frontier. The great Russian base Litovsk, linked with Warsaw by important railway lies only a hundred miles to the north.

The development of the Galician campaign has created a situation unexpected by the allies. A few months ago the Russians were at the Carpathians and confident predictions were made in England and France that the Russians would soon overrun Hungary. The British press which has been optimistic that the Russians would turn for weeks, has now frankly conceded that the invasion of Poland is serious. The papers, however, put faith in the Russian campaign for the production of more mobilized troops.

The Austro-German drive is all the storm center in the west. The forces are piling up but neither side delivers a decisive blow. An Austro-German offensive has been taken toward Kishinev in the Gallipoli Peninsula.

Paris, which has been trying to bring into the conflict has notified reservists in England to be ready to join the color. Bulgarian officials here say it is a perfunctory procedure here.

London, July 1.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says, Field Marshal Von Mackensen's German army, on its northern drive from Galicia is flanked by the Austrians under Archduke Joseph Ferdinand and General von Boehm-Ersell. Every where in Galicia the German and Austrian troops are sandwiched together. The first objective of the Teutonic advances between the Vistula and Bug rivers is Lvov.

GOV. WHITMAN GRANTS RESPIRE FOR BECKER

Will Not Grant Clemency—Only Order From Supreme Court Can Save Him.

Albany, July 1.—Governor Whitman today declined to commute the death sentence of Charles Becker. Simultaneously Martin W. Manton, Becker's counsel, announced he would take no further legal steps in Becker's behalf. That other counsel for Becker may have an opportunity to appeal to the federal courts is desired, the governor granted a respite for the week beginning July 13, to the work beginning July 23. Only a writ by the federal court will now set a stay.

PROTEST CHILDREN OF NATURALIZED PARENTS

State Department Decides They Are Not Liable For Service Abroad.

Washington, July 1.—The state department in a statement today made it clear that children born on American soil whose parents have become naturalized American citizens cannot be classified as possessing dual nationalities and are not considered liable to military service under a foreign flag.

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NO COMPLICATIONS LIKELY AS RESULT ARMEINIAN INCIDENT

OFFICIALS INCLINED TO VIEW THAT SINKING WAS JUSTIFIED BECAUSE STEAMER ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE WHEN ORDERED TO HALT BY THE COMMANDER OF SUBMARINE.

Washington, July 1.—Official information on which to base accurate judgment of the circumstances under which the British steamer Armenian was destroyed with a loss of American lives is lacking tonight. Secretary Lansing said until the details are available the position of the United States could not be determined. After reading the news dispatches and a closer reading of official reports, however, officials were inclined to the view that the Armenian apparently refused to halt at the command of the German submarine, and according to international law the sinking of the vessel was justified, even though non-combatants were on board.

There was little tension here after it was learned the Armenian tried to escape. It was admitted that if official reports bore out press dispatches there was no likelihood of any new cause of complaint would be added to the issues pending between the United States and Germany. One or two officials suggested that since Germany had given warning she would torpedo enemy ships without warning, merchantmen carrying contraband might be justified in attempting to escape, since to halt would mean certain destruction with no assurance of an opportunity for the crew to escape. The only important fact officially received was Ambassador Page's report that the Armenian was "engaged in admiralty business."

Avenmouth, England, July 1.—Eleven Americans, among 19 members of the crew who lost their lives in the sinking of the Leyland line freight steamer by a German submarine off Cornwall Monday. Some members of the crew were killed outright by the torpedo. The Armenian was carrying 12,000 miles from Newport, N. H., to Avenmouth for the French army and had a crew of 72 and 39 munitioners.

The man at the wheel first sighted the submarine, which overhauled the freight and circled near and the German commander ordered the Armenian's captain to surrender. The Armenian's skipper tried to evade the

Slayer of Greenville Chief Dies As Result of Wounds

Greenville, July 1.—Walker White, aged 35, who shot and mortally wounded the late Chief of Police J. E. Holcombe in a desperate pistol encounter at his home in the Carolina mill village, May 31, died this morning at the city hospital from results of a wound he received in the tragic affair. Yesterday, a month ago, Chief Holcombe succumbed to his wounds unexpectedly, and the sad intelligence of his death immediately brought about a unanimous change in the spirit or White, whom the coroner's jury held responsible for the death. He refused to eat and most of the nourishment he received was given him by force. Slowly he sank to the grave.

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Washington, July 1.—A formal request for the extradition of General Victoriano Huerta on various criminal charges has been presented to Governor Ferguson of Texas by the Villa governor of Chihuahua state. The matter was brought to the attention of the federal government today by Ferguson forward to the Villa governor's request to the state department.

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Consul Armstrong at Bristol today reported to Ambassador Page that 21 of the 29 men lost with the Armenian were Americans. Previous lists gave only 20 Americans.

The ambassador's dispatch gave no further details for the state department's consideration of the incident. Ambassador Page said as the Armenian carried to passengers presumably all the Americans lost were members of the crew. It is pointed out here that Americans seeking cheap transportation frequently travel such ships as passengers, though signed as members of the crew.

President Declines to Comment. Cornish, New Hampshire, July 1.—President Wilson declined to comment today on the loss of American lives on the Armenian. The president is awaiting complete details.

Washington, July 1.—Latest dispatch detailing how the Armenian tried to escape after being ordered to stop, caused officials here to believe that the German submarine conformer to international law and the United States might have a reason to take up the subject diplomatically. Americans aboard such ships lose the protection of their government when vessels prefer resistance.

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Condition of the crop on June 25 was 75.3 per cent. normal. The acreage and condition by states follow. The first group of figures represent acreage while the second group the condition:

Alabama	86	73
North Carolina	1,323	79
South Carolina	2,239	76
Georgia	4,484	79
Florida	202	78
Alabama	3,282	78
Mississippi	2,724	81
Louisiana	1,188	82
Texas	10,365	82
Arkansas	2,193	85
Tennessee	818	87
Missouri	1,07	86
Oklahoma	2,102	71
California	25	90
All others	17	

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Latest Photo of Gen. Huerta



This photograph of General Huerta, Hialeah, Long Island, a few days before was taken at his home at Forest Hill, was arrested at El Paso.

Thaw's Wife Will Be Witness At Trial To Decide His Sanity

New York, July 1.—Information considered authentic by the deputy attorney general's office reached here today that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw had reluctantly decided to obey the subpoena compelling her to testify as a state witness at the sanity trial of her husband, Harry K. Thaw. Word from Malton, N. Y., near here where she is camping had said she would refuse to come. Plans to compel

Reduction in Custom Revenues Causes \$35,864,381.00 Deficit

Washington, July 1.—The second business year of the present administration, closing yesterday, showed a \$35,864,381.00 deficit compared to a surplus of \$24,418,677 last year. An official explanation will be issued after Secretary McAdoo analyzes the figures. On the face of the records it is apparent that receipts were much smaller on account of the enormous reduction in customs revenues resulting from war while expenditures were much greater.

Reply In Hands of Emperor; Will Be Forwarded July Fifth

Berlin, July 1.—The German reply to the American note on submarine warfare is in the hands of Emperor William. His decision is expected in time for the note to be delivered to Ambassador Gerard by July fifth at

Submarine Sinks British Ship; Crew Saved By Belgian Trawler

London, July 1.—The British steamer Lomas Argentina, of Belfast was sunk by a German submarine Wednesday off Sicily islands. The submarine fired two shots, presumably a summons to halt. The

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Riots at Constantinople

Istanbul, July 1.—A coal famine in Constantinople, dispatches say, has made necessary the closing of many factories and the consequent dismissal of many workmen. Destitution is widespread in the capital and bread is scarce.

British Losses in Dardanelles

London, July 1.—Premier Asquith announced in the house of commons this afternoon that British naval and military losses in Gallipoli, wounded and missing in operations about Dardanelles to May 31 aggregated 35,335 officers and men.

ZAPATA UNABLE TO KEEP ORDER IN MEXICO CITY

INSUBORDINATION OF OFFICERS ADDS TO DANGERS IN CAPITAL.

MOBS CONTINUE LOOTING STORES

Troops All Placed Outside of Defense, Leaving City Without Military Guards.

Washington, July 1.—Conditions in Mexico City discovered are growing more chaotic, loomed largest today in the official view of the complex Mexican situation. The situation in Mexico City, made it dangerous for foreigners, by the battle of the armies in the suburbs, causing Washington officials much anxiety. The latest reports from Mexico City, via courier to Vera Cruz which were cabled to the state department several days late, discovered conditions bordering on anarchy in Mexico City, with an understanding of mobs rioting and looting the stores.

Washington, July 1.—Zapata officers in Mexico City are charged with inciting mob violence in dispatch sent out from Mexico City on June 25 to Vera Cruz by courier and cabled to the state department today. It is stated the insubordination of some of Zapata's officers is rendering the situation more acute. No prospect of relief for the starving civilians in Mexico City is held out in the dispatches.

The convention government officials claim that Carranza's forces were repulsed. Sharp fighting has been reported in the suburbs. Carranza's report, the latest word from Mexico City, what has happened in the Zapata forces are said to number 25,000 and all on the defense. Plans about the city leaving the business district without military guards. Carranza forces are smaller.

Carranza Soldiers Killed in Wreck. Laredo, Texas, July 1.—Three hundred Carranza soldiers, their wives and children were killed, several hundred others injured in a wreck of a military train near Montemorelos ten days ago, according to American arriving here today from the interior of Mexico.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE TO MEET JULY FIFTH

Every State to Be Represented At Big Atlantic City Meeting.

Atlantic City, N. Y., July 1.—Every state in the union will be represented here next week at the state national convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America which will open on Tuesday, July 6th and continue until Friday, July 9th. Arrangements have been made to care for nearly 25,000 delegates and the managers of the convention expect 1 to be one of the greatest ever held by the league.

Under the banner of "A Pathless Trail and a Saloonless Nation," the league hopes to adopt plans to further its campaign against the liquor traffic.

Bishop Luther B. Wilson, D. D., of D. D., New York, is president of the league. Each local church organization in the United States affiliated with the Anti-Saloon League, each Sunday school, each young people's society, as well as local, village, township, county, city, state or uplift organization is entitled to appoint a delegate and an alternate.

Spain Is Neutral

Madrid, July 1.—Discussion of war and international conditions in Spain, Premier Dato and last night those in its foundation for the Algeciras that Spain favors the cause of the quadruple entente and declares that Spain favors neither side and is acting as fairly as possible.

Belgian Aviator Killed

London, July 1.—Naval Flying Lieutenant L. T. Watson was killed near Eastbourne today while training a flight in a biplane. The machine became uncontrollable while at a height of 1,200 feet and plunged to the earth.