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RUSSIA MAKES DECISION TO GO TO WAR GIVES SERBIA AID SERBIA ARMED SHORTLY

Only a Political Miracle Can Now Avert War—Czar Orders Partial Mobilization

SERVIANS BLOW UP SAVE RIVER BRIDGE

Driven Back From River by Austrians—Two Cargoes of Serbian Ammunition Captured—Belgrade Bombarded—Russia Mobilizing 1,280,000 Men Against Austrian Frontier—Prayers in St. Petersburg Cathedral for Victory for Slav Arms—Great Britain Yet in Attitude of Spectator and Peacemaker—Berlin Hears of Coming German Mobilization.

St. Petersburg, July 29.—In Russian eyes the die is cast. Only a political miracle can avert war. Russia is not averse from her determination to support Serbia, and partial mobilization has already been ordered. There is very strong indication that the whole vast military machinery of Russia will soon be set in motion. An imperial manifesto is awaited tonight.

Should Emperor Nicholas become generalissimo of the forces, as is understood, an immense wave of enthusiasm will sweep over Russia. The political parties have sunk their differences. The general attitude is not "jingoistic" but one of resolute confidence in the justice of the country's cause and readiness to make all sacrifices.

Put Responsibility on Austria. The proposal, attributed to Austria, to discuss terms when Belgrade has been occupied, is regarded as impossible. It is pointed out that before the opening of hostilities Russia proposed to Austria a direct exchange of views, which Austria rejected.

Censor Permits Despatch to Pass. The foregoing despatch to pass was passed by the censor without revision—a fact which is considered highly significant.

SERVIANS BLOW UP BRIDGE OVER DANUBE

Driven Back by Austrians With Small Loss—Serbian Ammunition Boats Captured.

Vienna, July 29.—The Serbians at 10.30 o'clock this morning blew up the bridge spanning the River Save between the Austrian town of Semlin and Belgrade. The Austrian infantry and artillery captured the Serbian steamers in conjunction with monitors on the river, fired on the Serbian positions beyond the bridge. The Serbians retreated after a short engagement, with trifling losses.

Small Detachment of Pioneers, in cooperation with the customs officers, yesterday captured two Serbian steamers laden with ammunition and mines. The pioneers and revenue guards after a short, sharp encounter overcame the Serbian crew and took possession of the vessels and their dangerous cargoes. The captured ships were towed away by one of the Danube steamers.

Popular Enthusiasm in Austria. Emperor Francis Joseph will return to Vienna from Lienz tomorrow and may then go to Budapest, in order to see the new bridge. Popular enthusiasm is growing since the emperor's manifesto and patriotic demonstrations are being held all over the country. Loans on the savings banks are diminishing.

BELGRADE BOMBARDED

Shells Fell on Two Banking Houses—Artillery Duel Now Under Way Between the City.

Athens, July 29.—The Serbians have received the following telegram from Nish, dated July 29: "During the night Belgrade was bombarded by shells from various quarters of the town, causing great damage. Several fell on the Franjeveci and Andrejitch banks. M. Andrejitch, the banking manager, was wounded. Both banks have lodged a protest at the German legation. An artillery duel is proceeding at Cobilizza, about three and a half miles down the river from Belgrade."

Austrians Have Another Bridge. London, July 29.—It is stated in connection with the blowing up of the railway bridge across the River Save by Serbians that the Austrians have another bridge, in sections, on the side of the river, which they can put up in a few days.

LONDON SEES LITTLE RELIEF TO SUSPENSE

No Diplomatic Achievement Yet to Limit Zone of War, but Hope is Not Given Up.

London, July 30.—The day's events brought no relief to the suspense, nor any diplomatic achievement to restrict the Austro-Serbian war to those two nations. The feeling throughout England, and the continental feeling as reflected by the correspondents of the London papers, is tonight distinctly more anxious than yesterday.

Two events have been the point of view of the public mind. The first is the mobilization of the Russian army, and the second is the blowing up of the railway bridge across the River Save by Serbians. The Russian mobilization is a serious step, and the blowing up of the bridge is a serious step. The public mind is now in a state of suspense, and it is hoped that a diplomatic achievement will be made in the near future.

ter of marine and one of the emperor's first-aid surgeons, and one of the commanding generals of the German army.

It was reported late tonight in circles close to the Austrian embassy that a mobilization of German forces tomorrow was highly probable. No confirmation of this report was obtainable.

French Embassy Has Assurance. The French embassy professes to have assurance from the German government that Germany would not regard a Russian mobilization as an absolute casus belli—assurances perhaps received since Emperor William's return to Germany.

But the situation undoubtedly is bad and the pessimism of the banks and public justified. While the Reichsbank today decided to leave its rate unchanged, this decision is believed to have been intended solely to avoid a July alarm, an official statement is expected before the end of the week.

RUSSIAN RESERVISTS CALLED TO THE COLORS

Imperial Ukase Summons Immense Number for War Service.

St. Petersburg, July 29.—An imperial ukase issued by the emperor tonight calls to long marches an immense number of reservists.

The men called out are: First—The conscripts of 23 whole governments and of 11 districts in 14 other governments.

Second—Part of the reservists of nine districts of four governments.

Third—The naval reservists in 64 districts of 12 Russian governments and one Finnish government.

Fourth—The Russian Cossacks of the territories of Don, Kuban, Terek, Astrakhan, Orenburg and Ural.

Fifth—A corresponding number of reservist officers of the medical and veterinary services in addition to needful horses, wagons and transport services in the governments and districts thus mobilized.

AUSTRIANS IN BELGRADE

Occupy Servian City After Bombardment by Gunboats.

London, July 30.—A Vienna despatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says: "After a heavy bombardment by the Danube gunboats, Belgrade was occupied by the Austrian troops Wednesday."

SPAIN ASSEMBLING WARSHIPS

All Available Have Been Ordered to the Balearic Isles.

Gibraltar, July 29.—Spain has ordered every available warship to assemble at the Balearic Isles, in the Mediterranean. The battleship Pelayo and some of the cruisers are proceeding from the Moorish coast and the cruiser Extremadura, and a torpedo boat squadron are leaving Algiers for the same destination. Other precautionary measures are being taken here.

EXCURSION STEAMER UPSET

STONE LADEN BARGE

New York, July 29.—At least one and possibly four persons were drowned and it is feared other casualties occurred late today when the river steamer Majestic of Newark, returning home, was capsized by a collision with a barge loaded with stone. The barge was on the right side of the river, and the steamer was on the left side. The collision occurred near the foot of the Hudson river.

Wife of Barge Captain Drowned—Many Hurt in Panic on Steamer.

Cabled Paragraphs

Famous French Surgeon Dead.

Paris, July 29.—Professor Paul Reclus, the noted French surgeon and writer, died at the age of 87.

Fireworks Explosion in Spain.

Tudela, Spain, July 29.—Twenty-five people were killed and fifty others injured, some mortally, by an explosion of fireworks during a local festival today.

Twelve Mines Blown Up.

Cassel, Germany, July 29.—Twelve mines were blown up by a dynamite when they were working a shaft in the Krallach mine, near here.

Slump in Tokio Silk Market.

Tokyo, July 29.—A slump in the raw silk market has resulted from the war between Austria and Serbia and the possibility of a general European war.

Night Maneuvers at Strauburg.

Strauburg, Germany, July 29.—The commander of the 15th German army corps, stationed here, announced to the press that the maneuvers which were to take place tomorrow in the neighborhood of Strauburg. The announcement stated that the exercises would be held in the presence of the population in the vicinity should not be disrupted if artillery firing were heard, since it would have no relation to the present international situation.

Secretary of State Makes Finding in Famous Auto Case.

Hartford, Conn., July 29.—Secretary of State Albert M. Phillips today rendered a finding in the so-called Carlson-Phillips automobile case. On June 17 at Green Farms a car driven by Philip Carlson of Bridgeport and one occupied by the state secretary, a lady friend and his chauffeur, Joseph Tedesco, figured in a collision.

Following the accident, the secretary took Carlson's license, but later that night gave the license to Tedesco. A hearing on the case was twice assigned, and each time was continued on request of Jacob H. Klein of Bridgeport, counsel for Carlson.

CAPE COD CANAL OFFICIALLY OPENED.

Traffic Will Begin Today—Shertans New York-Boston Route 78 Miles.

Buzzards Bay, July 29.—The Cape Cod canal, that semi-artificial waterway which has been the dream of two bygone centuries, and today is a reality, was today officially opened. The canal, which is 2 1/2 miles long, will open for coastwise traffic tomorrow.

This new waterway, eight miles long, 25 feet deep and from 100 to 500 feet wide, connects Buzzards Bay with Cape Cod bay, shortens the route from Boston to New York by about 100 miles and makes the passage safer. It has taken the Boston, Cape Cod and New York Canal company about six years to build the canal and the cost was approximately \$13,000,000. Some dredging remains to be done.

Coastwise commerce will begin to come through this new canal tomorrow, by daylight only, for a week or two; later larger vessels will be admitted by day and night.

Dedication exercises were held here this afternoon in the presence of a vast throng of people. The exercises were returned from its tour of the canal. Special exercises were held also at Sandwich in connection with the 25th anniversary of the canal's opening.

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PLEADS FOR ACQUITTAL FOR MRS. WAKEFIELD.

Her Counsel Claims Evidence Does Not Connect Her With Crime.

New Haven, Conn., July 29.—The case of Mrs. Beattie J. Wakefield, on trial in the superior court for the murder of her husband, who goes to trial tomorrow. Today was given up to arguments of counsel, at the conclusion of which Judge Joel H. Reed adjourned court. In the morning he will deliver his charge to the jury, which will then retire to bring in its verdict.

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EVILS OF SEGREGATION.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago Changes His View.

Chicago, July 29.—"Segregation means hatred and corruption of officials," Mayor Carter H. Harrison said today as he declared that he was not in a position to determine a question of fact, but by reason of the legal advice to the various departments of the city government, and could only decide a question of law, so that this finding of fact does not order a suspension of his operator's license.

CONNECTICUT'S WEALTH.

State Grand List Shows \$206,421,933 Gain in Four Years.

Hartford, Conn., July 29.—Some idea of the taxable possessions of the citizens of Connecticut and the wealth in the state is given in the pamphlet issued today by State Tax Commissioner W. H. Corbin relating to the assessment and collection of taxes.

The grand list for 1913 was \$1,172,061,740, an increase of \$106,421,933 in four years.

The progress Connecticut has made in the past four years is shown by comparison. In four years stores, mills, factories and distilleries have increased 1914 with an increased valuation of \$244,500. For 1913 there were returned for taxation purposes 19,408 stores, mills, etc. valued at \$222,182,295. The increase in establishments in this list numbered 14,306 or a value of \$122,936,643. This value is greater than the value of manufacturing plants, indicating that the trader is still in the lead of the fabricator.

200,000 View Funeral Parade

WHEN DUBLIN SHOOTING VICTIMS WERE BORNE TO GRAVE

SHOPS WERE CLOSED

Procession a Mile and a Half Long—Crowds Stand Barheaded and Silent—Escort of Nationalist Volunteers With Mayor and City Council.

Dublin, July 29.—More than 200,000 persons, standing barheaded and silent in the streets, tonight witnessed the funeral procession of the three persons who died in the shooting at the King's Own Scottish Borderers fired into a mob during an attempt by the police and soldiers to disperse a crowd of nationalist volunteers.

The procession, which started from the Cathedral, was a mile and a half long. The mayor and the city council and other public bodies and battalions of Nationalist volunteers followed the hearse. As the funeral cortege passed the scene of the shooting the hands played dirges.

CARLSON KEEPS HIS LICENSE.

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When the hearing was called Attorney Klein immediately asked for a plea of abatement, which was granted by the court. The attorney then asked for a continuance of the case, and each time was continued on request of Jacob H. Klein of Bridgeport, counsel for Carlson.

The finding of the secretary is a lengthy one in which he quotes the testimony and all the witnesses and at the conclusion he orders a suspension of Carlson's license.

Summary of Testimony. The secretary reviews in detail the testimony of a number of witnesses. He will be seen from the testimony of disinterested witnesses who saw the car at the time of the collision that the car was on the right side of the road, and eyewitnesses who did not see the car at the time of the collision, but the secretary's car was proceeding on the right hand side.

The testimony clearly shows that the car was on the right hand side, and there having been a collision the only conclusion that can be drawn is that the Carlson car was on the right hand side of the road.

"It may be that Mr. Carlson was blinded by the lights, even though the car was on the right hand side, but the finding of the secretary is a lengthy one in which he quotes the testimony and all the witnesses and at the conclusion he orders a suspension of Carlson's license."

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PROF. FISHER CRITICIZES STATE'S RAILROAD LAW.

Connecticut Must Have Men Free from Railroad Entanglement.

Hartford, Conn., July 29.—"No railroad policy for Connecticut can make the conditions of transportation a part of government what they ought to be, unless it is developed and administered by men altogether free from railroad entanglement, and men whose honesty and courage can endure the severest tests," said Professor Fisher today in an address delivered tonight before the Hartford Central Labor union by Prof. Willard C. Fisher of Middletown in speaking on Connecticut and the Railroad.

Professor Fisher severely criticized the laws of the state in relation to railroads. Speaking of testimony recently made on the witness stand (evidently referring to the interstate commerce commission), Professor Fisher said it was enough to stir the truest spirit into wildest indignation.

HAIL AND LIGHTNING IN SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT.

Streets of New Haven, Ansonia and Waterbury Flooded.

New Haven, Conn., July 29.—A heavy shower passed over a part of southern Connecticut this afternoon. After light showers in the forenoon, with sunbursts between, a downpour at noon, with a burst of sunlight after it, black clouds emptied themselves and hail fell with the rain. While the streets of New Haven, Ansonia and Waterbury were flooded, little or no rain touched Hartford and Bridgeport.

The shower here was accompanied by thunder and lightning.

"Becky" Had Tabloid Food. New York, July 29.—"Becky" Edelman, the anarchist and Industrial Workers of the World orator, who has been on an intermittent hunger strike in the penitentiary on Blackwell's island, has been taking food in tabloid form, according to an announcement today by Miss Katherine Davis, commissary of institutions.

Condensed Telegrams

The thermometer registered 105 degrees in scores of cities in the heat of the shopping district was flooded by a heavy rain today, causing damage estimated at from \$4,000 to \$100,000. The principal downtown, which closely resembled a cloudburst, lasted only one hour. According to the weather bureau, the total rainfall was 1.68 inches. Over an inch fell in half an hour, which breaks the record for the last twenty-one years.

The relief fund for the Salem fire sufferers passed the \$400,000 mark.

The German cruiser sailed from Honolulu for Samoa.

The Liverpool Corn Exchange will be closed on August 1, a bank holiday.

The Democratic State Conference will be held at Saratoga, N. Y., on August 26.

President Wilson has approved an issue of \$1,430,000 Hawaiian improvement bonds.

According to the State geologist the mineral output of New York is valued at \$1,704,930.

Three Italian warships visiting the City were ordered to return to Italian waters at once.

The estate of Senator Edwin Bailey, Democratic leader of Suffolk County, is valued at \$25,000.

Fifteen coal miners were killed by fire which broke out in the Wessmann pit at Dortmund, Germany.

Augustus Smith, said to be the eldest graduate of Yale, died at Washington, Conn., aged 93 years.

The conference report on the sundry civil appropriation bill carrying \$100,000,000 was passed by the Senate.

Landini, an Italian aviator, established a new record when he flew 10 miles over the Alps with a passenger.

Resources of banking institutions operating under Rhode Island charters increased \$5,065,508.48 in the last year.

The up candidate Vanitie, after being overhauled and polished will be lowered from the ways at City Island.

Aranah S. Abell, grandson of A. S. Abell, founder of the Baltimore "Sun" died in Baltimore after a long illness.

Fire in Monterey, Mex., destroyed a half-million pesos worth of property and threatened the entire business section.

One-third of the loss supply of Portland cement was destroyed when 100 houses were burned. The loss is \$75,000.

Mrs. Isabelle Lara, sister of a former president of Costa Rica, arrived in New York to consult a specialist about her eyes.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced that Admiral Fletcher will take command of the Atlantic fleet September 1.

Five more plague infested rats have been discovered in New Orleans according to an announcement made by Dr. W. C. Rucker.

C. B. Forstard, a New York jeweler, opposed to the police that a bank in his employ had disappeared with jewelry valued at \$4,000.

Exports of merchandise for the port of New York last week amounted to \$1,177,225, against \$1,144,988 the corresponding week last year.

M. Dumba, Austro-Hungarian Ambassador to the United States, has cancelled his trip to Europe. He had expected to sail Saturday.

Navigation in the Finnish harbors at night has been forbidden and commanders of lightships have been ordered not to light lamps.

A gift of \$15,000 from the estate of Dr. Frank Hartley of New York, to establish a scholarship fund at Bowdoin College was announced.

Four persons were killed and four injured when a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad train struck an automobile at Ravinia Park, Chicago.

The State Supreme Court at Olympia, Wash., in a decision held that marriages of persons under legal age with the consent of parents, is binding.

Fire starting in the Gilmour & Huggan lumber yards at Hull, Ontario, destroyed 3,000,000 feet of lumber and a large quantity of mill work.

Morris Loeb, president of the Chemists' Club of New York, and one of America's leading scientists who died Oct. 8, 1912, left a total estate of \$2,274,585.

President Wilson is considering Chief Justice John E. Winslow of the Wisconsin Supreme Court for the vacancy in the United States Supreme Court.

Governor Glynn appointed a commission to represent the State in the forthcoming celebration of the 100th anniversary of peace between English speaking peoples.

The steamer Sarnor of the Keystone Line, bound through the Welland Canal, carried away two deadheads of a such nature that traffic will be resumed in a few days.

The smaller of two alligators which escaped from William Hart's place at 2349 L. I. was shot and killed. Bathers are taking no chances until its mate is disposed of.

Near Cloudburst in New Haven

FROM \$10,000 TO \$20,000 DAMAGE IN SHOPPING DISTRICT

CELLARS ARE FLOODED

\$5,000 Worth of Stamped Envelopes In Post Office Destroyed—An Inch of Water in Half an Hour—Breaks 21 Year Record.

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Water Poured into Cellars. The rain was accompanied by thunder and lightning. In some parts of the city there was also a fall of hail. The heaviest rain came suddenly, and it was as if the heavens were pouring. The rain was so heavy that it was impossible to walk in the streets. The water poured into the cellars, and water began pouring into the cellars.

At one time there was four feet of water in the postoffice cellar, where \$5,000 worth of stamped envelopes were destroyed. In the cellar of a large department store, the central cases and a dozen or more stores of every description were flooded. The water poured into the cellars, and water began pouring into the cellars.

Chicago Wheat Brokers Past Market Closed. Only Some Few Minor Houses Were in Serious Difficulty.

Chicago, July 29.—Early through relief from the stronger houses on "change" and partly because of a change of pace in the movement of Russia and Germany, the wheat trade today closed with an instance of failure and continued with instructions to a half hour at the start and to conditions approaching a collapse at the finish.

Stringent calls for margins to a degree not permitted by the rules held the volume of trading down to less than a quarter of yesterday's figure. The market was closed at a loss of 4 1/2 cent extreme decline as compared with last night's wild advance of 9 1/2 cents.

Transfers of trades from concerns in danger of not passing the clearing house furnished the safety valve, according to standard procedure, which the suddenness of yesterday's tremendous wrench was felt, and which were unable to withstand the shock of another such abrupt experience.

NEW PEACE STAMPS IN FULL

Serbian Will Commemorate 100 Year Pact With Great Britain.

Washington, July 29.—The commission on the centenary of peace between the United States and Great Britain, Postmaster General Burleson has made arrangements for an issue of postage stamps of special design. The stamps will be of the two and five cent denominations.

The two cent stamp shows a hand holding an American flag, and at the right a hand holding a British flag. The two figures clasping hands across the hemisphere.

The five cent stamp shows a winged figure, representing the spirit of peace, with the dove of peace flying before her. Upon both stamps the words "1814-1914" appear.

The new stamps will be ready for sale to the public early in the fall.

AMERICAN RED CROSS ACTION.

Relief Board Will Receive and Forward Contributions.

Washington, July 29.—The international relief board of the American Red Cross today decided to announce that the society would receive and forward contributions for relief to the Austrian and Serbian Red Cross societies, as designated by contributors.

The Red Cross chapters in the United States are being notified.

Money for Salem Moore.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 29.—A resolution was adopted yesterday at the convention of the Loyal Order of Moose, giving \$5,000 for families of 176 members of the Order who lost their homes in the recent Salem fire. Each local lodge was, in addition, asked to contribute to the fund and it is expected that at least \$25,000 will be subscribed.

Fugitive More Than a Year.

Hartford, Conn., July 29.—Timothy Connors, a fugitive from justice for more than a year, was arrested here tonight. He was charged with assaulting Joseph Varone April 18, 1912. The man had a fight over a beef stew in a restaurant and Connors is alleged to have beaten Varone, who was a field.