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GRETA PAYS PENALTY FOR MURDERING HIS WIFE

Executed at Wethersfield Early This Morning—Was Resigned to His Fate. Wethersfield, Conn., Aug. 12.—Frank Greta of Hartford, who on June 8 last shot his wife at the Ivy club, was hanged in the state prison here early this morning. Greta confessed to the crime which he believed his wife had been unfaithful to him.

PLANS FOR STRENGTHENING NATIONAL DEFENCES

Secretary Daniels Gave President Wilson General Outline of Proposals. Washington, Aug. 12.—President Wilson today gave the president of the National Defense Council, Secretary Daniels, a general outline of proposals for strengthening the national defenses.

MANUFACTURERS MAY RESIST DEMANDS OF MACHINISTS

Organized Effort Indicated by Action of Garvin Machine Co., New York. New York, Aug. 12.—Indications that an effort will be made by organized manufacturers to resist the demands of the National Machine Union, a representative of the National Machine Association, to resist the demands of the machinists' union for a general eight hour day, were reported today.

LOCOMOBILE CO. GRANTS AN EIGHT HOUR DAY

But Does Not Agree to Pay One and One-half Pay for Overtime. Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 12.—At a mass meeting attended by 1500 machinists, the Locomobile Company it was announced that the company had agreed to the demands for an eight hour day, but would not grant the one and one-half pay for overtime work.

OLD SAILING VESSELS AGAIN IN DEMAND

British Shipping Trade Forced to Use Them Because Government Needs Steamships. Liverpool, Eng., Aug. 12.—The demand for old sailing vessels is considered by the shipping trade as being based on the long rejected sailing vessels, which were at one time considered when steamer rates were at their highest.

BELIEVES MISSING HARTFORD GIRL IS IN NEW HAVEN

Father Says She May Have Become Deranged Suddenly. Hartford, Conn., Aug. 12.—Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Guidone of this city, parents of Edwin Guidone, who is missing, are believed to have secured the girl from her home, to-night sent the following open letter to the Hartford Courant, requesting her return.

STEEL HELMETS FOR THE FRENCH ARMY

700,000 New Head Shields Have Been Sent to the Front. Paris, Aug. 12.—Pending the manufacture of the new steel helmets for the French army, 700,000 steel helmets have been sent to the front. This is the only species of armor that the soldiers have been permitted to use, as most of the cuirasses, chest protectors, head protectors, coats-of-mail and bucklers that were offered proved to be almost as dangerous as the enemy's bullets.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Gibraltar, Aug. 11.—Passed: steamer Paris, New York for Piraeus. Rotterdam, Aug. 11.—Passed: steamer Noordam, New York for Rotterdam. Sailed: steamer Lapland, Liverpool. Liverpool, Aug. 12.—Arrived: steamer Adriatic, New York.

Condensed Telegrams

Threshing of wheat is in progress in parts of Oregon. Harvesting of the wheat crop was begun in western Canada. France bought 100,000 barrels of Minneapolis flour in Chicago. Revenue of the French Government in July, amounted to \$51,151,600. Wreckers began the task of raising the steamer Eastland in the Chicago River. President Pennington of the Soo lines declares that the wheat crop is phenomenal. The American tanker Petrolite was taken into a British port by an English warship. Two persons were drowned when the tugboat Sandusky capsized off Sandusky, Ohio. New York athletes after competing at the Panama-Pacific Exposition games left for home. Anarchist societies are reported to be active in German towns. Many arrests have been made. Four Americans in Tampico, Mexico, were sentenced to long terms in prison on a charge of counterfeiting. The C. K. Hansen Steamship Co., Copenhagen, announced a dividend of 46 per cent for the first half of 1915. A seat on the New York Stock Exchange was sold for \$12,500, an increase of \$250 over the last previous sale. German scientists have discovered new method in manufacturing printing paper, which will greatly cheapen prices. One officer and 11 soldiers were killed when a military airship exploded while being inflated at Guadalajara, Spain. Italian government agents in New York arrested a contractor for 1,000,000 blankets and 400,000 overcoats for the Italian army. In a letter printed in a London newspaper, A. Conan Doyle, the author, suggests the use of shields and helmets in the war. The Grand Duke of Mecklenburg has replaced General Linman von Sanders as commander-in-chief of the Turks at the Dardanelles. Discovery of a cure for cerebro-spinal meningitis was announced by Dr. Richard Bull of the University of Melbourne, Australia. The home of Mrs. Mary Mitchell, mother of Major Mitchell of New York, was entered by burglars. The loss was not made public. An order for 5,835 passenger and freight cars to cost about \$2,000,000, was received by the Pittsburgh Trade Commission from France. The plant of Smith & Wallace Co., Woburn, Mass., manufacturers of electrical supplies, will be converted into war munitions factory. Anticipating a shortage of coal this winter, the Pennsylvania Railroad is storing thousands of tons at convenient points along the system. Pope Benedict is reported to have sent a note of sympathy to the Catholics in East Prussia, who suffered during the last Russian invasion. A speed boat belonging to Henry Mertz, clerk in the Municipal Court in New York, was destroyed by fire at Huntington. The boat cost \$2,500. France plans to seize large quantities of rolling stock from Germany after war to prevent a serious shortage of cars for the French railroads. Detectives had a hard time rescuing two pickpockets accused of working among 2,500 Italian residents about to sail from the foot of West 34th Street. According to Russian reports, a German agent declared to the Red Cross train in Poland, killing several attendants and wounded soldiers. Constant Koping, aged 25, a sailor was hauled out of the water in a serious condition after he had attempted suicide by jumping from a New York ferryboat. William K. Vanderbilt's yacht Nivana, which went ashore on mud flats in the Hudson river near Tarrytown, was refloated after a special channel had been cut.

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PLAN DOES NOT FIND FAVOR WITH CARRANZA

General Villa Has Informed State Department That He is Willing to Sign an Armistice for Three Months or More During Which a Peace Conference Might Be Held—Neither the President Nor Secretary Lansing Believe Any More Precautionary Measures Are Necessary Than Have Already Been Taken at Vera Cruz or On the Border—Both Are Optimistic About the Outcome of the New Peace Plan.

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UNREASONABLE RATES ON ANTHRACITE COAL

Interstate Commerce Commission to Require Railroads to Publish Fixed Charges. Washington, Aug. 12.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today held to the rate of anthracite coal, prepared pea and small sizes in car loads, applicable from the West Virginia and Schuylkill districts in Pennsylvania to tidewater and to interior points.

CARRANZA WILL NOT RECOGNIZE VILLA

General Villa promptly telegraphed General Carranza, who had refused to begin a discussion of peace terms. Mr. Carranza replied that he would refer the matter to the cabinet. Carranza's response today came in the form of instructions to Arredondo not to begin negotiations with the Villa. Carranza's reply was that he would accept only the unconditional surrender of his opponents. The Carranza message set forth the Mexican position on negotiations with the Villa forces because their troops on July 12 last attacked the military camp of Carranza.

LESS APPREHENSION ABOUT MEXICAN AFFAIRS

General Funston Has Been Given Free Hand to Deal with Bandits. Washington, Aug. 12.—Activity of Mexican bandits on the Texas border and the situation at Vera Cruz continue to be the chief topics of discussion today. The decision also says that concessions and offsets granted by the railroads to their allied coal companies in the form of interstate rates, royalty earnings, the use of valuable property and inadequate rentals, the free use of the railroads' facilities, whom the Interstate Commerce Commission has been denied.

VILLA WILLING TO SIGN ARMISTICE

Incidentally Secretary Lansing revealed today that General Villa had received information from the State Department that he was willing to sign an armistice for three months or a longer period during which a peace conference might be held. Mr. Lorente confirmed this information and added that General Carranza was now in receipt of information relative to details of such an armistice. His point of view was reinforced by evidence of harmony in the Villa ranks.

MACHINISTS MOVE FOR EIGHT HOURS IN HARTFORD

Kepler Brands It as a Notoriously Poor City for Unionism. Hartford, Conn., Aug. 12.—A movement for an eight hour day for Hartford machinists was launched tonight by J. J. Keppeler, international vice president of the machinists union. Addressing a crowd of 500, Mr. Keppeler made first a charge of having been made for the situation and granted the eight hour day, a general strike will spread throughout the city in the next two months. He said Hartford was "notoriously a poor city for unionism" and he urged immediate organization for shorter hours.

INSURANCE COMPANY

The Bosh Magneto Co. announced that it was putting into effect a plan to employ work 9-1-2 hours daily in present. Senator J. Hamilton Lewis said he had "high hopes" that congress would meet early as October to make sure that the business in hand could be put out of the way before national convention time next year. Lieutenant R. B. Gutton, injured in a fall from an aeroplane on the Fort Hill reservation yesterday which caused the instant death of Quartermaster Captain George H. Knox, pilot of the machine, was still alive tonight. New Zealand has only one town with a population of more than 100,000.

STRIKE NOT YET SETTLED

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