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FOUR ARMIES OF 2,500,000 MEN BATTLE ALONG 250-MILE LINE

BRIGHTON BEACH BATHHOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING AND WOMEN FAINT IN PANIC

Darkness Falls on the City as Great Storm Bursts in Mid-Afternoon, After Hours of Torrid Heat.

Hours of blistering heat and smothering humidity bred a thunder and hail storm which fell upon the city at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon and strenuously endeavored to wash New York off the map.

SIX RUN DOWN BY HORSE SCARED IN THUNDERSTORM

Cleared Sidewalk of Pedestrians From Union Square to Wanamaker's.

A horse maddened by a sudden clap of thunder during the height of the storm late this afternoon dragged a heavy delivery wagon down the sidewalk on the east side of Broadway from Union Square to Wanamaker's.

MRS. E. KELLER, sixty years old, No. 542 East Seventeenth street, Mrs. KATE FANTECK, No. 372 Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn, EDNA FANTECK, her eight-year-old daughter, Miss ALICE WELLS, No. 422 West End avenue.

None of those knocked down was fatally injured. Bruises and sprained limbs were the worst injuries suffered by all except the driver, who was severely cut about the head and may have a fracture of the skull.

The team was crossing the broad bend that Broadway makes about Union Square at Fourteenth street when an unusually loud clap of thunder accompanied a vivid flash of lightning.

The rain came with a great swath as thick and violent as the rain of the tropics. Over the rivers and the bay the atmosphere was a pale yellow, through which fogs and steamboats and steamships groped with whistles booming and shrieking.

BASEBALL AND RACING

GERMAN CRUISER KARLSRUHE SAID TO BE OFF HOOK

French and Belgian Consuls Hurry to Confer With Their British Colleagues.

A report that the fleet and evasive German cruiser Karlsruhe had been sighted close off Sandy Hook was circulated this afternoon in shipping and diplomatic circles.

Following the receipt of the report of the proximity of the Karlsruhe to New York, George l'Anglais, Consul-General for France, and Pierre Walilim, Consul for Belgium hastened to the office of Richard L. Noworthy, the acting British Consul-General.

DE PALMA WINS ELGIN AUTO RACE; MAKES NEW RECORD

Averages 73 Miles an Hour and Wins Chicago Trophy — Anderson Second.

RACE COURSE, ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 21.—Ralph De Palma, driving a Mercedes car, won the annual 305-mile road race for the Chicago Automobile Club trophy this afternoon.

De Palma's time was 4:05.16, an average of 73.6 miles per hour. Anderson finished 4 seconds behind De Palma.

THREE MEN KILLED AS CAR SMASHES WAGON

Victims of Collision Meet Death While Thunder Storm Rages Near Albany.

ALBANY, Aug. 21.—Frank Healy, John McGraw and Frank Glenn were instantly killed near their home in Stottville to-day when a trolley car of the Albany Southern Railway struck a wagon in which they were riding.

A thunderstorm was raging at the time. Canadian Bank Gives \$100,000 to Country. MONTREAL, Aug. 21.—The Bank of Montreal announced to-day that the directors had authorized a contribution of \$100,000 for national patriotic purposes.

EVENING WORLD RACE CHART

SARATOGA, N. Y., FRIDAY, AUG. 21, 1914.

Sixteenth Day of Saratoga Racing Association Meeting. Weather Clear, Track Heavy.

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GIANTS BEATEN; BOSTON HALF GAME BEHIND CHAMPS

Cincinnati Reds Fell on Matty for Three Runs in First Inning.

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First Base on Balls—Off Mathewson, 0; Benton, 4; Demaree, 0. Struck Out—By Mathewson, 4; Benton, 4; Demaree, 1. Left on Bases—Giants, 4; Cincinnati, 4. Three-Bases Hit—Twombly.

Stolen Bases—Groh, 2; Daniels, Merkle, 2; McLean, Double Plays—Fletcher tried to reach third on the error, but was out; Twombly to Vonkolitz, Merkle singled. McLean

Second Inning—Snodgrass singled to right; Fletcher singled to left, and when the ball got away from Twombly, Snodgrass scored. Fletcher tried to reach third on the error, but was out; Twombly to Vonkolitz, Merkle singled. McLean

Third Inning—Snodgrass singled to right; Fletcher singled to left, and when the ball got away from Twombly, Snodgrass scored. Fletcher tried to reach third on the error, but was out; Twombly to Vonkolitz, Merkle singled. McLean

Fourth Inning—Snodgrass singled to right; Fletcher singled to left, and when the ball got away from Twombly, Snodgrass scored. Fletcher tried to reach third on the error, but was out; Twombly to Vonkolitz, Merkle singled. McLean

Fifth Inning—Snodgrass singled to right; Fletcher singled to left, and when the ball got away from Twombly, Snodgrass scored. Fletcher tried to reach third on the error, but was out; Twombly to Vonkolitz, Merkle singled. McLean

FIRST GREAT CLASH OF THE ALLIES WITH KAISER'S HUGE ARMY

Germans, Pouring Into Brussels, Strike the First Line of the Allies' Defense, While Other Contests Were Waged To-Day on the Field From Brussels to Alsace.

20 RUSSIAN ARMY CORPS RUSH TO GERMAN BORDER

London Hints That Big News May Be Expected From Operations of Czar's Forces—French Cavalry Reported to Have Killed 500 Germans in New Battle in Alsace.

PARIS, Aug. 21 [Associated Press].—The Matin says the French have captured thus far ninety-one German field guns, four flags and nineteen automobiles.

Lieut.-Col. Rousset, a retired military critic of excellent reputation, says the great battle has begun along a front of nearly 250 miles, 2,500,000 men taking part.

[This immense force is composed of the German army and the allied forces of Belgium, France and England.]

LONDON, Aug. 21 [Associated Press].—The Central News correspondent in Rome says an official despatch from St. Petersburg asserts that a Russian army composed of twenty army corps will carry out the invasion of Prussia under the direction of Grand Duke Nicholas.

LONDON, Aug. 21 [United Press].—The French War Office this afternoon announced that the German forces continued to press forward across the Meuse in great force. The announcement confirmed the belief here that the general attack of the Germans on the first line of the allied defense has already begun.

Attention is also fixed on the Russian operations. The Czar's military machine is in operation. Its methods, like those of the Germans, do not consider sacrifice of men if the object is attained. The St. Petersburg War Office announces that both the Austrian and Eastern Prussian frontiers have been penetrated and that the "advance is well in progress."

The Russians have an overwhelming preponderance of the forces engaged as the flower of the German army is engaged in the west, and the Austrian army available was weakened by troops withdrawn for operation against the Servians.

Because of this the British military experts believe the Austrian and German armies commissioned to check the Russian offensive movement will be unable to do so, and important developments are expected to be reported very soon. A news agency despatch from Paris says that French

NATIONAL LEAGUE. FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns: Team, Record.

OUIMET'S OPEN GOLF TITLE WON BY WALTER HAGEN.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Walter C. Hagen today won the national open championship with a medal score of 290 for the 72 holes. Charles Evans was second with 291. Quimet took 297. Hagen is a professional of Rochester, N. Y.