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# BERLIN REPORTS GAIN BY ALLIES; KAISER AT FRONT TO FIGHT DRIVE

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS EPIDEMIC SPREADING; 24 MORE DEATHS TO-DAY

Parents Advised to Take Children to Country as a Precaution.

FLATBUSH IS AFFECTED. More Than 100 Persons Fined for Uncleanliness—215 Cats Corralled.

**ANTERIOR POLIOMYELITIS**—An infective contagious disease, probably of microbial origin, in which the anterior horns of gray matter of the spinal cord are attacked, producing destruction of motor cells and causing motor paralysis; more common in children and hence often called infantile paralysis.—Webster's Dictionary.

This definition of infantile paralysis, written several years ago for laymen, is practically all that the medical world knows to-day regarding the dread disease now epidemic in New York. In 1907 an epidemic of infantile paralysis swept through the city, causing thousands of deaths.

Early compilations of figures based on to-day's report of investigators who are watching the infantile paralysis epidemic indicate that the disease is still spreading rapidly, though officials of the Health Department maintain that there is no occasion for hysteria and that safety lies simply in cleanliness and common sense.

Replies to the requests for co-operation which Health Commissioner Emerson sent to the health authorities of neighboring States recently have come to his office to-day with offers to aid him in every way possible in his fight on the epidemic. An attempt will be made to determine whether the epidemic is springing up all over the East or whether such cases as have been reported from nearby States have been taken there from New York.

There were twenty-four deaths reported up to 10 o'clock this morning which had not been reported before. Two of these were in Manhattan, twenty-one in Brooklyn and one in Queens. This brings the total deaths so far up to 174. All the deaths yesterday and to-day were of children ten years old and under.

Twenty-three new cases were reported in Brooklyn to-day, five in Manhattan, thirty-three in Richmond and two in the Bronx, a total of 133 new cases. The grand total of all cases so far reported has now reached 756.

There were 280 cases of the disease in the Kingston Avenue Hospital in Brooklyn this morning, but all the hospitals where cases have been taken are provided with ample accommodations for more cases as they arrive and there is no danger of their being overcrowded as a result of the epidemic.

As part of the fight against the spread of the epidemic, the police of the Butler Street and Amity Street Stations, in the Sixth Ward, Brooklyn, have collected 215 stray cats in the last two days and sent them in ballot boxes to the S. P. C. A. to be destroyed.

In the Butler Street Court this morning Magistrate Dodd fined seventy-five people one dollar each for mixing ashes and garbage, keeping

## PERSHING'S FORCE TO STAY IN MEXICO FOR THE PRESENT

Withdrawal Hinges on Carranza's Ability to Police His Border Territory.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—The American punitive expedition will not withdraw from Mexico merely on the strength of Carranza's friendly note, it was officially learned to-day. Indications were, however, that the document paved the way for a discussion which ultimately may end in withdrawal and the establishment of border patrols by both countries.

Any withdrawal is contingent upon Carranza's demonstration of ability to police Northern Mexico. Following a conference with President Wilson, Secretary Lansing said a reply would be sent to Gen. Carranza soon.

It is probable Secretary Lansing will begin work at once on the reply to Carranza and have it ready to present to the Cabinet to-morrow before he leaves on a month's vacation. Mexican Minister of Foreign Relations Aguilar to-day issued a statement to the Mexican people that the Government "expected a completely satisfactory solution of all questions at issue between Mexico and the United States."

## 10,000 MORE TEUTONS TAKEN, SAY RUSSIANS

Half of the Number Captured on Dniester Front, Petrograd Announces.

PETROGRAD, July 4.—The War Office announced to-day the capture yesterday of more than 10,000 Teutons.

Of these 5,000 were taken on the Dniester front.

**Child Found in Church Confessionals.** A plump little boy baby about five weeks old was found to-day in a confessional in St. Rita's Roman Catholic Church at One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street and College Avenue, the Bronx. It had been placed there between 11 and 2 o'clock. The baby was all in white, with a wool shawl about him. There was nothing to give a hint of his identity.

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## 135-POUND MAN LIFTS 1,350-POUND HORSE HIGH IN AIR

Dead Weight of Animal Suspended From Motor-man's Waist.

JUST ENJOYING HIMSELF

Wagons and Autos Easy for Him—Wants to Juggle Street Cars.

Got any old thing you want lifted? A piano, or gas range, or front stoop, or woodshed, or bureau or mortgage, or a relative who's over-staying his leave or any little thing like that?

If you have, just telephone for Motorman Frank Green at the car barns, Fifth Street and Seventh Avenue, and he'll not only lift them but toss them any place you say. If you have a horse you want pulled out of a hole he's the man for the job, because lifting horses is his idea of a good time.

Yes, sir, Frank is one who knows how to enjoy himself. This being his day off, and being anxious for a good laugh—a horse laugh, you probably will say—he picked out a nice cool spot in the broiling sun at Fifty-third Street and Broadway and lifted Hattie, a blonde horse weighing 1,350 pounds, about twenty feet in the air. Frank, who weighs only 135 pounds without his uniform and controller, did the lifting with the assistance of a derrick being used at that point in the construction of the subway. He placed a canvas belt around the astonished Hattie, connected it with a belt that circled his own waist, and then, stepping into a frame rigged up for the occasion and connected with the derrick, gave the signal for the derrick men to haul away, the horse's dead weight



FRANK GREEN RAISING A HORSE.

being suspended from Frank's waist. Half a hundred persons, many of Frank's co-workers among them, crowd about and applauded him while Hattie kicked like one of the Winter Garden's pouter act.

"What's the idea of doing it to-day?" Frank was asked. "Did you do it on a bet?"

"Nix. I did it just for fun. I like to lift heavy things. That's the way I enjoy myself. I lifted a fourteen hundred pound horse last night."

## SANDOW MOTORMAN LIFTING A HORSE AS ADMIRERS LOOKED ON



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lift was 2,250 pounds of motorman and conductors a few weeks ago and that his one ambition was to get strong enough to lift a motor car.

"Little things like wagons and autos, blocking the tracks, don't bother me," continued Frank. "I just toss 'em to one side. Why, feel of my stomach muscles. Punch me there if you want to."

The reporter refused to take advantage of the invitation, whereupon Frank gave himself a terrible beating in the vicinity of the waistline. He is thirty-eight years old and has been with the company nine years. He is a vegetarian.

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## MORGAN CLERK CONFESSES HE GAVE ALLIES' ORDERS FOR MUNITIONS TO MOORE

Assured There Was Millions in It by President of Export and Import Corporation.

NO PROFITS, HE SAYS.

Moore Insists His Enterprise Was Commercial and Not in German Interests.

Carlos E. Moore, President of the Export and Import Corporation, and E. E. Paul, a clerk in the office of J. P. Morgan & Company, told District Attorney Swann to-day more about the conspiracy to steal international secrets of the Morgan firm than had been known to the Prosecutor before. Their stories indicated that Mayor Mitchell and Corporation Counsel Lamar Hardy had some grounds for saying that the wire-tapping charges made by Seymour and Seymour had in them elements of an international scandal involving this country's neutrality.

With the District Attorney and Assistant District Attorney Oloott, who had made a preliminary investigation, were John D. Lindsay and George B. Case, attorneys for the Morgan house, and J. R. Clarke, attorney for Moore.

Paul said that a year ago, when, with John Clifton, a Washington attorney, who was once secretary to Champ Clark, now Speaker of the House of Representatives, and another clerk of the Morgan house, he met Moore, from Moore he learned that a vast fortune might be made if messages from the allied powers

regarding munitions supplies could be stolen from the Morgan firms and put in the hands of munitions brokers and manufacturers.

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remainder of an unlighted one in his mouth the while he talked.

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Had he not been in deep mourning to-day one would have expected to find an expensive ring upon one of his fingers and a big white pearl in his cravat.

He speaks easily, with an occasional

## GREEN NOT VEXED BY FIGHT OF 17,000 OVER \$1,500,000

Old Estate Mere Trifle to Possessor of Half of Hetty Green's \$150,000,000.

Col. E. H. R. Green, son of Mrs. Hetty Green, who inherits something like \$75,000,000 as his half share in his mother's great fortune—his sister, Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilks, receiving the other half—returned to-day after attending his mother's funeral at Bellows Falls, Vt.

When he had disposed of various personal affairs which had accumulated in his absence, and taken part in a meeting of the directors of the Seaboard National Bank, No. 15 Broadway, Col. Green talked to an Evening World reporter about his mother's will and the contest for a fortune of \$1,500,000 which Mrs. Green's death has precipitated.

Col. Green is a big man; he stands six feet three and has the girth of a shoulder that goes with his height. He is closely shaven and wears large-lensed spectacles with rims and bows like glass. He smokes big cigars and he had about the fifteen-cent re-

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## GERMANS LINE UP NEW ARMY; GIVE ORDERS TO STOP SWEEP OF BRITISH AT ANY COST

Allied Aviators Report the Continuous Arrival of German Trains Between the Ancre and Somme Rivers in Front of Gen. Haig's Lines.

## PARIS REPORTS CAPTURE OF SEVENTY-SIX CANNON

BERLIN, July 6.—The German War Office this afternoon officially admitted that the French have captured Belloy-en-Santerre, south of the River Somme, and that the Germans have also evacuated the village of Hem, on the north bank.

The War Office also admitted the British made minor progress, obtaining a firm foothold in the salient south of Thiepval. Between the Ancre and the Somme, along the British front, the artillery fire has increased.

The text of the German army headquarters announcement dealing with the western front follows:

"From the coast to the Ancre Brook artillery activity increased in strength from time to time; otherwise there was no change.

"Between the Ancre Brook and the Somme and to the south of the Somme fighting continues. Minor progress made by the English near Thiepval was balanced by counter-attacks. In an advanced trench

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"In another raid the Highland Light Infantry successfully entered the enemy's trenches west of Hulluch. A machine gun emplacement was destroyed, many Germans were killed and some prisoners were taken.

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"The small village of Hem, in the Somme Valley, was evacuated by us. The French captured Belloy-en-Santerre. Around Estrees the fighting has come to a standstill. French gas attacks blew over without result.

"In the Aisne district the enemy attempted a vain attack on a narrow front south of Ville-aux-Bois, costing him serious losses."

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## BIG GERMAN ARMY MASSES TO STOP THE BRITISH DRIVE

LONDON, July 6.—The Kaiser is reported to have arrived on the Somme front accompanied by members of his General Staff, who will direct the defense of the German lines in the great allied offensive.

An Amsterdam despatch to-day said the Kaiser had established headquarters near the front and not far from Cambrai and opposite the British front. It is reported that orders have been given to stop the British at any cost.

Great bodies of German troops are being massed between Ancre and the Somme to stem the British advance. Allied aviators report the constant arrival of troops, trains, and Holland despatches to-day confirmed reports of heavy concentrations behind the British lines from Ypres to the Somme.

There are many indications that the Germans will launch a very heavy counter attack against the British lines.

Small advantages were gained last night, according to the following report, issued to-day by the War Office:

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## FRENCH FIRMLY INSTALLED BEYOND GERMAN SECOND LINE

PARIS, July 6.—The French offensive has made steady progress in the last twenty-four hours. Nearly all counter-attacks have been repulsed, a large area of new territory has been occupied and extensive captures of guns and munitions have been made in the first five days of their battle

against the Germans the French have advanced with remarkable uniformity. The ground gained varied each day in depth at different points, but the gains have averaged about the same along the entire front, and the French are now firmly installed between the German's second and third

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