

THE WEATHER FORECAST. Cloudy to-day; night, light rain to-morrow. Highest temperature yesterday, 63; lowest, 26. Detailed weather, land and marine reports on page 14.

SWANN ACTS ON STRANGE DEATH OF RICH COUPLE

Agel Pair From Michigan Stricken While on Visit to Daughter Here.

TRACE OF POISON IS FOUND AT AUTOPSY

Information supplied by friends and members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Peck of Grand Rapids, Mich., has impelled District Attorney Swann to investigate the circumstances of the death of Mrs. Peck on January 30 and of Mr. Peck on March 12 in the apartment occupied by their son-in-law, Dr. Arthur Watson Waite, at 435 Riverside Drive, the Coliseum Apartments.

GERMANS BEATEN BACK SAYS RUSSIAN REPORT

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun. LONDON, March 22.—A violent battle is in progress in the west between Wilna and Dvinsk, the Russians having lowered their "feelings out" operations of the last few days with a determined drive against the railway connecting these two important railway centers of western Russia, of which Wilna is in German hands, while Dvinsk has been the coveted but unsuccessfully fought for goal of Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army for the last six months.

Inquiry in Grand Rapids.

Judge Swann then sent Assistant District Attorney Mancuso and Dr. Otto H. Schultz, pathologist of the District Attorney's staff, to Grand Rapids to take charge of a second and more thorough autopsy on the body of Mr. Peck. Yesterday Judge Swann received a telegram from Assistant District Attorney Mancuso saying:

Pierce German Line.

The new drive against this railway is being launched from two directions, in the north around Tveretch, due south of Wilna, which saw so much fighting last fall, and further south in the region of Lake Naroch, where the Germans yesterday were forced to "withdraw their line seven or eight miles, giving up a far protruding salient."

GALLOPER LIGHTSHIP 3,000 HOMELESS IN NORTH SEA IS SUNK

First Occurrence of Kind in War Taken as Evidence of New German Plan.

LONDON, March 22.—The Galloper lightship, about thirty miles from the North Foreland, was sunk in the North Sea on the night of March 21, at a few hours before dawn, by a German submarine. The lightship was carrying 3,000 homeless and 1,400 pupils barely escaped.

WOMEN PROVIDE FOR ARMY.

Lloyd George Acknowledges Increase in Munitions Output.

BOY, 18, WEDS WIDOW, 59.

His Mother Falls to Prevent Ceremony Taking Place.

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CZAR'S ARMIES PIERCE TEUTON LINES IN NORTH

Russians Break Von Hindenburg's Front Between Dvinsk and Wilna—Austrians Reported Evacuating Czernowitz—Germans Gain Near Verdun.

While fighting on a small scale continues in the Verdun theatre, the centre of interest in the war is shifting to the Russian theatre, where strong attacks in the Riga-Dvinsk sector and in Galicia seem to prelude a general offensive.

SEEK ENO WITNESS IN FRENCH TRENCHES

Lawyers Meet To-day in Paris to Plan Securing His Testimony.

MAY COME TO AMERICA

Was Valet of Man Who Left Estate Valued at \$15,000,000.

PRENDERGAST ASKS BRIBE TALE ACTION

Hot Shot for Thompson, and Papers, He Says, Are Inspired by Senator.

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