AUSTRIAN ARMIES PUSH INTO POLAND, LOCAL CONSUL SAYS

Joining Germans There, Combined Force Drives Russians Across Vistula in Bloody Battle.

The Austro-Hungarian army has pushed its way into Russian Poland, according to an official communication received today from the Foreign Office in Vienna at the Austro-Hungarian Consulate in this city. The official message says that the Russians were defeated in a bloody battle near the Vistula River in the vicinity of Cracow and were driven across the river.

The Germans have joined the Austro-Hungarian armies and are aiding them against the Russians in this section. It is announced also that the combined Austrian and German forces have taken Bridghold, which is about 16 miles over the border into Russian Poland. In Galicia the statement says that the enemy has been repulsed at Tarnobrzeg.

The official statement is as follows:

"The Russians have been repulsed in an attempt to cross the Vistula. The Austro-Hungarian and German forces are successfully fighting shoulder to shoulder in Russian Poland, where their sudden advance seems to have completely surprised the enemy. Our forces have taken Bridghold, near Sandomir, about 16 miles into Russian Poland.

"Our advance into Galicia is being carried on systematically. A large division of Russian infantry was repulsed by us at Tarnobrzeg. The defeat of the enemy in the Carpathians is complete."

MAYOR AND OFFICIALS WILL VISIT STARR GARDEN EXHIBIT

Clever Handiwork of Children Attracts Sightseers.

Mayor Blankenburg, Director Porter, of the Department of Public Safety, and members of the Board of Education will be guests of honor tonight at the annual fall exhibition of work done by children at the Starr Garden Recreation Centre, Seventh and Lombard streets.

The show was opened last night and for several hours a record crowd of sightseers filed in and out of the building where the handiwork of youngsters of the section was on display.

Probably the most unique and clever exhibit is a miniature Starr Garden, representing an entire summer's work of five ambitious children who constructed it. The small pasteboard field is dotted with all the necessary recreation paraphernalia for a playground. The various pieces are constructed out of wood in their minutest details.

Hammocks of many colors, baskets of various shapes, millinery raffia, delicately made furniture sets and miniature straw hats, together with paper and linen bags, needlework of fancy designing, rainbow-hued paper butterflies, wood carvings and clay models constitute part of the work executed by children.

Tonight the Boy Scouts of Troop 56 will pass in review before scout masters and perform a series of lightning drills. Their exhibit is comprised of skins of animals and knotted ropes. The Camp Fire Girls will hold little talks on the work done in their summer camps.

The staff of instructors at Starr Garden is composed of Miss A. E. Ginder, Miss Edna Laughlin, Miss Elizabeth Walsh, Miss Martha B. Henderson, Peter Schmid and William Ruff.

POLICE REPORT ROBBERIES IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY

Detectives on Lookout for Gangs of Thieves Now in Town.

Robberies committed in nearly every section of Philadelphia, in some instances under the very noses of the police, are today keeping special policemen from many station houses on the lookout for thieves, some of whom are known by their work to be wanted in many cities.

Residents of the downtown, northwest and northeast sections suffered particularly at the hands of crooks. Jewelry, groceries and tobacco comprise the largest part of the loot taken from householders.

Frank Sliters, alias Frank Wagner, a paroled prisoner, 4525 Sansom street, was held in $600 bail by Magistrate Campbell, charged with stealing jewelry and a bicycle near his home.

A charge of assault and battery in addition to that of larceny was lodged against William Bieward, Frankford avenue, near Huntingdon street, who was arraigned before Magistrate Campbell and held in $400 bail for court, charged with attempting to steal shoes from Morris Redman, 2915 D street, and attacking Mrs. Redman when she objected.

The charge that cigarettes and money were stolen from the store of Mrs. Jennie di Holly, Thirteenth and Kimball streets, caused Magistrate Coward to hold Frank Cominico, Carlisle street below Wharton, in $600 bail for court. Cominico was captured after a chase of several blocks by Policeman Lamb, of the Seventh and Carpenter streets station.

Frank J. Miller, no home, was held in $600 bail for a further hearing before Magistrate Grelis, charged with stealing harness from the stable of George Rumley, 1608 Ridge avenue. The harness was recovered.

Thieves broke into the home of Mrs. E. M. McDonald, 1712 Jackson street, and stole jewelry valued at $300.

Forcing an entrance through a back window, a burglar entered the home of Mrs. Gustavus Porter and stole jewelry and silverware valued at $200.

The drug store of Edward S. Powers, Thirteenth street and Ridge avenue, was robbed early today of toilet articles and drugs valued at several hundred dollars.

Fielder Calls Congressional Primary

TRENTON, Oct. 8.—Governor Fielder today issued a proclamation calling for the holding of a special primary and later a special election on the dates of November 17 and December 1, respectively, to fill the unexpired term of Congressman Walter L. McCoy, of the Ninth District, who has resigned his seat to accept a place upon the Supreme Court bench of the District of Columbia at the hands of the President. The Ninth District comprises Orange, East Orange and six wards in Newark.

Cleveland District Directors Named

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—D. C. Wills, of Bellevue, Pa.; L. H. Treadway, of Cleveland, Ohio, and H. P. Wolfe, of Columbus, Ohio, today were selected by the Federal Reserve Board as class C, or governing directors for the Cleveland District. Mr. Wills was designated Federal Reserve Agent and chairman of the board of directors; Mr. Treadway, Deputy Federal Reserve Agent and vice chairman, and Mr. Wolfe, director.

City Received $573,667.74 in Week

Receipts of the City Treasurer's office for the week ending yesterday amounted to $573,667.74. The payments were $855,468.72, leaving a balance in the treasury of $18,597,976.25.

BRUMBAUGH GIVES STRONG PLEDGE OF FAIR PLAY

Stands on His Record as Guarantee of His Purpose.

YORK, Pa., Oct. 8.—Hundreds of farmers from the surrounding country listened to Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, the Republican nominee for Governor, pledge a square deal for Pennsylvania at the York County Fair here this morning. And these sturdy citizens from the rural districts not only listened, but with their enthusiastic applause they told Doctor Brumbaugh that they were for him.

Doctor Brumbaugh with the campaign party arrived here late last night by automobile from East Berlin, where the night meeting was held. Earlier in the day Doctor Brumbaugh made a short address to the students at Gettysburg College.

"What I ask is a square deal and fair play," he declared in his address last night," which is the right of every living man, and I do not like, after living an open life with the children of this Commonwealth and serving for 36 years as a teacher, when under the law a man must be moral and temperate to hold a certificate, much less to supervise a school—I do not like any man to challenge my standards and my attitude on a moral question in Pennsylvania. You will find me square for the things I have always stood for, and I want here tonight to make them so plain that no man can find my position an excuse for doing a nasty, malignant, uncharitable thing in Pennsylvania."

Doctor Brumbaugh and members of his party while in this city were guests of Daniel F. Lafean, Republican candidate for Congress-at-large. The Republican candidate for Governor viewed the 20 companies of volunteer firemen, comprising the York County Firemen's Association, as the men in uniform, with bands of music, marched to the Pennsylvania Railroad Station this morning, en route to Harrisburg to participate in the State firemen's parade. The procession was headed by Mayor John B. Lafean, ex-Mayor Jacob E. Weaver, president of the association; Felix S. Bentzel, superintendent of the Department of Public Safety; the Rev. S. H. Stein, chaplain of the York department, and City Electrician Warren Pastnaged.

The campaigners were much impressed with the fine appearance of the firemen. As the Rex trucknen passed the party Doctor Brumbaugh repeated the word "Rex," and said that is fine.

Henry Houck, the veteran Secretary of Internal Affairs, greeted several persons who had been pupils of his in his early days as a school teacher.

BREWER ASSAILS PINCHOT

Accuses Him of "Lying" in His Denunciation of Penrose.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 8.—While denouncing Penrose at a shop meeting held here yesterday, Gifford Pinchot, Washington party candidate for United States Senator, was recalled and accused of "lying" by Frank Becker, manager of a brewery in this section. Pinchot's arraignment of Penrose was so startling that Becker, who is a Penrose worker, made an attempt to break up the meeting. He was shouted down, however, to the accompaniment of yells of "The Brewer's Big Horses," a Bill Sunday temperance song.

The interruption came at a meeting at the Scranton Bolt and Nut Works. Mr. Pinchot addressed more than 1200 Sunday school workers at the afternoon session of the State Sunday School Association. Frank Becker is manager of the Lackawanna Brewing Company and collector for the Pennsylvania Brewing Company.

NOMINATING PETITIONS FILED

TRENTON, Oct. 8.—Four nominating petitions for Congress were filed today with the Secretary of State by candidates on the Socialist-Labor and the National-Prohibition tickets in the Fourth, Seventh and Twelfth Districts. The candidates filing petitions are: Nicholas H. Barrett, Trenton, National-Prohibition, Fourth District; James Parker, Jersey City, National-Prohibition, 12th District; Henry Jager, Maywood, Socialist-Labor, Seventh District; Thomas Phillips, Trenton, Socialist-Labor, Fourth District.

DIRECTOR LOEB PRAISES FIGHT FOR TAXPAYERS

If the first and second articles of "The Hands of Esau," published in the EVENING LEDGER on Monday and Wednesday evenings, are samples of what is to follow, the "Organization" will receive an unexpected jolt in its attempt to strangle good government.

I wish a copy of the EVENING LEDGER containing these articles of enlightenment of the political conditions of Philadelphia and the "gang" methods to retain power could be distributed to every home in Philadelphia.

Articles of this sort, given the proper publicity in a prominent newspaper, are the heavy siege guns which play havoc with the enemies of good government and the weapons which they dread so much.

Statement of Herman Loeb, Director of Department of Supplies.

M'CORMICK VISITS WORKERS

Arrives at Electrical Storage Co. Enat 6:30 This Morning.

Motoring to the plant of the Electric Storage Company, at Nineteenth street and Allegheny avenue, Vance McCormick, Democratic and Washington party nominee for Governor, shook hands with 1500 employes this morning. Mr. McCormick was accompanied by William Draper Lewis.

Mr. McCormick arrived at the entrance of the Electric Storage Company at 6:30 o'clock this morning. He remained there for 30 minutes. As the men filed into the yard he greeted him. Many of the employes cheered the candidate.

At noon Mr. McCormick addressed the workmen at the Disston Saw Works, Tacony.

PALMER DOWNTOWN TONIGHT

Will Tell First Ward Voters What Penroseism Means.

The Democratic campaign party will visit the First Ward and address a Democratic rally and citizens' meeting tonight at O'Neill's Hall, Fourth and Reed streets, immediately after the meeting of the Palmer-McCormick League City Committee.

The First Ward Palmer-McCormick League has invited every citizen of the ward, regardless of their political beliefs, to attend and hear A. Mitchell Palmer, Democratic nominee for United States Senator, tell what Penrose and Penroseism have done in Pennsylvania. Other speakers will be Vance C. McCormick, Democratic nominee for Governor; Roland S. Morris, Democratic State chairman; Lawrence E. McCrossin, candidate for Representative from the First District; Harry D. Wescott, Paul M. Wintroh and Richard Connelly.

Youths Charged With Auto Thefts

Robert Horter, 21 years old, 1326 Columbia avenue, and William Smith, 20 years old, 1118 Green street, were held in $500 bail by Magistrate Renshaw this morning on the charge of stealing two automobiles. The machines, according to the police, belonged to Mathland Bottoms, 801 Walnut street and Robert White, 2414 North Hollywood street.

PRESIDENT TO INDORSE PALMER FOR SENATOR

Democrats Will Discuss Pennsylvania Campaign Tonight.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Plans for the Democratic campaign in Pennsylvania and other Eastern States will be formulated at a White House conference tonight between President Wilson, Postmaster General Burleson, Representative Doremus, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee; Thomas J. Pence, of the Democratic National Committee, and Secretary J. P. Tumulty.

According to the present plan, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Secretary of Commerce Redfield are the only Cabinet officers who will be sent into the Keystone State. Secretary of State Bryan probably will not be assigned to any campaigns in the East, with the single exception of his speech in Brooklyn next Tuesday night.

President Wilson is taking a keen interest in the campaign in Pennsylvania and probably will issue a strong indorsement of the candidacy of A. Mitchell Palmer for the United States Senate within the next few days.

Bitten by a Mad Cat

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Oct. 8.—George Pancoast, employed in a grocery store here, had occasion to go into the store cellar this morning, where he was attacked by a strange mad cat, which bit him badly on the leg.

STAN. V. HENKELS
Auction Commission Merchant
For the Sale of Books, Autographs, Engravings, Paintings, Coins, Etc.
SALE OF A
VALUABLE COLLECTION
OF
Autograph Letters & Documents
FORMED BY THE
Hon. Garret D. W. Vroom,
DECEASED
OF TRENTON, NEW JERSEY
And From Other Sources
CONTAINING
Many Important Letters of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence, Members of the Old Congress and Constitutional Convention,
Officers of the Revolution, Presidents of the United States, Generals in the Civil War, Naval Officers, Bishops of the P. E. Church, Colonial Governors, Jurists, Statesmen, Authors, and
MANY OF THE LETTERS ARE OF GREAT HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE AS THEY CONTAIN
TO BE SOLD
Friday Afternoon and Evening, October 9th, 1914
AT 2:30 AND 8 O'CLOCK P. M.
May be Seen on Exhibition.

HOTEL DENNIS
ATLANTIC CITY N.J.
IN AUTUMN
Provides a charm of comfort and cast amidst ideal environment that has established it as an ideal seashore home. Directly on the ocean front. Capacity 600.
WALTER J. BUZBY.

The Old British Convict Ship SUCCESS
The Oldest Ship Afloat (launched 1790 A. D.) and Only Survivor of England's Terrible Fleet of "Ocean Hells"
Now at Market Street Wharf, Phila.
En Route to San Francisco, where she will be a feature at the Great Panama Exposition
This Wonderful Vessel Has Made History
Through three centuries. She marked the beginning and the end of England's monstrous penal system.
She is the oldest ship in the world and the only convict ship left afloat out of that dreadful "Fleet of Hells" which sailed the Seven Seas in 1790 A. D.
She is unchanged after all these years, nothing being omitted but her human freight and their sufferings from the cruelties and barbarities practiced upon them. Aboard her now are shown, in their original state, all the airless dungeons and condemned cells, the whipping post, the manacles, the branding irons, the punishment balls, the leadon-tipped cat-o'-nine-tails, the coffin bath and the other fiendish inventions of man's brutality to his fellow man.
The Convict Ship is lighted throughout with electricity.
Open to the Public Daily from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M.
Market St. Wharf (Between Market and Chestnut) Philadelphia
Admission, Including Services of a Guide and Lecturer, 25c.
Note—The "Success" can be boarded direct from the pier by gang planks.

50,000 PERSONS ATTEND THE YORK COUNTY FAIR

Headquarters of Political Parties Mecca for Many Visitors.

YORK, Pa., Oct. 8.—With an estimated attendance of 50,000 persons and everything in full swing, the York fair was in its glory today.

While the weather continued cloudy, the day is ideal for the throng. All incoming and special regular trains on the several railroads from Lancaster, Harrisburg and various points in southern Pennsylvania and Maryland, brought thousands of visitors. Farmers in this section have had an exceptionally prosperous year and they laid aside their work with the determination to enjoy the sights without regard to the weather-man.

The large and clean midway was a Mecca of activity for the crowd, and the showmen and other concessionists were able to replenish their coffers after two days of slack business. Two autodromes were the most patronized attractions. Politicians' Day was observed, and the headquarters of the several political parties were frequented by many of the visitors.

Fair officials took extra precaution to prevent the fakers here in hordes from working to the financial loss of the people, and "strong" games were excluded from the grounds.

The premium winner in the fruit, live stock, poultry and other departments were all announced yesterday afternoon, and the successful exhibits were inspected with much interest. In the main building there is shown everything that is to be found in domestic art, and the York County women have won additional laurels for their handiwork.

The first night fair held by the society proved a success and will be repeated tonight. Tomorrow many of the visitors to the State Firemen's Convention at Harrisburg, are expected here. Officials of the Hagerstown, Lancaster, Timonium and Belair fairs were entertained by the local fair managers.

Y. M. C. A. BIBLE CLASS

Extension Work Inaugurated by the North Branch.

Extensive Bible class work is being inaugurated in the North Branch Y. M. C. A. this week. There are to be classes for grammar and high school boys, for boys in the mills of that section and for Boy Scouts and "young converts." It is also planned to have dinner Bible classes for the training of teachers, Sunday morning and Friday night classes, and instruction for personal workers.

This work is in charge of the North Philadelphia Institute, of which C. O. St. John is the director. The Rev. Dr. Frederick W. Farr, pastor of Bethlehem Baptist Church, will conduct the first Friday night class tomorrow evening.

BRITISH RELIEF FUND GROWS

Contributions are still pouring into the British National Relief Fund for the aid of the families of English sailors and soldiers and for the Belgian refugees in England. The funds will be forwarded to England at the earliest convenient time. It was announced by Theodore A. Fox, 3901 Walnut street, chairman of the committee, this morning, that the fund is now about $2500. Among recent contributors are Robert Lewis, $1000; the Germantown British-American Beneficial Association, $1000; "A Friend," $100; Miss R. M. Montgomery, $50.

OHIO TOWN FIRE SWEPT

Belleaire Sends for Outside Help in Fighting Blaze.

BELLEAIRE, O., Oct. 8.—Fire today destroyed the Ohio Milling Company's plant here with a loss of $25,000, and spread to a half dozen other buildings, including the Baltimore and Ohio station.

An appeal for aid was sent to the Wheeling, W. Va., fire department in an effort to prevent a general conflagration.

McCOACH WINS $450 SUIT

A verdict for City Treasurer McCoach was given yesterday in the suit of William S. P. Shields, a contractor, against him as a subcontractor on one of the former's municipal operations and against his bondsmen, the National Surety Company.

Shields' claim was for $450, the cost of pipe hangings he was compelled to change on the Vine street wharf. McCoach contended that the hangers he had placed on the pier were up to the standard. This the court proved to be the case.

STORE OPENS 8.30 A. M. AND CLOSES AT 5.30 P. M.
HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE
Lit Brothers
Market Eighth Filbert Seventh
$1.50 Hand Bags, 98c
Morocco grain with 3- and 4-piece fittings. Nickel, gilt & gun-metal frames.
FIRST FLOOR EIGHTH ST. SIDE
YELLOW TRADING STAMPS
Secure you much nicer premiums than you get with any other stamps. They are of better quality and in greater variety.
Double stamps here in the morning.
IN OUR BIG RESTAURANT—BEST OF EVERYTHING AT LOWEST PRICES—FIFTH FLOOR

We're Chief Suppliers of Men's High Grade, Correct Style Outer Apparel at Moderate Prices
"Frankel Fifteen" Clothing
The Suits and Overcoats Without a Peer in the Whole Country at Their Price . . $15
Their makers give a guarantee, good as their bond, to replace with a new one any garment that fails.
They also aim to please every taste and to provide styles adaptable to every age and calling—
English-Cut Suits with narrow trousers, shaped coats & patch pockets.
Other Suits no less expressive of style but of more restricted line.
These are skilfully tailored from navy serges, Tartan checks, English overplaids, fancy worsteds and striped suitings.
The Overcoats are in the smartest new semi-fitting, conservative and loose Balmacaan fashions.
Made up in fine navy blue and black kerseys and imported worsteds, mostly silk-lined, also in chinchillas, rich heather mixed Scotch coatings & plaid-back woolens.

Men's Smart $15 Suits & Overcoats, $10
Clothing whose every detail is far superior to the special price asked—
English and Conservative Style Suits.
Double-Breasted and English-Cut Overcoats.
They are in the most fashionable Fall and Winter textures and colors. All sizes.
Boys' Winter Suits & Overcoats: Splendid Values
$5.00 Kinds, $2.98 — $7.50 Kinds, $4.98
$6.00 Kinds, $3.98 — $10.00 Kinds, $7.50
The most fashionable materials made up into suits of Russian, Sailor, Norfolk and Knickerbocker styles (many with extra pair of trousers); also the newest fashions in reefers and overcoats. Sizes 2½ to 18 years.
SECOND FLOOR 7TH AND MARKET STS.

These Tailored Suits at $12.50 Save You Four Dollars, for They Should be $16.50
We Doubt if Better Values in New, Up-to-the-Minute Women's and Misses' Apparel Have Ever Been Offered—These Suits Are But One Example.
SKETCH SHOWS THEIR VERY GOOD STYLE
They are tailored from cheviot and diagonal, in green, brown, blue, black and the lighter, dressier shade of Holland blue.
Coats are 45-inch Redingote effects with wide belt, tuxdo revers and high flaring collar. Skirts are in very smart styles, sideplaited on to deep yokes and trimmed with buttons.
$15.75 Top Coats at $11.98
Of fine brown, Holland blue, black, navy blue and drab pebble cheviot and rich English mixtures—some practical, mannish style—others in dressy Redingote fashion.
$18 Serge Dresses $13.50
Several groups, many showing satin sleeves and underskirt, braid-bound edges, tuxedo revers, white Peregaline collars or buttons.
SECOND FLOOR

We Continue OUR GREAT
Silk Sale
Values That Set New Low-Price Records
65c Satin Messalines at 39c
Something like 3000 yards in all evening and street shades; also white, ivory and black. A very smooth, fine weave, with rich, brilliant finish.
$1.50 Silk Poplins at 98c
Smart, serviceable silk-and-wool fabric for dresses, etc. The fashionable colors, also black.
$2.50 Imported Chiffon Taffetas $1.98
Beautiful, fine quality in newest plain shades, also white and black and changeable combinations. 36 inches wide.
$1.50 Black Paillette de Soie $1.10
In 36-inch width. Soft finish, with medium lustre.
$2 Satin Charmeuse, $1.75
40 inches wide. Highly lustrous surface. Black, white and colors.
FIRST FLOOR, SOUTH

FRIDAY BARGAINS
Remnants of 25c to 30c Drapery Materials... 10c
Reversible colored scrim, voile and figured cretonne. 1½ to 3 yard lengths.
THIRD FLOOR
House Furnishings
$1 Rex Oil Mop and a 25c Bottle Sanigenic Floor Oil 69c
Mops have handles that fold flat for reaching under furniture and allow full surface to touch article; heavily padded so as not to mar woodwork.
$1.25 Ironing Board, 89c
On stand, strongly made; folds up into small space.
75c Aluminum Covered Sauce Pan, 1½ qt.... 47c
$2.50 Oil Heaters, $1.98
National Miller burner; odorless and smokeless.
THIRD FLOOR
Women's $3 Sweaters, $1.95
Worsted yarn in all wanted colors. Heavy plain weave with shawl collar and patch pockets. Sizes 36 to 44.
SECOND FLOOR
$2.50 Roller Skates, $1.25
Genuine ball-bearing Winslow skates.
THIRD FLOOR SPORTING GOODS DEPT.
60c Wool-Face Tapestry Carpets 47½c
Two-tone effects, 27 inches wide, for stairs or rooms.
FOURTH FLOOR
Lace and Embroidery Remnants
10c to $2.50 Values, each 5c to $1
Good selection of choice and useful pieces of every description. ½ to 10 yard lengths.
SOUTH ARCADE
$20 Axminster Rugs... $13.95
Limited lot of patterns; lustrous high pile. Size 8.3x10.6 feet.
FOURTH FLOOR
$2.25 Chocolate Sets $1.45

Genuine Japanese China, in white ground with floral and gold decorations. Six cups and saucers and chocolate pot with cover.
MAIN ARCADE