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CANADIANS HURL BACK ASSAULT IN FLANDERS FIGHT

Colonial Troops Bear Themselves Like Veterans in Receiving Baptism of Fire at the Front.

Germans Direct Smashing Movement Against Czar's Centre in East Prussia—Teutonic Allies Again Invade Servia.

Canadian troops recently sent over to Flanders and France from the training camps in England are now receiving their baptism of fire. According to reports from the front, they bore themselves like veterans in a battle in which they sustained an assault from German landstrum regiments and, by a counter charge, drove the attacking forces from the field.

The German advance in the western Argonne, which threatened to envelop the Verdun line, has been definitely halted, according to Paris dispatches. The last three assaults of the Germans near Fontaine Madame were repulsed, and the French have now heavily reinforced their threatened lines.

Heavy cannonading in the Danube Valley is taken as a prelude of a resumption of the invasion of Servia by the Austrians, who have been strengthened by German reinforcements.

German reinforcements are participating in the Austrian offensive in the Carpathians, when the Dukla and Wyszkow Passes, and the scene of the fourth battle since the war began. Petrograd states that the Austrians are losing heavily in their attempt to push northward to relieve Przemysl.

The Germans, concentrated for the defense of Koenigsberg, are delivering an attack on the Russian centre west of Pilkallen.

Official report of the recapture of Tabriz, Persia, from the Turks, is made from Petrograd. The Turks are in flight. An Ottoman general was captured in a new Russian victory in the Sari-Kamysh region (Trans-Caucasia), where the 30th Turkish division was routed with heavy losses.

CANADIANS REPULSE ENEMY BY FIERCE COUNTER CHARGE

Provincial Troops Bear Themselves Like Veterans in Flanders Battle.

PARIS, Feb. 1.

The repulse of a furious assault of German infantry by the Canadian troops that have been sent to the Flanders front is reported in dispatches received here. Although the Canadians were new to the war game, they behaved like veterans.

German landstrm regiments attempted to take the trenches of the colonial troops by storm, but the Canadians were ready for them. The Germans charged suddenly, came to a halt in front of the trenches and the Canadians leaped over the parapet and began a counter-charge. Then they found that the German soldiers had become mired in the deep, sticky mud and were crawling painfully back toward their own lines. Four Canadians were killed, but the German loss was much heavier.

The next day Lieutenant Price, of the Canadians, was killed while leading a relief company to the trenches. Another officer, named Pearson, is reported to have been killed in the same way by a German sniper. The Canadian troops were bombarded by a German aeroplane.

THE WEATHER

Old man Winter lost his nerve again yesterday as usual. After getting "all dolled up" in his very best finery and parading around these parts in regular fashion, for no reason at all he ducked back home again and left June Pluvius in complete charge of the situation. Apropos of nothing, the following came in the mail this morning:

"I find Saturday's forecast read:

"'For Philadelphia and vicinity—Increasing cloudiness tonight followed by snow in the early morning or on Sunday; slowly rising temperature; moderate easterly winds.'

"How did it happen?"

On which, in contemptuous silence, we refuse to comment. But we have an ejaculatory comment to make on today, all right.

Oh, slush!

FORECAST

For Philadelphia and vicinity—Rain today with rising temperature.

Observations at Philadelphia

8 A. M.

Barometer	29.95
Temperature	34
Wind	Southwest, 6 miles
Sky	Rain
Precipitation last 24 hours	.41
Humidity	95 per cent.
Minimum temperature	34
Maximum temperature	37

Almanac of the Day

Sun sets	5:18 p.m.
Sun rises tomorrow	7:06 a.m.
Moon rises	7:06 p.m.

Lamps to Be Lighted

Autos and other vehicles	5:40 p.m.

The Tides

PORT RICHMOND.

High water	2:55 p.m.
Low water	10:22 p.m.
High water tomorrow	3:15 a.m.

CHESTNUT STREET WHARF.

High water	2:40 p.m.
Low water	10:11 p.m.
High water tomorrow	3:06 a.m.

REEDY ISLAND.

High water	11:24 a.m.
Low water	6:29 p.m.
High water tomorrow	11:55 p.m.

BREAKWATER.

Low water	3:17 p.m.
High water	8:23 p.m.
Low water tomorrow	4:13 a.m.

KAISER IN BERLIN, ILL AGAIN

Emperor Suffers Throat Trouble; to See Specialist.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 1.—A slight indisposition, the result of the severe weather in northern France, compelled the Kaiser to return to Berlin. His entry was secret. When he has recovered, if the weather is favorable, he will visit General Hindenburg, on the east front, or go to Hamburg and Cuxhaven, to inspect the warships damaged in the North Sea battle, which are being repaired there.

The Kaiser will consult a specialist, as his throat is giving him considerable trouble. His voice is hardly audible.

GERMANS CURB BREAD OUTPUT

Reduction of 25 Per Cent. Ordered of Bakeries.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The correspondent of the Chronicle in Copenhagen cables that the municipalities of Greater Berlin in conference decided that the bakers in the future must restrict production to 75 per cent. of the present output to enforce the decrease in consumption of bread.

The correspondent adds that in Cologne it has been decided that in future only rye bread must be baked for general use, with sufficient wheat bread for the sick of the town.

Should this regulation be contravened in such degree as to call for attention, arrangements will be made whereby the apothecaries will have a monopoly of the right to sell wheat bread.

N. Y. "GUNMAN" ACCUSED OF JEWEL THEFT IN HOTEL

Several Other Big Robberies Also Charged to Man Arrested Here.

New York detectives arrived here today to take charge of Edward J. Smith, who was betrayed by an anonymous "tip" sent to City Hall yesterday accusing him of being a fugitive under indictment by the Grand Jury in New York on charges of stealing jewelry valued at $2000 from a guest at the Hotel Savoy two weeks ago. Smith, who is 32 years old, also faces indictments, according to the police, in connection with three other robberies in New York hotels.

Smith, the police say, is also suspected of being a member of a gang which two days ago robbed the pawnshop of Adolph Stern, in New York, of $15,000 worth of jewelry. The police were warned that the suspect had the reputation of being a "gunman" and Sergeant Fenn and Detective Walters took no chances when they arrested him in a Chestnut street hotel. They entered his room revolvers in hand. He had registered as E. F. Renau, San Diego, Cal., where his home is said to be.

CANAL OFFERS VAST PROFIT TO THIS PORT

Thousands of Dollars Wasted in Freights by Shippers Unfamiliar With Its Advantages.

Thousands of dollars are being wasted in freights by merchants, manufacturers and shippers of this city and the territory within a radius of 1000 miles of it, because they have not familiarized themselves with the advantages accruing in the transportation of goods to and from the Pacific coast through this port on steamships via the Panama Canal, according to Charles Calwell, president of the Corn Exchange National Bank.

Pennsylvania shippers gain the greater advantages, but shippers of the Middle West and the South can effect profitable savings by using rail to and from this city and boats from here to and back from the Pacific coast. This startling fact is pertinently pointed out in the current issue of the Advance, official organ of the Corn Exchange National Bank.

Officials of the bank, after strenuous efforts, were able to obtain comparative figures of the all-rail rate to the West versus the rail-boat rate and the all-boat rate. The comparison is most remarkable.

In indorsing the article on the possibilities of the port to shippers President Calwell says:

"We deem this the most important article the Advance has ever published. Every shipper within 1000 miles of Philadelphia, every railroad that enters the city, every legislator who is interested in the port of Pennsylvania should study it carefully."

VALUE OF CANAL ROUTE.

The article follows:

"The advantages of the port of Philadelphia extend to shippers not only in Pennsylvania and territory closely adjacent to this city, but also to all points in a large part of the entire northern portion of the Mississippi Valley and the Great Lakes region of the Northwest.

"Coincident with the opening of the Panama Canal, there began an era of new development in ocean traffic on the Eastern as well as Western seaboard. The advantages of using Philadelphia as a port of transshipment for traffic in the vast territory with which this city has direct rail facilities have had ample proof.

"Let us take a look at the traffic devel-

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LOSS OF FIVE SHIPS IN SUBMARINE RAIDS ROUSES BRITISH IRE

German Under-sea Emdens Can Paralyze Shipping, Say Experts, Despite Assurances by Admiralty.

HAVRE, France, Feb. 1.—The British steamship Ikaria, which was reported in London dispatches to have been sunk by a German submarine in the English Channel, arrived here today in a sinking condition. She had a big hole in her bow under the water line and would have foundered but for the help given by tugs. The Ikaria carries a cargo of sugar and coffee.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—"Von Tirpitz can't starve England out—and he knows it. His submarine raids are comparable to the efforts of a squad of sharpshooters against a whole army. His main purpose is to frighten England, and he will never succeed."

This was the statement made today by a high Admiralty official. Like other naval officers, both here and at Paris, he asserted that the sensational activities of German submarines on Saturday and Sunday are features of the new policy of warfare first publicly suggested by Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, of the German navy.

The Admiralty expects further raids and the loss of more British merchantmen. No attempt is made to conceal this belief here. Having demonstrated their wide cruising radii by sinking three British vessels in the Irish Sea and two others in the English Channel off Havre, the German under-sea terrors are expected to make fresh attacks.

Flotillas of destroyers and light cruisers were patrolling the Irish Sea off Liverpool today, hoping to catch sight of a German submarine that chased the Leinster off the entrance to Dublin Bay yesterday. It is now generally accepted here that the U-21 was accompanied by at least one other of the latest and most powerful design of German submarine when she sent the Kilcoan, Ben Cruachen and Linda Blanche to the bottom.

Some Admiralty officials profess to believe that a whole squadron of German submarines is now operating off the west coast. The Tokomaru and Icaria, sunk in the English Channel off Havre, are believed to have been victims of a single German raider.

Dispatches from Liverpool today said that several steamships passed out of the harbor on their regular sailings today, indicating no great alarm there. The Liverpool authorities have not availed themselves of their power of forbidding all sailings and it is unlikely that they will do so.

British newspapers are bitter against the latest phase of German warfare, which is called a breach of the recognized code of hostilities. It is charged that the Germans have violated also the international laws by displaying the British flag on their submarines.

It is evident from the number of underwater craft at work that the German Admiralty is using many of its available 18 submarines.

Naval experts, despite Admiralty opinions, declare that Germany's 18 powerful submarines can easily paralyze British shipping, despite the guards of warships. These submarines are new craft, equipped with the latest devices of destruction, and each has a radius of 1200 miles.

BLUECOAT SURPRISES SAFE CRACKERS; ONE TRIES TO BRAIN HIM

Lunges With Hatchet at Policeman, Who Fatally Shoots Him—"Pal" Flees With $1000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—In a running fight with a safe blower he had detected in the jewelry store of Charles L. Wagner, 135 Grand street, Williamsburg, early today, Policeman Stephen Thornton shot and fatally wounded the fugitive after he nearly had severed two of the blue coat's fingers with a hatchet. An accomplice of the safe cracker escaped with $1000 worth of jewelry.

The policeman was passing the store when he noticed a light in the rear and saw two men at work on the safe. He entered softly, but the men heard him and one of them darted past him. The policeman took after him and fired two shots to make him halt.

Brought to bay, the man waited until the policeman approached, then lunged at him with the hatchet. Thornton dodged, threw up his left hand and caught the hatchet. He fired at the safe cracker who fell with a bullet in his breast.

The burglar was hurried to a hospital where he lapsed into unconsciousness and has not been identified.

DACIA SAILS; BRITAIN READY TO SEIZE CARGO

U. S. Prepared to Defend Rights of Shippers in Test.

GALVESTON, Tex., Feb. 1.—The steamship Dacia departed at noon yesterday from Galveston for Rotterdam, with 11,000 bales of cotton to be transshipped to Bremen.

Telegraphic orders to get under way were received by Captain George McDonald from E. N. Breiting, of New York, the owner. In two hours the vessel had taken on a pilot and was outside the harbor.

The Dacia cleared January 22. Her delay here is yet unexplained and her agent and master said they did not know why she was waiting. The Dacia's cotton cargo is valued by the shippers at $880,000, or 16 cents a pound laid down in Bremen.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Procedure in the Dacia case will attract worldwide attention. England has served notice that it will seize the vessel. The American Government, expecting this, is preparing to safeguard the rights of the American owner in a prize court by making the usual inquiry through the American Ambassador as to the grounds for the ship's seizure, and a formal expression is expected from Great Britain.

DREXEL Reduction Sale of Beautiful Things 1131 Chestnut St.

BELIEVED TO HAVE SHOT VILLA

General Adolpho Fierro has been the Mexican chief's personal aid and intimate. The shooting of W. S. Benton, the Englishman, has been ascribed to him.

'SHOOTS UP' SALOON, WOUNDS TWO MEN AND FIGHTS CROWD

Many Narrowly Escape Death or Serious Injury When Customer Suddenly Fires in All Directions.

Two men were wounded, one seriously, and many others narrowly escaped injury, at 7 o'clock this morning, when a man walked into a saloon at the northeast corner of 7th and uButtonwood streets, and after a short argument "shot it up" in true Wild West style. The man with the revolver was captured after a terrific fight.

The injured men are John McCabe, of 701 Buttonwood street, and Peter Campbell, of 817 North Capitol street. McCabe is wounded in the side. He is at the Roosevelt Hospital, where it is said that his condition is critical. Campbell was shot in the leg. After treatment at Hahnemann Hospital he was able to appear at the hearing of the prisoner.

The latter is Patrick Morgan, 42 years old, of 351 North Bodine street. Magistrate Belcher, at the 10th and Buttonwood streets station, held him without bail to await the result of McCabe's injuries. John McSorarty, of 501 North 7th street, and Louis Master, of 612 North 8th street, were in the saloon at the time and testified against Morgan.

Ten or 15 men were in the saloon when Morgan entered. He ordered a drink and started a conversation with a man who fled during the shooting and whose identity is not known. The argument lasted less than half a minute and had attracted little attention from the other men.

Suddenly Morgan whipped out a revolver and fired wild into the crowd of men lined up against the bar. The first shot crashed into glassware behind the bar. The second struck McCabe. Campbell, the bartender, jumped over the bar and knocked down Morgan's hand, but the man managed to pull the trigger a third time. This bullet struck Campbell in the leg.

Other men joined in the struggle. Policemen Weinert and Kister found them battling with Morgan, who still held the revolver in his hand. They quickly subdued him with their clubs. He was so badly beaten he had to be treated at Hahnemann Hospital.

Special Policemen Barry and Ernest say Morgan is known in the district as a gambler. He was arrested five years ago, they declare, and served time in jail.

BOMB OUTRAGE IN CHICAGO

Family Thrown From Beds by Explosion of Dynamite.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—What police fear is the start or another series of bomb outrages occurred in Chicago's Little Italy at 5 o'clock today. A bomb, containing dynamite, was exploded on the sill of a rear window at 846 Miller street. Joseph Carreicilla, the owner of the building, and his wife and Tony Tosanova's family were thrown from their beds. No one was seriously injured.

AUSTRIANS, WITH GERMAN AID, AGAIN INVADE SERVIA

Heavy Cannonading Heard in Valley of the Danube.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 1.

Heavy firing was heard all day Sunday in the Danube valley, east of the Irongate, indicating a renewal of hostilities in eastern Servia.

It is believed that the Austrians, reinforced by German troops, have begun a new invasion of Servia.

Will Don Straw Hats Tomorrow

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 1.—Straw hat day will be observed here tomorrow. Twenty thousand persons will don the summer headgear.

MAN LEAPS FROM HIS BURNING HOUSE WITH BABY IN HIS ARMS

Thrilling Scenes at Fire in a Lodging House—Inmates Escape in Their Nightclothes.

With their escape cut off by smoke and flames which poured from every window a man and two women were forced to leap to the street today after throwing a 14-month-old baby from the 4th story, when fire destroyed the four-story rooming house, conducted by Mrs. Clara Heap, at the northwest corner of 11th and Locust streets. At the first alarm the occupants of the house forgot all about the infant, and a short time later John J. Gloves fought his way through the smoke to the baby's room and managed to reach there in time ti drop the child in the arms of the waiting firemen.

The fire which started in the store used by Gloves as a men's furnishing establishment, gained headway so rapidly that the sleepers on the other floors found themselves hemmed in by flames when they were awakened. Mrs. Heap was the first to reach a front window and when the firemen arrived Stephen Thomas and his wife Mary, who were trapped in their room on the fourth floor front were clinging to the window sill with flames scorching their night clothing.

Neighbors who rushed to the street before the alarm had been sent in begged the terror-stricken inmates of the burning house to wait for the fire engines. John Cardine, who roomed on the second floor, stood beneath them and managed to prevent the men and women on the upper floors from jumping by his attempt to reach them with a rope.

When the flames began to creep along the cornice and scorch the fingers of Mrs. Thomas, she let go of her hold with one hand, and her husband, risking instant death, clutched her. In their peril the couple forgot that they had left behind their infant daughter, Genevieve.

When Thomas was on the verge of plunging to the street, screaming that he could bear the weight of his wife no longer, the fire apparatus dashed around the corner. Seeing the situation warranted quick action, they hastily spread a net and Mrs. Heap was the first to plunge into it. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas followed, hurling through the flames from the top floor.

When they were carried from the net they remembered their baby and when everyone was believed to have been rescued Gloves appeared at the fourth-story ledge which the Thomases had just leaped from. He bore the baby in his arms and his trousers and coat were ablaze.

"Jump," the firemen shouted as soon as they saw the man and baby on their perilous perch. Globes hesitated but finally leaped toward the net with the baby in his arms.

With the exceptions of a severe shaking up all escaped unhurt and are being cared for by neighbors. The interior of the house was destroyed, entailing a loss of about $5000. The origin of the blaze was not discovered.

ACCUSES FRIENDS OF THEFT

Man Misses Money After Being Escorted Home During Illness.

Accused of stealing $4 from the pocket of a friend whom they escorted home after he had been taken ill, Bernard Quinn, 23 years old, 3509 Ambler street, and Frank Wood, 26 years old, 2616 North Myrtle street, are being held in $400 bail today by Magistrate Campbell.

The men were arrested on complaint of Andrew Jakin, 32 years old, 325 Salmon street, who was found unconscious last week in the yard of 3214 Edgemont street. Jakin is in the Episcopal Hospital suffering from a fracture of the skull. According to his story, Quinn and Wood escorted him home and rifled his pockets while he was in a dazed condition.

KILLS WIFE AND DAUGHTERS, THEN ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Real Estate Operator Uses Maxim Silencer on Rifle.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Herman Auerbach, a leading real estate man, murdered his wife Clara, age 44 years, and their two daughters, Beatrice, 18, and Daisy, 16, and then committed suicide in their home, in an apartment house at 386 Central Park West, early yesterday morning. The bodies were found shortly before noon by Lester, the 14-year-old son, whose suspicions had been aroused upon awakening in an adjoining room to find a note which had been slipped under the door, reading:

"When you wake up 'phone Uncle Joe Levy and grandpa."

The note was unsigned, but was plainly in the handwriting of Auerbach. It is believed to have been written after the crazed man had slain his wife and two daughters, and possibly made an unsuccessful attempt to enter the son's room, being barred by the locked door.

It is the Coroner's belief that Auerbach was crazed by financial reverses. Until a few years ago he had been a member of a candy firm in this city, from which he retired to devote his attention to real estate. A few months ago, it is said, his property was valued at nearly $1,000,000, but recently there had been a heavy depreciation in the value of mortgages and securities which he held.

All four persons were killed by a 44-calibre rifle, to which was attached a Maxim silencer, and this accounts for the failure of the son and other occupants of the apartment to hear the rifle shots.

The bodies, each shot through the head, rested in their different beds. Apparently the three women were killed as they slept.

PORTER QUOTES EXPERT OPINION OF "CORRECTION"

Offsets Judge's Criticism With Praise Bestowed by Professionals.

Excerpts from a report on the House of Correction made for the Department of Public Safety, under the auspices of the Public Charities Association of Pennsylvania, have been issued in a statement by Director Porter to support his side of the issues involved in his controversy with Judge Mayer Sulzberger.

Two experts, James A. Leonard, superintendent of the Ohio State Reformatory, and Hastings H. Hart, of New York, drew up the report, which refers to the House of Correction as a "unique institution," adding:

"It is not designed to deal with the ordinary misdemeanant criminal, but infends to furnish remedial treatment for certain specific types; habitual drunkards, vagrants, street walkers and minors above the age of 16 years, and, by a subsequent act, provides for those committed for nonsupport of families."

"The threat of an investigation of the conduct of the House of Correction," said Director Porter, "has thrown none of us into a panic. If there is one thing in the Blankenburg administration of which it has no fear, it is of an investigation of its conduct in the management of the affairs intrusted to it. All the cards are on the table and are subject to careful scrutiny at any time."

The Director quotes the following paragraph from the report of the two experts:

"Most of the magistrates are not lawyers, and it was discovered that many of the sentences imposed by them did not conform strictly to the statues and their commitments in consequences were often defective and liable to be upset by habeas corpus proceedings."

"This," adds the Director, "brings up the very point I have at issue with the Court. It will be observed that the policeman does not issue a warrant, but the magistrate. Is it fair, therefore, for a Judge in open court to 'bawl out' a policeman because a warrant or the transcript thereof is in error?"

ICE TRUCK AND 22 MEN MOVE HOSPITAL PATIENT

500-pound Woman Gives Attendants Extra Job.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Bellevue Hospital had a big case to deal with yesterday.

Twenty-two strong men, helped out by an ambulance and an ice truck, conveyed Mrs. Anna Frey from her home, at 712 East 12th street, to the hospital. Even at that, none of the 22 had time to loaf. Mrs. Frey tips the scales—if she doesn't knock them over entirely—at 500 pounds.

Seven men carried her into the ambulance; seven more transported her to the hospital reception room; four held her on the ice truck, and four were required to push the truck from the reception room to the ward. Before somebody thought of the ice truck, a couple of trundle beds and a few wheel chairs were tried, but cracked under the strain.

The woman was taken to the hospital at the request of her husband, who said she was feeling ill. At a late hour last night the doctors had not located her trouble.

"LID ON" IN NEWARK

Theatres and Dance Halls Closed Yesterday by Police Order.

NEWARK, Feb. 1.—Following the edict issued by Chief of Police Long yesterday the lid was on tight here. Theatres, moving-picture houses, dance halls and other amusements places were closed. Two basketball teams obtained 11th-hour permission to play games. At these, however, no dancing followed, and only soft drinks were sold.

The Court Theatre, where a benefit was to have been held under the auspices of the Young Women's Hebrew Society, was among the places closed. Efforts were made to have the theatre opened, but Chief Long refused to issue a permit for the performance.

The citizens did not go dry, however, for a number of saloons were open. Some of the more timid did not take a chance, fearing that the order to close tight in regard to amusements included the thirst parlors.

BOY DROWNED IN LAKE

Frigid Temperature of Water Made Victim's Limbs Numb.

According to the police investigation into the drowning of 12-year-old William Conley, in the lake at Forest Hill Park, Camden, yesterday, the lad came to his death under unusual circumstances. The frigid temperature of the water after Conley had broken through the ice numbed his limbs and they were rendered powerless by the cold and he drowned standing up, with his face just touching the water.

The body was identified by the boy's father, William H. Conley, 1301 Kaign avenue, who became alarmed when his son did not come home to prepare for Sunday school, as the boy had not missed a session in many months.

40,000 PROMISE SUNDAY THEY'LL WAR ON BOOZE

Men in All Walks of Life Pledge Themselves to Work and Vote Against Liquor Interests.

Evangelist Wins 1500 Converts After Two Stirring Sermons, in Which He Exposed Effects of the "Demon Rum."

"Billy" Sunday wrestled with his "booze" enemy for three hours yesterday before two capacity audiences, "men only," in the tabrenacle. In the forenoon he went after the devil with full armor on before a mixed audience. On all three occasions "booze" and the devil went to the mat with a terrific thud.

Almost 40,000 men pledged themselves in a solemn vow to work and vote against the "demon rum" at the afternoon and evening services, and during the day 1500 men and women "hit the sawdust trail," and, by grasping the hand of the evangelist, assured him they intended to live clean lives hereafter, to oppose "booze" and to enrol as followers of Christ.

Men from every walk of life were among the "trail hitters." Among them were business men, lawyers, doctors and, it is said, there were som bartenders.

THOUSANDS TURNED AWAY.

It was the first time during the Philadelphia campaign that Sunday has opened up his burning, scathing and destructive battery on the "booze crowd," and, in anticipation of his bombardment thousands of men assembled outside the tabernacle in the morning.

More than 25,000 persons were unable to gain admittance at the two services. As soon as Sunday had finished preaching his morning sermon he hurried to his home, changed clothing and returned at once and started preaching to the afternoon crowd.

At both services "Billy" aroused the great audience to a high pitch of excitement and was applauded and cheered until the sound of the crowd drifted over Logan Square. He attacked the "booze" business from every angle. No person who "contributes anything toward sending men reeling to drunkards' graves or toward bringing poverty, disease and misery to women and children for their own selfish interests," escaped his heavy fire.

Politicians who are backed by the "dirty, stinking, miserable, rotten whisky and beer-soaked gang," and many persons who rent their buildings to saloonkeepers and liquor dealers or for brothels, all came in for severe denunciation. None of them escaped. All of them will go to hell, according to "Billy" Sunday, for he made it plain that men who make money through driving men and women todrunkards' graves and to hell, were to be held just as responsible—and maybe more so—by God than the unfortunates they lead into sin.

"Billy" went further than the politician and the property owner in his denunciations. He declared that the man who voted for politicians who stand back of the "booze" crowd "will go to hell just as fast as the man who sells the 'stuff' or makes it."

CONGRESS IN CORNER.

"The whisky gang has Congress backed into a corner and is choking the gizzard out of it," he shouted. "Don't you come out, you Democrats and Republicans, and talk about the referendum, tariff or anything else in that line, when you lay down on the chance to give the people of the country opportunity to vote for national prohibition. You're a bunch of cowards. I'm sick and tired of your baby excuses. You're back of that dirty, rotten, hellish business for fear you can't get the backing of the liquor people," he thundered.

At the same time the evangelist told of the threats that have been made against him for fighting the "booze" crowd. He gave notice that he was going to keep on fighting it from now until it is "knocked into hell," and is going to stand between it and the boys of the country. "Yes," he said, "even though it is necessary to give my life." That was the spirit in which he fired his shot into the liquor people and those who back them.

It was a practical, common-sense talk that Sunday gave the 40,000 men. There were almost 1000 men in the crowd that stood behind the platform and under it in the rear of the building. Bishop Berry was in the throng that stood back of the choir seats during the sermon. Another uprominent man in this space was the Rev. Dr. Parkin, district superintendent of the Methodist Church. George C. Shane, executive secretary, stood most of the time, and the remainder were kept busy balancing themselves on the railing by the side of the ministers' section of the tabrenacle.

"Billy" showed in facts and figures what the cost of "booze" was, and, while he held up before the audience the value of goods manufactured in all kinds of factories and how much money is needed to supply food and clothing for cold and hungry women and children, he showed that far more than this amount was spent for liquor "that sends men to hell" by those whose families are in poverty and want.

To illustrate the way the manhood of the country is eaten up by "booze," "Billy" had a dozen boys come upon the platform.

"There's the raw material the saloon uses," he said as he patted the heads of the children. All the old drunkards will die soon, so the dirty crowd of liquor and saloon people must depend upon these little fellows to keep up their business. And you call yourselves men and stand idly by and allow them to do it, or to

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST, Friday, January 29, going from Broad and Chestnut to 9th and Chestnut streets, three 50-piece set of spoons; possibly wrapped in paper, one piece missing. F. Berardi if returned to J. E. & Co., 907 Chestnut street.

Other classified advertisements on page Two