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GERMANS CENTER STRONG ATTACK ON ALLIES IN VOSGES REGION

HAVE SHIFTED THEIR STRONGEST ATTACK TO VOSGES REGION, SAYS PARIS REPORT, BUT WERE REPULSED THERE.

On the Verdun front, Germans have resumed their heavy bombardment of French positions near Fleury and Fumin Wood—In the region of Moulin, Soustovent, a strong German attack was repulsed—Germans Pouring Gas Shells and Projectiles Containing Eye Irritants into British First Line Trenches in Northern France, According to Reports Reaching London—Flooding the Dniester Proving of Great Value to the Teuton—They Make Progress by Slavs Impossible and Release Large Number of German Troops for Uses on Other Fronts Pressed by the Russians.

The Germans have temporarily shifted their strongest attack on the western front to the Vosges region, where in the region of St. Die they were repulsed by the French, Paris reports.

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In the region of Moulin, Soustovent, a strong German reconnaissance was dispersed.

A spirited artillery duel is in progress along the British front in northern France. During which the British first line and supporting trenches are bombarded with gas shells and projectiles containing eye irritants, recorded in today's London report.

Along the Dniester river, the summer floods are proving of great value to the Germans. These floods cause the river to rise quickly to a height of six or seven feet, covering wide expanses of territory and making military operations impossible and preventing the Russians from crossing. This relieves thousands of German troops there for use on other fronts, which are hard pressed by the Slav armies. A further retirement of Von Linsingen's army is admitted by both Berlin and Vienna.

can spill in a certain length of time, he can "point with pride," "view with alarm," "denounce and deplore," and "deny with indignation," to his heart's content, but his speech will necessarily have to be limited as there are so many that it would be daylight and then some if each were to be given unbridled license.

Monday arrangements will be made to have a platform erected and benches placed on the lawn, and if the weather remains propitious, the aspirants will be greeted with the greatest audience they have faced since the opening of the campaign.

It has not been definitely decided who will be master of ceremonies on this festive occasion, the one who has always held the watch and gavel on the candidates at these events in years past is himself a candidate this year, and hence Col. W. T. Wiseman is not available, but some one from the audience will be selected who will call the house to order, and the candidates down when their time limit expires.

The candidates are looking eagerly forward to this event as they will have an opportunity of addressing the largest audience assembled during the campaign.

TEXAS VITAL STATISTICS

Thirty-Five Hundred Births Compared to Twenty-One Hundred Deaths. Austin, Tex., July 22.—The vital statistics for June in Texas shows 3,509 births, of which 28 were twins, and 2,118 deaths, the health department announced today.

Sheriff Garrett Ill.

Sheriff Buck Garrett was taken suddenly ill at his home on North Washington Saturday afternoon. He is suffering from stomach trouble.

ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR DRY CAMPAIGN

ONE-FOURTH OF THE AMOUNT HAS ALREADY BEEN SUBSCRIBED, ACCORDING TO TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN.

Chicago, Ill., July 22.—More than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars have already been subscribed to the million-dollar fund of the national prohibition party, Daniel Poling, temporary chairman of the St. Paul convention, said here today. This fund, he said, will be used to get votes for the national prohibition ticket.

The St. Paul convention adjourned yesterday afternoon, following the nomination of J. Frank Hanley of Indiana for president and Dr. Ira D. Landrith of Nashville, Tenn., as his running mate.

GREEN WILL TO PROBATE

No Contest Over Will of Rich Woman Yesterday.

Bellows Falls, Vt., July 22.—The will of Mrs. Hetty Green, leaving her eighty-million-dollar estate to her son and daughter, Col. E. M. R. Green and Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilkes, was admitted to probate today without contest.

ALLIES AT SALONIKI REJOICE OVER WAR NEWS; PREPARE FOR AN ADVANCE



GENERAL MILNE AND SERBIAN OFFICIAL.

FEDERAL PROBE ON THE PRICE OF PRINT PAPER

NEWSPAPER MEN ASKED TO BE REPRESENTED AT HEARING TO BEGIN IN WASHINGTON ABOUT JUNE FIRST.

Washington, July 22.—Newspaper publishers throughout the country were invited today by the federal trade commission to be represented at the hearing here August 1, on whether there has been an undue increase in the price of news print paper.

The commission will conduct an exhaustive investigation, of which the public hearing will be the first step.

MILLIONS ARE DROPPED FROM THE ARMY BILL

MONEY FOR EXTRA "FOREIGN SERVICE," PLANNED FOR USE IN MEXICAN CAMPAIGN, DROPPED FROM BILL.

Washington, July 22.—Millions of dollars for extra "foreign service" pay for officers and men of the army provided for in the new army bill in expectation that the troops would be engaged in Mexico, were voted out today in the senate on motion of Senator Chamberlain, who was regarded as speaking for the war department.

OFFERS MEDAL FOR A LETTER FROM SCHOOL

CARTER COUNTY TEACHER WHO MAKES A SPECIALTY OF TEACHING ENGLISH HAS CO-OPERATION OF THE ARDMOREITE.

Mrs. Mary Niblack was in the city yesterday from Mary Niblack, where she has begun her summer term of school as teacher. She has recently returned from a visit to her old home at Tyler, Dallas and Minneola, Tex., and reports that the fruit crop there is good and that all kinds of crops are very promising. That country has also learned the good roads lesson, and a revolution in county building and in town building has been wrought by the good roads building which has been carried on in that locality.

Mrs. Niblack is one of the most enthusiastic and efficient teachers in the county. One of her hobbies is to teach English and to teach expression. She states that English is used by the child either in the written or spoken word every day, while other branches of learning are used only at times. She gives precedence to English and also works up an interest in newspaper reading among her pupils and among her patrons. Mrs. Niblack says when promptness and alertness are developed in the children that they will obtain a good education, and all they need then is a guide in their studies. She uses the newspaper and uses news letters to cultivate the habit of observing what is going on, which in the last analysis is alertness. In consideration of her method of teaching, which arouses interest in the daily news, The Ardmoreite has decided to offer a medal or a suitable prize of some kind to be given to the member of her school

who writes the best letter to The Ardmoreite. The details of the judging will be made out later and submitted to the pupils and competent judges of English, etc. will be selected from the teachers of the county to award the medal. We are not going to say that it will be a very expensive gift, but it will last always, and will be worth for such a gift and will be worth earning. It will be awarded at the close of the term next spring.

SUBMARINE MERCHANTMAN READY TO GO

TUG TIMMINS, WHICH CONVOYED HER TO PORT, HAS FULL HEAD OF STEAM UP WAITING FOR EXIT OF SUB.

Baltimore, Md., July 22.—Little activity was noticeable about the pier where the Deutschland is moored, all ready, it is believed, to start on her return voyage.

The tug Timmins, which convoyed the boat to port, has had a full head of steam up for the past week, waiting for her exit.

Allied Warships on Watch. Norfolk, Va., July 22.—The warships of the allies have drawn in closer to the three-mile limit off the capes and are maintaining a rigid patrol, constantly moving along a line of some fifteen miles.

INCREASE IN DEATHS

Largest Number of Deaths Yesterday Since Epidemic Began.

New York, July 22.—Today, the largest number of deaths were recorded in the infantile paralysis epidemic, since the inception of the disease four weeks ago. Since 10 o'clock yesterday the plague killed thirty-nine children and 135 new cases were reported.

TRIPLE MURDER EARLY SATURDAY

J. B. MARLOW, FARMER LIVING AT CODY, NEAR HUGO, SLAYS WIFE, FARM HAND, NEIGHBOR

OTHER THREATENED

Wife, Who Lives for Several Hours, Says Husband Told Her He Would Kill Two Other Men—Posse Search Fails to Locate Murderer.

Hugo, Okla., July 22.—J. B. Marlow, a farmer living at Cody, a small settlement near here, shot and killed his wife, John Sutter, a farm hand, and W. M. Beeler, a neighbor, and then made his escape early Saturday morning, according to meagre information received here.

Mrs. Marlow lived for several hours before succumbing to her wounds and said that her husband came to her room, saying he had killed Beeler and Sutter and intended to kill her and two other men. He then shot her and left the house.

Posses started in pursuit of Marlow this morning.

Marlow at 6 o'clock this afternoon has not been captured and the sheriff and deputies are still out searching for him.

WOODMEN SHOWS LOYALTY.

Local Camp Will Keep All Dues of Soldier Boys Paid.

The Woodmen of the World camp at Ardmore has by a vote of the camp decided to keep all the dues paid of its members who are with the soldiers on the border. The act was a generous one with the camp and it was also one that reflects the loyalty of Woodcraft for the flag. All Ardmore soldier boys who have membership in the Woodmen will be in good standing when they return whether it be a few months or a few years.

SLAYER TAKEN TO EL PASO FOR SAFE KEEPING

WAR DEPARTMENT REPORTS SAY ARMY OFFICER WAS INNOCENT OF ANY WRONG—MAN CRAZED BY JEALOUSY.

El Paso, Tex., July 22.—Henry J. Spannell, charged with the murder of his wife and Colonel Butler at Alpine, Texas, Wednesday night, while automobiling, was brought here today for safe keeping. He had nothing to say when asked why he killed them.

Was Victim of Jealousy.

Washington, July 22.—The war department reports from Alpine on the killing of Major Butler and Mrs. H. J. Spannell, by the latter's husband, said Butler was "innocent of any wrong," and was "cold bloodedly murdered by a man crazed by jealousy."

DISCUSS BLACKLIST.

Conference Between British Ambassador Spring-Rice and Polk.

Washington, July 22.—British Ambassador Spring-Rice and Acting Secretary Polk discussed the British black list of firms in the United States today, but no announcement of their talk was made. The administration officials are considering what steps to take.

England's Great Blunder.

London, July 22.—A neutral diplomat, who is exceptionally well informed with the details of the economic war which Great Britain is waging on the central powers, declared to the Associated Press today that the publication of the British black list, containing the names of certain American firms, was "a great tactical blunder."

ORATORY WILL BE PLENTIFUL HERE TUESDAY

ALL THE COUNTY CANDIDATES WILL HAVE A SEAT ON THE PLATFORM, AND ARDMORE VOTERS MAY SIZE THEM UP.

Next Tuesday night on the court house lawn the county and state candidates will have an opportunity of telling the people of Ardmore who heretofore have been denied the privilege just why they want the particular office to which they aspire, and also tell why their rival is not so well equipped, mentally, morally, or physically for the office as they. Of course, the voters of the city have heard all this stuff before, but the old jokes always get the laugh and so it is in politics, the old tales get the votes—maybe, but then the candidates will feel all the better for having gotten it out of their system, and the citizens will also be relieved when they learn that there is at least one honest man running for every office within the gift of the people of the county and district.

When the master of ceremonies has called time and the conversation gets under way, there will be no limit to the amount of words each candidate

WEATHER FORECAST
New Orleans, La., July 22.—The weather forecast for Oklahoma for Sunday is generally fair.