

"HEAVEN BLESS THEE! THOU HAST THE SWEETEST FACE I EVER LOOKED ON."—Henry VIII

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FIRE IN YELLOW JACKET

4 Dead and Fire Still Raging in Lower Level Since Last Night

FOUR BODIES ON 1600 LEVEL HELMET CREW FIGHTING FIRE

(Special to the Bonanza.) VIRGINIA CITY, Nev., May 24.—Fire broke out in the old Belcher works of the Yellow Jacket, Crown Point, Belcher Mines company at 10:15 o'clock last night.

of Comstock mines, adjacent to such properties as the Crown Point and Belcher. Its shaft is only forty or fifty feet from the high trestle over which the Virginia and Tuckee railroad enters Gold Hill.

HURRICANE OF FRENCH GUN FIRE EXACTS APPALLING DEATH TOLL FROM ENEMY

Simultaneous Attack on all Fronts By Entente Allies Thwarted by Germans

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, May 24.—The battle of Verdun is raging with unexampled violence, the Germans striving with every resource in their power to capture Hill 304, Dead Man's hill and win back Fort Douaumont.

BRANDEIS GETS APPOINTMENT

SENATE COMMITTEE VOTES TO REPORT FAVORABLY NAME OF BOSTON JURIST

TURQUOISE O. E. S. HOLD RECEPTION

EASTERN STAR GREET'S VISIT OF MARIE BURDICK WITH A BANQUET

Last evening Turquoise Chapter, No. 10, O. E. S., entertained their grand matron, Mrs. Marie Burdick, at its regular meeting in Masonic Temple.

PRESIDENT AT WEDDING

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 24.—The president and his wife have arrived to attend the wedding this afternoon of Dr. Cary Grayson, the president's naval aide and physician to Alice Gordon of Washington.

JAMES FORMAN WAS AN ARRIVAL FROM OAKLAND ON TODAY'S TRAIN

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 24.—The president and his wife have arrived to attend the wedding this afternoon of Dr. Cary Grayson, the president's naval aide and physician to Alice Gordon of Washington.

The tide of war ebbed and flowed all yesterday, when inches of ground were won and lost at an appalling cost in men.

Describing the battle around Fort Douaumont, a combatant said: "The few trees still standing have been stripped and resemble telegraph poles.

(By Associated Press.) ROME, May 24.—The purpose of the Germans in continuing their Verdun campaign and the Austrians in pressing their offensive against the Italians is to prevent an extended simultaneous attack by the entente allies on all the fronts.

NO PEACE WITHOUT VICTORY

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, May 24.—An order of the day by General Von Hindenburg to the men on the Russian front says a Basle dispatch reads:

TONOPAH ELKS LAVISH PRAISES ON ELY BUNCH AS HOME OF HOSPITALITY

Toponah lodge No. 1062 B. P. O. E. will never cease talking of the time the members had at Ely as the guests of their eastern brethren.

The banquet was attended by over 500 guests and probably was the largest ever given in Nevada. The service was the best and the appointments of the table were most artistic.

M. H. COOPER, representing the Louis Tausig company of San Francisco, arrived this morning.

BUTLER THEATRE advertisement listing shows like 'THE FRUITS OF DESIRE' and 'THE PAINTED SOUL'.

ROVERETO IN FLAMES FROM SHELL EXPLOSION

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, May 24.—An Italian shell blew up the largest munitions depot at Rovereto and the town is now in flames, says a dispatch.

OVER HALF INCH OF SNOW FELL

ANOTHER SETBACK FOR THE HORTICULTURISTS TRYING TO MAKE DESERT BLOOM

It snowed last night. Everybody said that they expected it for it felt like snow all afternoon. But when they woke up this morning and saw the surrounding mountains mantled in white they thought of the timid flowers which had begun to put forth their tendrils and knew the storm spelled ruin for their gardening efforts.

DEATH OF THE MOTHER OF MRS. J. E. FARRIS IN MONTANA

A telegram was received this morning by J. E. Farris signed by his wife stating that her mother, Mrs. A. J. McCorkle, had died last night at Libby, Mont., of old age and weakness.

MOOSE SMOKER POSTPONED

The Moose smoker set for this evening has been postponed on account of the death of brother William Trabert.

VON BUELOW MAY COME ON MISSION

Foremost Statesman of Europe Reported to be Assigned to Washington

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, May 24.—The Exchange Telegraph company says it learns from diplomatic circles that Prince Von Buelow, ex-German chancellor, is proceeding to Washington, charged by the emperor with a special mission.

Von Buelow is one of the foremost statesmen of Europe and has been referred to frequently in the last few months as a man who might be selected by the kaiser to conduct preliminary peace negotiations should they be undertaken.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 24.—State department officials are skeptical of the accuracy of the report that Von Buelow is coming to Washington on a special mission from the emperor.

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, May 24.—The capture of the village of Cumieres, east of Dead Man's hill, is announced. The village was taken by storm. So far more than 300 prisoners were taken by the Germans in this operation.

WOMAN EXECUTED FOR TRIPLE CRIME

HEADSMAN, WITH BROAD AXE, CARRIES OUT SENTENCE OF COURT

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, May 24.—Henrietta Holstein was executed today for the triple murder of her husband, daughter and stepson by poison. The execution was performed in the traditional manner by a headman with a broad axe.

FISHERMEN HAVE CLOSE CALL IN PYRAMID LAKE STORM

RENO, May 24.—While fishing at Pyramid lake yesterday Steve Mills, Frank Kelly and another Renoite had a narrow escape from perishing, but were rescued by Otto Herz, with a motor boat.

MEXICANS RUSHED TO THE FRONTIER

CAVALRY ARRIVE FROM INTERIOR TO BEGIN A JOINT FRONTIER PATROL

(By Associated Press.) CHIHUAHUA, May 24.—General Gavira, the commander at Juarez, has been appointed commander of the military zone on the frontier and 1000 cavalry have been sent to him to reinforce all garrisons at important points.

JUDGE BEN W. COLEMAN, justice of the supreme court of the State of Nevada, arrived this morning from Carson City.

GREEK STEAMER SUNK BY AUSTRIAN TORPEDO

(By Associated Press.) TARRAGONA, Spain, May 24.—Twenty members of the crew of the Greek steamer Istros have arrived here by lifeboats. It is reported the Istros was torpedoed by an Austrian submarine.

WILL INQUIRE ABOUT IRELAND

SECRETARY LANSING DIRECTED TO ASK BRITAIN ABOUT AMERICAN

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 24.—The senate committee on foreign relations has recommended a favorable report on Senator Kerns resolution directing Secretary Lansing to inquire regarding the safety of Americans in Ireland in districts where martial law has been declared.

(By Associated Press.) DUBLIN, May 24.—John Macneill, president of the Sinn Fein volunteers, was found guilty today by a court martial for complicity in the rebellion. His sentence will be promulgated within a few days.

SUNFLOWER SEED USED FOR SALADS

SCHOOL CHILDREN INSTRUCTED TO PLANT FOR THE SAKE OF THE OIL

(By Associated Press.) COLOGNE, Germany, May 24.—Garden planting of sunflowers for the sake of the oil contained in the seeds was all the rage last year. It was also sufficiently successful so that it is being urged on a large scale this spring.

WILLIAM GOMM and wife, C. A. Perrine and wife, Howard Melvin and Bert McFadden, who attended the Elks gathering at Ely returned last evening and left in Mr. Perrine's car for Round Mountain this afternoon.