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RUSSIANS CHECK GERMAN ADVANCE

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Hardy Newton

CRITICS NOW BELIEVE RUSSIANS WILL ESCAPE

Germans Not Able to Advance on Baltic Lines, But Are Battling Hard to Cut the Warsaw and Petrograd Railroads—Now Looks If Defeated Russian Armies Will Escape German Clutches and Get Safely Out Toward the North—The British Steamer Jacona Was Torpedoed and Sunk Today—Allies Cancel Order for Big Grain Shipment in United States, the Reasons for Which Are Unknown—Italians Block Passage of Austrians Over the Alps—American Oil Steamer Released—German Airships Raid English Coast.

[By Associated Press.] London, Aug. 13.—The Russians for the time are holding the Germans in check along the Baltic lines.

The Teutons are trying hard to cut the Warsaw-Petrograd railroad and are battling toward the river Dvina, beyond which lie the roads to Petrograd.

[By Associated Press.] London, Aug. 13.—Military critics, in view of today's reports of Russian revival of strength, say the retreating armies from Warsaw will escape

the clutch of the pursuing Germans and retire safely to the north.

Allies Cancel Grain Orders.

[By Associated Press.] Chicago, Ill., Aug. 13.—Cancellation by the allies of grain contracts amounting to nearly two million bushels puzzles the experts here. The dealers say if peace is in sight, Europe still needs grain. Some say they have either found a way to get a supply from Russia or find themselves unable to buy further now because of weakened credit.

Italians Block Austrians.

[By Associated Press.] Rome, Aug. 13.—Two attempts of the Austrians to cross the Alps into Italy were blocked by Alpine troops. The battle was fought at a 10,000-foot elevation.

Oil Steamer Released.

[By Associated Press.] Washington, Aug. 13.—The American oil steamer Wico, which was taken to Swinemunde by German warships, was today released with her cargo and provisions made for repairs.

British Steamer Sunk.

[By Associated Press.] London, Aug. 13.—The 3,000-ton British steamer Jacona, engaged in trans-Atlantic trade, today was torpedoed and sunk. The captain and nine members of the crew were rescued.

German Airship Raid.

[By Associated Press.] London, Aug. 13.—Announcement of a German airship raid on the east coast of England was made today. One Zeppelin is believed damaged, but was able to escape. Six persons were killed by bombs.

ONLY ONE BANDIT KILLED TODAY

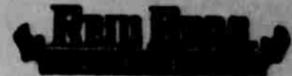
Rangers and Troopers Guard Large Section and Have Situation Under Control.

[By Associated Press.] Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 13.—One Mexican was killed today near Lyford by soldiers and peace officers. The Mexican was arrested near dawn suspected of wounding Night Watchman Fritz George at Lyford, and while being taken in an automobile to Lyford made a break for liberty and was shot.

Rangers and troopers guard a large section of the State here and seemingly have the bandit situation in control.

"I never see her with her husband. Has she lost him?"
"I don't know. Some people seem to think she has merely misplaced him."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BE ready for the unexpected guests who may "pop in" most any time. Have your pantry well supplied with Canned Goods and Sample Groceries that will permit the preparation of a splendid meal on short notice.



SMYRNA BARRACKS WERE DESTROYED

Bombs From Aeroplanes Also Destroyed Telephone Offices and Eight Other Houses There.

[By Associated Press.] Paris, Aug. 13.—A dispatch to the Havas News Agency from Athens says it has been learned from Mytilene that British aeroplanes bombarded Zagagik, near Smyrna, Wednesday, destroying the barracks, the telephone offices and eight houses.

A destroyer which followed the aeroplanes also bombarded the city in which there were said to be a large number of victims. The Governor of Smyrna, fearing an attack, sent 5,000 men to reinforce the coast defense troops, the dispatch adds.

The Turks are constructing new works about Smyrna and large caliber cannon have been placed along the Smyrna-Sakala-Vourla road.

TRACK WORKERS RUN DOWN AND KILLED

[By Associated Press.] Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 13.—A Pennsylvania Railroad train today ran into a party of track workers east of Mount Union, killing six.

JEW IN GERMANY ISSUE AN APPEAL

Ask That Shipment of Munitions to Belligerent Powers Be Stopped and War Terrors Recited.

[By Associated Press.] Berlin, Aug. 13.—The following was given out for publication by the Overseas News Agency:

"The Association of Jews in Germany has issued a dramatic appeal to America, drafted by Dr. Levi, a rabbi, for distribution in neutral countries. The appeal, based on the fact that American shells are thrown by Russians into Polish towns believed to harbor Germans, says:

"Europe stands in flames. Across the ocean America alone lives in peace. She hears not the thunder of cannon. A fruitful rain of gold is falling on a land enjoying golden peace.

"We cry out to America: Thousands of thy most loyal and industrious citizens come from towns being destroyed by the shells which thou art sending. Instead of gifts of money once sent back to childhood homes from Libau to Lemberg. Thou sendest iron shells to supply the army of the Czar. Thou givest iron for gold, death for life. Thy children are murdering their parents. America, thou hast peace. Thou art not fighting for existence. We implore thee to listen to this appeal!"

The North German Gazette publishes an affidavit sworn to by William Osibentel, a reservist, who was wounded on September 8. His right arm was amputated on the next day. Three days later the German field hospital in which he was a patient was captured by the French, together with twelve other seriously wounded men and surgeons and nurses.

"The affidavit states that the wounded German soldiers were treated most shamefully by French surgeons, who refused to dress their wounds and beat and spat at them and allowed their wounds to suppurate. This treatment continued for weeks, the affidavit adds, although such cruelty on the part of the French surgeons was an incitement to retaliatory methods."

"The installments paid on the second war loan have reached a total of \$2,244,900,000, or 99.6 per cent of the amount subscribed. The sum lent by banks for war loan purposes has decreased \$9,700,000 to \$78,825,000."

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ENGLAND MAY BUY UP OUR CATTLE

Agents Make Inquiry for a Million Beef Cattle to Be Delivered in Liverpool.

[By Associated Press.] Helena, Mont., Aug. 13.—Inquiry for a million beef cattle for delivery at Liverpool was made here today by C. O. Robinson of a large Chicago packing house. The order, if filled, means the payment of about one hundred million dollars, and will make deep inroads into the available supply of the United States.

TOM TAGGART MUST ANSWER

Motion to Quash Indictment Against Him for Election Law Violations Overruled.

[By Associated Press.] Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 13.—Judge W. H. Eichhorn Friday overruled the motion to quash the indictment against Thomas Taggart, Democratic National Committeeman, Mayor J. E. Bell and 124 others, charged with election irregularities.

The court held that forty-three of the forty-eight counts in the indictment were valid.

Mayor Bell's case, the first to be tried, was to begin September 1.

POPULAR EXCURSION TO GALVESTON VIA I. & G. N., SATURDAY, AUGUST 14

Special low rates for trains arriving at Galveston Saturday evening, August 14, and Sunday morning, August 15. Return limit, Monday, August 16. For particulars, see ticket agent, I. & G. N.

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THE TEXAS BAKERY

RUMORS OF FIGHT WERE UNFOUNDED

Was No Battle Last Night Between Americans and Bandits at Edinburg, Texas.

[By Associated Press.] Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 13.—Reports of fighting last night between citizens and Mexican bandits at Edinburg, Texas, today proved to be erroneous. The reports grew from an attempt of an Edinburg man to telephone for aid after seeing several armed men, but leaving the telephone before giving the details from this end.

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