

Bolsheviks Are Fighting Hard

WARSAW FATE IS IN BALANCE

Russians Repulsed With Heavy Losses Say Reports

FIGHTING FIERCELY

Poles Claim Advantages Along The Contested Fronts

London, Aug. 18.—Latest advices thru official communiques direct from points close to the Warsaw front lines of the Polish forces declare reports of the "fall of Warsaw" are without foundation. This report disposes of many rumors that the Bolsheviks were gaining rapid headway with heavy losses to the Poles.

London, Aug. 17.—Russian Soviet troops have entered Warsaw, the Polish capital, according to the Kovno, Lithuanian correspondent of the London Times. The dispatch says the staff of the fourth army at Vilna reports that Warsaw was occupied Sunday.

Warsaw, Aug. 16.—Uninterrupted fighting is going on in the Valley of the Bug from its source to its confluence with the Narw River. The great battle which has just begun along the river has been marked by appreciable advantages for the Poles. They have inflicted heavy losses on the enemy and won back important positions.

In Galisia, the Poles without pressure from the Bolsheviks have withdrawn to the line of the Bug. The forces defending Warsaw are now grouped as follows: The left wing, resting on the forts of Modlin (Novo Georgivak holds the line of the Lower Narw and Bug; the center, protected behind by the outer forts of Warsaw, occupies positions situated at distances varying from eighteen to thirty miles from the capital; the right wing commands the valley of the Upper Bug. Both on the right and left wings it is the Poles who have taken the initiative in the operations.

The Bolshevik forces which had crossed the Bug between Hrbiszew and Wodawa, have been thrown back on the right bank. On the left wing the Poles starting from Modlin, have made a successful attack in the direction of Miawa. Thanks to this operation the position the Poles occupy in the fork of the Narw and Bug rivers, which constitute the key defenses of Warsaw, are now better protected from a flank attack threatened by the Bolshevik forces on the northwest.

In the center on the lower Bug, all attacks delivered by the enemy to enable him to approach nearer the Warsaw forts were repelled with heavy losses.

DEPUTY RUSTOM IN REAL PINCH

Grabs Man Wanted By The Police Of Many Cities

J. H. McHenry, arrested at a local hotel here Friday by Deputy Sheriff Rustom, on wire advices from the police department of Grand Forks, is wanted in all parts of Eastern North Dakota and Western Minnesota, according to recent advices received by Sheriff Elliott. McHenry has been returned to Grand Forks where he is reported lodged in jail awaiting the outcome of his speculations.

McHenry was here as in other cities, purportedly booking orders for auto supplies, but according to police departments "was accepting \$100 checks for his own personal uses." Following his arrest here, word was received by the Grand Forks police that he was wanted in many quarters. It is also reported that several business and professional men of Devils Lake "fell for the scheme" and paid "comfortable" deposits for the privilege of buying automobile supplies thru some company McHenry claimed he represented.

Grand Forks, N. D.—At the present time authorities in five states are in-

GIVES UP TITLE TO MARRY



Prince Aage of Denmark, who was compelled to renounce all his royal prerogatives, as well as his place in the line of succession to the Danish throne and to descend to the ordinary nobility with the title of Count Rosenberg because of his marriage to the daughter of Count Calvi de Bergolte,

restored in J. H. McHenry, now a prisoner in the Grand Forks county jail. Now comes a telegraphic request to "hold the prisoner" from the sheriff

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at Fort Morgan, Colorado, on Saturday night; and again a similar message from the authorities at Taylorville, Illinois.

Last night the sheriff of Green county, Nevada, wired the office of Sheriff C. C. Stewart a request for McHenry.

Pending a further investigation of the prisoner's record, he is being held in the jail here, according to an announcement from Mr. Stewart's office last night. No decision has yet been made in regard to the next destination of McHenry.

His exact status is as yet to be determined, as is also the jurisdiction in which his case will be disposed of.

MINIMUM WAGE LAW OPERATION HITS NEW SNAG

Phone And Laundry Men Tie Up Statute In Courts

INJUNCTION USED

Cass County Judge Acts Case Now Set For September 2

Fargo, Aug. 17.—A temporary injunction order issued by Judge A. T. Cole of the Cass county district court restrains operations of the minimum wage law which would have become effective today. Hearing on a permanent injunction will be had September 2.

The injunction was granted in a suit brought by the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company and the North Dakota Laundrymen's association. These two firms have also taken an appeal from the decision of the wage board to the Burleigh county district court.

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Pioneer Settler Died In Home Early Last Monday

MASONIC FUNERAL

Deceased Had A State Wide Reputation Of Honor

Masonic rites, performed in the Temple here yesterday afternoon, marked burial services for Frank H. Prosser, who died suddenly in his home early Monday morning.



Burial occurred in the G. A. R. cemetery following ceremonies attended by hundreds of life time friends of the deceased.

Mr. Prosser in a life time, the last thirty-eight years of which were spent in Ramsey county, gained a state wide reputation as a man of prominence in things politic, civic and commercial. He was closely identified thruout his life here, with everything tending for the betterment of his city, state and nation. A friend, paying him tribute, declared: "In all my dealing with him, in business and otherwise, I never heard him use profanity or language unbecoming a gentleman. He was always a gentleman."

Born at Galena, Ohio, July 25, 1858, Mr. Prosser soon afterward became the protegee of an uncle John Purdue, founder of the now famous Purdue university. It was thru the noted educational benefactor that Mr. Prosser received his education which marked a successful career in North Dakota, commercially and otherwise. In 1882 he immigrated to this state, living here continuously until death.

Early in his Ramsey county experiences, Mr. Prosser was editor-publisher of the Devils Lake News. Later he became identified with the firm of Prosser & Serungard, the Lake Region's pioneer hardware and implement house.

In politics, the deceased was honored by election to the state legislature, served as probate judge of Ramsey county and as president of the Devils Lake board of education. These honors were all in addition to many civic respects paid him by the community from time to time. He was a life-time republican. Altho never practicing the profes-

sion which his degree entitled him to, Mr. Prosser was an accredited member of the North Dakota bar, having been admitted as a lawyer several years ago.

A widow, and two sons, John and Frank, jr., survive Mr. Prosser. John, known in the musical world as "Don" has made a name for himself as a leading pianist in concert circles of exclusive society in New York. Frank, jr., is connected with the sugar industry in the Hawaiian islands. During the World war he served in the aviation branch of government operations.

F. DORRICOT WINS SHOOT HONORS HERE

Takes State Pow-Wow From The Amateur Champion

W. NIMMO SECOND

Tony Chesic, Amateur, Title Holder Is Third

Frank Dorricot, carried off all honors in the annual midsummer state tournament of gun clubs held here Sunday, breawing all but one clay bird out of 125 in the shoot-off. The big affair was held under auspices of the Queen City Gun club of Devils Lake. W. K. Nimmo was second gun, failing in only two attempts out of 125 trys while Tony Chesic,

SHORTHORN CATTLE SALE HERE IN OCTOBER, ANNOUNCED TODAY

Thor Svee

Burial services for Thor Svee, who died here Monday at a local hospital, were held Monday from St. Olaf's Lutheran Church. Mr. Svee was a brother of Jens Svee, well known Devils Laker, and himself of considerable prominence in this locality by his residence was maintained at Perth. He is survived by a widow, two sons, and two daughters, all residents of the Perth community where Mr. Svee held large land interests. Intermment took place at the G. A. R. cemetery. The pallbearers were: Lauritz Lo, Peter Lo, Thorstein Bakken, Ole Serungard, Christ Moen and John Heartso.

Suffrage Wins-- Women to Vote

KITTEN AERO MASCOT



When Mrs. E. A. Terhune, Jr. made a trip from Boston, Mass., to Atlantic City, N. J., she took with her for a mascot her kitten, which she calls "Aero." This is the first time a cat has been used as an aerial mascot. The kitten seemed to like the trip and showed no disposition to leave the airplane. Mrs. Terhune is shown holding the kitten.

state amateur champion was third with three misses.

Indian costumes denoted the nature of the shoot, labeled a Gun Club Pow-Wow. The picturesque suits were worn by all members of the local club and many of the numerous visitors who were here from nearly every center of population in the state. Shooting lasted all day, beginning at 10:30 in the morning. Refreshments were served to local and visiting shooters thruout the meeting.

TENNESSEE IS VICTORY STATE

BIG ISSUE ENDS

LEGISLATURE IN 50 TO 47 VOTE

Final Vote Is Cast In Fight Waged For Days

AMENDMENT IS LAW

Fall Election Now The Big Issue Of All Parties

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 18.—(2 p.m.)—The Tennessee legislature by a vote of 50 to 47 in the lower branch this afternoon, ratified the federal amendment to the constitution, granting to the women of the United States, the right to suffrage—and a vote at the November elections. The vote makes the amendment law and ends the long drawn out battle of suffragists and other forces for women's votes. Inner circles of the two big political parties watching the vote here by wire, are making no guesses as to the ultimate effect of the suffrage vote in November.

Nashville, Tenn. (9:30 a.m.)—The ballot for women at the November elections is hanging in the balance with Tennessee's legislative vote, the pivot point to which the eyes of the nation are turned. The lower house of the legislature, resumed its stormy sessions this morning after an all day battle yesterday, ending in adjournment late in the afternoon when it was conceded no vote would settle the big question. Ratification of the national amendment to the constitution giving the women of the nation the right of suffrage, by Tennessee, will put the act into force.

Yesterday's Battle
Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 17.—The committee of the lower house of the Tennessee legislature in charge of the woman suffrage ratification resolution late last night voted 10 to 8 to report the measure tomorrow with a recommendation that it be adopted. The senate ratified the suffrage amendment Friday.

Debate on adoption of a resolution proposing ratification of the federal suffrage amendment was opened today in the lower house of the Tennessee legislature with prospects of a vote within a few hours.

In North Carolina
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 17.—Suffrage opponents took the offensive in the contest over ratification in the North Carolina legislature with the introduction last night of a resolution to reject the federal woman suffrage amendment. It was presented in the lower house by Representative Grier, Democrat.

The rejection of the resolution was offered without comment and went to committee. In the senate, in anticipation of a bitter fight when the suffrage question comes up tomorrow, a resolution "to divide both the floor and the galleries, the suffrage supporters to occupy one side and the opponents the other," was offered by Senator Warren, floor leader of the anti-suffragists, without explanation. Its adoption was accompanied by chuckles from members.

Threshers Insure Under State Laws

Local threshermen are joining with others from all parts of the state to take advantage of the state law which compels them to carry liability insurance for crews under the bureau of compensation. Leonard Scharf who operates twenty miles north of here was in the city yesterday forwarding inquiry for necessary forms "to protect myself and my crew," he said.

