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Springfield, Mass., March 24.—James L. Gates of Boston was instantly killed while operating an elevator in the Hotel Kimball yesterday.

Freckle-Face

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face? Simply get an ounce of othine, double strength, from your druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds of March have a tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more othine is sold in this month. Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Adv.

Russians Keep Up Terrific Attacks on Hindenburg's Front

ARE REPULSED, SAYS BERLIN

Petrograd Claims a Four-Mile Gain at One Point

London, March 24.—Von Hindenburg's positions are being heavily assailed by the Russians on a gradually widening front, now reaching nearly 200 miles in a southeasterly curve from Riga.

The German war office yesterday afternoon reported heavy Russian assaults Wednesday night in the region of Jacobstadt and along the Mitau-Jacobstadt railway, north of Widsy and in the region of Lakes Narocz and Wisniew, south of Dvinsk. General Kuropatkin is rolling up heavy forces to the attack against the German railway positions, but the German war office asserts that the attacks have been repulsed.

The official statement said: "The Russians yesterday showed their principal aggressive activity at night time. They advanced several times with strong forces against the German positions at the bridgehead of Jacobstadt and on both sides of the railway between Mitau and Jacobstadt and four times against the German lines north of Widsy."

"On the front northwest of Postavy the number of prisoners reached 14 officers and 889 men. The Russians on this front undertook no more important attacks, probably on account of the heavy losses they have suffered.

"The enemy advanced several times with renewed violence between Narocz and Wisniew lakes. Great sacrifices of men and munitions brought to the Russians in these attacks, and in several local enterprises at other points, not the slightest advantage against the unshakable German defense."

Petrograd, March 24.—The Russians troops on the Dvinsk front have advanced from two to four miles in their new offensive, it is stated here, driving the Germans from positions which they had been fortifying ever since the completion of the big Teutonic drive last summer. Fighting is going on over the greater portion of the 70-mile front. The most vigorous of the Russian attacks have been directed against German and Austro-Hungarian positions south of Riga, along the Dvina river, in front of Dvinsk, in Volhynia, on the Strypa river, and on the Dniester river, near the frontier of Bessarabia.

The Russians have 3,000,000 men massed on this long front, supported by nearly 10,000 guns of various calibre.

FEDERAL ARMY RESERVE VOTED DOWN BY HOUSE

Plan for a Federal Volunteer Force is Rejected by House.

Washington, March 24.—A proposal to create a federal volunteer force of 201,000 in effect the same as the continental army, was overwhelmingly voted down by the House yesterday in its consideration of the Hay bill for the reorganization of the army, scheduled to be passed yesterday afternoon.

Representative Gardner of Massachusetts proposed the substitute, which is also contained in the Chamberlain army bill under consideration in the Senate. A further attempt to make it impossible to use the militia for strike purposes was defeated. An amendment of Representative Keating of Colorado providing that the president should be prohibited using the militia for strike duty but still leaving the state with power to employ them for that purpose, was defeated by a vote of 154 to 28.

Passage of the Hay reorganization measure before adjournment was expected.

The Senate awaited the House action. The Senate military committee will consider the Hay bill. Chairman Chamberlain plans to bring up his bill, possibly with portions of the Hay measure as amendments, next Monday.

MUNDAY "STOLE BANK BLIND."

Receiver Says Former Vice-President Robbed It to Death.

Chicago, March 24.—When the trial of William Lorimer, former president of the defunct La Salle Street Trust & Savings bank, on charges of conspiracy in connection with the failure of the bank in 1913, was resumed yesterday W. C. Niblack, receiver of the bank, who has been on the witness stand for nearly two days, continued his testimony. In answer to a question Wednesday by Albert Fink, attorney for Lorimer, as to whether he found any "crooked" or "dishonest" thing done by Lorimer, Niblack answered: "Not a thing." When asked what was the cause of the failure of the bank Niblack replied:

"One Charles B. Munday stole it blind. He robbed it to death."

Munday, former vice-president of the bank, was recently sentenced to prison on charges in connection with the failure of the bank.

SILK WORKERS OBDURATE.

They Will Not Accept Offer of Manufacturers.

Paterson, N. J., March 24.—Paterson's 25,000 silk operatives have unanimously rejected the silk manufacturers' compromise offer, which granted the workers a nine and one-half hour day beginning May 1 and a nine-hour day commencing Nov. 1, and will give the manufacturers until April 3 to comply with their original demand for establishment immediately of the nine-hour workday. Announcement to this effect was made Wednesday night, following a conference. The manufacturers were firm in their refusal to grant the nine-hour day before Nov. 1.

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General Otis Seriously Ill.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 24.—General Harrison Grey Otis, editor of the Los Angeles Times, is ill with pneumonia at a hospital here. His age and impaired heart action make his case serious. General Otis is 79 years old.

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U-BOATS GET HEAVY TOLL

Four More Vessels Are Sent to the Bottom

1 FRENCH, 1 ENGLISH, AND TWO NEUTRAL

The Number of Lives Lost Is Not Yet Ascertained

London, March 24.—Four more vessels, one French, one English and two Norwegian, have been sent to the bottom. One of the vessels sunk is the Norwegian bark Lindfield. Thirty of the crew were rescued and are aboard the Norwegian bark Silas, which is approaching Queenstown. The Lindfield was 2276 tons gross and owned by the Lindfield company, with Porsgrund as port of entry. She left Portland, Ore., on Nov. 7 last for United Kingdom ports.

Lloyds reports that the French bark Bougainville has been sunk. Twenty-three members of her crew were picked up.

The Bougainville sailed from San Francisco August 21, 1915, for London and was last reported as having sailed from Falmouth in February. She was owned in Nantes, where she was built in 1902. Her gross tonnage was 2248.

The Norwegian steamship Kannik was sunk Wednesday night, according to a dispatch to Lloyds from Havre. The crew was saved.

Another reports says that the British steamship Sea Serpent has been lost.

Died of Injuries.

Lawrence, Mass., March 24.—Joseph

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