

POWERS OF EUROPE BEGIN LONG LOOKED FOR WAR

FRANCE PREPARES FOR WAR WITH GERMANY

GERMANY GIVES FRANCE UNTIL MONDAY.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A dispatch from Paris says by common agreement Germany's ultimatum to France has been extended until Monday.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Paris is in the throes of war fever such as has not been witnessed since Louis Napoleon declared war on Prussia 44 years ago. "To the Rhine," is on the lips of everybody.

Troop trains are leaving Paris for the German frontier at intervals of one minute. Every railroad running into Paris is crowded with trains carrying troops and munitions of war.

FRANCE ABANDONS HOPE.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The foreign offices declared this afternoon that there is no hope for a peaceful outcome of the European situation. It was predicted that before the passing of Sunday the clash of war will resound throughout Europe, and that the long predicted war among the powers will be under way.

FRENCH ARMY MOBILIZING.

London, Aug. 1.—The Daily Citizen's Paris correspondent reports that the general mobilization of the French army has been ordered.

GERMANY ASKS FOR EXPLANATION.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—Germany today demanded that France declare her intentions and state what her attitude will be in the event of war between the German Empire and Russia.

All But War on Frontier.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Conditions are intensely critical along the Franco-German frontier. A message from Paris today said that the French government believes that Germany is trying deliberately to provoke a clash by repeated petty acts of aggression.

A force of German cavalry entered France this morning and was quickly withdrawn only to be followed by another force which destroyed railroad tracks near Pagny Surmoussel.

French automobile parties on the German side of the frontier were deprived of their cars and driven into France on foot.

Four French locomotives were seized by Germans at Montrauxvieux. At Amanvillers Germans confiscated French rolling stock on an international railroad and forced the French railroad men to walk across the line into France. Telegraph lines were cut at the boundary.

French and German military patrols are within sight of each other on either side of the frontier at many places, and the relations between them are growing momentarily more strained.

America May Represent Germany.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Cablegrams from Ambassador Myron H. Herrick, of Paris, has reported that the proposal to place German interests at Paris in the hands of the American representative has been made to him.

Socialist Leader Killed.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Jean Leon Juarez, leader of the Socialists in the French Chamber of Deputies, was assassinated yesterday while sitting in a cafe. A youth shot him twice in the head.

The murderer of Juarez was angered by the latter's declarations against war, and the anti-war propaganda of the Socialists.

Juarez is one of the brilliant leaders of France, and has written much in behalf of the contention that war is never justifiable no matter what the circumstances may be.

FRANK DAVIS COMING ON ALASKA RUN AGAIN

William Ferguson, Alaska representative of the Pacific Coast Biscuit company says that Frank "Cracker" Davis, who is well known all over Alaska, is coming back and will take the Westward run from Juneau for the company while he (Ferguson) will look out for Southeastern Alaska.

THE WEATHER TODAY.

Twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m.: Maximum—60. Minimum—47. Precipitation—11.1 in. Cloudy; rain.

ENGLAND BACKS FRANCE.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The British Ambassador called tonight at the Elysee palace and formally informed the French President that England will stand by her treaty agreement to cooperate with France. He also said that England endorses the position that France has taken.

Belgium Prepares.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 1.—Belgium has ordered the general mobilization of the army and reserves and complete preparation for war.

Worked for Peace Till Last.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Great Britain and France worked for peace until the end. As late as 11 o'clock this morning both countries asked Russia to satisfy Germany's demands long enough to permit negotiations for peace to continue.

Japan Will Aid England.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The Times today received a cablegram from its Tokyo correspondent saying that he was authorized to say to the British public by the Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs that if hostilities should be opened between Great Britain and the other power Japan is ready to fulfill the terms of her reliance with the former country.

England Asks Canada for Aid.

OTTAWA, Aug. 1.—The Imperial authorities have asked Canada for a statement of the food supplies, horses and cavalry that are available in the Dominion of Canada for the use of the military in the event of war.

Japs Discuss Situation.

TOKYO, Aug. 1.—The National defense council met this morning and discussed the European situation.

English Railroads Must Serve Government.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Before retiring long after midnight, Prime Minister Asquith directed that the railroads hold themselves in readiness to move troop trains and give them right of way over all tracks.

Attempt to Destroy Tunnel.

LANGY, France, Aug. 1.—An attempt to blow up the Chalifert tunnel on the Eastern railroad was made yesterday afternoon.

"SQUAWMAN" PROVES GREAT PHOTO-PLAY

"The Squawman," Dustin Farnum's great theatrical success which has been adapted to the photo-play art with Farnum in the title role was witnessed in the Juneau theatre last night as a moving picture production, by a very appreciative audience.

To Give Raincoats To Children

I am going to give two raincoats with hats to match, one to the boy and one to the girl who sends me the best story, not over 100 words in length, on "Why Britt's Pharmacy is the Best Place in Town at Which to Trade."

Now this contest is limited to children of the age of 15 years and under. I want everyone of you to send in a story and I will publish in the daily newspapers the names and stories you send in.

The contest closes November 1st, so tell all of your friends so they can also send in a story. The raincoats will soon be displayed in my store window so watch for them. You can mail your story or bring it in yourself to Britt's Pharmacy, Juneau.

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MRS. A. E. VESTAL.

WANTED—Lady cook, Tavern Cafe, Douglas. 8-1-tf.

DEMOCRATS TO LEAVE ON GEORGIA TONIGHT

Most of the delegates from Juneau, Douglas, Treadwell and surrounding sections to the Democratic convention which will convene at Skagway Monday will leave for the Lynn canal metropolis tonight on the Georgia and the St. Nicholas. The Georgia will sail at 8 o'clock this evening and the St. Nicholas at midnight. The St. Nicholas will go to Skagway direct, and arrive there at 10 a. m. Sunday. The Georgia will arrive early in the morning.

REAL ESTATE VALUES NOT UNREASONABLE

The values placed on Juneau real estate are not too high according to the views of Adam Beeler a well known Seattle attorney who is now in Juneau. Mr. Beeler is of the law firm of Beeler and Sullivan and is making a business visit to Alaska. He is staying at the Alaskan hotel and expects to remain there for several days.

READ THIS; IT WILL DO YOU GOOD

Tonight is the last night for you war veterans, Southerners, and in fact all of you, to see the stirring drama, "The Black Conspiracy" of love and war. It is the best Southern drama shown here for a long while. Be sure to see it, as you can't afford to miss it.

Following their policy of having first class productions only, the management has obtained a Gaumont Weekly which is very interesting from both the educational and amusement outlook.

Stock Exchange Experiences.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The New York stock exchange has experienced many exciting days in its career which began in 1817, and several times its governors have felt that prudence required that it close. However, yesterday's action was the last since the announcement of the failure of Jay Cooke and company, financiers of Western railroads among other things, in 1873. It closed for 10 days at that time. It closed several times during the Civil War—Lee's invasion of Pennsylvania that terminated at Gettysburg and Lincoln's assassination being two of them.

LONG PERIODS OF DEPRESSION WHICH CAUSED A HEAVY STRAIN ON THE MEMBERS OF THE EXCHANGE WERE EXPERIENCED IN 1837, 1857, 1873 AND 1893, AND AGAIN IN 1907. THESE WERE THE RESULT OF COMMERCIAL REACTIONS FROM PERIODS OF OVERDEVELOPMENT AND SPECULATION.

Probably the most severe panic on the stock exchange in its history was "Black Friday"—September 24, 1869; when, from no apparent cause, values seemed suddenly to depart from everything. The recovery, however, was quick. The failure of Jay Cooke and that of Barling Brothers, of London, in 1890, both caused panics that were followed by long periods of hard times.

PETITION FOR PROBATING WILL OF W. F. GILMOUR

A petition has been filed with U. S. Commissioner and Ex-Officio Probate Judge J. B. Marshall, for the probating of the will of the late William F. Gilmour and the issuance of letters testamentary to D. A. Epstein. The hearing on the matter has been set for August 25.

MARSHAL BISHOP AT CRAIG.

U. S. Marshal H. A. Bishop, who left on a trip of inspection of the various precincts to the South of Juneau several days ago, is now at Craig and will probably return within the next week.

LIQUOR LICENSE TRANSFER.

Judge R. W. Jennings this morning signed an order permitting the transfer of a half interest in the liquor license of William La Velle to Carl Brophy.

ED HALEY COMMITTED TO MORNINGSIDE

Judge John B. Goodell and James Brightman, of Sitka, arrived in Juneau on the City of Seattle with Ed. Haley committed to the Morningside sanitarium.

LEAVING ON SEATTLE.

The following named have taken passage on the City of Seattle, sailing for Seattle tonight: Robert Ashland, C. F. Wilts, H. G. Jeanzwieg, P. Frederick, L. L. Swift, Jean V. Rankin.

M'ADOO TO AID BUSINESS

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—All Eastern stock exchanges have remained closed today, and there is little prospect of an early resumption of business. Practically all the stock markets of the world have closed. There is absolutely no trading in securities anywhere.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 1.—To make sure of the protection of the financial interests of the United States Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo today called on the clearing house associations of New York, Chicago, and St. Louis to send representatives to Washington to discuss the situation with him Monday.

RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL, AUG. 1.—Business in financial, commercial and industrial lines is completely prostrated by the events of the last few days. Conditions, already extremely bad, have been aggravated by the troubles in Europe. The negotiations for a big National loan, which were apparently about to be brought to a successful issue, have been upset. The government has again suspended specie payments and is issuing treasury notes. Holidays have been declared in order to save banks from destruction.

RECEIVERS FOR AMERICAN RAILROAD.

GEORGIA, Aug. 1.—The Chicago, Georgia and St. Louis railroad went into the hands of receivers yesterday evening. The admitted impossibility of securing money for the retirement of maturing obligations and to meet a deficiency are given as the cause for the receivership. The sudden change in the business situation is the cause of the trouble.

Huertea Bonds Not All Sold.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—A London cable to the New York Times says that only between \$25,000,000 and \$30,000,000 of the \$100,000,000 Mexican treasury bonds, authorized under Huertea regime, were issued.

Rioting in Mexico City.

VERA CRUZ, Aug. 1.—A very critical situation has developed in Mexico City. There is firing on the streets about every night by rioters. Financial and industrial conditions rather than political are the cause of the dissatisfaction.

NORTHWESTERN SAILS—BIG PASSENGER LIST

SEATTLE, Aug. 1.—The Northwest sailed last night for the North with the following named passengers: For Juneau—Geo. C. Worth, H. S. Halstead and wife, H. L. Wollenberg and wife, Mrs. G. Whitney, Mrs. W. G. Moore, Mrs. Irene Lang, Miss Gertrude Mallett, D. C. Bellola, Jim Coulter, Vance Blackwell, J. Greenberg, T. H. Schuster, J. E. Leo, Ed. Peterson, A. Running, E. E. Carlson, Fred Hayden, Carl Hayden, C. P. Lantz, H. W. B. Smith.

Sokane Sails.

SEATTLE, Aug. 1.—The Spokane sailed last night for the North with the following named passengers: For Juneau—E. J. Wilbur, Thomas Mooney and wife, Miss Lettice Graham, Russell Palmer, H. Toles, Alice Swiniger, Miss Georgia Tippen, Mrs. Edward Lytle, W. Askin, E. Anderson and one steerage; for Douglas—W. J. Herig, Mrs. S. Gauren and Mrs. Aglin.

ST. PAUL BANKS USING GREATER CARE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 1.—As the result of the Claffin failure St. Paul bankers will soon insist that all firms borrowing over \$50,000 furnish at stated times a certified audit of their books by a public accountant.

MRS. L. E. BUELL PASSES AWAY TODAY

Mrs. L. E. Buell who was stricken with paralysis Wednesday evening, died at 1:30 this afternoon at St. Ann's hospital. Her husband was with her during the last moments and constantly since arriving from Skagway. Mrs. Buell came to Juneau with her husband six years ago but has spent much of the past two years visiting with her children in the States. Five months ago she returned to Juneau to be with Mr. Buell. Deceased leaves, besides her husband, three children, Mrs. F. J. Roe, living in Toit, Wash.; Mrs. Walter Stuart, living in Oakland, California, and Harry Buell who is also in the States.

Funeral services will be held in the parlors of the C. W. Young company at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon, Rev. J. B. Stevens, officiating.

THE BODY WILL BE TAKEN TO OAKLAND FOR BURIAL.

GEORGIA ARRIVALS.

The Georgia, arriving from Sitka today, brought the following named passengers for Juneau: From Sitka—C. M. McGrath, B. Hirst, F. W. Wolland, John Stave; from Gypsum—W. R. Nichols, Harold Nichols, K. Kosta; from Tenakee—A. Leander; from Excursion Inlet—A. Dale, Charles Storkberg and George Rollins.

HOW IS YOUR HEALTH?

Take care of your health. Energy is your greatest asset. You cannot be energetic without having health. If you feel that you are not up to the mark, try a wine glass full of DE-GESTO MALT with your meals. 25 cents per bottle or 6 for \$1.25 at the Juneau Drug Co., 107 Front street. "The store that has what you want, when you want it." Phone 250. Immediate delivery. 7-31-tf

FREE EDUCATION FOR RUSSIANS

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—The Russian Cabinet yesterday decided to submit to parliament a bill providing for the universal education of the children of Russia at the public expense. The proposed bill will provide for free public schools throughout all parts of the Empire and for free tutelage at universities in all important towns.

MEXICAN MINES TO START OPERATING SOON

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 1.—The officials of several of the largest mining and smelting interests in Chihuahua, Parral, Jimenez, Santa Eulalia, Rio Tinto, Santa Barbara, Dolores, Cuahuila and Batopilas have arrived at Chihuahua from the States. They are preparing to rush the resumption of operations.

Huertea Has Vision of American War.

VERA CRUZ, Mex., Aug. 1.—One of Huertea's former ministers who is here says that Gen. Huertea proposes to organize a general Latin-American uprising against American policies, and that he pledges his generals to cooperate in this plan. It is believed however, that pledges made to Huertea before his resignation will not be seriously regarded.

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STILL WORK OF PEACE.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—European financial powers have united tonight in a concentrated effort to avert conflict.

The French Ambassador urged the British Foreign Office tonight to inform Germany that England is prepared to join France and strike with her navy. He said that if England would do that there will be no war.

AMERICANS WANT ASSISTANCE.

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—The United States embassy is filled with American tourists seeking the assistance of our country.

GERMAN FLEET IN DUTCH WATERS.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1, 7 p.m.—The Russian government has just received the official declaration of war against their country bearing the signature of the German Emperor.

GERMANY SERVES ULTIMATUM.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—The Daily News' dispatches from Berlin this morning say that Germany has addressed an ultimatum to Russia demanding that the mobilization of the Russian army be discontinued within 12 hours.

GERMANY GIVES NOTICE.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—It has been officially announced that the time limit of Germany's ultimatum to Russia expired at noon today.

WASHINGTON NOTIFIED.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Official advices have been received at the White House that the German Ambassador is leaving St. Petersburg for Berlin.

RELATIONS SEVERED.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Diplomatic relations between Germany and Russia were severed today. Arrangements are being made at Berlin and St. Petersburg to transfer diplomatic business to neutral powers.

AMERICA MAY REPRESENT GERMANY.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The German Ambassador at Paris this morning asked Ambassador Myron H. Herrick if his government would permit him to act for Germany at Paris in the event of the severance of relations between Germany and Russia. Ambassador Herrick, who is soon to be succeeded by Ambassador William E. Sharp, promised to place the matter before his government.

KAISER ASKS FOR PRAYERS.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—The Emperor, addressing a crowd assembled in front of the palace said: "War would demand of us an enormous sacrifice of life and property, but we should show our enemies what it means to provoke Germany. Now I commend you to God. Go to church, and kneel before God and pray for his help for our gallant army."

MARTIAL LAW IN FINLAND.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 1.—Aukase, declaring martial law in Finland and the Finnish territorial waters, has been issued.

AUSTRIA TO USE ITS FULL STRENGTH.

Vienna, Aug. 1.—The complete military mobilization of the war forces of Austria-Hungary, including the army in all its branches, and the navy has been ordered. The whole country is being put on a war footing. Orders have been issued against the exportation of foodstuffs of any kind.

ORDER PLACED FOR LARGEST ENGINE

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 1.—Westinghouse Machine Co. has received from Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn an order for the largest steam turbine engine of single unit type ever constructed. The engine will generate 32,000 horse power.

COAL MINE OWNERS CLAIM PROPERTIES WORKING

DENVER, Col., Aug. 1.—Coal mine managers of Colorado have issued a statement declaring that 132 of the 141 mines are in commission, producing in five months 3,066,174 tons, which is 69.5% of the output a year ago.

BOSTON'S PAY ROLL STARTLES PEOPLE

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Boston's pay roll contains the names of more than 14,000 employees. The publication of the circumstance has stirred the people.