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ROOFGARDEN SCENE RECALLED BY THE SLAYER OF WHITE

Harry Thaw Tells of Events on the Night of Shooting—Remains Calm Throughout Ordeal.

CROWDED COURTROOM LISTENS

Every Word Is Heard As Deathlike Silence Falls Over Spectators When Climax of Examination Is Reached in Sanity Trial—Describes Scene of Fatal Night.

NEW YORK, July 9.—"I walked up the aisle straight in front of him and shot him." While a crowded courtroom hung breathlessly on every word Harry Thaw told of the climax in the tragedy nine years ago when he killed Stanford White, Thaw said Evelyn preceded him down the aisle and he stopped to speak to an acquaintance. He looked up, he said, and saw White staring at him. Thaw said he then walked up the aisle directly to White's table and shot him. Thaw was not nervous as he described the shooting of the man he said he believed had ruined Evelyn.

After having been led by Attorney Cook over every period of his life during the examination in his sanity trial at yesterday's session, the climax came today when the prosecutor came in his questioning to the point of the actual killing of White. Thaw spoke evenly and in a well modulated tone, not even raising his voice as the tense scene on the roof garden again was drawn in a clear outline. And as he proceeded with the story, Thaw often gazed upward as if trying to visualize this tragic moment of his life. A death-like silence fell over the courtroom as Thaw pronounced the final words of his brief act.

TONS OF FOODSTUFF AWAIT OUTSIDE GATES OF CAPITAL

FIFTEEN TRAINS NEAR MEXICO CITY TO RELIEVE HUNGER OF POPULATION.

GALESTON, July 9.—Advices have been received by the Mexican consul that 15 trains loaded with 7000 tons of provisions are outside the gates of Mexico City ready to rush in and give relief as soon as the Carranzistas take the city. General Gonzalez' forces are reported at Ecatepec, a suburb of Mexico City, advancing steadily. General Trevino is advancing on Saltillo and expects to retake the city soon.

NEW SPLIT IN BRITISH CABINET FORECASTED OVER DIFFERENCES

LONDON, July 9.—A new split in the British cabinet was forecasted today by the Daily Chronicle. It is hinted that Lloyd George, minister of war, has demanded the resignation of General Stanley Von Donop, master of ordinance under Kitchener. If Von Donop is forced to retire Kitchener will resign, the Chronicle declared. It is rumored, while if Von Donop does not go, Lloyd George will tender his resignation.

PERMANENT CHAUTAUQUA ORGANIZATION WILL BE FORMED TONIGHT; ALL INVITED

All members of the committee of 21 and all others subscribing for chautauqua tickets or to the chautauqua guarantee are asked to attend a meeting to be held at the Commercial Club rooms this evening to perfect the formation of a local chautauqua organization. The meeting is being held pursuant to action taken at a gathering Wednesday evening when a large number of the committee were not present owing to not being notified. Members of the committee of 21 named during the chautauqua are as follows: J. F. Robinson, I. E. Young, J. C. Woodworth, A. J. McAllister, Leon Cohen, E. B. Aldrich, Clarence Penland, A. C. Hampton, Rev. Hodshire, Mrs. G. W. Rugg, W. W. Harnish, Mrs. S. R. Thompson, J. E. Montgomery, J. P. McManus, Dr. F. E. Boyden, Mrs. G. W. Phelps, Rev. J. E. Snyder, C. P. Strain, S. G. Reetz, Judge S. A. Lowell, Mrs. W. S. Radley. At the session tonight it will be up to the meeting to decide upon the selection of a permanent organization to handle chautauqua affairs next year.

French Gains in North Admitted by the Germans

TRENCH GAINED AFTER SEVERE ENGAGEMENT IN WHICH BAYONETS FIGURE.

PARIS, July 9.—The slaughter of German defenders in a trench near Souchez by a French battalion, and fierce infantry engagements at other points along the western battlefield were reported in an official communique. Bloody bayonet fighting is reported north of Souchez. By storming the trench the Germans were annihilated. The approach to the village was opened, it was stated. North of the road from Bethune to Arras, fierce infantry fighting is reported. About St. Mihiel both the French and German troops have been heavily reinforced. The enemy is making desperate rushes against the French positions, but all are being maintained.

BERLIN, July 9.—Penetrating of the German trenches by the French on the half a mile front west of Souchez was admitted officially. In violent counter-attacks the Germans were declared to have driven the enemy out with heavy losses.

DANISH STEAMER DESTROYED BY GERMAN UNDERSEA BOAT

COPENHAGEN, July 9.—The Danish steamer Ellen, en route to Liverpool with a cargo of lumber, was set afire and destroyed by a German submarine. The crew escaped and reached Helmsingors.

DEAD AT CINCINNATI WILL TOTAL 45 IS NOW BELIEF

CINCINNATI, O., July 9.—Search for the dead as a result of the tornado here continued. It is estimated the dead will total 45 when the list is complete. Thirty-one are known to be dead and 14 missing are believed to be dead. One hundred and fifty were injured.

PORTLAND BIDS DROP 12 CENTS IN TWO DAYS

PORTLAND, Ore., July 9.—(Special).—Portland bid prices for wheat today are club 90 cents; bluestem \$1.02. The bid price on club shows a decline of 12 cents in two days.

CHICAGO, July 9.—(Special).—At the close of the market today the following was bid: July, \$1.11; Sept., \$1.03 3/4; Dec., \$1.06 1-2.

Swimming Pool to Open Tomorrow for Pendleton Bathers

WILL REMAIN OPEN SUNDAY AND MONDAY—WORK IS NEARLY COMPLETED.

The new swimming pool at Round-up Park will be opened again next Saturday and will remain open to the public until Monday night with the exception of the hour and a half between 4:30 and 5 o'clock Monday when the Liberty Bell celebration will be held. During the week the contractors have been working and now have the men's dressing rooms as well as the ladies' almost completed. The natatorium is now almost ready to be turned over to the city and the committee will appreciate the prompt payment of all old subscriptions as well as new ones. There yet remains about \$1500 to be raised and, as many citizens have not yet been asked to contribute, the committee expects to be able to raise the full amount.

Until it is seen how much money will be contributed, no definite charges will be fixed for bathing privileges. The ultimate intention of the committee is to make the pool free but it may be found necessary to charge on certain days or at certain hours in order to raise the balance of the building fund.

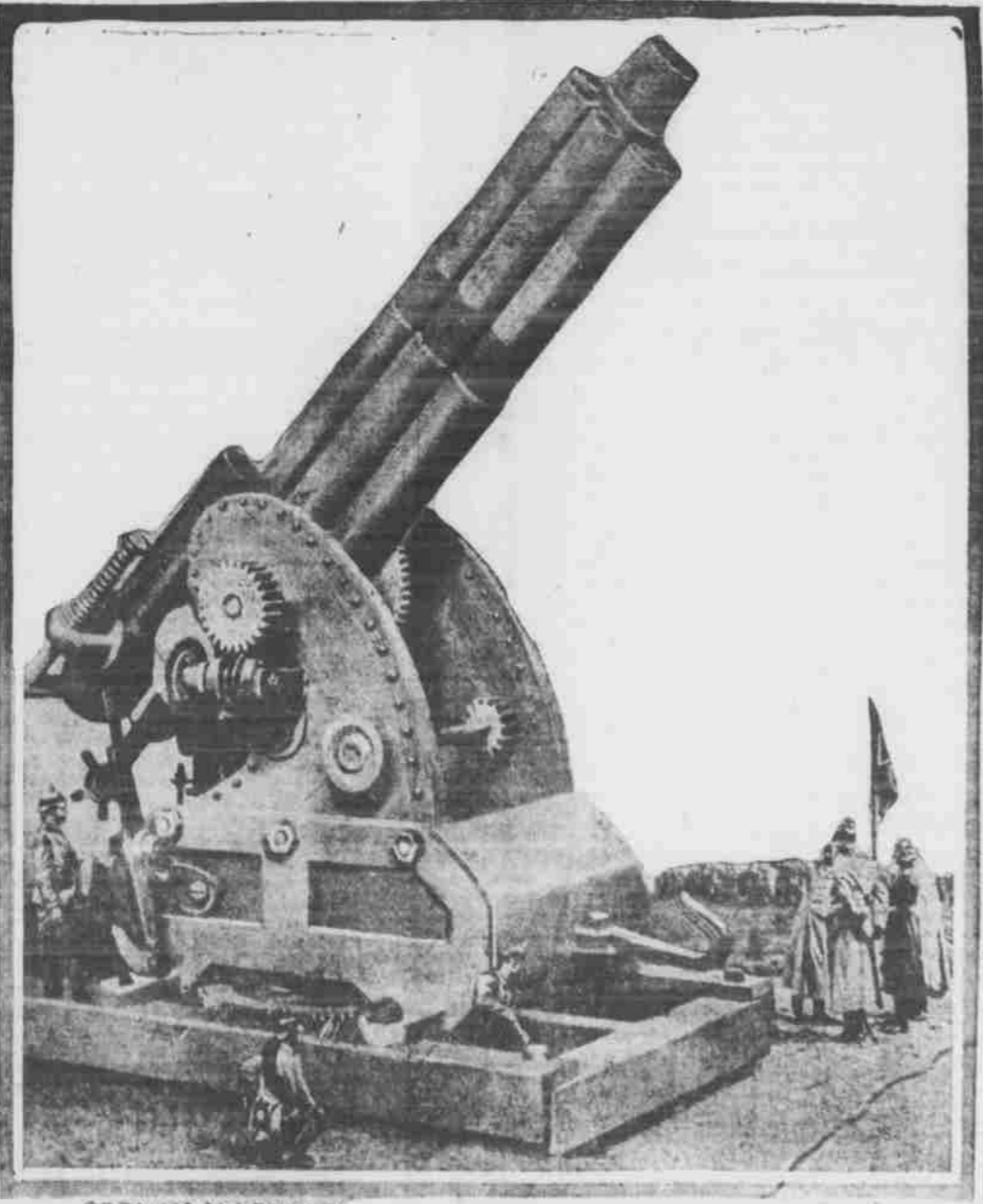
That the pool will prove one of Pendleton's most popular summer institutions was proven beyond a doubt during the last weekend when hundreds plunged into the cool waters. At one time as many as 350 people were in bathing suits, according to the count of one of the attendants. The water, after remaining in the pool for a short time, is just the proper temperature to please the majority of the bathers.

PRESSES AND TYPE BEING CONVERTED INTO MUNITION

AUSTRIA IS USING EVERY POSSIBLE MATERIAL TO SUPPLY BULLETS.

GENEVA, July 9.—Printing presses and types are being converted into munitions in Austria, Vienna reports declared. Every possible measure is being taken by the government to supply the Austrian army with additional shells and bullets.

Kaiser Inspects His New War Monster



GERMAN HOWITZER. "The Kaiser's Eight Legged Boot," jeeties across the English channel from Calais to Dover, to protect German landing parties. The gun weighs 159 tons and fires its eight projectiles in "bouquets." The Kaiser is shown inspecting the monster, the latest product of the Krupp plant at Essen. The ruler of the Germans is pointing and is standing next to the standard.

KITCHENER URGES NEED OF MORE MEN TO SAVE ENGLAND

Position of Britain is as Serious Today as at the Beginning of the War Says Minister.

ADDRESSES MASS MEETING

Thousands Gather and Give Leader Greatest Ovation of His Career—In Speech He Pays High Tribute to Valor of Colonial Troops Now Fighting in Flanders.

LONDON, July 9.—Lord Kitchener, minister of war, was given one of the greatest ovations of his career when he appeared today in Guild Hall at a mass meeting urging the enlistment of more men for service in the European conflict. The crowds were equal to those which lined the streets for the coronation of George and Mary and thronged Kitchener's route from the war office to Guild Hall. The hall was packed. Fifty thousand outside clamored for admission. "Recruiting is immeasurably better than 10 months ago," said Kitchener in his address, "but let me emphasize the fact that we need men, more men and still more men. Make no mistake. This war will be a long one. Our position today is as serious as at the beginning."

Kitchener paid a high tribute to the bravery of the colonial troops serving with the British forces and after recounting their deeds, declared: "It behooves every Englishman to do his duty."

"The Canadians have done gallant work in Flanders," said the war minister, "and the Australians and New Zealanders in the Dardanelles have performed brilliant feats, and South Africa is offering large forces."

Soldier Kills Himself. SEATTLE, July 9.—Fritz Waldenberger, 36 years old, a private in company E, Fourteenth United States Infantry, is dead at Fort Lawton after shooting himself through the head with his army rifle. At the time of the suicide Waldenberger was being disciplined for infractions of army regulations.

Serbia Said to Have Rejected New Proposals of Peace

AUSTRIA AND GERMANS MAKE OVERTURES ACCORDING TO NISH REPORT.

ROME, July 9.—New peace proposals have been made to Serbia by Austria and Germany, according to the Nish correspondent of the Giornale d'Italia in a dispatch. Serbia is offered territory in Albania with an outlet on the Adriatic if the Nish government will agree to terms of peace immediately, the correspondent declared. Serbia is said to have refused.

NO FEARS OF EPIDEMIC ON BATTLEFRONT SAYS REPORT

DECAYING BODIES WILL NOT CAUSE DISEASE IS REASSURING FINDING.

PARIS, July 9.—Fears that the heap of decaying bodies on the battle front in northern France would prove to be a source of a cholera epidemic which would sweep the country were allayed by an official report from the parliamentary report on hygiene. The finding was confirmed by Professor Legroux of the Pasteur Institute. "The odor and flies annoy the soldiers, but the cadavers are not a source of danger," the committee reported following an investigation. Reports during the week declare that cholera in Austria originated from the slaughter in the Carpathians during the fall and winter.

Entire German Force in Africa Has Surrendered

GENERAL BOTHA, BRITISH COMMANDER, ACCEPTS TERMS, IT IS REPORTED.

PRETORIA, July 9.—General Botha, commanding the British colonial troops, has accepted the surrender of the entire German force in southwest Africa, it was officially announced.

German troops in southwest Africa numbered 5000 at the time the war opened. The territory gained is about 322,000 square miles, mostly barren.

Arras Battered Into Ruins by German Shells

CATHEDRAL IS IN FLAMES AND MANY OTHER BUILDINGS DEMOLISHED.

PARIS, July 9.—Arras is being systematically battered to utter ruins by German shells. For two days the town has been bombarded incessantly at long range, it was stated. Sections of the city are in flames. Soldiers have been able to extinguish fires about the fortifications but residences and larger buildings in the city have been wiped out. The war office announced that despite the constant bombardment, no extensive damage has been done to the French fortifications. The cathedral and several of the finest public buildings are in ruins.

BERLIN, July 9.—Arras is burning, an official announcement stated. The cathedral has been destroyed. Practically all the French supply stations in Arras have been destroyed by German artillery, while the destruction of the cathedral by fire "robbed the enemy of a valuable observation point," the statement declared. Arras has been under bombardment for several days.

SPECIFICATIONS OF NEW LIBRARY ARE CONSIDERED

ARCHITECTS AND MEMBERS OF BOARD AND COUNTY JUDGE MEET LAST NIGHT.

At the regular monthly meeting of the library board held last evening, Folger Johnson of Portland and R. W. Hatch of Pendleton met with the board relative to the specifications for the new county library. Judge Marsh represented the county court and reported the latest correspondence with the Carnegie corporation, the recording of the deeds to the library site in the name of Umatilla county and the signing of contracts by the county court with the architects.

It is hoped that fire proof construction can be used throughout the building. Mr. Johnson will have the working drawings and specifications completed within the next ten days and contractors' bids should then be in by August 1.

The plans call for a building of such simple design and construction that three and a half months should be sufficient after work is begun. Allowing for some delays, the building should be completed not later than December first.

Members of the library board express themselves as especially pleased that the exterior of the building in design and beautiful proportions has an individuality not found in the ordinary library architecture. Plans of the building are on exhibit on the bulletin board in the public library.

THOUSANDS OF FLOATING MINES LAUNCHED IN SEA

AUSTRIANS COVERING ADRIATIC WITH INSTRUMENTS OF DESTRUCTION.

ROME, July 9.—The Austrians have launched thousands of floating mines in the Adriatic, according to information received here. A sailing vessel is reported to have exploded one mine by fire from a rifle.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION PRECEDED FIRE ON THE LINER MINNEHAHA

HALIFAX, July 9.—An explosion which threw the members of the crew from their feet and rocked the vessel from stem to stern, preceded the fire on the Minnehaha, forcing her to put back to Halifax with a cargo of 15,000 tons of ammunition. The Minnehaha arrived today. It was reported the explosion occurred Wednesday afternoon, the day on which Holt wrote his wife a Transatlantic liner would be sunk by one of his bombs. The fire was extinguished when the Minnehaha arrived here.

False Reports May Have Caused Wheat Prices to Tumble

PORTLAND CLUB BIDS DROP 12 CENTS IN TWO DAYS; CHICAGO IS STRONGER. Local people take different views as to the meaning of the decline in Portland wheat bids. Farmers declare such a decline is fictitious and is either due to exaggerated reports as to the crop outlook or else buying interests are depressing the market so as to do some contracting for new crop wheat.

One local buyer on the other hand asserts that club prices are unusually high in Portland owing to the fact some concerns had sold wheat and in order to deliver the same had to buy in a limited market. Hence he figures the decline is a natural consequence.

TURKISH GARRISON IN REVOLT SLAYS GERMAN OFFICERS

Ottoman Troops Stationed at Constantinople Said to Have Resented Domination of Teutons.

HOSTILE SENTIMENT GROWING

Throughout the Moslem Army Anti-German Feeling Gains Ground According to Correspondent of Italian Newspaper—Germans Storm French Trenches in Flanders.

ROME, July 9.—The Turkish garrison at Constantinople has revolted and killed 100 German officers, according to the correspondent of Tribuna in a dispatch from the Moslem capital.

Anti-German sentiment and irritation because of the domination of German officers in the Turkish army are constantly increasing, the correspondent declared. The Germans were killed in a revolt while on duty with the Moslem military forces.

Wilson Liner Sunk. HULL, England, July 9.—The Wilson liner Guide was sunk by a submarine off the coast of Scotland. The crew was saved.

Germans Storm Trenches. BERLIN, July 9.—Using hand bombs and grenades, German troops stormed 250 yards of French trenches in the Le Preire forest, the war office announced.

"We have evacuated the hill near Ban-de-Sapt," the statement admitted.

LONDON, July 9.—A series of explosions destroyed the Curtiss powder mills at Houndslow, Middlesex. The cause of the explosion or the number of casualties was not learned. About 100 were employed in the mills.

30,000 SEE LIBERTY BELL AT OMAHA.

OMAHA, July 9.—Despite the threatening weather, during the five hours the Liberty Bell was here, 30,000 visited the relic. The committee of Philadelphians with the bell were entertained at breakfast.

NEWS SUMMARY

General. Arras is practically destroyed by German bombardment. Kitchener makes plea for more men in the army now fighting in France. Turkish troops at Constantinople revolt and kill German officers. Entire German forces in South Africa surrender. Local. Permanent chautauqua organization will be formed at meeting tonight. Swimming pool will be open tomorrow, Sunday and Monday. P. L. Rawns, forger, is paroled.