

ENGLAND MAY BE FORCED TO TAKE OVER COAL MINES

Belief Exists Men Will Submit to Temporary Control by Crown Without Government Intervention.

GRAVE CRISIS IS FACED

Workers Demand Share of Extra Profit Exact by Owners of Welch Coal Fields.

LONDON, July 19.—The greatest crisis since the beginning of the war can be averted only by the government taking over the coal mines. This was the growing conviction of officials when the cabinet met in special session to consider the strike in south Wales. It is the belief of the government that the miners would not object to temporary control of the coalfields by the crown. This would remove the chief contention based on the belief of the miners that the operators are amassing fortunes from the par prices on coal. The miners demand a share of the increased proceeds from the operators. Unless the mines are taken over by the government investigators declared a settlement of the dispute is remote.

LONDON, July 19.—Lloyd George, minister of munitions, leaves for Cardiff tonight to appeal to the striking miners of South Wales to return to work that the factories may not be forced to close down and England's army and navy be crippled for the lack of munitions. The announcement he will go to Cardiff was made following a meeting of the cabinet.

CARDIFF, July 19.—Important proposals received from the government resulted in an abrupt adjournment of a meeting of the coal miners' executive council this afternoon. Members of the council refused to discuss the proposals but the leaders are prepared to go to London immediately. President Runciman of the board of trade wired their presence would not be required, however, and the meeting of the council was resumed.

BOB MAYS KILLED AT ELGIN WHEN AUTO IS OVERTURNED ON HIM

DEAD MAN IS BROTHER OF W. B. MAYS AND MRS. C. A. BARRETT; WELL KNOWN.

The following dispatch tells of the brother of W. B. Mays of this city and of Mrs. Charles Barrett of Athena:

LA GRANDE, Ore., July 17.—Robert Mays, 55, who a few weeks ago completed a four year term as postmaster of Elgin, was instantly killed when his automobile went over a grade. Joseph Bush, who was in the car with him, escaped serious injury, though pinned under the overturned car for half an hour before a passing farmer saw their plight and pulled the machine off the two men.

Mr. Mays was one of Elgin's foremost business men and citizens. Until he was appointed postmaster he was in the grain-buying business, and a few days after relinquishing his government post formed a partnership with E. O. Ryder to re-enter the grain business.

While driving over a high grade five miles from Elgin the car suddenly dived off the road over the embankment. No request will be held. A widow and a son, who is proprietor of a drug store at Elgin, survive Mr. Mays.

Auto Turns Flip Flop But All Occupants Escape Harm

Skidding on the oiled macadam as it rounded a sharp turn between Athena and Weston, the Eugene McCulley auto driven by Miss Haze McCulley, turned over once and a half last evening about 7 o'clock but by rare good fortune none of the four young Pendleton people in the car at the time were hurt. The car, too, was not materially damaged, escaping with a broken top, a shattered windshield and a bent fender.

Playing "Round-Up" Denver Actor Gets Shot "In Retreat"

DENVER, Colo., July 19.—Edward Robson, a super, is eating his meals standing up as a result of dressing as a blood-thirsty redskin in a stock production of "The Round-Up," famous play of western life.

Russians Giving German Invading Army More Trouble

REFUSES ADMINISTERED VON MACKENZEN CAUSE NEW TROOPS TO BE REQUIRED.

PETROGRAD, July 19.—A severe repulse administered to the forces of Von Mackenzon south of the Lublin-Cholm railway temporarily has checked the German drive against Warsaw. An official statement declared the enemy is shifting troops from other fronts to Von Mackenzon's assistance. His center is endangered by the Russian attack. Both sides of the German wedge in southern Poland are being battered.

U. S. WARSHIP GOES TO SAN DOMINGO BECAUSE OF REVOLUTION REPORT

NASHVILLE LEAVES SAN JUAN; PADUCAH WILL GUARD IN-TERNED GERMAN.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The warship Nashville is ordered by the navy department to proceed from San Juan to Santo Domingo City. The request that the warship be sent was made by the state department because of a revolution. The Paducah is ordered to replace the Nashville at San Juan where several German ships are interned.

July Wheat Up at Chicago Three Cts

LIVERPOOL MARKET ELEVEN SHILLINGS EIGHT AND HALF PENCE; \$1.75 PER BU.

CHICAGO, July 19.—(Special)—An advance of three cents in July wheat featured the market today. At the close the prices were, July \$1.16 1-2; Sept. \$1.09 3-4; Dec. \$1.11 5-8.

Portland.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 19.—(Special)—Portland bid prices today have been club \$5 cents; highest 32 cents.

Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, July 19.—Wheat Spot No. 2 Manitoba, 11s 1-2d; No. 3, 11s 7d; No. 1 northern Duluth, 11s 7d; No. 2 hard winter, 11s 7d.

In American terms the Liverpool price is approximately \$1.75 per bushel.

NOTE TO GERMANY WILL BE FIRM YET NOT AT ULTIMATUM

Orduna Case May Not be Touched Upon in Reply to Germany, But Principles Will be Reiterated.

GABINET BACKS PRESIDENT

With Return of President From Summer Home Diplomatic Message Is Quickly Whipped Into Shape—Will Be Considered by Cabinet Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The American note to Berlin will almost certainly be presented to the cabinet tomorrow by the president and Secretary Lansing. With the return of the president from Cornish, quick work was made on the new communication in conference with the secretary. Not much news was obtainable afterward, but an atmosphere of finality indicated the proposition has been whipped into the shape the president desired. The cabinet meeting tomorrow will be more or less perfunctory. The members are unqualifiedly behind the president in his position that American rights to safety of travel on the seas must be respected and prompt approval of the new note to Germany is expected. As to the attack on the Orduna, Lansing said the question is not yet officially before the government. The shelling of the Orduna by a submarine will perhaps be ignored for the present.

If it is discussed in the note at all it only will be as an instance of the sort of thing this government can no longer countenance. It is understood. There is no question but that the new note will simmer down to a firm reiteration of the principles set forth in the last communication. It won't be any sharper in tone nor will it be an ultimatum. But it is believed a paragraph will be added calling attention to the fact that Germany avoided the main issues in the controversy in the notes so far received and that the United States would like a direct answer.

Inspired by Frank Case.

READING, Pa., July 19.—Evidently inspired by reading of the attack on Frank Mike Dillinger killed Frank Swaver, a fellow prisoner in the jail here by cutting his throat. Dillinger then committed suicide with the

FRENCH HOLD VIEW KAISER PLANS FOR ASSAULT ON PARIS

Look for Hard Drive in West if Warsaw Can be Taken by the Germans and Austrians.

"JOFFRE WILL BE THERE"

French Prepare for Invasion Says High Official; Yet Move Against Polish Capital Holds France in Tense Excitement.

PARIS, July 19.—A quick thrust at Poland and the capture of Warsaw, then a crushing drive against Calais and Dunkirk, channel ports of France and finally a triumphant entry into Paris. That is what the kaiser is believed to have meant when he recently said "Germany will win by October," but France is amply prepared and is not worrying.

"Let them start," said a high official, discussing news from the eastern front, indicating the opening of this program might now be in progress. "Joffre will be there and when they drop their guard for a moment, he will send in a knockout." The new German attack against Warsaw is holding Paris in tense excitement.

Pick Off the Officers.
ROME, July 19.—Twelve hundred Austrian officers, including three generals have been killed since the beginning of hostilities between Italy and Austria, according to an estimate. Casualties among the officers of the enemy is declared to be extremely high.

Italians Dose Cruiser.
VIENNA, July 19.—The Italian cruiser Giuseppe Garibaldi was torpedoed and sunk by an Austrian submarine south of Trieste yesterday. It is announced. The cruiser sank in fifteen minutes. It carried a crew of 550. The majority probably perished.

Austrians Defeated.
ROME, July 19.—Montenegro troops have occupied Gravio after administering a severe defeat to the Austrians, dispatches to the Tribuna state.

Crown Prince is Held.
PARIS, July 19.—The forces of the crown prince were defeated with heavy losses in Arsonne. No severe was the republic no attempts to pierce the French lines have been renewed since

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Thaw Acclaimed at Court House



John B. Stanchfield, Thaw Counsel. Foreman of Thaw Jury.

When the jury which had listened to the case against Harry Thaw, the man who killed Stanford White on Madison Square roof garden, announced it believed he was sane, there was a demonstration in front of the New York county court house. Thousands awaited him outside, and when he appeared on the outer stairway with Sheriff Grienbagen, who is shown at the right wearing a Panama hat, there were cheers and cheers.

Seed in Throat Causes Tragic Death of Little Umatilla Girl At Lehman Springs Last Night

Presumably choking from a large seed which had been lodged in her throat for several weeks, Mary Jane, the two-and-a-half years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Dwyer of Umatilla, died suddenly last night at Lehman Springs where she had been camping with her mother and two little brothers. The body was brought down this morning and will be taken tomorrow morning to Walla Walla for interment.

Several weeks ago, before going to the mountains, the child swallowed several large fruit seeds. At the time her parents thought they had all passed through without any ill effects. However, she had been troubled with spells of coughing from time to time ever since. Last night after retiring, she was seized with a violent coughing spasm and her mother hurried to her. Telephonic communication with Pendleton was secured at once and Dr. Gay Boyden was soon racing over the mountains in his car. Though he

made the trip in two hours and a half, remarkable time considering that it was night, the child had been dead for some time when he arrived. From his examination he believes there can be no doubt that the seed caused the death of the little girl.

The distracted mother, who is herself only recovering from a serious operation, and her two little sons were brought down this morning by Frank Murphy and were accompanied by Mrs. Frank McNeil, wife of the proprietor of the springs. The father and Will Switzer, a brother of Mrs. Dwyer, came up this morning and met the auto when it arrived from the springs at 11 o'clock. They are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Thompson today.

The little girl was a beautiful child, much admired and loved, and her sudden death has not only stricken the parents but has brought grief to all of their many friends. The case was first reported as one of spasmodic cough.

CROWDS CHEER THAW AS HE STARTS TO PITTSBURG

PHILADELPHIA, July 19.—Thousands crowded the station giving Thaw a rousing send-off when he departed for his home in Pittsburgh after spending the week-end at Atlantic City. Thaw smiled and acknowledged the cheers, apparently pleased at the ovation.

TEDDY INTIMATES HE WOULD BE WILLING TO SUPPORT JUDGE HUGHES

STATEMENT CREDITED TO COLONEL IN SEATTLE ASKS FOR G. O. P. PROGRESSIVE.

SEATTLE, July 19.—What Roosevelt will do in 1916 leaked out today following an overnight visit here and several significant conferences with political leaders last night and this morning. Roosevelt will have something to say as to who shall be nominated for president by the republicans. "It will be up to the republicans to try whether the progressives are to maintain a separate party existence," Roosevelt is reported to have said. In effect Roosevelt told progressives if the republicans nominate some one like Justice Hughes he will receive Roosevelt's support.

NEWS SUMMARY

- General.
England may have to take over coal fields.
New note to Germany will not be an ultimatum.
Leo Frank's throat cut by fellow convict.
- Local.
Little Dwyer girl dies from seed caught in throat.
Local party has narrow escape when auto turns turtle.

LEO FRANK MAY DIE FROM KNIFE ATTACK BY FELLOW CONVICT

William Green Attempted to Cut Throat of Jewish Prisoner Saturday.

FRANK'S PLIGHT IS SERIOUS

Assailant Is Murderer Serving Life Sentence—Said He Felt Frank Should Die, But Now Regrets His Bloody Deed.

Milledgeville, Ga., July 19.—The condition of Leo Frank, whose throat was cut Saturday night by William Green, a fellow convict of the prison farm, is serious. Dr. Rosenberg declared Frank's condition critical but there is a chance of recovery. The wound in the neck is swelling, indicating Frank is in great pain. His wife is with him.

Frank's throat was slashed for several inches and the jugular vein partially severed.

Some animosity has been shown toward Frank by his fellow prisoners since his arrival at the farm, but prison officials said nothing had indicated danger of an attack on him.

Green was placed in solitary confinement. He is serving a life term for murder. In a statement to the prison officials he said he was sorry that he had made the attack, but that at the time he thought he was doing the right thing.

Jugular Vein Is Cut.
The attack on Frank, which was made shortly after 11 o'clock, was made from behind. The assailant used a butcher knife. Frank's jugular vein was cut, but neither the spinal cord nor the windpipe was injured.

The attack was made in the dormitory. All lights were out at the time. Green is said to have had the knife secreted in his prison clothing.

So sudden was the attack that no guard had time to interfere. Frank fell to the floor, his cries calling the attention of the guards, who switched on the lights. Blood was spurting from Frank's wounds and his assailant was trying to make his way back to bed. A knife made from a file and which the convicts had used in killing hogs during the day was found on the dormitory floor.

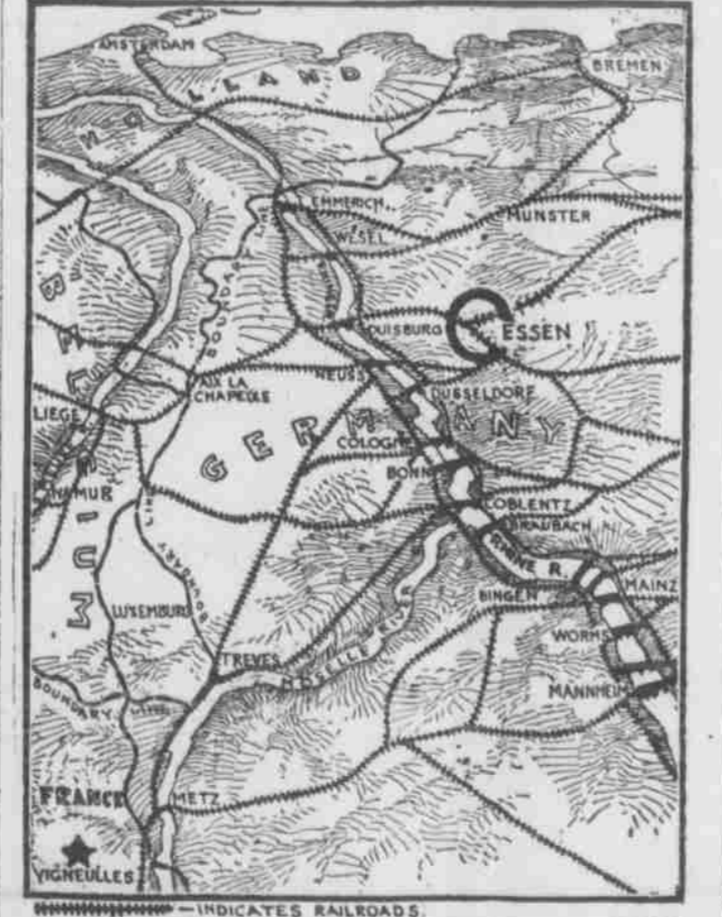
Surgeon Convicts Give First Aid.
Dr. George B. Cogburn, the prison surgeon, was immediately called, but before he could reach the prison dormitory, two surgeons who are serving prison terms were at Frank's side, administering first aid.

"I guess they've got me," Frank is quoted as having said to the doctors when they reached him. He did not lose consciousness. Frank was removed to the operating room in the hospital, where the wound was dressed. The physicians had not succeeded in stopping the flow of blood at last reports. Prison officials said Frank had a chance to recover, but that his condition was serious.

Sentence Recently Commuted.
Frank was brought to the state prison farm June 25 after a midnight trip from the Fulton county jail in Atlanta. A few hours after his arrival here it was officially announced that the then Governor Slaton had commuted his sentence to life imprisonment.

Less than a week ago the state militia companies here and at Macon were ordered held in their armories, a report having reached the state officials that an attempt would be made to lynch Frank.

Beginning New War on Germany



The allies have planned a move which, if carried out, will, in their opinion, bring Germany to time. They propose to destroy the fifteen bridges of the Rhine over which supplies go to the army of the west which is holding France. This map shows the fifteen crossings of the famous river over which the German troops in the field in France receive their ammunition and food. If they can be smashed so supply autos and wagons cannot cross readily the German army will be in a dangerous situation.

No matter who wins a Mexican battle, it spells defeat for all.