

Summary of Most Important News Events

European War News

An unidentified negro was lynched near Cedar Bluff, Miss. The negro confessed he entered the room of a young white woman.

Rev. Frank W. Westcott, fifty-two years old, an Episcopal clergyman, formerly of Shalantown, W. Va., stands alone in an ambulance in Columbus hospital at Milwaukee, Wis.

Knox Booth, former chief of the government intelligence services, director of Tennessee and Alabama, John L. Casper, a Kansas city distiller, and ten other men were indicted by a federal grand jury at St. Louis.

Halil, last of the Russian bands on the Diestler river in southeastern Georgia, has been captured by German troops. The general staff reported to Berlin General von Liebenberg's force captured 6,470 Russians.

An official statement issued at Petrograd says the emperor has accepted the resignation of General Soukhovnikoff as minister of war and designated General Polivanoff to succeed him.

The Italian newspapers are jubilant, says the Overseas News Agency, over an announcement that Italy is participating in the operations against the Dardanelles by sending a fleet under the duke of Abruzzi to release the larger British warships for important work elsewhere.

Two thousand Albanian troops were killed or wounded in an attack on the Montenegrin frontier.

The military of Austria at Vienna made the following announcement: One of our submarines torpedoed and sank an Italian torpedo boat in the northern Adriatic.

German troops, after fierce fighting, have crossed the Diestler river through Bukowina and into the Carpathians, according to an official statement issued by the German army headquarters at Berlin.

Gortz, which has been one of the principal objectives of the Italians in their march on Trieste, has been captured by our forces under General Cadorna. It was reported at Rome.

German troops are using asphaltizing gas and burning fuel gas in the Meuse front in an effort to gain the mastery over the French troops there. General Hoffmann stated the Germans gained temporary tactical advantage, but they were later driven back.

Sporting

Dario Riveta is the speed king of the world. He drove an automobile 1700 miles in a pace faster than that ever driven before. He averaged 50 miles an hour in five hours, seven minutes and twenty-seven seconds.

The first time in many years Yale university crews swept their victory in the annual dual regatta with Harvard. The blue blazers won in the junior, varsity and freshmen eights of the Crimson. Fully 10,000 spectators witnessed the contests.

Personal

Judge John Clinton Gray, suffering from paralysis and pneumonia, is in a precarious condition at Newport, R. I.

Charles L. Goetz, formerly mayor of South Bend and many years prominent in Indiana politics, died at Springfield, Ark., of a complication of diseases.

Mexican Revolt

Mexico's revolutionary plot is gaining momentum. A reign of terror affected the 24,800 foreigners in Mexico City is imminent in the capital, according to reports from the United States and Washington. The Carranza forces under Gen. Pablo Gonzalez have been driven back from Mexico City by the soldiers of General Zapata, numbering 25,000.

Gen. Victoriano Huerta, former dictator of Mexico, and Gen. Pascual Gonzalez, former military leader, were arrested at Fort Bliss, Tex., on a federal warrant charging them with violation of neutrality. The arrest was made by the United States district attorney at San Antonio, presumably acting under instructions from Washington. He was proceeding to Mexico to attend the big junta of Cientificos to be held in that city.

Foreign

Great crowds of students and citizens gathered in Potsdam, Germany, and tendered an ovation to Gen. Victoriano Huerta, former dictator of Mexico, following a visit with his mother, the Grand Duchess of Baden.

Dispatches to the state department at Washington from Ambassador Gutzwiller indicate that good feeling is prevailing in Germany. One of the characters of the reply which should be made to the United States on America's last note on the submarine warfare question.

Great Britain is determined to prevent food and other articles from being transported to the United States. That the allies will not deviate from the policy to starve Germany and Germany from the memorandum of the London foreign office, made public by the state department at Washington.

Under orders from his physician to take a complete rest President Wilson settled down at the sunnier White House at Camp, N. H., for a brief vacation to refresh himself from the arduous work he is expecting within the next few months in handling European and Mexican problems.

Germany will modify her submarine warfare to meet the demands of the United States provided it is given assurances that the belligerent will attempt to sink the underwater craft which haul them, says a dispatch to the state department at Washington.

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LEADER FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

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The forty-fifth annual report of the state insurance department, volume one, dealing with the fire and marine business of the state, was sent to Governor Ferris by State Insurance Commissioner John T. Wiship Thursday.

The report shows that the percentage of fire losses increased to 10.8 per cent during the year ending in 1914 over the figure of 10.3 per cent in 1913. The average cost of fire insurance per \$100 of coverage dropped from \$1.20 in 1913 to \$0.99 in 1914.

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State Librarian Mrs. Mary G. Spencer received an honorary degree of master of pedagogy from the state normal college at Ypsilanti. In connection with the degree, she was made a member of the national guild.

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TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

London—Eighty-five English merchantmen, with a total tonnage of 287,447, were lost between February 18, the date of Germany's submarine warfare, and the date of the armistice on Friday.

Expect War to Last Three Years.

Rome, via Paris—Italian military authorities Sunday asserted that all the munitions in the world were being worked day and night to obtain not only what will be necessary for the war but also what will be necessary for the possibility of a continuance of the conflict for three years, including the supplies of arms which it will be necessary to replace.

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Washington—Naturalized Americans of German, Austro-German or Turkish origin are to be deported from the United States as a precaution against espionage according to a dispatch received at the state department from Ambassador Page in London.