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MUTINY AT SVEABORG FORT

ARTILLERYMEN TURN GUNS ON LOYAL INFANTRYMEN.

WARSHIPS BOMBARD FORTRESS

Civilian Revolutionaries Seize Marine Barracks on Skatudden Island—Latest Report Indicates That Mutineers Are Still in Possession.

Helsingfors, Aug. 1.—Sveaborg is entirely in the hands of the mutineers, who now have in their possession every kind of armament. Horrible scenes occurred during last night, when the fierce fighting was continued. The heaviest artillery was used during the conflict. Several officers were killed or wounded. The wounded were transported to Helsingfors. Colonel Nataroff was bayoneted. He begged for transportation to the hospital, promising forgiveness in exchange. Instead he was stoned and thrown into the water with a stone tied around his neck.

Helsingfors, Aug. 1.—A gigantic military conspiracy, aiming at the simultaneous capture of Russia's three great sea fortresses, Cronstadt, Sebastopol and Sveaborg, arranged by the revolutionary military league, was prematurely sprung here by an attempt to arrest members of a company of sappers who had mutinied on account of the death of one of their comrades, alleged to have been due to ill treatment. The entire garrison of the fortress at Sveaborg flamed out instantly in revolt. All the artillerymen and sappers garrisoning the place were involved. Only four companies of infantrymen remained loyal. The mutineers seized forty machine guns and practically all the quick-firers and light artillery in the fortress, but even with this aid they were unable to hold the main fort against the loyal infantry. The fighting continued all night long.

A detachment of civilian revolutionaries seized the marine barracks on Skatudden island, hoisted the red flag and were joined by all the marines. Nine cruisers, torpedo boats and destroyers lying in the harbor opened fire on the barracks. This fire was answered from the third-story windows of the barracks with machine guns and rifles. The torpedo boats and destroyers, which were lying closer to the shore, were subjected to such a hot fire from the barracks that their crews were driven below decks. They finally steamed out and joined in the bombardment with the cruisers. This sea attack was in cooperation with attacks by Cossacks and infantry from the land side. Finally the firing ceased and the authorities announced that the barracks had been captured.

The Cossacks cleared the square in front of the palace facing Sveaborg and then drove the public from the entire water front for the purpose of preventing the sending of assistance from the city to Sveaborg.

The exact situation at Sveaborg is not known. Rumors are in circulation that the entire fortress has now fallen into the hands of the insurgents, but they lack confirmation. It is believed that this cessation of fighting is only a prelude to the renewal of the battle between the mutineers and the government troops.

An authoritative estimate of the killed and wounded cannot be obtained, but the casualty list on both sides must be heavy, for the fighting was waged with desperation.

Various rumors are heard regarding the fate of the officers who were at Sveaborg and in the Skatudden barracks. According to one rumor, almost all the officers, and according to another, almost all the junior officers sided with the mutineers.

The marines at Skatudden are said to have convened an elective court-martial, which condemned several officers to instant execution.

Mutineers Take Forts.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 1.—No report of the suspension of the great revolt of the garrison at Sveaborg fortress, the "Gibraltar of the North," has been received in St. Petersburg up to this hour.

The secondary uprising among the marines and troops stationed at Skatudden barracks, on the peninsula communicating with the mainland, was crushed by loyal troops after heavy firing, in which eleven cruisers, destroyers and torpedo boats participated.

The sound of firing on the islands and from the fortress has ceased, and in spite of the fact that the occupa-

tion of the entire water front by Cossacks prevents the obtaining of positive news, it is announced at Helsingfors that the mutinous artillerymen and sappers still are holding their positions.

The outlying islands and the fortress appear to be in their possession and they have practically all the machine guns, quick-firers and movable artillery of the fortress.

General Laiming, the commandant of the fortress, is holding on to the main fort on Commander island with a force of loyal infantry.

Spanish Steamer Burns at Sea.

Madrid, Aug. 1.—The Spanish steamer Cabo Trafalgar has been burned at sea. Her crew were rescued by the British steamer Universal, which also towed the shell of the burned steamer's hull to Santander. The cargo of the Cabo Trafalgar is a total loss.

RULES FOR MEAT PACKERS.

Secretary Wilson Issues Regulations for Inspection of Packing Houses.

Washington, July 28.—Secretary Wilson made public the regulations under the new law governing the inspection of meat products for interstate and foreign trade. They do not, however, cover the subject of interstate transportation of meat or the microscopic inspection of pork for export. Regulations on these subjects, it was stated, will be issued later. The regulations are stringent throughout and are in line with the best authorities on the subjects of sanitation, dyes, chemicals and condemnation of diseased carcasses.

The general regulations provide that the scope of the inspection shall cover all slaughtering, packing, meat canning, salting, rendering or similar establishments whose meats or meat food products, in whole or in part, enter into interstate or foreign commerce, unless exempted from inspection by the secretary of agriculture. Under the law the only establishments which may be exempted by the secretary are retail butchers and retail dealers, but even these exempted classes are required to submit to the secretary an application for exemption.

All animals, carcasses and meat food products will be subject to a rigid inspection. Reinspection will be had when necessary.

The sanitation regulations require the establishments in which animals are slaughtered or meats and meat food are prepared, cured, packed, stored or handled to be suitably lighted and ventilated, and to be maintained in a sanitary condition. All work in such establishments must be performed in a cleanly and sanitary manner.

IRON AND STEEL MORE ACTIVE

Crop Situation Seems to Lose Nothing as Season Advances.

New York, July 28.—Bradstreet's says: Trade, industrial and crop developments are generally favorable. Fair activity for a vacation period is witnessed in trade circles on which the usual preparations for fall trade are making, with a more than ordinary optimistic feeling prevailing as regards fall and winter business. In the leading industries more than seasonal activity rules, with the iron and steel trade leading in volume of demand and output. Building continues active and materials move well. The crop situation seems to lose nothing as the growing season advances. The heavy movement of winter wheat to market, while tending to some ease in prices, has a favorable side when the export business is considered. Reports are that a large future business in this direction has already been booked. An interesting side light on the gloomy predictions current some time ago as to the meat trade is found in advices from Chicago that cattle and hog prices are at their highest point of the year. Railway traffic returns point to an unprecedentedly heavy volume of business offering. Export trade on iron and steel keeps up surprisingly well.

Failures for the week number 171. Wheat exports for the week are 1,708,705 bushels. Corn exports for the week are 539,037 bushels.

RATE WAR TO END AUG. 10.

Western Lines Will Restore Tariffs on Flour and Grain.

Chicago, July 28.—The war on grain rates from Missouri river points to Chicago will come to an end Aug. 10. This decision was reached at a conference at which every road running west of Chicago was represented. The tariff cut, which for twenty-four hours gave promise of serious consequences, was precipitated by the Chicago Great Western's quotation of a proportional rate of 8 and 7 cents on wheat and coarse grains from the Missouri river to Chicago and the action of the Wabash in quoting a through rate of 18 1/2 cents on grain from the Missouri river to the seaboard. The conference agreed that all western roads should meet the Great Western grain rates, the tariffs to expire Aug. 10, when rates are to resume their nor-

mal condition. The Great Western agreed also to abandon the 8-cent rate on flour from the Missouri river to Chicago the same day.

Suit to Recover Coal Lands.

Salt Lake, Utah, July 28.—Four suits for the recovery of 20,000 acres of valuable coal land alleged to have been acquired from the United States by gross frauds were filed in the United States court for this district. Attorney General Moody and District Attorney Hiram E. Booth appear as complainants, and the Pleasant Valley Coal company, the Utah Fuel company and their officers as defendants. The state of Utah, according to one of the complaints, "by and through the failure of certain of its officers and agents to safeguard its interests is made to appear as an active party to a gross fraud upon complainant." This fraud consisted, the complaint alleges, in the selection and sale by the state as agricultural and grazing land of land that was known to be immensely valuable for its coal contents.

Compej Printers to Work.

Yenoslav, July 28.—Twelve armed men entered a printing office here after midnight and compelled the compositors to set up and the printers to print 50,000 copies of the parliamentary address to the country, as well as a number of proclamations issued by the socialists.

STANDARD OIL INQUIRY.

Methods of Transportation to Be Investigated at Chicago.

Chicago, July 28.—Standard Oil company methods of transportation of its products are to be investigated Aug. 6, when a federal court grand jury will convene in Chicago to take testimony on that subject. The decision to draw a special grand jury was reached after a lengthy conference between the government lawyers in the case, and Judge Landis in the United States district court issued the order for the jury.

District Attorney J. J. Sullivan of Cleveland, Assistant District Attorney Francis Hanchett, Special Agent T. C. M. Shmlber of the department of commerce and labor, Assistant District Attorney General Oliver E. Pugin and Special United States Attorney C. B. Morrison were in the conference at which it was decided to call a grand jury instead of filing an information against the defendants to place them on trial. It is declared that new and important evidence was discovered bringing about the change of program.

DIETZ STILL HOLDS FORT.

All Efforts to Capture Wisconsin Outlaw Have Been Abandoned.

Milwaukee, July 28.—All efforts to capture John F. Dietz have been abandoned, according to specials from points near Cameron dam, where Wednesday's battle took place. The wounded soldier has disappeared and Sheriff Gylland charges Dietz with having killed him in revenge for the wounding of his son Clarence. Sheriff Gylland, it is reported, has decided to make no more efforts to capture Dietz. Colonel G. Munson, secretary to Governor Davidson, said over the long distance telephone that no order for troops to capture Dietz had been issued by Governor Davidson.

DOUBLE LYNCHING IN FLORIDA.

Two Negro Murderers Strung Up by Mob Near Fort Gardner.

Tampa, Fla., July 28.—John Black and William Regin, negroes, were lynched by a mob of 200 men near Fort Gardner. The negroes killed Ed Granger, a white turpentine operator, without provocation and were captured by Sheriff Wiggins and three deputies near the scene of the killing a few hours afterwards. The mob halted the sheriff and posse and took possession of the prisoners. Both confessed and were hanged to a nearby tree, being afterward riddled with bullets. The mob immediately dispersed.

Indicted Men Released.

Milwaukee, July 28.—Judge Quarles of the United States district court, in habeas corpus proceedings, released Joseph Black, John C. Black and August Anderson of Shawano, Wis., who had been held on indictments returned against them by the grand jury at Portland, Ore., in connection with alleged land frauds. The judge decided the evidence submitted did not warrant him in sending the men to Portland for trial.

Find Rebates to Sugar Trust.

New York, July 28.—The federal grand jury returned to the United States court three indictments, which are reported to have been found as the result of an investigation of an alleged rebating on sugar from the American Sugar Refining company.

Town Marshal Disappears.

Minden, Ia., July 24.—Tuesday of last week Marshal Clint Barrier mysteriously disappeared and has not been heard of since. Up to this time no reason for his sudden disappearance can be accounted for.

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