

RUSSIANS MAKING STAND NEAR BUG

Vienna Dispatch Says Fall of Lublin and Chelm is Question of Few Hours.

RUSS GIVE ONLY STEP AT TIME

BERLIN, July 23.—(Via London.)—A dispatch from Vienna to the National Zeitung says the final attempt of the Russians to stop the advance of their opponents in the critical battle of the new line southward of the Lublin-Chelm railroad southeast of Warsaw has ended in failure. The decisive action in this connection is likely to come in the territory between the Vistula and the Bug rivers.

The Russian southwestern front is seriously menaced, the dispatch adds. The railroad line running through Tarnobrzeg, Lublin and Chelm is now only a few miles northward of the Teutonic lines and the capture of Lublin and Chelm is said to be a question of only a brief time.

The correspondent of the National Zeitung at Tarnobrzeg, Galicia, while reporting that the Austro-German forces are advancing steadily, points out that there are difficulties to be met. He says the Russians have to contend with a lack of ammunition, but the statement that their morale is shattered is untrue. On the contrary, they are displaying the greatest bravery and endurance, and only in the case of contingents without higher officers do they surrender readily.

At Krasnostav, thirty-four miles south of Lublin, there occurred an engagement at close quarters which was unusually desperate and deadly. The Russians awaited their attacking opponents and resisted them with the bayonet. They had assembled strong reserves and the Germans and Austrians had to expend the greatest efforts to overcome them. It was necessary literally to throw the Russians from their trenches.

The lack of good roads in Poland presents an especially unfavorable aspect from the standpoint of the invaders. Deep and makes the movements even of infantry slow, while from ten to twelve teams of horses must be utilized to draw heavy guns.

Bitter rear attacks mark the slow retirement of the Russians in south Poland. They give way only one step at a time, thus delaying although not preventing the Austro-German advance.

The correspondent says that the achievements of the Russians in view of their lack of ammunition are remarkable.

WILSON SHAKES FEDERAL PLUMS FROM THE TREE

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was born at Taunton, Mass. He started when a young man as a journeyman plumber. He has two sons, John and William.

THINK HITCHCOCK WILL FIGHT

Democrats of Capital City Look Upon Choice as Bryan Victory.

LINCOLN, July 23.—(Special.)—The federal appointments made by the president for Nebraska came as a surprise to most of the politicians around Lincoln who have been waiting for more than two years to hear the plums drop from the political tree. That many democrats are not satisfied is apparent, though, of course, they are talking for publication. There is a general feeling Senator Hitchcock will fight confirmation of at least two appointments.

Most of them look upon the appointments as a decided Bryan victory, the naming of Mr. Bryan's brother-in-law while that of George L. Lewis of Fremont, of course, a Bryan appointment, most for collector being equally so. The others appear to be conceded as Hitchcock men and bear all the earmarks, according to the wise ones, of being a compromise. It does not appear that Hitchcock strengthened himself. None appear to want to criticize the man, but from a political standpoint it looks as if the senator could have done a better job if he had placed the appointment of marshal out in the state somewhere. The customs appointment they figure would naturally go to Omaha, but the other should have been given to some good, tried and true democrat out in the state.

Sprague Out in Cold. It was conceded that with John Brynes, Chris Gruenther and Judge Corey out of the running for consideration that one of the appointments would surely go to Bert Sprague of York, secretary of the democratic state committee, the only campaign manager who has been successful in putting a democratic state ticket across since the organization of the state, but when it came to making appointments, it appears that Sprague was not in the favored list.

There is considerable grumbling. Lots of people are talking, but not for the newspapers. "Watch and see what will happen," appears to be the sentiment of most of them. Some appear to be satisfied, but reliable authority gives it out that the whole thing is a decided Bryan victory in that Hitchcock did not get a single man he wanted while Bryan is perfectly satisfied with the ones he landed.

What Democrats Think.

Comments on the appointments are mostly short and run about as follows: Dr. P. L. Hall, democratic national committeeman. "What is, is and is right."

Felix Newton, former Bryanist. "Well I dunno."

W. B. Hester, twenty-five years member of Lancaster county democratic committee and ten years its chairman. "Well if the other fellows are satisfied, I am."

Tom Allen. "Perfectly satisfied."

Judge W. H. England, democratic philanthropist. "It is the last death grip that W. J. Bryan will ever get on the public."

C. E. Harmon, food commissioner. "Entirely satisfactory to me in every respect."

H. C. Richmond, Omaha, democratic member of the last legislature. "Four good democrats get the job."

E. F. Mumford, private secretary Governor Morehead. "Suits me all right."

Bryan Says Hitchcock Lost. According to Mayor C. W. Brown, none of the three federal appointment plums landed down this morning to hungry democrats in Nebraska was a Hitchcock appointment. He gives credit for the district attorneyship and the collectorship to Mr. Bryan, and the United States marshalship to Mayor Dakin. The appointment of collector of customs for

Omaha, he says, was a purely local appointment.

Regarding the candidacy of M. L. Corey of Clay Center, for either of the positions, Mayor Bryan says, his selection was simply "impossible." He says the appointments "are the most gratifying to the progressive forces of the state, who have been supporting the administration."

TEXT OF THE LATEST NOTE TO GERMANY

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governments as irrelevant to any discussion with the Imperial German government that this government regards as grave and unjustifiable violations of the rights of American citizens by German naval commanders. "Illegal and inhuman acts, however, justifiable they may be thought to be against an enemy, who is believed to have acted in contravention of law and humanity, are manifestly indefensible when they deprive neutrals of their acknowledged rights, particularly when they violate the right to life itself.

"If a belligerent cannot retaliate against an enemy without injuring the lives of neutrals as well as their property, humanity, as well as justice and a due regard for the dignity of neutral powers, should dictate that the practice be discontinued. If persisted in, it will under such circumstances constitute an unpardonable offense against the sovereignty of the neutral nation affected.

Realizes the Condition. "The government of the United States is not unmindful of the extraordinary conditions created by this war or of the radical alterations of circumstances and method of attack produced by the use of instrumentalities of naval warfare, which the nations of the world cannot have had in view, when the existing rules of international law were formulated, and it is ready to make every reasonable allowance for these novel and unexpected aspects of war at sea; but it cannot consent to abate any essential or fundamental right of its people, because of a mere alteration of circumstances. The rights of neutrals in time of war are based upon principles not upon expediency, and the principles are immutable. It is the duty and obligation of belligerents to find a way to adapt the new circumstances to them.

"The events of the last two months have clearly indicated that it is possible and practicable to conduct such submarine operations as have characterized the activity of the Imperial German navy within the so-called war zone, in substantial accord with the accepted practices of regulated warfare.

World Interested. "The whole world has looked with interest and increasing satisfaction at the demonstration of that possibility by German naval commanders. It is manifested possible therefore to hit the whole practice of submarine attack above the criticism, which it has aroused and remove the chief causes of offense.

"In view of the admission of illegality made by the Imperial government when it pleaded the right of retaliation in defense of its acts and in view of the manifest possibility of conforming to the established rules of naval warfare, the government of the United States cannot believe that the Imperial government will longer refrain from allowing the violation of its naval commander in sinking the Lusitania or offering reparations of the American lives lost so far as reparation can be made for a needless destruction of human life by an illegal act.

Appreciates Friendly Spirit. "The government of the United States, while not indifferent to the friendly spirit in which it is made, cannot accept the suggestion of the Imperial government that certain vessels be designated and agreed upon which shall be free on the seas now illegally proscribed. The very agreement would, by implication, subject other vessels to illegal attack and would be a curtailment and therefore an abandonment of the principles for which his government contends and which in times of former counsels every nation would concede as of course.

"The government of the United States

and the Imperial German government are contending for the same great object and have long stood together in urging the very principles upon which the government of the United States now solemnly insists. They are both contending for the freedom of the seas. The government of the United States will continue to contend for that freedom, from whatever quarter violated, without compromise and at any cost. It invites the practical co-operation of the Imperial German government at this time, when co-operation may accomplish most and this great common object be most strikingly and efficiently achieved.

"The Imperial German government expresses the hope that this object may be in some measure accomplished even before the present war ends. It can be. The government of the United States not only feels obliged to insist upon it by whomsoever violated or ignored, and in the protection of its own citizens, but is also deeply interested in seeing it made practicable between the belligerents themselves and holds itself ready at any time to act as the common friend who may be privileged to suggest a way.

"In the meantime, the very value which this government sets upon the long and unbroken friendship between the people and government of the United States and the people and government of the German Empire impels it to impress very solemnly upon the Imperial government the necessity for a scrupulous observance of neutral rights in this critical matter. Friendship itself prompts it to say to the Imperial German government that repetition of the commander of the German naval vessels of acts in contravention of those rights must be regarded by the government of the United States when they affect American citizens as deliberately unfriendly.

LANSING.

HITCHCOCK TELLS OF HIS EFFORTS

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He said he believed the strike could be settled without further bloodshed and he asked for their hearty co-operation, which was promised.

"I want to warn the strikers through you, as their committee," he concluded, "that I have instructed my deputies to arrest the first man who fires a shot, and I have force enough to do it. I have also instructed my deputies, if any shots are fired from inside the plant to go in there and get the man or men who did it."

Sheriff Kinkead announced that he had asked authority from Governor Pender to gather an additional force of 20 picked police officers from the cities in Hudson county under his jurisdiction. These policemen, he said, will come to Bayonne in uniform and will be sworn in as special deputy sheriffs. They will remain on strike duty until further orders.

Commissioner of Public Safety Wilson, in a statement, said he believed the situation was well in hand and that it would not be necessary to call out troops. He also announced that a volunteer city commission, in the course of the day, will act as mediators in the strike situation and will present to the Standard Oil officials a formal written request for an increase in wages.

All the saloons in Bayonne were ordered closed today by Mayor Stevens and the order was generally obeyed. Heretofore only the Constable Hook section has been affected.

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Little Girl Fatally Burned.

MASON CITY, Ia., July 23.—(Special.)—Myrtle Keeney, aged 5 years, was perhaps fatally burned yesterday morning at the family home in this city. She threw kerosene on the fire in the kitchen stove and an immediate explosion followed. Her face and hands were burned to a crisp. Most of her clothing was burned from her body. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Keeney.

HYMENEAL.

Rau-Breevenfeldt. WEEPING WATER, Neb., July 23.—(Special.)—William J. Rau, cashier of the Manly State bank at Manly, and Miss Cora Breckenfeldt of Elmwood were married Wednesday at Eliza, Neb., the home of the groom's parents. The ceremony was performed at the Catholic church by Rev. W. L. D. Higgins of Manly.

Jones-Andrews. WEEPING WATER, Neb., July 23.—(Special.)—Miss Alpha Andrews and Watson C. Jones were married Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, nine miles southwest of here.

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MASS CHORUS OF CHILDREN SING AT SAENGERFEST

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well rendered. He fairly carried his audience away.

Viola Solo. Lolita Schreiber, son of Henry Schreiber, one of the directors of the Omaha Saengerfest association, showed splendid mastery of the violin in his solo, "Fantasia Appassionata."

The orchestra rendered also Thalberg's "Grand Valse de Concert," and as a closing number a medley of German songs of special charm and melody.

Accompanists were Mrs. F. A. Delano, Mrs. E. R. Zabriskie, Miss Corinne Paulson, Jean P. Duffield and Bismund Landsberg.

QUIET PREVAILS IN BAYONNE DISTRICT

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Thomas J. Flynn, city clerk of Omaha. He has now been appointed.

"For collector of customs at Omaha, there has been only one candidate, C. W. McCune, night editor of the World-Herald. He was widely supported by active democrats all over Nebraska. I endorsed him and he was appointed.

"Such, in brief, are the facts. They cover a period of two years, during which I have endeavored to secure action on the federal appointments in Nebraska. I have had a large number of interviews in Washington and Nebraska, not only with representative democrats, candidates and party leaders, but with the president, Mr. Bryan and various members of the cabinet, and the announcement now made indicates that the president has concluded to settle the matter for the present at least. The men named will soon enter upon their duties. When congress meets in December their formal nominations will be sent to the senate for its action, and I shall then be called upon to decide for my part what course to follow."

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