

SNAPSHOTS AT NOTABLE PERSONS

General Carlo Canova, Famous Italian Leader.



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While the king of Italy, under the Italian constitution, is the commander in chief of the military forces, it is not likely that he will assume control of any of his troops operating on the Austro-Italian frontier.

This rank came to General Canova as a result of the fact that he commanded the Italian forces in Tripoli in the Italian-Turkish war of 1911.

Observers at the front say that the Italian soldiers are the gayest of any fighting in the European conflagration.



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the front. During the king's absence his uncle, the Duke of Genoa acts as regent of the kingdom.

RODE FOR LIBERTY LIKE PAUL REVERE

Caesar Rodney is One of America's Independence Day Heroes.

HOW the historians and romancists have missed the true and dramatic story of Caesar Rodney's ride is one of the mysteries which surround the Declaration of Independence.

Thomas McKean, one of the three signers of the Declaration from Delaware, has given unassailable proof of the essential facts in the case of Caesar Rodney and his ride.

Pennsylvania and South Carolina had voted against Independence. New York held aloof because her delegates had not received instructions from the assembly of that colony.

In the vote that was taken in the statehouse (now Independence Hall) on July 1 Delaware's vote was not cast, there being two of the three delegates present.

McKean, shrewdly calculating that Delaware's vote were cast for Independence on the following day Pennsylvania and South Carolina might be induced to change their decisions.

In spite of the terrible heat, the urging of relatives and the command of a nurse and a physician who warned him the task might mean death, the patriotic Delaware arose from his bed.

McKean relates that he met Rodney at the statehouse door as he dismounted and assisted him to the chamber.

It is McKean again corroborated by Adams, Franklin and others who relate that Edward Rutledge of South Carolina thereupon was deeply moved and changed the vote of his colony.

The terrible strain of the ride told severely for a time upon Caesar Rodney, but he rallied and lived a few years longer, dying at Byfield in 1784.

Of all the signers of the Declaration Caesar Rodney is the only one of whom there is no portrait.

John Adams has given an excellent description of Rodney in one of his letters to his wife. He shows the patriot as tall and excessively thin due to the malady that killed him.

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Fred Luderus, Heavy Hitter of the Phillie Nationals.



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In club averages the Philadelphia Nationals do not cut much of a figure. When a club is last in hitting and second to last in team batting the reason for that club sticking up with the leaders in the pennant race must be found somewhere else than in team work.

Were it not for his heavy stick work and the circuit courts of wrath and hecker the team would not have made its fine early showing.

Urban Faber, star of the White Sox staff was one of the men who made the tour of the world with John J. McGraw and Charles Comiskey.

De Palma's Record Likely to Stand. Despite the numerous handicaps which had to be combated in the staging of the fifth international 500 mile race, the Indianapolis motor speedway management considers that contest by far the most successful in its history.

Record Double Play. In the last inning of White Sox Kan. made an unenviable play in a game against Lincoln Neb. when he threw out two runners at home on one throw.

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