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RIOTS BREAK OUT ON MEXICAN BORDER GERMAN SUBMARINE SINKS THREE STEAMERS

ALLIED SHIPS ARE VICTIMS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

German Admiralty Announces Dates and Description of Cargoes--Troop Ship Sinks in Ten Minutes.

ALLIES ANNOUNCE CLAIMS OF FIVE VICTORIES ON FIVE DIFFERENT FRONTS

British and French Make Raids on Western Front--General Sarales Advances in Macedonia--Germans Report Attacks at Verdun Repulsed--Petrograd Reports Capture of One Thousand German Troops--German Offensive on the Reiga Is Reported Checked.

Berlin, via Tuckerton, Jan. 29.—(United Press)—The Admiralty announced that a German submarine sank the following vessels in the Mediterranean:

January ninth—Fully armed, loaded steamer, five thousand tons.

January fifteenth—Armed British tanker, Garfield, thirty-eight hundred tons, en route from Malta to Port Said, carrying oil and coal. Captured the captain.

January twenty-fifth—Armed transport, two hundred and fifty miles east of Malta. A French torpedo boat conveyed the steamer. It was crowded with troops. It sank in ten minutes.

Germans Report Repulsed Attacks At North Armentieres

Berlin, via Sayville, Jan. 29.—(United Press)—The official statement detailed great victory on the part of British raiders. Three attacks were made at North Armentieres. All were repulsed. The Twenty-Third Bavarian infantry inflicted heavy losses.

Allies Claim Victories on Five Different Fronts.

London, Jan. 29.—(United Press)—It is announced that the Allies are victorious on five fronts.

The British raided territory near Neuville, St. Vaast, and Letransolye.

The French raided the German line near Verdun.

General Sarales, of the French-British-Serbian forces, advanced in Macedonia toward Prilep.

The Russians retained gains on a two-mile front on the Roumanian-Carpathian line, and halted the attempted German Riga offensive.

Germans Report That French Attacks Have Failed.

Berlin, via Sayville, Jan. 29.—(United Press)—It is announced that the French failed to gain one foot of ground in a violent battle at Verdun. Four attacks were

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"Workers Together With Him." 11-Corinthians 6:1



Rev. G. L. Clark.

(By Rev. G. L. Clark, pastor, First Presbyterian church, La Grande, Ore.) The coming to La Grande of three conventions in the near future suggests the uniformity or community of interests. The Cattle & Horse Raisers' annual convention which meets in April is worthy of our united interest for it has to do with that part of our industrial life which touches more people than we at first believe. The number and good quality of horses in Eastern Oregon have added greatly to the bank accounts of many ranchmen within a period of three years. The owners have been able to do more and better work in crop-growing by reason of strong blooded animals. It must be a source of pride to the men who have taken their horses to various fairs and came away with blue ribbons.

And where does the cattle industry stop? Tip your hat to the cattle-men whenever you put on your shoes or throw the harness on your horse. He is the man who makes the ice cream parlor possible and the meat-market a veritable shrine where hungry humanity daily calls for everything from cold tongue to oxtail soup to satisfy that ever recurrent appetite. The bottle of sweet, pure milk for baby,

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CALLS MAN THE "ETERNAL DESTROYER"!



YVETTE GUILBERT

Man is the eternal destroyer and woman, the nurse, must save civilization from him, says Mme. Yvette Guilbert, French opera singer and suffragist singing and lecturing in this country. "The present woman," she says, "must realize that her only independence, only liberty, only strength, to be obtained at all costs, consists in her option of preventing her offspring from being destroyed—in the prevention of war. Women will devote 30 years to the making of a man and he will take 30 seconds for the killing of a hundred men."

BONE DRY BILL EXPECTED TO PASS TODAY

DEBATE STARTS IN MORNING.
CONTINUES IN AFTERNOON—
EMERGENCY FOUGHT.

Salem, Ore., Jan. 29.—(United Press)—The bone dry debate started at 10:30 o'clock this morning. It continued uninterruptedly up to noon and was resumed at 2 o'clock.

Representative Anderson said the bill's passage was most important for the state's welfare. He reviewed prohibitory legislation for the past four years. He said the crime records showed that prohibition was justified.

Laferty attacked the section permitting fraternal orders to import liquor for sacramental purposes. He said sect societies could easily violate the law.

MacKay attacked the emergency clause. He said no emergency existed. He said it was a bad precedent.

Burton said the measure was the greatest economic project before the legislature. He said abolition of slavery and abolition of liquor were parallel economic questions.

It is expected that the bill will certainly pass this afternoon.

Not Exactly The Younger Set

Mrs. Gangloff's Party Notable

Two Present Own Up to 85 and 90

It wasn't "the younger set" nor the "forty-fivers," it was the seventy-fivers to ninety-sixers who were present at the celebration of Mrs. J. Gangloff's eightieth birthday Saturday afternoon in the J. E. Foley home. Pioneers, they were, the 40 or so who helped Mrs. Gangloff remember her birthday and eat a piece of the immense wedding cake baked by Herman Roesch.

British Warship Sunk.
London, Jan. 29.—(Special)—The British auxiliary cruiser Laurotic of 14,892 tons, has been sunk by a submarine or mine off the Irish coast. Twelve officers and 109 men were saved.

NEW YORK BROKER DENIES HE SPLIT POOL WITH SECY. MCADOO

Pliny Fiske Testifies Denying That He Received Any Peace Note Information From Cabinet Officer or That any Government Member Profited.

New York, Jan. 29.—(United Press)—Pliny Fiske, broker, testified in the peace note leak probe. He categorically denied receiving any leak information from a cabinet member or spitting a leak pool with Secretary of Treasury McAdoo. He suggested that the committee imprison Thomas W. Lawson as a perjurer.

Four Children Slain.
Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 29.—(Special)—four small children were brutally murdered yesterday at Auburn as they lay in their beds. The father, S. A. Hewitt, a Northern Pacific brakeman, was arrested. He denies the crime.

MEXICAN MEN AND WOMEN TAKE PART, TWO SOLDIERS HURT

Enraged Because They Are Not Allowed to Enter United States Unbathed, Mob Charges Sentries

FEDERAL AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCE ONE MEXICAN WAS KILLED IN YESTERDAY'S RIOTING

Four Hundred Women Storm the Street Cars at Juarez, Chasing the Crews, Hissing and Hooting, "Death to the Gringos"—American Reporter Is Attacked—Americans Are Prohibited From Entering Juarez—Mexican Cavalry Charges Mob.

El Paso, Jan. 29.—(United Press)—Five hundred Mexican men and women resumed rioting at the Juarez end of the International bridge this morning.

They were enraged because they were not allowed to enter the United States unbathed.

They threw stones and bottles at American sentries. Two soldiers were hurt.

Troops charged the crowd in the middle of the bridge and clubbed the rioters. The Mexicans were driven back.

Federal authorities announced that one Mexican was killed in yesterday's rioting. Several were wounded.

Mexican women attacked David McCheney, an American reporter. They tore his clothes and scratched his face.

Four hundred women stormed street cars, chasing the crews, hooting, hissing and calling them "Gringos". The Mexican cavalry charged the mob this morning, using whips.

Shouts of "Death to the Gringos" were heard.

The Car Company attempted to resume service, but women lay across the tracks.

All Americans are prohibited from entering Juarez.

SNOW BLOCKADE IS BROKEN, WESTBOUND TRAIN ARE ARRIVING

Stub From Salt Lake and Pocatello Are Only Ones to Come Through Past Three and Half Days—First Eastern Mail Received This Morning.

Probably the worst snow blockade in the history of the Union Pacific lines, which has existed in Wyoming for the past four days, has been broken and through trains are now in Idaho. Four trains are expected in Huntington between 6 o'clock and midnight, tonight. No. 19 of Friday arrived in La Grande this morning, bringing the first eastern mail that has come here for over three days. Unless unforeseen accidents happen or storms spring up the four trains due in Huntington tonight should pass through La Grande tomorrow.

Snow in the Blue Mountains is heavier this year than for several seasons, say reports, but this division has kept close to perfect schedule this winter. East-bound trains have seldom been more than five or ten minutes late and good time has been made on the west-bound trains from Huntington to La Grande.

Mrs. Adelene Copeland Buried Today

The body of Mrs. Adelene Copeland, 19, who died here Saturday was buried at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Bohnenkamp chapel, in the Masonic cemetery. Mrs. Copeland is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hunter and by one sister.

Oregon Troops Ordered Home.
Portland, Ore., Jan. 29.—(Special)—All Oregon troops have been ordered

home, according to a telegram received by Adjutant General White from Senator Chamberlain.

WOLVES KILLED HUNTER AFTER FIGHT, BELIEF

BODY OF JOHN HAMMERSLEY FOUND, ALSO RIFLE AND BODIES OF 3 WOLVES.

Gold Hill, Ore., Jan. 29.—(United Press.)—It is believed a pack of timber wolves killed and devoured John Hammersley, a government hunter, in the vicinity of Willows Flats, Jackson county, this week.

Hammersley disappeared. Searchers found the man's scattered and gnawed bones.

His rifle, shreds of clothing and the corpses of three wolves were also found.

Indications pointed to a desperate struggle. It is believed the victim fought the wolves until his ammunition was exhausted.

FRUITGROWERS MET HERE SATURDAY P. M.

At a meeting of fruitgrowers of La Grande district held in the city hall Saturday, the following resolutions were adopted:

That it is the sense of this meeting that the county authorities be requested to enforce the law relating to spraying and the care of orchards.

That the proposition of the Payette Valley Rex Spray company to furnish a supply of spray through the Sawyer-Holmes Mercantile company warehouse be accepted.

County Agriculturist Spillman presided and J. B. Stoddard acted as secretary.