

# BRUSSELS POLICE IN CLASH WITH FOE

## Refusal to Surrender Papers of Stain Spy Results in Big Fine on City.

### ENGLISH WOMEN WARNED

#### German Authorities in Belgium Alarmed by Activity of Secret Organization Much Resembling Ku-Klux Klan.

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, via London, Feb. 2.—An official of the Belgian government who escaped from Brussels and arrived at The Hague today gave an explanation of the circumstances under which the city of Brussels was fined 50,000 marks last month (January) by the Governor-General of Belgium.

He denied the correctness of the first report to the effect that the fine was levied on account of the fact that Cels Derode was slain by shots from an unlicensed revolver. The offense charged, he said, was violation of German jurisdiction by a Belgian consular court, which seized Derode's papers, examined them and received the police report before the German authorities had opportunity to take charge.

#### Spy in German Service.

Derode was the spy whose testimony convinced Miss Elinor Cavill, the English nurse executed at Brussels.

General von Bissing, the Belgian official said, held that Derode was in the service of Germany as a secret agent and therefore came under German jurisdiction. The Belgian police who searched the body took possession of papers, which included passports permitting Derode to visit Germany, passes through the German lines and receipts showing payment to him by the German authorities for services rendered.

These papers were turned over to the regular consular court at Brussels and the fine was imposed because this court refused to turn over the evidence to a German tribunal.

#### Cost of Death Only One Franc.

Immediately after the fine was levied the newspaper Free Belgium, which is circulated in some mysterious way, said that Derode's death cost only one franc and that the Belgians had many more francs for similar work.

Two citizens of Brussels, a barber and an electrician, have been arrested charged with the murder of Derode.

A few English women who are still left in Brussels are said to have received a warning to leave Belgium as soon as possible.

The German authorities in Belgium, according to this official, are showing great concern over the increasing activity of a Belgian secret organization which in its operations greatly resembles the Ku Klux Klan, which came into existence in the Southern United States after the Civil War.

### APPAM PRISONERS LANDED

Along that the Appam was brought into Hampton Roads, a prisoner was taken from the Prussian-American treaty which guarantees her to the captors, and this officially served notice that Germany contends for possession of the ship.

Collector Hamilton reported that Lieutenant Berg objected to release of British subjects aboard the Appam, who served as gun-ponies for the prison crew. It was said there might be some delay in landing these pending further consideration by the State Department. Lieutenant Berg also objected to allowing foreign consuls to communicate with their nationals while aboard the Appam and the department decided they should not be permitted to do so.

Late today the State Department asked the authorities to release the passengers on the Appam subject to the action of the immigration authorities.

The neutrality board has decided that the Appam is a prize. The decision is not binding on the State Department, but may influence its action.

Collector Hamilton was instructed to allow all persons aboard the Appam except the officers and men of the prize crew to come ashore. It was said no final decision regarding the ship's status had been reached.

### INSURANCE PROBLEM PUZZLES

#### Solution Depends on Attitude of American Government.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Perplexity regarding the question of insurance on the Appam is admitted at Lloyd's, as the case is an unprecedented one. The solution of the puzzle depends largely on the attitude of the United States Government as to whether the Appam is to be considered a merchantman or a German cruiser. She is considered a war loss by the underwriters, however, and it is believed she will not be reinsured at Lloyd's as having arrived safely at port, as would have been if she had completed her journey to England.

### Willamette River Rising.

Continued snow and sleet sent the Willamette River upward yesterday and it continued rising during the day with prospects that it would go higher today and tomorrow. For 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock yesterday morning it gained two feet here and the gauge registered 3.4 feet above zero.

### WHAT IS AN INTERNAL BATH?

If you were to ask a dozen people this question probably not one would answer correctly. A scientific American is now using it with a marked improvement in health and strength.

The internal bath of today is no more like the old-fashioned Epsom than a Vacuum Cleaner is like a wash-basin.

Now, by means of the "I.R.L. Cascade," simple warm water, the Lower Intestine, the entire length, removes all the poisonous waste matter, and keeps it so clean and pure as Nature demands it should be for perfect health.

You may be astonished at your feelings the morning after taking an Internal Bath by means of the "I.R.L. Cascade." You will feel lighter, braver, and as though everything is "working right" and it is.

It absolutely removes Constipation and prevents Auto-Intoxication.

Woodard Clark & Co.'s Drug Store in Portland will explain to you and so request will give you a free book on the subject by an eminent specialist. Ask or send for free literature. "I.R.L. Cascade" is made of Talcum to Only 10¢. Effortless, while you think of it.

### SPANISH BARITONE TO SING IN PORTLAND AFTER TRIUMPHS IN CALIFORNIA.



EMILIO DE GOGORZA.

Not San Francisco alone, but California cities generally have followed the lead of Eastern music centers and gone wild over Emilio de Gogorza, the captivating Spanish baritone, who comes to the Heilig for one popular Sunday afternoon concert, February 6.

In Fresno so we are told by the Fresno Morning Republican of January 28, no less than "1000 enraptured hearers were held spell-bound by the magic of Gogorza's voice."

This is a goodly audience for a town the size of Fresno, and is a record-breaking triumph that any of the world's great singers might well envy. The Republican continues: "If ever a singer radiated personality, it is Gogorza, and he responded to the enthusiasm of the house in pleasing grace with a number of encores."

### APOLOGY IS OMITTED

#### Mutual Regret Only is Expressed to Colombia.

### PAYMENT CUT \$10,000,000

#### Pact With Nicaragua for Canal Route and Naval Base Also Approved—Administration to Make Strong Fight.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Reducing the proposed payment to Colombia from \$15,000,000 to \$15,000,000 and omitting the proposed apology of the United States for the partition of Panama to make it a mutual expression of regret on the part of the United States and Colombia, the Senate foreign relations committee today ordered a favorable report on the long-pending Colombia treaty.

By a vote of 19 to 3 the committee also favorably reported the treaty to pay Nicaragua \$2,000,000 for a canal route and naval bases in the Bay of Fonseca.

Senators who opposed both treaties declared they would continue their opposition in the Senate to the last extremity.

Senators who voted against the Nicaragua treaty were William Alden Smith, Michigan, and Horak, Republican, and Clarke, of Arkansas, Democrat.

Senators who voted against the Colombian treaty were Lodge, Smith, Michigan, and Borah, Republican, and Clarke, of Arkansas, Democrat. Senators Shively, Democrat, and McCumber, Republican, were absent.

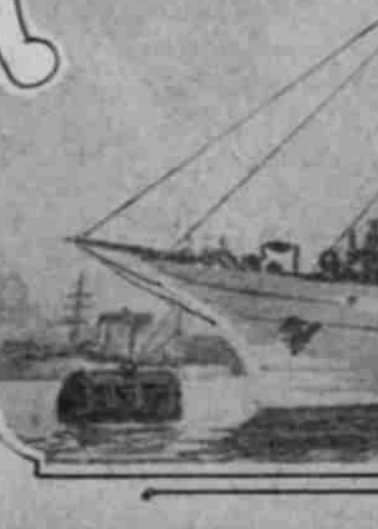
The action of the committee today means that the treaties will be brought into the Senate for ratification with the full force of the Administration behind them as part of its plan to further harmonious relations with all Pan-America in consonance with the broad general policy of Pan-Americanism outlined by President Wilson and Secretary Lansing at the recent Pan-American Congress here.

### LINN TAX ROLL \$568,757

#### Sum of \$215,000 Is Voted as Special Assessment.

ALBANY, O., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—More than \$200,000 in taxes will be collected in Linn County on the 1915 assessment roll. The exact total is \$568,757.

### GERMAN SEA RAIDER THAT CAPTURED LINER APPAM AND DESTROYED SEVEN OTHER BRITISH VESSELS.



### CURRY DAIRY MEET FEB. 10

#### Cow Testing to Be Considered at Convention at Langlois.

### VILLA HEADED FOR LINE

#### Mexican Rebel Stopped at Head of Train of Stolen Bullion.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 2.—General Villalobos, with a mule train of stolen gold bullion, is headed toward the international boundary line in the Bosque Bonito country, near Sierra Blanca, Tex., according to General Gabriel Gavira, commandant of Juarez, today.

Gavira said he had ordered Lieutenant Colonel Hiojaa, at Ojinaga, to close in on Villa from the east, while Major Ortiz moves from Juarez and Guadalupe and General Luis Herrera from Chihuahua City, all on the trail of Villa.

### DRYDOCK IS FROZEN TIGHT.

Weather of Tuesday, and yesterday effectively tied up the big drydock of the Port of Portland at St. Johns, it being reported frozen in. It was intended to lift the steamer Bear this trip but the freeze temporarily has forced an abandonment of the plan.

### PEOPLE LEARN FROM FOE

#### SIR OLIVER LODGE SAYS WAR HAS OPENED NATION'S EYES.

Neglect of Intellectual Things and Scorn of Experts Declared Fault of Educational System.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Neglect of intellectual things, satisfaction with mere book knowledge, inattention to facts, concentration on physical prowess, widespread ignorance of science and consequent contempt for investigation and expert knowledge are the basic faults of the English educational system, said Sir Oliver Lodge in his address before the annual conference of educational associations held in London.

War, he continued, had opened the eyes of the nation to certain perils which during a long era of peace had been overlooked. War had now made apparent the ignorance of the governing classes. English education led to a widely diffused knowledge. Initiative was lacking and only the personal character and courage of the men—and women—of all classes had saved the country. The people, as well as their leaders, were now learning from their enemy.

Sir Oliver condemned the educational ideals of modern Germany as a heavy pedagogical grind and a soulless preparation for business, in which purely material objects had been elevated to the region of worship and sentiment. The old, delightful, sentimental Germany, with its message to the soul of the human race, he said, had been slain. But this did not justify English failure to teach the elemental facts of science and to train students to make the best use of their brains.

The speaker blamed the government for neglecting early in the war to make use of the experts in trade and manufacture who had been eager to offer their services. He put this failure to ignorance, rather than viciousness. Experts were not called in, because they were not trusted. Only gradually did the need for their services loom up before those in charge of the empire's destinies. This kind of ignorance was not confined to politicians alone, but even to manufacturers, who had long refrained from calling in expert advisers.

Forceful feeding in knowledge did not appeal to Sir Oliver, who thought the primary change should be in cultivating the faculties of observation, the spirit of independent investigation and the habit of going direct to nature for facts. Better scientific instruction, particularly in physiology and hygiene, was thought necessary. Ability ought to be encouraged among the pupils and the brains of the working class boys utilized, as they are not sufficiently now.

France had added to her wealth, according to the speaker, by encouraging and honoring agricultural life, and England should do the same. But this was only one way in which science could be used to increase national prosperity.

Infant mortality could be greatly reduced, Sir Oliver concluded, by teaching girls hygiene, housekeeping and the care of infants.

## Sipman Wolfe & Co.

"Merchandise of Merit Only"

### A Forecast of Spring Fashions

That Are Now on Display and Sale

### Exhibiting the New Spring Silks

—If you were to step into our silk department today you would wonder if you are still in the midst of Winter, or in the heart of a Spring garden, so wonderfully colored are the new silks.

—See the new taffeta de soie, a beautiful, soft silk similar to chiffon taffeta—satin striped taffeta is also very new and different—then there are rich messalines, handsome bengaline suitings, new pault de soie, extra heavy taffetas, rich matelasse suitings, grosgrain silks and pongees—that are unusual in colorings and rich in texture.

### Nobely Spring Suits

—With smartly flaring jackets. The most interesting suits we have seen in many a day—charming models, designed to be becoming and to dress the Spring figure in a delightfully feminine fashion.

### Our New Dress Fabrics

Embody the latest ideas shown by the leading couturiers in their finest models—in a splendid collection of weaves and colors. Fabrics for suits, for coats, for skirts—the novelty checks for coats are especially noteworthy showing some of the most original combinations of three colors. A wide awning black and cream stripe fabric has been designed for sports skirts and was first introduced for Palm Beach wear, where the sports fashions are introduced. Your inspection of these new weaves is cordially solicited.

### Supplementary Showing of Spring Wash Fabrics

—The freshly opened cases disclose the most harmonious color blendings. The weaves, the color schemes and the designs of these new 1916 materials are revelations—in fact, it seems that the acme of perfection has been reached in the construction of these new cotton, and silk with cotton, dress fabrics.

### Fashion Says 'Bows'—'Flowers'

#### The Newest Hats All Have Them

—Your Spring hat is not a Spring hat unless adorned with some of the new, brightly colored flowers, or a smart, jaunty bow—and these new hats are small, too, becomingly so—fashioned of rough and shiny straws, some combined with silk. These new hats now on display are quite the smartest modes for wearing between seasons, as well as for early and late Spring.

### The Valentines Are Ready

—A wonderful assortment of new ideas. There are pretty greeting cards at 1c each and night letters and tonic hearts; a great variety of "moving" cards in dainty engraved designs at 5c; embossed greeting cards and a score of novelties at 10c; other novelties in great variety to 50c each. For the Valentine party are novelty paper lunch cloths, napkins, doilies, plates, garlands, at 5c to 25c.

## BOTH THERE

A woman wanted the newest collar; took her LADIES' HOME JOURNAL and found it. A small thing you say:

Yes: But

that same woman later wanted to build a house; she took her LADIES' HOME JOURNAL again, and here is her house:

The smallest need and the largest need are met side by side in the HOME JOURNAL. See if they aren't.

## The Ladies' HOME JOURNAL

It's only 15 cents

## IN ONE MINUTE! CLOGGED NOSTRILS OPEN—COLDS AND CATARRH VANISH

Stops Nasty Discharge, Clears Stuffed Head, Heals Inflamed Air Passages and You Breathe Freely.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway. Just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drugstore. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed; hawking and blowing. Catarrh of a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dripping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear—Adv.

When she turned around to get it, she said, it was gone.

Mrs. Buntin said she delayed reporting her loss to the police because the hotel management was trying to find it for her. Mrs. Buntin's mother refused to discuss her daughter's loss at their bedside which she was sitting, she said, apart.

## Rheumatism!

How is rheumatism recognized? Some have said—

- Rheumatism is a dull pain.
- Rheumatism is a sharp pain.
- Rheumatism is sore muscles.
- Rheumatism is stiff joints.
- Rheumatism is a shifting pain.

All have declared—*Rheumatism is Pain.*

Sloan's Liniment applied:—

The blood begins to flow freely—the body's warmth is renewed—the congestion disappears—the pain is gone.

## Sloan's Liniment

KILLS PAIN (GUARANTEED)

Rheumatism and allied pains yield to the penetrating qualities of this warming liniment.

### \$1500 MUFF IS STOLEN

Woman Says Loss Was Discovered in Parlor of Hotel.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 28.—Mrs. S. C. Buntin, of the Aberdeen Apartments, 29 Dunbar King's Highway, widow of Daniel C. Buntin, wealthy contractor, reported to Chief of Detectives Alicker