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BORDER GUARD BY MEXICO AND U. S. PROPOSED

General Obregon Suggests That Both Countries Keep Forces on Their Own Side of Line to Suppress Raiders

LEADER OF RAIDERS IS REPORTED TO BE DEAD

American Troopers Said to Have Crossed Border in Pursuit of Band.

RAIDERS' LEADER KILLED

Marathon, Texas, May 10.—(U. P.)—Demetrio De La Garza, noted band leader, of the Glenn Springs raiders, was killed in a fight with two American cavalrymen at Deeners, Texas, yesterday, according to an American who arrived here today.

While the Mexicans were reported massing southwest of Boquillas, troops of the Eighth cavalry crossed the border this afternoon in a pursuit of the Glenn Springs bandits. A squadron of the Fourteenth cavalry will arrive at Boquillas tonight.

MANUEL BACA, VILLA COLONEL, DEAD AGAIN; THIS TIME CERTAINTY

Desire to Take Pretty Girl With Him Into Hiding Was His Undoing.

Senate Refuses to Yield on Army Bill

Conferees Unable to Agree, Senate Holding Out for Regular Army Plan, 250,000 and for Volunteer Army Plan.

Germany to Expel Critic of Gerard

Berlin, May 10.—(U. P.)—It is understood today that Edwin Emerson, an American correspondent, who wrote a harsh attack on Ambassador Gerard in a Berlin newspaper, has been expelled.

GENERAL OBREGON (right) and General Garcia, who have been in conference with Generals Scott and Funston relative to the dispersal of the Villa bands in Mexico. While Obregon, who was an astute lawyer before he was a soldier, is putting up his arguments, a large body of U. S. cavalry is on its way to reinforce the Americans who preceded them, as seen in the lower photograph.



ACTION BY U. S. NOT EXPECTED IN CASE OF BRITISH SHIP CYMRIC

No Change Reported; Administration Will Continue to Consider Attacks Illegal.

WIMBOURNE RESIGNS AS LORD LIEUTENANT, EXECUTIONS TO STOP

Asquith Announces He Hopes It Will Not Be Necessary to Shoot Any More Leaders.

Methodist Church To Have New Ritual

General Conference Transfers Ritual to Bishops; Resolutions Favoring National Consistory of Movies.

Bed Made New—Steamer for Sale

On Summer street there was a parrot. The bird whistled, talked and sang. It has disappeared. In other words, the owner sold it through a Journal Want Ad. Look over pages 15 and 16.

Business Directory

OLD mattresses and feather beds made into sanitary folding forms; feathers renovated.

Police Capture Man Whom Girl Lured to Phone

Trap Laid for Forger Suspect Who Had Eluded Authorities Last Night.

After dropping 30 feet from the third floor of the Hotel Euclid, at Eighteenth and Washington streets, last night and eluding police officers, who had surrounded the building, George F. Thorne, alleged forger who last week made his escape from the Vancouver jail by sawing through the bars with a manure file, fell into a trap set for him by the police this noon.

Thorne was arrested in the Buckingham hotel, Ella and Washington streets, while talking over the telephone to a girl whom the police had induced to get him to the telephone. The arrest was made by detectives Swennes and Maloney.

The detectives found that Thorne had been living at the Buckingham hotel for a week under the name of F. Terlow, having taken rooms there following his escape from the Vancouver jail.

While Thorne is now safely lodged in the city jail he says that he is going to commit suicide if he cannot escape the charges against him. He is being closely watched to see that he does not carry out his threats. He is being held for the Vancouver authorities.

Thorne is badly bruised as result of his escape from the third floor of the Hotel Euclid last night. In eluding the police Thorne used a cheap cotton clothesline rope. He had started to descend on this rope when the rope broke and he went down with a crash, landing in a pile of rubbish.

A male roomer in another hotel saw the man drop.

TWO TORPEDO BOATS OF GERMANY ENGAGE BRITISH DESTROYERS

One of Five Latter Vessels Is Severely Damaged, According to Berlin.

Berlin, (by wireless via Sayville, L. I.)—(U. P.)—Two German torpedo boats reconnoitering Monday off Ostend engaged five British destroyers, it was officially announced today. One of the enemy vessels was severely damaged. The Germans returned unharmed.

German Squadron Sighted. London, May 10.—(U. P.)—Norwegian ships sighted a large German squadron accompanied by submarines in the North Sea, according to a Copenhagen dispatch today. The message said that the German war vessels examined the merchantmen's papers.

Future Raids Not Feared. London, May 10.—(I. N. S.)—First Lord of the Admiralty, A. J. Balfour, in a letter addressed to the mayors of Yarmouth and Lowestoft says it is his belief that the recent German naval raids of the east and south coast of England were made merely to complete the deception perpetrated on the Irish revolutionary leaders.

He said that, "having duped the Irish revolutionary leaders to their destruction, the German government had admitted to complete the deception perpetrated on the Irish revolutionary leaders."

It is the fourth annual convention of the Religious Education association, regardless of creed, the convention's purpose is to stress the need of religious education and the development of the spiritual element in human life.

The opening session exemplified its modernity by taking up for discussion subjects that the forefathers were little worried by—the moral strain upon the nation.

Burnett May Lose Congressional Seat

Author of Immigration Bill Hard Pressed by Competitor in Primary, Latter Gaining Home County.

Bureau Chairmen Are Elected Today

All of the chairmen of the various bureaus of the Chamber of Commerce were re-elected at a meeting of the board of directors at noon today with one exception. Election was deferred for the chairmanship of the bureau of taxation and legislation, Franklin T. Griffith, incumbent. Mr. Griffith is now in the east, and the choice will be made on his return. The re-elected chairmen and their bureaus are as follows: Chairman, J. B. Yarn; Oregon development, H. L. Corbett; retail merchants, J. C. English; trade and commerce, Nathan Strauss; industries and manufactures, John Tait; grain standardization, M. H. Houser; publicity and conventions, J. C. Ainsworth; members' council, E. L. Thompson.

KAISER ADMITS TORPEDOING OF PACKET SUSSEX

Full Disavowal of Attack, Reparation to the Victims and Punishment of Submarine Officer Promised.

Washington, May 10.—(U. P.)—Germany's admission that a Teuton submarine attacked the channel packet Sussex was received at the state department today. The note said that the submarine commander had already been punished, but did not state what penalty had been inflicted.

In part, the note said: "The further investigation made by German naval authorities, on the basis of American material, has been concluded. The assumption expressed in the note of the tenth ultimo, that damage to the Sussex was traceable to causes other than attack by a German submarine cannot be maintained."

Convicted Sussex Torpedoed. "On the basis of American material, Germany cannot withhold its conviction that the ship torpedoed by a German submarine is in fact identical with the Sussex," the communication said. "There can no longer be any question of the possibility of two independent similar occurrences. Additional reason for this belief is constituted by the fact that officers of the American navy found fragments of an explosive in the Sussex hold described by them upon firm grounds as parts of a German torpedo."

Commander Acted Too Soon. "Counter-evidence deduced in the previous note from the difference in the appearance of the vessel which the submarine commander described, and the one which was actually seen, then available, has proven untenable. In view of the general impression of all the facts at hand, the German government considers beyond a doubt that the command was not bona fide."

On the other hand, it is undeniable that, misled by the appearance of the vessel, under the pressure of circumstances, the German commander acted too hurriedly and therefore did not act fully in accord with the strict instructions which called upon him to exercise particular care.

Secret Is Expressed. "In view of the circumstances, Germany frankly admits that assurances given America in accordance with which passenger vessels were not to be attacked without warning was not adhered to in the present case. The German government expresses its sincere regret regarding the deplorable incident, and declares its readiness to pay adequate indemnity to injured Americans. It also disapproves of the conduct of its submarine commander, who has been appropriately punished."

Foreign Minister von Jagow also expressed the hope that the American government would consider the Sussex case settled by these statements.

Full Disavowal for the attack, ample reparation for the victims and satisfactory punishment to the submarine commander will be given, the German embassy stated, when it learned that the Berlin government had admitted guilt. The pledge in the last German note made itself evident that there would be no hesitation in disavowing such an act.

No official could forecast the punishment imposed upon the commander. It was pointed out that maintenance of discipline in the German army for violation of instructions was important. The matter of giving indemnity will await the filing of American claims.

Evidence Found Conclusive

Chicago, May 10.—(I. N. S.)—The Tribune prints the following: "The attention at once, and the Ambassador Gerard by Foreign Minister von Jagow last night, Germany accepts full responsibility for the Sussex, announces that the submarine commander has been punished, and volunteers to indemnify the American interest."

German Death Lists Total Over 700,000

Wounded Number 1,761,310, and Prisoners and Missing 334,692—Naval and Colonial Losses Are Not Included.

London, May 10.—(I. N. S.)—German casualties in April were 91,162, according to official estimates given out here today, bringing the total since the war began to 2,822,073.

The statement follows: "Killed or died of wounds 17,455, died of sickness 2395, prisoners 19,221, missing 6217, severely wounded 14,527, wounded 460, slightly wounded 979, wounded remaining with units 5637, Total 91,162."

"These, added to those reported in previous months, including corrections reported in April, 1915, bring the totals reported in German official lists since the beginning of the war, to:

"Killed or died of wounds, 664,553, died of sickness 41,225, prisoners 157,798, missing 197,094, severely wounded 385,515, wounded 25,827, slightly wounded 1,023,212, wounded, remaining with units, 117,956. Total 2,822,073."

"These figures include all German nationalities—Prussians, Bavarians, Saxons and Wurtembergers. They do not include naval or colonial troops."

Spain Announces It Is to Be Neutral

Madrid, May 10.—(I. N. S.)—At the opening of parliament today King Alfonso declared Spain intended maintaining her neutrality in the great European struggle and would aid in every possible way in bringing about peace.

More Evidence to Be Taken in Brandeis Case

Investigation of Merger of Cigar and Drug Store Companies to Be Completed.

Washington, May 10.—(U. P.)—The senate judiciary committee today ordered its sub-committee to open hearings Friday on the qualifications of Louis D. Brandeis to serve as associate justice of the United States supreme court.

The whole committee met today in an effort to obtain definite action. It was expected that the sub-committee would complete its investigation of the uncompleted merger of the United Cigar and United Drug stores. George Anderson and Louis Liggett of Boston were subpoenaed to testify concerning the merger.

HALF ENTIRE FRENCH ARMY IS BEING USED IN DEFENDING VERDUN

Semi-Official Report Says No Less Than 800,000 Men Occupy Positions.

Berlin, May 10.—(U. P.)—(By Wireless Via Sayville, L. I.)—"While it is generally considered that attacks on fortified positions must be made with forces four times superior to those of the defenders, the Germans assaulting Verdun are really less than half as numerous as the French army, which has at that point not less than 800,000 men," said a semi-official war office statement today.

"This is half of the entire force which France still has at its disposal for active fighting. The second German attack on Verdun is based on the crushing effect of heavy German artillery. The French are unable to compete with Germany in artillery and ammunition. The enormous French losses last night, partly to the effect of the artillery and partly to the tenacity of the French, who refuse to abandon their trenches."

Major Morath in reviewing the situation pointed out that German successes had been gained against armies numerically superior. The Austrians, he said, held an Italian force of twice their strength helpless in the trenches.

Artillery Fire Lessening

Paris, May 10.—(I. N. S.)—Artillery fire is lessening about Verdun, while infantry fighting was entirely lacking last night, today's communique announced.

Artillery fire lessening in the forest of Avocourt, south of Fort Douaumont.

The Germans suffered a reverse when they attempted a surprise attack last night between the Oise and the Aisne south of Moulins, the communique states, the French being on their guard and beating back the attack.

Alaska Railroad Has No Work for Labor

Lieutenant Mears of Railroad Commission Issues Warning, Saying Present Supply Is Sufficient for All Needs.

Seward, Alaska, May 10.—(P. N. S.)—Owing to the tremendous influx of labor at Anchorage, Lieutenant Frederick Mears of the Alaska engineer commission today issued a statement warning laborers, both skilled and unskilled, that there are no jobs to be obtained on the United States railroad.

"There is an ample supply of labor at Anchorage to meet all present and prospective requirements for several weeks to come," said Lieutenant Mears, "and it is inadvisable for any more laborers or mechanics to come to Alaska with the idea of securing employment."

T. R. Disapproves Of Wilson's Note

Colonel Says He Has "No Interest in Ultimatums That Fail to Ultimatum, and Note Up to Wilson Standard."

New York, May 10.—(U. P.)—"I have no interest in ultimatums that fail to ultimatum," said Colonel Theodore Roosevelt today in commenting on President Wilson's rejoinder to the German submarine concessions. "The Wilson note," he added, "was up to his usual standard."

England Declines To Hear Peace Talk

London, May 10.—(U. P.)—Replying to the recent Berlin peace hints, Home Secretary Samuels today declared that Great Britain would consider no peace until Germany was defeated.

COMING OREGON PRIMARY GAINS NEW INTEREST

Coming of Senator Cummins to Campaign, Contesting Ground With Burton and Hughes Adds Interest

HUGHES COUP EXPECTED TO BE POINT OF ATTACK

He Thinks Jurist's Candidacy Should Not Be Cloaked With Sanctity.

Washington, May 10.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—The presidential primary in Oregon is viewed with particular interest since Senator Cummins announced that he would go into that state for a week, contesting the ground with Justice Hughes and ex-Senator Burton.

A month ago Senator Cummins was fully decided not to go out campaigning. Several reasons are understood to have entered into his change of mind and decided him to cross the continent in an effort to win the 10 votes of Oregon.

The Iowa senator hopes to enter the convention with a larger pledged vote than any other candidate. He stands at the head of the list of instructed voters today. With Oregon and a few other pickups, his position in this respect will be certain, his friends assert, and they lay emphasis upon the lead attained in the primary states of the west, where President Wilson is known to be strong.

Challenge From Burton. Another reason for the Cummins interest is that former Senator Burton made a campaigning trip through Oregon, and his name is on the ballot there, although in other western states Burton has vetoed the use of his name. This is accepted as a challenge to a test of strength such as has not been given elsewhere.

Yet another reason is the entry of the name of Justice Hughes, the only state in the union where the New York-

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PERSONAL INVECTIVE EXCHANGES BETWEEN JUDGE AND LAWYER

Judge McGinn and Ex-United States Senator Fulton Have Verbal Clash in Court.

Ex-Senator C. W. Fulton and Judge Henry E. McGinn created a sensation in circuit court this morning, when they exchanged bitter personal invectives.

The suit brought by J. T. Beach, bookkeeper, against the Oregon Sea Food company to collect \$120 salary, was being tried before a jury. In the midst of the plaintiff's case, which was being handled by Attorney M. B. Meacham, Judge McGinn interrupted.

"You might as well stop right here," declared Judge McGinn. "Justice demands that this man get his money."

Then, addressing ex-Senator Fulton, who was attorney for the Sea Food company, the judge said: "Senator Fulton, a man of your standing ought to be ashamed of himself to be defending a case of this kind."

"You cannot hand me anything like that," replied Mr. Fulton. "I have my rights in this court, as well as you. You are debating the temple of justice. You ought to be ashamed of yourself for talking about justice in this way, when a man has hung about the perils of vice as much as I."

"Perhaps I have," retorted Judge McGinn. "We both have. Any man who is at the head of a political ring like yours in Astoria ought not to come in here and preach."

The controversy subsided and Judge McGinn let the case proceed. The testimony was completed, the arguments were made and the case went to the jury just at noon.

Beach had been employed as bookkeeper by the United Fisheries company when that concern was taken over by the Oregon Sea Food company. His salary had been \$80 a month. He worked during April, May and June of 1915, and was paid only \$40 a month by the latter company. He sued for the balance. The defense was that an agreement had been made whereby the Oregon Sea Food company was only to pay him \$40 a month.

Senate Conferees Plan to Surrender

Will Give in on Federal Reserve Army Bill but Will Seek More and Enlarged Summer Training Camps.

Washington, May 10.—(U. P.)—Senate members of the balance. The defense was a conference committee on the army measure planned today to surrender on the federal reserve army bill. They will seek more summer volunteer training camps, and will try to have them enlarged.