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SOUTHERN ARIZONA IS SWEEPED BY FLOODS AND MUCH DAMAGE IS DONE

AT LEAST THREE PERSONS HAVE LOST THEIR LIVES IN SWOLLEN RIVERS.

Property Losses Are Big—Many Homes Are Swept Away and Livestock Is Drowned in Large Numbers—Passengers on Southern Pacific Train Are Surrounded by Waters.

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 24.—Floods, the result of a week of practically unbroken rainfall, inflicted severe damage on nearly the entire area of the state lying between Phoenix and the Mexican border. Three persons, so far as known have lost their lives; livestock by hundreds of head has been drowned; ranch houses and city residences wrecked or washed away by torrents roaring through what are normally dry arroyos and traffic by rail, highway and wire either has been badly crippled or completely suspended.

A Southern Pacific train loaded with passengers still is marooned somewhere near Nogales. Floods completely surround it.

More Destruction Threatened.

The most serious damage seems to have been suffered in that part of the Santa Cruz valley lying 10 miles south of here. The Santa Cruz river, swollen by the almost continuous rain of the past seven days, attained a width of more than 1 1/2 miles to-day and the crest of the flood, after sweeping through Amado and the farming region round about, reached Tucson, wiping out bridges and houses and threatening to work further destruction.

Dozens of ranch dwellings were destroyed in the vicinity of Amado. Two Mexicans were drowned there after they had hung in the branches of trees for hours awaiting rescue. A United States soldier was reported to have been drowned in a big wash at Naco.

JOYFUL

Following his annual custom, J. F. Robinson, proprietor of the Domestic Laundry, last evening banqueted his employees at the French restaurant. Covers were laid for thirty and a very enjoyable time was had about the Christmas board.

Mrs. NeSmith Ankeny returned yesterday from Walla Walla where she was attending her mother, Mrs. Caroline Evers, who has been very ill in a hospital there. She brings the news that her mother is improving.

Miss Sunshine Gelvin, formerly of this city and who has been recently making her home with her brother, Rev. Harry Gelvin, in Pilot Rock, spent last night in the city as the guest of Mrs. L. F. Lampkin and left this morning for Portland to spend the holidays with friends.

Mrs. A. Baumelster of Astoria, Washington, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. William L. Thompson.

A baby son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Polson.

On Tuesday evening the annual installation of the officers of the Eastern Star lodge was held and following the ceremonies the members were most enjoyably surprised with a clam and oyster banquet tendered by Mrs. T. M. Henderson, E. O. Parker, J. U. Temple, J. A. Best and R. E. Ringo, all members of the order, in accordance with an annual custom they have established. Mrs. T. M. Henderson acted as installing officer and Mrs. R. H. Wilcox as marshal. The following were the officers inducted into office: Mrs. Frank Salling, worthy matron; R. C. Bean, worthy patron; Mrs. Mary E. Cooley, assistant matron; Mrs. Mary R. Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Minnie Brown, treasurer; Mrs. Phyllis Miller, conductor; Pauline Jones, assistant conductor; Mrs. W. A. Borie, chaplain; Mrs. Lillian Best, marshal; Edith Baker, organist; Quindara Wilcox, Adah; Mrs. Alice Simmons, Ruth; Florence Forshaw, Esther; Beale Wyrick, Martha; Mrs. Laura Tweedy, Elector; Alice Forshaw, warder; Frank Salling, sentinel.

Lowell Rogers and family and Frank Rogers left for Pullman Washington, yesterday in response to a message telling of the death of Mrs. R. A. Price, mother of the Messrs Rogers, at her home there Tuesday afternoon. She had been ill for some time past. Mrs. Price for many years was a resident of the Athens and Weston vicinities and was well known throughout the county. Besides the two sons here, she is survived by three other sons, Chance Rogers of Weston, Fred Rogers of Colfax and J. L. Rogers of Lewiston, two daughters, Mrs. George McDonald of Pullman and Mrs. Ed Susse of Athens. The body will be brought to Walla Walla for interment tomorrow.

Wilson Plans Christmas.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—President Wilson will pass Christmas quietly here with his daughters. It will be the first Christmas day he has celebrated in the White House. Last year he was at Pass Christian, Miss.

Mrs. Francis B. Sayre is expected here from her home at Williamstown, Mass., for a long visit at the White House.

The president has completed arrangements for distributing about 125 turkeys to employees at the White House, following a custom established many years ago.

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NEW YORK OWNERS OF SHIPS SEE A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY AHEAD

OCEAN FREIGHTERS TO BE ABLE TO PAY FOR THEMSELVES IN 2 VOYAGES.

Uncertainty of Treatment of Vessels Causes Caution, However—Sling Prison Will Be Made Attractive—Convicts Will Be Given Self-Government—Other Views.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Opportunities for ship owners here whose vessels have not been interned by reason of being under the flag of one of another of the belligerent nations to reap a golden harvest have assumed such proportions that a fortune might be made in a comparatively few voyages by an ocean carrier. Not in many years have ocean freight rates touched the high mark which they now occupy. Two-and-a-half cents a pound is being offered for the transportation of cotton to continental European ports—a rate at which the carriage of a single cargo would pay half the cost of the ordinary freighter. Similar rates are offered on many other products which the United States is anxious to sell and Europe is equally anxious to buy. The fly in the ship owners' ointment, however, is the uncertainty as to what will happen to his vessel when she sets forth across the Atlantic, no matter how innocent her cargo may be.

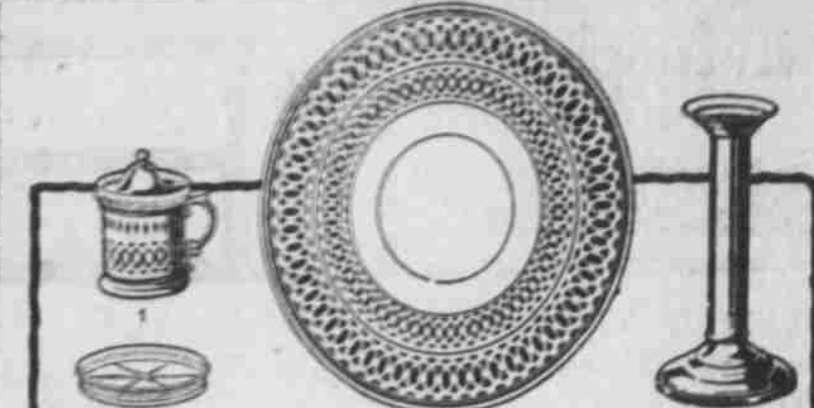
While apparently German cruisers have been cleared from the eastern ocean as a result of the recent naval engagement off the Falkland Islands a big patrol fleet of British warships is maintaining a rigid scrutiny of vessels arriving at or leaving American ports, which could hardly be more effective if an actual war blockade were in force. On the other side of the Atlantic a similar guard is maintained. Ships under the American flag with neutral cargoes and bound to neutral ports have been repeatedly held up, diverted from their courses, seized and held for such long periods of time as to inflict serious loss on their owners.

Ships of other neutral nations suffer the same treatment of course. Attempts of American business interests to secure through the federal authorities some definition of the rights of neutrals have been unavailing, shipping men say, and the proposal has been put forward for the creation of an alliance among the nations not involved in the war to protect neutral rights. Meanwhile the more conservative shipping men hesitate to risk their ships and the lives of their crews even though the enormous rates now offered strongly tempt them. Practically the only ships that can ply the Atlantic unimpeded under present conditions are those that fly the British flag and these are reaping a rich harvest.

New York's famous Sing Sing prison is to be the ideal penal institution of the state or the reform plans of the new warden must be pronounced a failure. That great changes have already taken place in the prison was demonstrated several days ago when for the first time in the history of the institution not a single convict violated a rule. Sing Sing inmates who formerly counted themselves the most unfortunate of those kept under confinement now may be said to have everything they want except their liberty. Under the new plan the men practically are put on their honor. A trial court of convicts will be allowed to pass on cases of insubordination and infraction of the rules. In other words a "Convict Republic" will be set up and so far as the men make it possible they are to be allowed to govern themselves. Among the many reforms requested by the Golden Rule Brotherhood, the convicts organization, those granted by the new warden up to date are as follows: Moving picture show will be held on Sunday instead of Saturday afternoon whenever such arrangements do not interfere with religious services. Members of the Brotherhood in good standing may receive visitors on Sundays and holidays. Prisoners' correspondence no longer will be restricted to the list furnished by them on arrival at the prison, subject to the customary examination and regulation. Postage stamps may be bought with funds on deposit. Heretofore prisoners had to depend on friends or relatives for stamps. Daily newspapers may be retained so long as they are not permitted to accumulate in cells, passages or yards. Members of the Brotherhood may receive sweaters of prison gray and shoes from the outside.

No two men, except in cases of father and son or two brothers, and then only when request is made, will be "doubled" in a single cell. Places in the dormitory will be given first of all to men who are suffering from heart trouble, epilepsy, and who are crippled. Lights in the cell block and dormitory may be kept on until 10 o'clock so that those who desire may read or study. This request was put to a vote in the dormitory where more than one man was concerned. The dormitory men voted for the privilege by 159 to 29.

As a result of a year's experiment upon the students of a New York university by ventilation experts in an experimental air chamber, so called "bad air" has received scientific endorsement. According to the reports of the investigators which have just been issued, stagnant air at the same temperature as fresh air, even when it contains twenty or more parts of carbon dioxide and all the organic and other substances in breathed air of occupied rooms, has no effect on any of the physiological responses or on the power of inclination to do physical or mental work nor on the sensations or comforts of the subjects breathing it. According to the experts' conclusions, the only ill effect of stagnant air is a loss of



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- No. 3a.—Same, 9-inch 12.00
- No. 4.—Candle Stick, 6-inches high 4.00
- No. 5.—Salt and Pepper Pair, 2.00
- No. 6.—Comparte, Plain 6.50
- No. 6a.—Comparte, same, Pierced 6.50
- No. 7.—Individual Almonds Set of 6 4.75
- No. 8.—Bon Bon Dishes 5.00

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PROF. LIVINGSTON ENDS HIS LIFE AT FOREST GROVE

WELL KNOWN EDUCATOR, RESPONDENT, JUMPS IN RIVER AND IS DROWNED.

FOREST GROVE, Ore., Dec. 24.—Ill health for five years, resulting in despondency and a temporary derangement of the mind, ended the life of Professor J. W. Livingston, formerly president of the Platville, Wis. normal school and formerly an instructor in the Oregon normal school at Monmouth, when he jumped off the bridge over Gales creek in Hoffman Park and was drowned.

Mr. Livingston came here from Wisconsin five years ago, broken in health. For a time he improved and two years ago taught in the Monmouth normal school, but soon was compelled to give up all labor owing to his nervous condition.

Mr. Livingston was 54 years of age and is survived by a widow, four sons and one daughter, one of the sons being a teacher at Pendleton, Ore.

GOOD SUGGESTION TO PENDLETON PEOPLE

It is surprising the amount of old, foul matter the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-Lka, drains from the system. This remedy became famous by curing appendicitis and acts on BOTH the upper and lower bowel so thoroughly that ONE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation almost IMMEDIATELY. We are mighty glad we are Pendleton agents for Adler-Lka. Tallman & Co., druggists.—Adv.

Shugrue May Get Revenge.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Young Shugrue of Jersey City will meet Kid Lewis of England tonight in a ten round bout at Madison square Garden. This is the second meeting of the pair, Lewis having gained a decision over the Jerseyman in a twenty round scrap in Australia. The match scheduled for tonight was arranged by Matchmaker Jimmy Johnston immediately after the recent Shugrue-Welsh affair in which Shugrue was given a newspaper decision over the champion.

MATTY DENIES HE WILL MANAGE N. Y. YANKEES



Christy Mathewson, veteran twirler of the New York Giants, who has denied that he is to be involved in a deal whereby he will become manager of the New York Yankees.

SEATTLE OFFICERS ROUND UP COUNTERFEITERS

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 23.—With the arrest of Mrs. Ava Harris and the recovery of \$2525 in counterfeit \$5 and \$10 coins from the waters of Elliot bay, Captain Thomas B. Foster, United States secret service agent, says he believes he has rounded up the last of a gang of counterfeiters

that has operated on the Pacific coast for the last nine years.

Captain Foster, Deputy Marshal Powers, Captain Hohenberg and Engineer Pinkham of the launch "Scout" dragged the waters of the bay for two packages of spurious coins which had been dropped near the Union Oil company's plant. After an all-afternoon search the officers, appearing with large flashlights, finally brought to the surface a package containing \$2525 tied in a towel.

The money was dropped into the bay, according to McDevitt, following the arrest in Tacoma of George Kane on a charge of passing counterfeit \$5 coins. Captain Foster recognized Kane as Henry Hargens, a man with a criminal record extending over a period of years.

Hargens' arrest was followed by the arrest of James Harris, husband of Mrs. Harris, who is a stepdaughter of Hargens. Hargens is wanted in California on a counterfeiting charge. It is declared by the federal authorities.

CONGRESS CLEARS DESKS FOR ARMY-NAVY FIGHT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—When congress today took a recess over the holidays, it had progressed well along the line toward disposition of at least two of its appropriation measures. The District of Columbia appropriations has already been passed, and the legislative measure is about ready to go to the senate.

House members today were primed for the big fight anticipated on the army and navy appropriation. This should be in full blast soon after the legislators return for work on January 4. All indications today pointed to the bitterest contest of the short session, although administration supporters will endeavor to put a check on too much argument from the republican side and from militaristic members of the democratic side.

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Layoff Boon to Forger

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 23.—Forged checks amounting to \$2500 were cashed in Boise by merchants who did not learn until this morning that they had been swindled.

Several foreigners cashed the checks which were of pink bond paper in perfect imitation of the Intermountain Railway Company's checks, and all bore the supposed signature of E. M. Hoover.

The checks, ranging from \$20.15 to \$25.00, were drawn on the First National Bank, and were stamped with the same kind of photostereograph used by the railway company. The checks were cashed at a time when men employed on the railroad were being let out on account of bad weather.

The "tree of light" which has brightened Madison Square for two Christmases has just been set up again. It will be surrounded by a "Star of Peace." The custom of putting up a tree of light in one of Gotham's parks, as well as in the parks of many other cities, each Christmas week was originated several years ago by the "Idealistic Group" as they were called. The names of the contributors to the fund and those immediately in charge have never been made public. Great success has crowned the efforts of the "group" for trees were put up last year in 150 cities and this year there will be many more.

Gotham's tree which was grown on Long Island is truly wonderful as to size and symmetry. It will be lighted for the first time at 5:30 o'clock Christmas Eve and will continue to brighten the Square until New Year's night. It has been customary to have concerts at the foot of the tree every night, but owing to the fact that many demands are being made upon the generous public this year, not only abroad, but also at home, this feature will be curtailed to some degree. Much however has been assured for Christmas and New Year's night by one of New York's leading conductors. It is hoped that the committee in charge will be enabled to obtain music for one or two other evenings.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED SORE, ACHING FEET

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet, swollen, bad smelling, sweaty feet. No more pain in corns, callouses or bunions. No matter what ails your feet. It or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ." "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous excretions which puff up the feet; "TIZ" is magical; "TIZ" is grand; "TIZ" will cure your foot troubles so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore, swollen or tired. Get a 25 cent box at any drug or department store, and get relief.

