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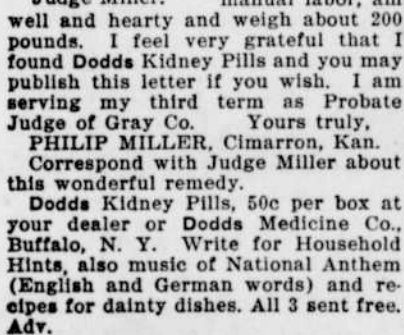
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**From Mrs. J. D. Murdoch, Quincy, Mass.**  
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Fletcherism at the Zoo.  
A little Boston girl, who had frequently been admonished by her parents as to the evils resulting from hurried mastication of foods, was, on a recent visit to New York, taken by an uncle to the zoo in the Bronx. Among the beasts that particularly claimed her attention were the camels. She watched them long and earnestly as they munched huge bunches of grass, and then turned to her uncle. "Uncle," said she, "what a treat it would be for father and mother and Professor Fletcher to see those camels chewing all day!"—Harper's Monthly.

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Good Memory.  
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"Oh, that's all right, old chap—but might I trouble you again?"—The Tattler.

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The new president of the New Haven railway system, speaking of socialism recently and its conflict with the innate disposition of man to become acquisitive, quoted "somebody or other," according to the Los Angeles Times, as having furnished the following revision of the "Seven Ages of Man":

Home Mechanics.  
The automobile is getting all the improvements. A self-starting furnace would help a heap.

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## TRIES TO KILL MAYOR MITCHELL

Assassin's Bullet Barely Misses New York's Executive.

Resentment of "Extravagant Expenditures" and Failure to Get City Job Is Reason.

New York—In an attempt to take the life of Mayor John Purroy Mitchell, Michael P. Mahoney, an apparently irresponsible elderly man, who later said he was a blacksmith out of work, fired into a group of three men seated in the mayor's automobile, which stood at the east side of City Hall park.

The bullet from his revolver entered the jaw of the corporation counsel, Frank L. Polk, who was sitting next to the mayor in the tonneau of the automobile. With blood spurting from his mouth, Mr. Polk was taken into the city hall and afterward to the New York hospital, where it was said the wound would not prove fatal.

Mahoney shot at the mayor, he asserted in the course of a disjointed statement, because he felt aggrieved at the city executive's "extravagant expenditures" and because he was incensed at being turned back from the door of the mayor's room in the city hall on two occasions this week when he went to apply for a municipal job.

Mahoney fired only one shot at the mayor and his party. Before he could fire a second he was overcome by Detective George Neun, who wrenched the revolver out of Mahoney's hand.

The mayor sat in the middle of the back seat, with Mr. Polk on his right and George V. Mullan, the mayor's former law partner, on his left. The bullet passed so close to Mayor Mitchell that the left side of his face was scorched. Standing within a few feet of Mahoney was Police Commissioner Woods, who was waiting for the chauffeur to get into the car.

Within 30 seconds after the shooting the City Hall plaza and Park Row were flooded with a surging crowd and police reserves were called out.

As soon as he had seen that Mr. Polk received medical attention Mayor Mitchell went to the police station in the basement of the city hall, where Mahoney had been taken, and questioned him.

"Why did you shoot at me?" he asked Mahoney. The mayor seemed as calm as if nothing had happened. The prisoner's answer was incoherent and to the effect that he had nothing to say. Cowering before his questioners, he seemed hardly to know what he had done. He was slim and gaunt, wore a ragged fringe of white beard and was clad in an ill-fitting suit.

It was believed at the time that the corporation counsel had lost most of his lower teeth, but a later report said that only one tooth had been knocked out, and the wound was not serious.

## Rebels Return Arms Taken From American Visitors

Douglas, Ariz.—With a severe reprimand administered by Colonel A. M. Guerrero, constitutionalist commander along the Sonora border, to the captain of the squad which deprived four Arizona militia officers of their side arms Wednesday, and the return of the swords Saturday, the incident was closed.

When Governors Hunt, of Arizona, and McDonald, of New Mexico, crossed the border Wednesday to visit the Agua Prieta border guards took the side arms of the officers. It has been customary here to lay aside weapons when crossing the line.

In his defense of his action the captain of the guard said the Agua Prieta military authorities had not been notified in advance about the visit of the governors and he thought the advance of Arizona military and citizens was a possible outcome of the Tampico incident. When he saw 14 automobiles filled with men coming from Douglas with officers carrying swords, he believed at first it was an attacking party.

The captain apologized for the affront he said he had offered the two governors and their aides.

**"Mileage" Is Cast Out.**  
Washington, D. C.—The house struck the time-honored "mileage" allowances for congressmen out of the legislative appropriation bill Saturday and provided for actual expenses of members to and from Washington. The senate has yet to agree to the proposal. All the representatives from the Northwest except Bryan, of Washington, and French, of Idaho, voted in favor of continuing, payment at the rate of 20 cents a mile, and both Bryan and French supported 20-cent mileage until Saturday.

**Umatilla Road Planned.**  
Pendleton, Or.—A hard surface road from Umatilla to Pendleton as a link in the Columbia River Highway is to be urged upon the County Court as a result of a booster convention held at Hermiston Thursday afternoon. A score of Pendleton business men were present. Delegates represented Umatilla, Hermiston, Stanfield and Echo. Candidates for county judge and commissioners were also present.

The distance from Umatilla to Pendleton is approximately 45 miles.

**Strike Delays Terminal.**  
Kansas City—Four hundred plumbers, electricians, gas fitters and mangle finishers, employed in the construction of a railway station here, struck Saturday by order of the building trades council, which protested against the alleged unfairness on the part of one of the firms.

**Helena Assay Office Cut Out.**  
Washington, D. C.—Appropriations for the assay office at Helena, Mont., were stricken out of the legislative bill by the house Saturday. An effort will be made to have the senate restore them.

## President Asks Approval of "Measures Short of War"

Washington, D. C., April 20.—The Mexican crisis today awaited President Wilson's presentation of the situation to congress.

House and senate leaders were early at the White House to learn the details of the President's plans so they might prepare the necessary resolutions putting congress squarely behind the President and giving him full authority to act. While the President's plans were not officially disclosed, it was conceded in official circles that he would ask congress to authorize what are known in international law as "measures short of war," which, while not being a declaration of war on the part of the United States, might be so construed by Huerta.

According to best-informed officials these would consist of the following:  
1—Seizure of the ports of Tampico and Vera Cruz.  
2—Seizure of the Mexican gunboats in those waters.  
3—Seizure of the railroad from Vera Cruz to the Mexican capital to a point including a trestle 20 miles west of Vera Cruz, to prevent the route to the Mexican capital being blocked.

4—Probably a request for a special appropriation to carry out these measures. The latter point, however, was not definitely decided.

Rear Admiral Badger's ships will be at Tampico, early Wednesday, according to latest calculations. Secretary Bryan left his early conference with the President, saying the situation was unchanged, that no new dispatches had been received and that nothing but a complete breakdown by Huerta could stop the Washington government's plan of action.

The attitude of Carranza and Villa, the secretary said, he considered very favorable, and did not expect any complicating developments from that phase of the situation.

The general comment among congressmen was in hearty support of the President and the possibilities of action. Some, however, dissented from the President's plan. Republican Leader Mann, of the house, has issued a statement saying he is not in sympathy with the movement, and Senator Brewster commented adversely on the administration's attitude.

According to official advices, Americans in Mexico are already beginning to leave. Officials understood that hundreds of Americans left Mexico City yesterday for Vera Cruz.

The State Department, through O'Shaughnessy and by direct messages from Bryan to American consuls throughout Mexico, has warned all Americans to leave. Such protection as the United States has undertaken to extend to foreigners will not be afforded.

## APRIL IS WAR MONTH IN UNITED STATES HISTORY

April has been a war month through the history of the United States. Four of this nation's great wars, and four smaller ones, have begun in April.

The revolt of the colonies began on April 19, 1775. The war with Mexico started on April 24, 1845. Hostilities in the Civil war broke out on April 12, 1861, with the firing on Fort Sumpter. The Spanish-American war began on April 21, 1898.

Of the lesser wars, the Black Hawk Indian war, the Apache, Navajo and Utah war, and the Seminole Indian war all started in April. The Philippine insurrection came to a head in April, 1899.

## Germans Are Ready to Uphold Wilson's Stand

New York, April 20.—The Mexican situation was referred to at the dinner last night of the Associated German Military societies, celebrating the 50th anniversary of the battle of Dupepel, securing Schleswig-Holstein to Germany.

"The measures so far taken by the President," said Adolph G. Koelbe, president of the societies, "are most certainly approved by the German societies, and should war come, I am sure that we shall prove ourselves worthy of those who, this day 50 years ago, fought and fell for the honor of the Fatherland."

**Aeroplanes Collide, Two Die.**  
Rue, France—Aviator Francois De Roy and Marcel Dablin, who was making a flight with him, were burned to death as a result of a collision in the air. Thousands of spectators witnessed the accident. DeRoy's machine and another piloted by Aviator Bedouit, with a passenger, M. Falladeau, collided in mid-air. Evidently the gasoline tanks exploded, for both machines burst into flames and plunged to the earth. De Roy and Dablin were pinned down and the intense heat prevented rescuers from approaching.

**Treaty Basis Agreed On.**  
Washington, D. C.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice and Secretary Bryan discussed recently the outline of the peace commission treaty to bind the United States and Great Britain to submit to a commission for arbitration any issues between the two countries which may not yield to diplomatic adjustment. The ambassadors visited the department twice and on his last call was able to lay before Secretary Bryan a tentative draft of the convention as prepared in the British foreign office.

**Rebels Plan to Take Tampico.**  
Juarez, April 20.—Orders for an immediate renewal of the rebel attack on Tampico with the purpose of capturing the town at the earliest possible moment were issued last night. The desirability of speed said to have been emphasized in the order has given rise to rumors that when the American warships start to enforce President Wilson's orders at Tampico they will find not federal but friendly rebels in possession.

**Torpedo Boat Destroyers Sail.**  
Pensacola, Fla., April 20.—Orders were received early today directing the flotilla of 20 torpedo boat destroyers here to put to sea immediately, meeting Rear Admiral Badger's fleet in the Gulf and accompanying it to Tampico.

## PACIFIC FLEET ORDERED SOUTH

Demonstration On West Coast of Mexico As Precaution.

San Diego To Be Base of Operations—Huerta Would Arbitrate, But Now Too Late.

Washington, D. C.—A naval demonstration on the Pacific coast of Mexico was decided on Thursday by the administration. It was declared, however, that while the Atlantic fleet went primarily to obtain reparation for the incidents at Tampico, the Pacific fleet was ordered south chiefly as a precautionary measure should serious emergencies arise.

Rear Admiral Howard, on the Pacific coast, as well as Rear Admiral Badger has been ordered subject to further orders. The additional ships ordered for service on the Mexican west coast will bring the force of warships there up to 18, with a personnel of 5000 men, including a regiment of 900 marines.

The armored cruiser Pittsburg will take marines to San Diego, which is to be used as a base, and will go into reserve after manning the cruisers Cleveland and Chattanooga.

The armored cruiser Maryland, the cruisers Cleveland and Chattanooga, the transport Buffalo and the colliers Jupiter and Saturn will increase the force on the West coast to 12, with five torpedo-boat destroyers and their tender, the Iris, standing by for orders at San Pedro, Cal.

The cruiser Denver is at Corinto, Nicaragua, and available for Mexican service. The six vessels already on the West coast of Mexico are the armored cruiser California and supply ship Glacier, at Acapulco, and the cruiser Raleigh and gunboat Annapolis at Mazatlan, both points being held by the federals, while the cruiser New Orleans and gunboat Yorktown are at Topolobampo, held by the constitutionalists.

It was learned Thursday that General Huerta, when apprised by Charge O'Shaughnessy of the proposed demonstration of the Atlantic fleet, declared that the episode growing out of the arrest of the American bluejackets at Tampico was a fit subject for arbitration at The Hague and that he would appoint a commission to investigate the incident.

President Wilson, in an emphatic reply through Charge O'Shaughnessy, is understood to have told General Huerta that the time for delay and evasion had passed and that the American government would temporize no longer. Administration officials hold that insults to the flag and questions of national honor are not subjects for arbitration.

All information that reached Washington from Mexico City tended to show that General Huerta was unconvinced that the United States was in earnest and thought the Washington government was bluffing.

## Britain Extends Sympathy; Delay Has Caused Crisis

London—Most of the London morning papers in their editorial comment on the Mexican situation, display sympathy with President Wilson. General Huerta that the time for delay and evasion had passed and that the American government would temporize no longer. Administration officials hold that insults to the flag and questions of national honor are not subjects for arbitration.

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## Bridge Act Held Valid

Olympia, Wash.—The State Supreme court Thursday held valid the 1913 law permitting counties and cities or the state itself to join with another county, city or state to build a bridge across a stream serving as a boundary. This means that the \$500,000 bond issue authorized by Clarke county to pay part of the cost of the \$1,250,000 bridge over the Columbia River between Vancouver and Portland is valid and the contracts can be entered into by the county. The last hindrance to the building of the bridge is gone.

## Support Repeal of Canal Tolls

Washington, D. C.—Support for the proposed repeal of the Panama canal tolls exemption clause was given Saturday before the senate canal committee by representatives of the New York organization of commerce, who said their organization, made up of representative business men, had approved of the repeal by an overwhelming majority. Their testimony caused a wordy conflict between Senator Brewster, opposing repeal, and Edward E. Page, a member of the chamber and the New York Merchant's association.

## Fireman Needs No Truck

Eugene, Or.—When the Eugene motor fire truck was wrecked while turning a corner on a slippery pavement, Fireman H. D. Briggs picked himself up, seized a hand extinguisher, snatched a motorcycle from a passerby and continued to the fire, arriving in time to save the house, which had caught fire from electric wiring.

**\$27,000 Goes In Swindle.**  
Buffalo, N. Y.—George Creestingsen, a Williamsville farmer, who reported to the police that he had been swindled out of \$12,000 by a confidence man, said that in all the swindle had relieved him of \$27,000. The swindler made two trips to Buffalo, getting \$15,000 on the first trip.

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"I was kept in bed with sciatica since the first of February, but I had almost instant relief when I tried your Liniment."—W. H. Hawkins, Frankfort, Ky.  
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"As a user of your Liniment for the last 15 years, I can say it is one of the best on the market. Fifteen years ago I sprained my ankle and had to use crutches, and the doctors said I would always be lame. A friend advised me to try your Liniment and after using it night and morning for three months I could walk without a cane and run as good as any of the other fellows in my department. I have never been without a bottle since that time."—Mr. William H. Brown, General Supt., N. Y.



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