

Mexicans Cross Line and Capture U.S. Troopers, According to Douglas Wires

Mexican Matters Cause Hot Fight in Senate Today

United Press Service
DOUGLAS, Ariz., Jan. 19.—It is reported that a band of Villistas crossed the border last night, and captured seven American cavalrymen with their horses and full equipment.
 The cavalrymen, according to the report, were taken by the Mexicans in the direction of Casas Grandes, Chihuahua, after being disarmed.
 Fifty men of the Thirteenth cavalry are reported to have gone into Mexico in pursuit.

United Press Service
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.—As yet, the war department has received no confirmation of the reported capture of seven American cavalrymen by Mexicans near Douglas last night.

United Press Service
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.—After an unusually hot fight before the senate committee on foreign relations, the administration partisans today succeeded in keeping further discussion of the Mexican situation from the senate floor.
 Senator Sherman introduced a resolution requesting the president to inform the senate if any agreement with any other American power had been reached whereby America was not to act in Mexico without the other power's approval of the program.
 Not only was the majority of the senate foreign relations committee against reporting favorably on any intervention resolution, but Senator Borah of Idaho, leader of the opposition, was so impressed with the strength of the administration's adherents on this matter that he announced that he would not force a discussion of the matter on the floor of the senate until he is reinforced.
 The house foreign committee also took action similar to that of the senate. Action on the Dyer and Mose resolutions, providing for intervention, was postponed indefinitely.

MAMADO FREED OF THE CHARGE

A verdict of not guilty was returned last night by the jury in the Mamado case. Albert Mamado was arrested November 24th on charge of stealing automobile casings, and the casings were found in his house when a search was made.
 Mamado contended that he bought

these casings from a transient, and that he did not know they were stolen goods. E. L. Elliott appeared for Mamado.
 The conclusion of the Mamado case marked the close of the law proceedings for some time. The jurors have all been excused, and equity matters are receiving the attention of the circuit court.

RATE FIGHT TO BE UP TONIGHT

BUSINESS MEN WILL HOLD IMPORTANT SESSION, DISCUSSING SEVERAL MATTERS OF CONCERN TO THE CITY

An important meeting of the Klamath Business Men's Association will be held this evening at the city hall. Matters of interest to all will be discussed, and a full attendance is expected.

Matters relating to the coming fight for lower freight rates will come up for attention. The necessary funds for the campaign have been raised, and the plan of action has been practically decided upon.

Another matter to receive attention tonight will be the "Pay-Up Week," to be held in February. The merchants will give this event wide publicity, and seek to get all interested in the success of this popular method of keeping Old Man Prosperity as a prominent citizen.

Commercial Club at Work to Get Movie Plants Here

Editor Evening Herald:
 Dear Sir—Replying to your editorial comment of last evening suggesting that the Commercial Club take steps to secure for Klamath county some of the moving picture companies that contemplate leaving Los Angeles, beg to advise that this matter has al-

ready been taken up by the organization, and the possibilities of this district as a future location called to the attention of these people.
 Any encouraging information received along this line will be made public immediately.
FRED E. FLEET,
 Manager Klamath Commercial Club.

Wants the Presidency



Henry D. Eastabrook

Henry D. Eastabrook, a well known New York lawyer, has begun a campaign for the republican nomination for the presidency. Friends have established press bureaus in Washington and Chicago, and they say they will conduct a strong campaign.

SWAN LAKE RANCH BOUGHT BY WEST

LOCAL LUMBER CONCERN'S MANAGER IS NOW OWNER OF FINE PROPERTY IN THE SWAN LAKE SECTION

The latest addition to the ranch owning population of Klamath county is Merle S. West, manager of the Big Basin Lumber company. Mr. West has just bought the 480 tract in Swan Lake Valley known as the Stone ranch from L. M. Wells.

West has no intention of forsaking the sales of clear stock, moulding and rough common for ranching, however. Since he came to Klamath a couple of years ago he has become thoroughly imbued with the Klamath spirit, and is backing his belief in this country's great future by investing.

The property just secured by West is a fine ranch, with good barns and buildings, and practically all under cultivation, making big yields.

REBEKAHS TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY OF LODGE

In observance of the sixteenth anniversary of the founding of Prosperity Rebekah Lodge No. 104, special exercises will be held at the meeting to be held tomorrow night in J. O. F. hall. This will be one of the big meetings of the year, and a full attendance is expected.

There are fourteen of the charter members of Prosperity Lodge still in its membership. These will be the honored guests at tomorrow night's special ceremonies.

Among the constitutional reforms now being considered by the Netherlands government is one providing for universal woman suffrage in that country.

ALLIED COUNCIL MEETS TO TALK GRAVE MATTERS

BALKAN DEVELOPMENTS TO BE DISCUSSED

One Report Says Montenegrin Peace News Premature—Another says Austria Plans to Unite Montenegro and Part of Serbia into New Kingdom Under an Austrian Protectorate—Other War News.

United Press Service
LONDON, Jan. 19.—The allied war council is in session today. As a result the air is full of rumors, but it is generally thought that this means important developments are due in the Balkans.

This is the first session since December. The sudden assemblage indicates that matters of the greatest military and political importance are to be discussed.

The fact that the Athens censor has held up all dispatches relative to a reported revolution in Greece is taken as a confirmation of these reports as sent in from other sections. Former Premier Venizelos is said to be the leader of the revolutionary move.

A Rome wireless declares that Austria-Montenegrin peace negotiations have been broken off, and that reports of the surrender of the Montenegrin army were premature. These are received with reserve here.

United Press Service
ROME, Jan. 19.—It is reported that Austria plans to unite Montenegro and a portion of old Serbia into a new kingdom, under Austrian protectorship. Germany has sanctioned the plan.

Emperor Franz Josef is considering the selection of a ruler who will conciliate the Serbs and Montenegrins, and in this way remove forever the menace the Balkan states have always been to Austria's right flank.

Serbs arriving in Rome deny rumors that Serbia is about to effect peace with Austria.

United Press Service
ATHENS, Jan. 19.—All Greek troops, except one battalion, are to be withdrawn from the Bulgarian frontier. Difficulty in provisioning these men is the reason given in the official order.

(Note—There is possibly another reason. The allies have been demanding the withdrawal of Greek troops from both the Serb and Bulgar frontiers.)

United Press Service
CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 19.—It is announced that Turkish reinforcements have halted the Russian offensive in the Caucasus, the statement saying:

"The general situation is favorable, despite the vigorous eight day offensive by superior Ausian forces."

United Press Service
PETROGRAD, Jan. 19.—Russia officially denies reports of Russian defeats at the hands of the Turks in either the Caucasus or in Persia.

"Our new offensives on both these fronts are developing highly favorably," says the statement of the war office.

Out of Asylum and Into Matrimony



Francis Gilbert Dona

Mrs. Ida von Clausen Dona

When Ida von Clausen of New York, who had been confined in an asylum, got out on a writ of a court, she promised she would remain in the custody of her brother. But she eluded him and ran off to get married. Since then she has been honeymooning.

and this photograph of her and her husband at Atlantic City is the first taken since she ran away. Mrs. Dona once tried to sue President Roosevelt because he had failed to compel the United States minister to Sweden to present her at court.

KLAMATH HIGH SCHOOLS RIGHT

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION ANNOUNCES THAT MERRILL, BONANZA AND K. C. H. S. ARE ALL UP TO STANDARD

Klamath County high school, Bonanza high school and Merrill high school meet the requirements of the state board of education in every way, and are therefore "standard high schools." A certificate to this effect, signed by Governor Withycombe, State Secretary Ben S. Olcott and State Superintendent Churchill, comprising the state board, has been received by County School Superintendent Fred Peterson.

This means that in the matter of teachers, the course of study, equipment and library, these schools are as good or better than the state requires. All of these schools are accredited high schools, and their graduates can enter the Oregon colleges and universities, and universities in California and other Western states.

Lots of Snow.
 The snow at Crater Lake had a depth of ten feet six inches Sunday, and the snow was still falling, according to a report received by Park Ranger Momyer.

Leap Year Dance.
 All Elks, their sweethearts, daughters, wives, etc., are expected to be present tomorrow night at the Leap Year dance to be given at the Elks'

new hall. This is the regular ladies' night affair, and the arrangements are all in the hands of the feminine relatives of the "Billie."

Hands and Leg Burned.

E. Rightmiller, an employe of the Pelican Bay Lumber company, while at work, noticed the shavings in the boiler room had caught fire. In attempting to extinguish the blaze his trousers became ignited, and before the flames could be smothered burns about the hands and legs were received. Mr. Rightmiller was later taken to the hospital.

It cost the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage over \$30,000 to help defeat the suffrage amendment at the recent election held in that state.

Miss Ida A. Lesserd, a lampighter on the Mississippi River for the United States government, is one of the few women engaged in that kind of work.

ARIZONA ALSO HIT BY FLOOD

United Press Service
PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 19.—Floods are sweeping portions of Arizona, and one man is missing. Train service is demoralized.
 The crest of the flood is expected late today. The waters may get into the business section of Phoenix.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 19.—Patrols are watching the flood districts for the bodies of more possible victims. Revised figures show five known dead and four missing.
 The damage is estimated at \$5,000,000. Neighbors are aiding homeless flood victims.

and song birds. In all parts of the state game and song birds are suffering from lack of food, owing to the storms, and the game commission and Governor Withycombe have urged every locality to throw out feed for the little feathered friends, who might otherwise perish.
 Deputy Game Warden Henry Stout asks all to feed whatever birds come around the premises. In case the expense for grain is considerable, the state will reimburse the persons distributing it.

WAR HEADS ASK FOR INCREASES IN U. S. FORCES

GENERAL WOOD SAYS GARRISON PLAN FOLLY

Says Continental Army Plan Would Only Be Makeshift, and Would Result in Humiliation of United States Before Other Nations, Should It Be Adopted—Fletcher Tells of the Many Needs of the Navy.

United Press Service
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19.—Important testimony regarding the United States army and navy was given at hearings today. Major General Leonard E. Wood, telling army needs to the senate committee, and Admiral Howard telling the needs of the navy.

Wood demanded a regular army of 210,000 men. He attacked the Hay national defense plan, and declared that Secretary Garrison's continental army plan was at best only a makeshift, entirely ineffective, and certain to lead to national humiliation, if adopted.

Reporting to the senate, Admiral Fletcher stated that the principal weakness of America's greatest naval arm, the Atlantic fleet, is a shortage of both officers and men and a lack of aircraft. He stated that the navy seriously needs additional mining and mine sweeping vessels, additional battle target practice and anti-aircraft guns.

All Asked to Feed Birds While Ground Is Covered

Feed the birds.
 Now that Klamath is covered with a white mantle, the thousands of quail, pheasants and song birds find it difficult to obtain food. For this reason, birds by the hundred are seen in different parts of town, searching for food.
 All Klamath county people are urged to feed the birds, and thus help to preserve one of Klamath county's greatest assets, its wealth of game

and song birds. In all parts of the state game and song birds are suffering from lack of food, owing to the storms, and the game commission and Governor Withycombe have urged every locality to throw out feed for the little feathered friends, who might otherwise perish.
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