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Would Establish 'Armed Neutrality'

Monday, President Wilson appealed to a joint session of congress for permission to arm American merchantmen, to establish an "armed neutrality," and for full and immediate assurance that

he may exercise such authority as he deems necessary in handling the German-American situation.

Declaring that he is "the friend of peace and means to preserve it for America as long as he may be able," the president emphasized this statement that he neither asks nor contemplates a step which might bring war through the action of this country. He declared that war could only come through an act of Germany.

"No course of my choosing will lead to war," he said. "War can come only by the wilful acts and aggression of others."

President Wilson's address to the congress follows:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:

"I have again asked the privilege of addressing you because we are moving through critical times during which it seems to me to be my duty to keep in close touch with the houses of congress, so that neither counsel nor action shall run at cross purposes between us.

"On the third of February I officially informed you of the sudden and unexpected action of the imperial German government in declaring its intention to disregard the promises it had made to this government in April, last and undertake immediate submarine operations against all commerce, whether of belligerents or of neutrals, that should seek to approach Great Britain and Ireland, the Atlantic coast of Europe or the harbors of the eastern Mediterranean, and to conduct those operations without regard to established restrictions of international practice, without regard to any considerations of humanity, even, which might interfere with their object.

"That policy was forthwith put into practice. It has now been in active execution for nearly four weeks.

"OTHER NEUTRALS WON'T JOIN
"Its practical results are not yet fully disclosed. The commerce of other neutral nations is suffering severely, but not, perhaps, very much more severely than it was already suffering before the first of February, when the new policy of the imperial government was put into operation.

"We have asked the co-operation of the other neutral governments to prevent these depredations, but so far none of them has thought it wise to join us in any common course of action.

"Our own commerce has suffered, rather in apprehension than in fact; rather because so many of our ships are timidly keeping to their home ports than because American ships have sunk."

"Two American vessels have been sunk, the Housatonic and the Lynan M. Law. The case of the Housatonic, which was carrying foodstuffs consigned to a London firm, was essentially like the case of the Frye, in which, it will be recalled, the German government admitted its liability for damages, and the lives of the crew, as in the case of the Frye, were safeguarded with reasonable care.

"SINKING WAS RUTHLESS
"The case of the Law, which was carrying lemon box staves to Palermo, disclosed a ruthlessness of method which deserves

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How Blockade Has Hit England

One week ago today Premier Lloyd-George threw a bombshell into the ranks of the English newspapers when he said, addressing parliament:

"I had no idea such quantities of paper were used for newspapers. They have been an enormous help to us in the effective waging of the war. Still, when we must choose between them and very stern necessity, we shall have to substantially reduce the imports of paper. We propose to halve the present supply of 1,200,000 tons and reduce the annual imports to 640,000 tons."

Among the government's proposals, as stated by Mr. Lloyd-George, were the following:

"Now, I come to the reduction in food and feeding stuffs. First, fruit and vegetables are essential articles of diet and will come on the free list, but there are certain articles, largely imported, which are not essential to the national life.

"Apples, tomatoes and certain raw fruits, we shall have to prohibit. Oranges, bananas, almonds, grapes and nuts are restricted to 25 per cent of the 1915 imports. As to tea, we shall have to prohibit foreign teas altogether, and even Indian teas will have to be reduced."

Stating that there were large stocks of coffee and cocoa in the country, Mr. Lloyd-George said the government must for the present prohibit both these articles.

"For meat and feeding stuffs we must depend on home grown supplies. We have, fortunately, larger stocks of meat than ever before. Taking all these together with our food and feeding stuffs, we hope to save over 900,000 tons of cargo space per annum."

"LUXURIES UNDER BAN
"There are manufactured articles of luxury. The run into very much bigger figures than the public realizes. We shall have to stop a considerable number of these articles.

"Now I come to the very serious restrictions upon our imported luxuries. I am referring to those connected with alcoholic liquors. Our food stocks are lower than they have ever been before. Under these circumstances we cannot justify the importation of such large quantities of food stuffs, except for feeding the people. I say at once that we are not approaching this from the viewpoint of temperance or increased sobriety, but purely as a method of competing with the submarine menace and of guaranteeing the nation against the possibility of famine."

"YET, GREAT BRITAIN'S THIRD WAR LOAN TOTALLED A BILLION POUNDS
London, Feb. 27. -- There was a scene of great enthusiasm in the house of commons yesterday when Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, announced the result of Great Britain's third war loan, which is by far the greatest voluntary contribution by the people of any belligerent nation. More than £1,000,000,000 of new money, with more than 5,600,000 subscribers, are the stupendous figures. The chancellor's highest expectation has been only £600,000,000.

The result is a government victory over the professional financiers, who had advised a 6 per cent loan. Five per cent interest is the rate on the new loan.

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HOW BLOCKADE AFFECTS THE UNITED STATES

Mixed up in a scramble for profits, while the scrambling's good; in a struggle for existence, while the struggling's hard; in a political play, while the playing's fierce; in a neutrality negation, where neutrality's the "nut" to be knocked; shippers seeking transport on their contracts, over the heads of the nation's needy people; railroads refusing to transport, because they can't deliver; steamships blocked from sailing, everybody railing, "big business" in the saddle and lashing the ponies for a cleanup before the Dutch Cleaner gets them--the United States is at war with itself, as the happenings of the past week, not confined to limited locality, show.

FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS PROFIT

Washington, Feb. 24. -- An amendment to the sundry civil bill appropriating \$400,000 for an investigation by the federal trade commission of the high cost of food, passed the house tonight, 83 to 51.

The investigation was ordered by President Wilson, who directed that particular attention be given to charges of combinations to control food prices. The department of agriculture was asked to assist. Facts developed in an investigation started by the department of justice will be turned over to the trade commission.

The trade commission has outlined an investigation to last six months and go into every detail of food production and distribution. If the appropriation is approved by the senate the commission will start immediately on the inquiry, taking up first the packing industry.

"PRESIDENTS DISAGREE
New York, Feb. 24. -- While state and city authorities were seeking means to relieve the suffering caused by the high cost of food, President E. B. Thomas of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, declared tonight that "the gravity of the situation is greatly exaggerated," and President F. D. Underwood of the Erie asserted that there was no real danger of "riot or anarchy."

Mr. Thomas' announcement was contained in a telegram sent to the Milwaukee chamber of commerce in response to a message appealing to eastern railroads "to take immediate steps to relieve a condition amounting almost to positive famine in some sections of the east, by permitting the movement only of those commodities necessary to sustain human and animal life."

Mr. Underwood made public a series of telegrams sent by him to President Griffin of the Chicago board of trade, who sent a message to the Interstate Commerce commission that "riot and anarchy" would result from lack of cars in Chicago to handle grain.

"LONG DISTANCE FOOD
New York, Feb. 24. -- George W. Perkins, chairman of Mayor Mitchell's food supply committee, announced tonight that the mayor had received from Texas, Louisiana, California, Oregon and other states telegrams, inquiring

about the food shortage here and offering suggestions.

"The trouble is," said Mr. Perkins, "there is no one in official position to follow up the suggestions coming from these different communities. We are absolutely unequipped and powerless as a community in the all-important question of promoting and developing outside markets. This is simply another instance showing the necessity for a centralized market in the city of New York."

"WOMEN RISENT PRICES
Philadelphia, Feb. 24. -- Frequent conflicts between police and women protesting against the present cost of food continued today in the southeastern section of the city. There was less violence than yesterday, rain late in the afternoon driving many women from the streets.

"FIND MINES OF FOOD
Chicago, Feb. 24. -- Investigators of the police department in taking a census of food supplies here today, found in storage at one refrigerating company's plant 2,000,000 pounds of poultry and 900,000 pounds of butter, besides carloads of meat, fish and apples. The investigation was ordered by the chief of police for the purpose of learning whether the prevailing high prices of food were due to scarcity of supplies as claimed by dealers.

"TOO MUCH GOING ABOARD
New York, Feb. 26. -- Enormous increase in exportation of staple articles of food without a corresponding increase in production, and lack of intelligent economy in buying by housewives, are ascribed by the department of health of this city, in a report issued tonight, as the chief reasons for steady rising prices.

"It is apparent that unless the present high prices of food are reduced or controlled, or as an alternative the income of families which now maintain themselves on \$800 a year or less is increased by raise of wages or through relief agencies, there will be a constantly increasing number of people whose health will be jeopardized.

"No one is going to starve," said Governor Whitman in a statement issued today, "and it is foolish to assert that any one has to eat what they can afford to eat."

Telegrams from industrial centers are tales of want and hunger.

Methodist Church
Rev. Arthur Marston, Pastor
The Missionary society met this week with Mrs. R. T. Cribb, Little Elbert Slack, who has been sick for some weeks, was buried from the Lucas hospital, on Saturday of last week.

The Wednesday night prayer meeting is growing in attendance.

The Women's Bible class meets this week with Mrs. McClean.

Next Sunday is Missionary day. Collections will go to our school for Mexican boys in San Antonio, Texas.

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Baptist Church
Rev. J. M. Gardner, Pastor
Preaching Sunday at 11 a. m., "Who Is God and What Is He Like", at 7:30 p. m., "The Wedding Feast"; at 10 a. m., Sunday school, classes for all and everybody welcome. At 6:30 p. m., Junior and Senior B. Y. P. U. Prayer meeting and teacher training class at the parsonage Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

W. M. U. will meet at the parsonage Wednesday at 3 o'clock. This is social afternoon.

Rev. J. M. Gardner will preach at Oscuro Tuesday, March 6, at 7 p. m., sharp, on "What a Man or Woman Owe to Him or Herself, or the Great Reservoir."

How Blockade Is Viewed by Germany

Germany expresses extreme bitterness toward the United States for its breaking of diplomatic relations with Germany, voiced Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg in his address to the Reichstag, last Tuesday.

"One step further than taken by European neutrals has been made by the United States," the chancellor said. "President Wilson, after receiving our note of January 31, brusquely broke off relations with us. No authentic communication about the reasons which were given for his steps reached me."

"We did not declare a blockade, but merely established definite barred zones within which every ship has to count on immediate attack.

"JUST OVER HARD WINTER
"A hard winter is behind us," especially for the poorer people.

"I would fully understand it if the United States, as a protector of international law, should have bartered for its re-establishment in equal fashion with all the belligerents, and if desiring to restore peace to the world, had taken measures to enforce the end of bloodshed. But I cannot possibly consider it a vital question for the American nation to protect international law in a one-sided fashion, only against us."

"Why did the British not endanger American lives? Because neutral countries, and especially America, voluntarily submitted to the British orders, and because the British, therefore, could attain their object without employing force."

"NEUTRALS HALF WAY
"We meet half way all wishes of neutrals which can be complied with.

"I am sure that later the moment will come when neutrals themselves will thank us for our firmness, for the freedom of the seas which we gain by fighting is of advantage to them also."

Concerning the negotiations with the United States, the chancellor continued:

"As to the answer given to the German note it was so absolutely contrary to what we in our note had said clearly and without any possibility of misunderstanding.

"ENGLAND DID NOT ABANDON THE ISOLATION OF GERMANY, BUT ON THE CONTRARY, INTENSIFIED IT IN THE MOST RECKLESS FASHION. Our adversaries were not made to respect the principles of international law. The freedom of the seas, which America intended to restore, in co operation with us, during the war, has been still more completely destroyed by our adversary, and America has not hindered this."

"We, who were ready for peace, now by mutual understanding fight for life against an enemy who from the beginning put his heel upon the recognized laws of nations. The English starvation blockade, our peace offer, its rebuke by the entente, the war aims of our enemies purporting our destruction and the speeches of Lloyd-George are known also in America."

With respect to the submarine situation the chancellor recalled the British assurance that they would be masters of that danger, and added: "We can await this. We established barred zones hardly four weeks ago and within these four weeks is the period of grace allowed for such ships as were on their way on February

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Fell From Windmill, Lived But an Hour

C. J. Reilly met almost instant death by a fall of 40 feet from the top of a windmill on the Clarence Spence and Sons' ranch, west of Ancho and 35 miles north of Carrizozo on the afternoon of February 24th, living for only an hour after the accident. Mr. Reilly was alone on the windmill, adjusting the wheel, and was found when Charles Spence came out of the dwelling house ten minutes after the fall. He found Mr. Reilly conscious, and he remained so to the end. With the aid of two herders, fortunately coming at the time, Mr. Reilly

was taken to the house and given such care as was possible, but died before the arrival of Dr. Padon, whose postmortem examination showed that internal hemorrhages had caused death in the brief time, although there had been some fractures of bones. A coroner's jury later gave that verdict.

The funeral was held in the Carrizozo Methodist church Friday, Rev. Arthur Marston officiating. Interment was in Carrizozo cemetery.

Mr. Reilly was born in New Orleans, February 22, 1874, and moved to Chicago in early life.

Coming to Carrizozo about four years ago, he entered the employ of Clarence Spence and Sons, in whose service he remained up to the time of his death.

All efforts to locate his sister, whose home is in Chicago, failed, and none of his relations were at his deathbed or burial; but all that loving hands could do to lessen his suffering till death came to his relief was done by those to whose interests he was always so faithful and true.

Mr. Reilly had seen much of life, having read and traveled extensively; but his chief pleasure was found in doing the little things of life in such a way as to make friends and keep them.

"His untimely death is mourned by many who join in extending sympathy to his sister and others closely related to him by ties of relationship or friendship.

"To Vote On Road Bonds
At the election next Wednesday, March 7th, the only electors whose votes can be accepted are those who have paid the first half of the property tax of 1916. Having been assessed, and one's name being on the tax roll, is not a qualification to vote; payment of at least the first half of the 1916 tax must have been actually made.

Vote for the good of the country; be careful, and make no mistake.

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I, and therefore could not be warned before.

"WE REGRET THE REPORT
"The breaking off of relations with the United States and the attempted mobilization of all neutrals against us do not serve for the protection of the seas proclaimed by the United States. These actions will not promote the peace desired by President Wilson.

"We regret the rupture, but there is only 'going ahead' possible for us."

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Former Road Chairman Lays His Reasons

To the editors of the county paper:

I have been asked by many what I thought of the proposed County Bond Issue and through the columns of your paper I take the liberty of making the following statement.

I am going to vote for the Bond Issue. I believe it will be a backward step for the progress and development of the county not to vote for it. The increase in taxes for interest on such an issue will be insignificant something like thirty cents a year, to the ordinary taxpayer on each \$1,000 taxes assessed. It is singular that the people most in favor of the Bond Issue are the people who pay the most taxes and who, necessarily, would carry the burden of the expense, while many who oppose the issue pay only a small amount of taxes, and are the very people who would be benefited by the expenditure of \$55,000 on road work and money expended in the county. Such road work will mean hiring of day laborers and teams, and means money left in the community where work is done.

Not only will \$55,000 be spent in labor in the county, but it will place the county in a position to avail itself of \$55,000 general road money, making a total expenditure of \$110,000 in money turned loose in the county. Is it not worth while to pay thirty cents on each \$1,000 of assessed property? Not only does it insure good roads, but it insures a large expenditure of money that returns directly to the people.

The diversion of \$55,000 and its apportionment in different localities cannot place on the expenditure of the amount as apportioned will free a greater amount of the present county road money for expenditure in heretofore neglected localities.

I will not benefit from the Bond Issue any more than any other citizen of the county. I will not have anything to do with its expenditure in event it is carried, for I am no longer a member of the Road board. I am, however, very much interested in the continued progress and development of Lincoln county and hope to see the Bond Issue carried for that reason.

J. W. LAWS.

ESTABLISH 'ARMED NEUTRALITY'

grave condemnation, but was accompanied by no circumstances which might not have been expected at any time in connection with the use of the submarine against merchantmen as the German government has used it.

"In sum, therefore, the situation we find ourselves in with regard to the actual conduct of the German submarine warfare against commerce and its effects upon our own ships and people is substantially the same that it was when I addressed you on the third of February, except for the tying up of our shipping in our own ports because of the unwillingness of our ship owners to risk their vessels at sea without insurance or adequate protection, and the very serious congestion of our commerce which has resulted in a congestion which is growing rapidly more and more serious every day.

"This in itself might presently accomplish, in effect, what the new German submarine orders were meant to accomplish, so far as we are concerned. We can only say, therefore, that the avert act which I have ventured to hope the German commanders

would in fact avoid, has not occurred.

"But while this happily is true, it must be admitted there are certain indications of expressions of purpose on the part of the German press and the German authorities which have increased rather than lessened the impression that, if our ships and our people are spared, it will be because of fortunate circumstances or because the commanders of the German submarines which they may happen to encounter may exercise an unexpected discretion and restraint rather than because of the instructions under which those commanders are acting.

"It would be foolish to deny that the situation is fraught with the gravest possibilities and dangers. No thoughtful man can fail to see that the necessity for definite action may come at any time, if we are in fact, and not in word merely, to defend our elementary rights as a neutral nation. It would be most imprudent to be unprepared.

"I cannot in such circumstances be unmindful of the fact that the expiration of the term of the present congress is immediately at hand by constitutional limitation; and that it would in all likelihood require an unusual length of time to assemble and organize the congress which is to succeed it.

"I feel that I ought, in view of that fact, to obtain from you full and immediate assurance of the authority which I may need at any moment to exercise. No doubt I already possess that authority without special warrant of law, by the plain implication of my constitutional duties and powers, but I prefer in the present circumstances not to act upon general implications.

"I wish to feel that the authority and the power of the congress are behind me in whatever it may become necessary for me to do. We are jointly the servants of the people and must act together and in that spirit, so far as we can divine and interpret it.

"No one doubts what it is our duty to do. We must defend our commerce and the lives of our people in the midst of the present trying circumstances, with discretion, but with clear and steadfast purpose.

"Only the method and the extent remain to be chosen, upon the occasion, if occasion should indeed arise. Since it has unhappily proved impossible to safeguard our neutral rights by diplomatic means against the unwarranted infringements they are suffering at the hands of Germany, there may be no recourse but to armed neutrality, which we shall know how to maintain, and for which there is abundant American precedent.

"It is devoutly to be hoped that it will not be necessary to put armed force anywhere into action. The American people do not desire it and our desire is not different from theirs. I am sure that they will understand the spirit in which I am now acting, the purpose I hold nearest my heart, and would wish to exhibit in everything I do.

"I am anxious that the people of the nations at war also should understand and not mistrust us. I hope that I need give no further proofs and assurances than I have already given throughout nearly three years of anxious patience, that I am the friend of peace and mean to preserve it for America as long as I am able.

"I am not now proposing or contemplating war or any steps that may lead to it. I merely re-

quest that you will accord me by your own vote, and definite bestowal the means and the authority to safeguard in practice the right of a great people who are desirous of exercising none but the rights of peace to follow the pursuits of peace in quietness and good will—rights recognized time out of mind by all the civilized nations.

"No course of my choosing or of theirs will lead to war. War can come only by the willful acts and aggressions of others.

"You will understand why I can make no definite proposals or forecasts of action now and must ask for your supporting authority in the most general terms. The form in which the action may become necessary cannot yet be foreseen.

"I believe the the people will be willing to trust me to act with restraint, with prudence, and in the true spirit of amity and good faith that they have themselves displayed throughout these trying months; and it is in that belief that I request that you will authorize me to supply our merchant ships with defensive arms, if that becomes necessary, and with the means of using them, and to employ all other instrumentalities or methods that may be necessary and adequate to protect our ships and our people in their legitimate and peaceful pursuits on the seas.

"I request also that you will grant me at the same time, along with the powers I ask, a sufficient credit to enable me to provide adequate means of protection where they are lacking, including adequate insurance against the present war risks.

"I have spoken of our commerce and of the legitimate errands of our people on the seas, but you will not be misled as to my main thought, the thought that lies beneath these phrases and gives them dignity and weight. It is not of material interests merely that we are thinking, it is rather fundamental human rights, chief of all the right of life itself. I am thinking, not only of the rights of Americans to go and come about their proper business by way of the sea, but also of something much deeper, much more fundamental than that.

"I am thinking of those rights of humanity without which there is no civilization. My theme is of the great principles of compassion and protection which mankind has sought to throw about human lives, the lives of men who are peacefully at work keeping the industrial processes of the world quick and vital, the lives of women and children and those who supply the labor which ministers to their sustenance.

"We are speaking of no selfish material rights, but of rights which our hearts support and whose foundation is that righteous passion for justice upon which all law, all structures alike of family, of state and of mankind must rest, as upon the ultimate base of our existence and our liberty. I cannot imagine any man with American principles in his heart hesitating to defend these things."

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Notice of Contest

Contest No. 922
Department of the Interior
United States Land Office
Hoswell, New Mexico

February 1, 1918.

To Fred Hughes of Carrizozo, New Mexico, Contestee:
You are hereby notified that George W. Hodges, who gives Carrizozo, New Mexico, as his post-office address, did on January 22, 1917, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry, Serial No. 02221, made October 20, 1911, for SW 1/4, Section 20, Township 30 North, Range 21 East, N. M. P. Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that you have who by abandoned said claim for more than one year last past; that your absence therefrom is not due to your employment in military service rendered in connection with operations in Mexico, or along the borders thereof, or in mobilization camps elsewhere in the military or naval service organization of the U. S., or in the National Guard of any of the several States.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard thereon, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically meeting and repudiating to each allegation of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and the post office to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

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02477
Department of the Interior
United States Land Office
Hoswell, New Mexico

February 3, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that Nettie C. Rank of Carrizozo, N. M., who on March 17, 1911, made H. E. Serial No. 02477, for SW 1/4, Section 30, Township 30 S., Range 10 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Orville T. Nye, Clerk of the Probate Court, in his office, at Carrizozo, N. M., on March 13, 1917.

Substant names as witnesses:
James A. Byron, William J. Ayres, Walter W. Shattman, Harriet McVera, all of Carrizozo, N. M.

Feb. 8 - March 8, 1917.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

Notice for Publication

02484
Department of the Interior
United States Land Office
Hoswell, New Mexico

February 3, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that Sarah N. Porter, of Corona, N. M., who on April 21, 1910, made H. E. Serial No. 02484, for Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Section 3, Township 23 S., Range 12 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Benj. F. Adams, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Corona, N. M., on March 13, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Hornes H. Black, James A. Cox, George Cold Iron, Charles M. Ryan, all of Corona, N. M.
Feb. 7 - March 7, 1917.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

Safety in the Home Part of Woman's Daily Duty

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Green's August Flower

will act promptly in the relief of all stomach and bowel troubles, and your freedom from pain and discomfort.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Washington Caring for Many French Orphans

WASHINGTON.—Within the last year 100 war orphans of France have been "adopted" by Washingtonians...



Among the later subscribers to the organization are the Hyattsville high school, the Potomac school, Stidwell's Friends-school, Kendall Green Sunday school, the Misses Mureis' French school, the Lafayette Memorial subscription, the Marie Louise millinery establishment and the Home club...

How China Keeps Watch on Its Students Here

AN ultra-American brick dwelling, which stands in one of the capital's best residential districts, is the Chinese educational mission.

Here T. T. Wong, an energetic young Chinaman who speaks excellent English, keeps track of the educational advancement of each Chinese student sent to America...

Under these circumstances, the need of some central means of communication with every Chinese student in America from New England to California was apparent...

The Chinese government has been sending students to America to be educated since 1875, but in the beginning, as has been said, there was no system.

Plan for National Athletic Field Progresses

THAT stadium in East Potomac park, which is designed as the eventual grounds for the holding of all national championships in all sports, has moved a little bit nearer.



athletes in the United States interested in this proposition," said Congressman Hulbert, "and then with all such pushing, watch how it will advance."

"Clean, healthy sport means clean, healthy boys and girls, and I consider it a very essential part of our education. If we get this big stadium and recreation grounds in Washington and have national schoolboy and schoolgirl championships here every year, it is a great stimulus to the high-school boys and girls to get out and try to make their mark in sports."

Redfield's Search for Medal-Winning Heroes

SECRETARY OF COMMERCE REDFIELD is gradually rounding up the heroes on the American S. S. Kronland, who were voted medals by congress for rescuing 89 persons from the burning steamer Voltorno in the North Atlantic in October, 1915.

The latest to be found were Franz von Hymen, now at the western front with the German army, who was located by the American consul general at Antwerp, Belgium, and J. A. Roll, who was discovered at Galveston, Tex.

Highway Improvement

DRAGGING ROADS IN SPRING

Operations Should Begin Just as Soon as the Frost Starts to Come Out of the Ground.

Nothing adds more immediate value to our farm land than accessibility to markets, such connecting link between the farm and market being a good road.

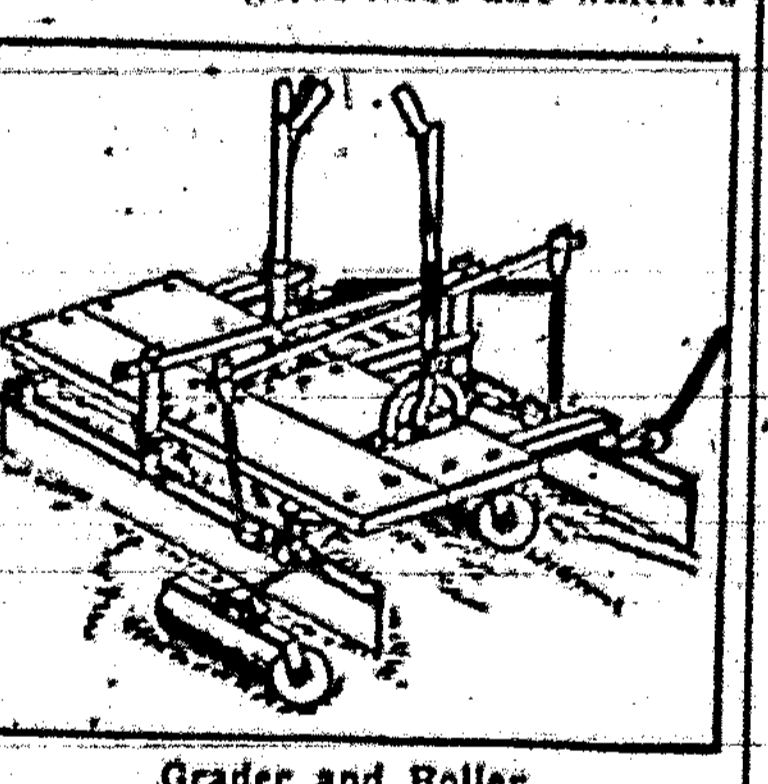
This is not a laborious job, a good team can put the road between him and the first crossing toward town, even if half a mile away, in good condition in a half day, and he will save many times the cost of such labor or expense during the year.

GRADING AND ROLLING ROADS

Steel Device Invented to Correct Certain Degree Fault of Drags on Dry Highways.

Split logs and drags and commercially manufactured drags involving the basic principle of Mr. D. Ward King's simple split-log drag, have done much for the dirt roads of this nation.

When used in this way, all the drags of this type have one basic fault; they leave a ridge of loose dirt in the center of the road.



Grader and Roller.

drawn into the middle of the road by the smoothing action of the drag when the road is dry.

AUTOIST LEARNED TO GROAN

Slight of Road Grader in Offing Fills His Heart With Dismay—Drag Is Cause of Smiles.

Speaking of grading operations, the autoist has learned to groan when he sees a road grader, manned by a half-dozen willing men, show up in the morning.

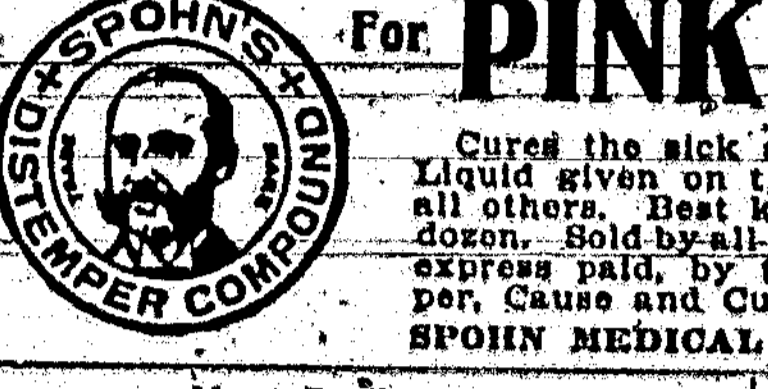
Good Roads. The value of farming land depends very largely on the distance from a market. A good road has the effect of shortening the time required for carrying a load of produce to market, which is practically the same thing as shortening the distance.

Turkestan is Inferior. The commercial Turkestan alfalfa has been tested quite thoroughly in all parts of the United States and in nearly every case has proved inferior to American-grown alfalfa.

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"The kidneys play a most important part in causing premature old age and death—the more injurious the poisons passing thru the kidneys the sooner comes decay."

This Anurio is put up in tablet form, and can be obtained at almost any drug store. For that backache, lumbago, rheumatism, "rusty" joints, swollen feet or hands, due to uric acid in the blood, Anurio quickly dissolves the uric acid as hot water does sugar.



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"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now. No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

Don't howl at fate. Reserve your steam for the chap who has trimmed you.

If you wish beautiful, clear white clothes, use Red Cross Bag Blue. At all good grocers. Adv.

There is something wrong with a girl who can't blush.

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Because of its Tonic and Laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head.

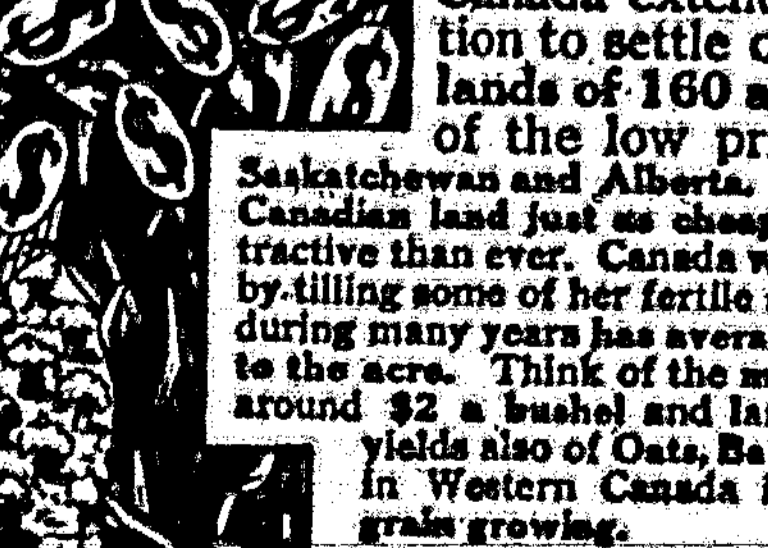
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WOMAN.—are not pleasant if she is delicate, run-down, or over worked. She feels "played out." Her smile and her good spirits have taken flight. It worries her to see her husband as well as herself.

This is the time to build up her strength and cure those weaknesses or ailments or ailments which are the seat of her trouble. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription regulates and promotes all the proper functions of womanhood...

A well-known agent which can be procured at all drug stores is "Pleasant Pellets," made up of the May-apple, the dried juice of the leaves of aloe and the root of jalap. First put out by Dr. Pierce nearly fifty years ago.—Adv.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Beautify Your Hair! Make It Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant—Try the Molat-Cloth.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle, and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—That's all. Adv.

Not a Record. He—Are when cures healthy? Me—I never heard one complain of being sick.—Record.

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

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The Mayor Speaks

To the people of the Village of Carrizozo:
Having been recently elected mayor of the Village of Carrizozo, I take this opportunity and this manner of thanking such voters for the honor extended; and will say that my appreciation must be deeper for the election returns indicated that there was not a dissenting vote against me. I shall promise you that I will endeavor to be at all times responsive to the duties of the office, and that the common cause shall never be out of mind.

Carrizozo is located, as you know, in a growing community. Its history has been one of steady advancement, and in the early years of its existence it is permitted to enjoy the advantages of self government. The purpose of this incorporation should be understood by every citizen. It is an expression of all of us, to be not only permanent residents, but that we all shall have an interest in the upbuilding of a greater Carrizozo. The incorporation enables us to properly direct our energies and gives us power under the law to materially enforce our views, whatever they may be, for the upbuilding of the city. The needs of the town are many. These needs are related to the needs of the surrounding territory. The mining business has experienced a revival and its complicated interests must be taken care of, the cattle and general stock business deserves great consideration. Carrizozo should realize that its citizens will be called upon to act as hosts for these different enterprises, consequently it becomes our duty to concentrate our efforts from even focus in order that we can fulfill what undoubtedly will be our municipal duty to do. It is urgent that we have some chamber of commerce, supported by an enthusiastic people and managed by experienced men. It becomes our duty to give to Carrizozo the requisites of a city in the first instance, the water question, the light question, the improvement of property and all of the other inherent duties attached to a people assuming the burden of local self government. Thus, as your mayor, I urge upon you, that each of you take an interest in the efforts of all to improve our town. If the appearance of it now is such as to remind one of the everlasting desert, we can set our hearts and our minds upon the fact that such desert aspect can be made into the bloom of a rose. If you live in Carrizozo, you should believe in Carrizozo. Come to the meetings of the trustees, attend any public gathering where the needs of the town are under discussion, and if necessary subscribe to any fund that has for its purpose the development of beauty, general good and public benefit. Carrizozo should be the nucleus of the exploitation of Lincoln county's growth, and to make it such, the people in Carrizozo will have to exert every effort toward a concerted move to make it so.

ours is the opportunity and ours is the chance. The completion of a village incorporation is well under way, it is our hope that we will have the machinery of our local community in nice running order, and in the name of the trustees, and further, in the name of all of the people of Carrizozo, I ask and request each citizen of this town to do his best, whatever that may be, and however small in consequences. Be a firm believer that a booster is a dividend paying institution. A knocker has only realized Irish dividends for his efforts.

HENRY LUTZ, Mayor.

Episcopal Service

Rev. Edward J. Hoering will conduct the Episcopal service at the Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. next Monday. Everyone is cordially invited.

Fred Roberts Killed

Oscuro was the scene of a killing last night, in which two well known citizens were the principals. Fred Roberts, constable of the Oscuro precinct, was shot by C. H. Byfield three times, each shot taking effect in the head and producing instant death. Byfield came to Carrizozo and surrendered to the officers and was given a preliminary hearing before Judge Medler today. He waived examination and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$2,500, gave the bond and was released.

The best information as to the manner of the killing, which is common report, but accepted as practically the correct version, is to this effect: Byfield, who is a ranchman west of Oscuro, came into town at about 8:30 last night and went to his home, attempting to enter the front door. The door was locked, however, and he went to the back door and there encountered Roberts coming out. Whether the shooting began when the two men met or whether there was a parley we are not informed.

Roberts was armed, that probably because he was the local officer, but it is not known whether he made any attempt to use it. Inasmuch as no evidence was taken at the preliminary trial many of the details are lacking and will become known only at the time the matter is thoroughly investigated.

The dead man leaves a wife and three children and many other relatives, and his slayer also has a number of children. Both parties to the tragedy are old-time citizens, each of whom have many friends who deeply regret the killing.

For Sale Yearling Hereford bulls. The Titsworth Co., Capitán.

J. O. Nabours of White Mountain was in town Tuesday.

For Sale Parke Davis & Co's Blacklegons. The Titsworth Co., Capitán.

J. L. Jones, long resident at Corona, was a visitor in Carrizozo Tuesday. Mr. Jones is leaving Corona for a near-Mountainair stay for a while, with expectation of later making a location farther west.

The 'Old' Bank Speaks

Comes, under the date of February 8th, and calling attention to the anniversary of the Exchange Bank of Carrizozo, a letter telling that "A full quarter of a century of successful business under the same management is the record of this bank. Many who entrusted their business to us twenty-five years ago are still numbered among our most valued customers. Just at present, however, the idea seems to prevail in certain quarters that banking facilities are lacking in this community. This idea could not have originated in lack of competition for this bank." But we are still in ring, ready, willing and able to serve for the progress of this community, as in the past—would seem to be the idea Cashier Sager and his associates wish to impress upon present patrons and other friends, and the community generally.

Bring your wool and pelts—highest prices paid always. Carrizozo Trading Co.

When in need of flour, feed of nearly any kind, potatoes or stock salt, get our prices before placing your order. We believe it will pay you. Humphrey Bros.



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From the story by Joseph R. Grisner and Clay M. Greene. Ethel Clayton and Carlyle Blackwell have never appeared to such good advantage as they do in the unfolding of the masterplot of this story. Almost every scene from the start to the all-to-soon finish holds an unexpected thrill, and the final denouement is as welcome as it is unexpected. Seldom does one feature hold such a combination of clever acting well set off in a splendid story, as will be shown at the Crystal theater Thursday, March 8th.

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New Spring Merchandise at The Carrizozo Trading Co.

All lines are open and await your early inspection. This week we received a lot of Spring Coats specially priced from \$5.00 to \$20.00. These Coats made of the new materials in the new shades for spring are priced unusually low. New Spring Suits and Dresses in Serge, Poplin and Silk. All the high colors for 1917 are shown in these new models. Priced from \$7.50 to \$35.00.



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WALK-OVER-SHOES for Spring, 1917

See the new "KELLY GREEN" CAPS and HATS The latest for Spring

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