

1,500 AMERICANS IN TAMPICO
TAMPICO DESTITUTE
State Department Advised by
Vice-Consul to Arrange
Transportation.

GUNBOAT KEEPS OFF VILLA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Immediate transportation to the United States of 1,500 destitute Americans in Tampico and vicinity was urgently recommended to the state department today by Vice-Consul Brown at that place.

NAVY DEFENDS TAMPICO

Gunboat keeps Villa forces from capturing the oil city.

SLINGSBY CASE CLOSED.

Judgment reserved on ex-officer's claim to inheritance.

TWO PRIESTS' ANNIVERSARIES.

Mrs. Mooney and Braun have been 25 years in their pastorates.

APPROVES CHARTER CHANGES.

Estimate Board also lets Adamson give work to jobless.

Jack Rose Is Character
Witness for J. M. Sullivan
Rosenthal Murder Informer Testifies He Once Was Partner
of Minister to Santo Domingo—F. J. R. Mitchell
Tells of Banco Nacional.

With the same deliberate stolidity that characterized his confession at the trial of Police Lieut. Becker and the four summer, Jack Rose took the stand yesterday before Special Commissioner James Phelan at the New York State court house.

When Rose was a flight promoter in Waterbury, Conn., Sullivan, now the Minister, was his press agent, according to testimony in the Becker case.

Yesterday the State's star witness in the Becker case did his best to help the "rosy Democrat" whom he has rewarded with a post in Santo Domingo.

Denies Press Agent Story.

Asked to Tell All.

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AGAIN INCREASES DIVIDEND.

Kings County Trust Company to Pay 20 Per Cent.

U. S. NAVY NOW RANKS
FOURTH, FRANCE THIRD

Loses Place Held July 1, 1914,
Through Completion of
Foreign Vessels.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The United States, on the basis of figures of the office of naval intelligence of July 1, 1914, was third among the navies of the world in respect to tonnage.

On the basis of the July 1 figures Great Britain and Germany led the United States, but if vessels building were counted, France also would be ahead.

When the vessels then in the builders' hands are commissioned the tonnage table will show:

The figures refute assertions that this country stands second in naval strength.

NOVEMBER EXPORTS
DOUBLED AUGUST'S

Four Times as Much Breadstuffs
Sent Abroad as in November, 1913.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Additional figures indicating the impressive growth of this country's export trade were made public by the Department of Commerce today.

In November exports aggregated \$206,000,000, or double the total for August last, when by reason of the outbreak of war foreign trade fell to the lowest level reached in many years.

Of breadstuffs the November exports exceeded in value \$40,000,000 or four times as much as in November, 1913.

Striking changes in the movement of specified articles to countries during November include \$1,000,000 worth of corn to the Netherlands, as against \$4,000 worth a year earlier; large increases in wheat shipments to the United Kingdom, Italy, Germany and France in amounting from \$7,000,000 to \$25,000,000; an increase of \$1,750,000 in automobile sales to France, the month's total being nearly twice the amount shown in any complete fiscal year; a doubling of the exports of copper to the United Kingdom and an increase of 200 per cent on the sales of automobile tires to England.

Of metal working machinery the November exports to the United Kingdom exceeded \$1,000,000 value, or nine times as much as a year earlier, and those to France nearly tripled. The United Kingdom also took more than \$3,000,000 worth of American sole leather, as against \$300,000 worth in November, 1913, and Europe as a whole bought \$326,000 worth of boots and shoes, or four times as much as a year ago.

British purchases of American beef exceeded \$2,000,000, against less than \$100,000 in November of the previous year.

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BONDS ATTRACTING
CASH OF INVESTORS

Strong Demand Here for Best American Issues—Market Grows Stronger.

SOME QUICK ADVANCES

Bankers and bond experts in Wall Street say that a bond market of broad proportions, strong demand and confident feeling has developed in this country in the last six weeks and that it is steadily growing stronger.

Advance of Railroad Bonds.

The prices of representative 4 per cent. bonds of the first rank railroads of this country show the remarkable advances of the last few weeks.

Transactions \$1,000,000 Daily.

The volume of bond transactions on the Stock Exchange, amounting to close to \$1,000,000 daily for several days, is a measure of what has been going on over the market and at private sales.

ROCK ISLAND BONDS SENT IN

Only \$3,000,000 Outstanding.

Lawyer Charges Waste of Assets of \$17,500,000 Corporation.

WABASH SYNDICATE FORMED.

Will Take Care of Obligations Pending a Reorganization.

The financing of the Wabash Railroad system is being taken care of by the taking up of active reorganization planning has been arranged.

NEW UNITED STATES LIGHT SUIT.

Lawyer Charges Waste of Assets of \$17,500,000 Corporation.

In an equity suit filed in the United States District Court yesterday against the United States Light and Heating Company...

GREAT RUSH FOR FREE SOAP.

Police Reserves Calm the Disappointed Outside the Garden.

Free soap samples and other souvenirs drew 20,000 persons to Madison Square Garden last night to the "Made in U. S. A." drug show.

The size of the Equitable contributes to its efficiency. Aside from the spectacular side of the Equitable Building, it is pertinent to point out that the very magnitude of this famous structure is largely responsible for its superior facilities, because only in a building on this tremendous scale would it be possible to achieve such all-around constructional excellence and efficiency.

We don't solicit tenants because the Equitable is the biggest building on earth, but because it is superior to any alternate proposition. Leases now being made from May 1, 1915. The building, however, is due to be completed 2 or 3 months ahead of that date. Equitable Building Temporary Office, 27 Pine Street

DECIDES TO RETURN
CASH IN GOLD POOL

Committee Finds \$100,000,000 Fund Is No Longer Needed.

The members of the \$100,000,000 gold pool committee, meeting at the Clearing House yesterday, voted to dissolve the pool on the ground that there was no longer any necessity for its continuance.

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BIG NEW HAVEN RAIL ORDER.

Company Closing for 18,000 Tons—Shops Again Running.

The New Haven railroad company this week is closing for 18,000 tons of steel rails for 1915 requirements.

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Business Troubles. Howdrey's reports 551 business failures for 1914, 212 for the corresponding week ending Jan. 17, 1915. The previous week had 199, New England, 49; Southern, 22; West, 46; Middle West, 42; East, 42. The preceding week, about 85 per cent of the failures were in the retail trade, and less than 10 per cent, and 11 per cent had net assets of \$10,000 and \$25,000, respectively.

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