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MEXICANS ARE INCITED TO KILL AMERICANS

OROZCO "CASE" USED BY VILLA

For the Purpose of Rallying "Greasers" to His Side in the Mexican Struggle.

CALLS THE CASE MURDER

Dead Leader's Large Following Said to Be Greatly Aroused as the Result.

EL PASO, Jan. 26.—Francisco Villa, now in western Chihuahua, defying the forces of the Carranza government, is using the cry "Remember Orozco" to stir up hatred against Americans and gain recruits for himself, according to foreigners who reached the border today.

General Orozco was Villa's most formidable foe until the latter drove him across the border into the United States after the battle of Ojinaga nearly two years ago. Orozco was shot and killed last September in the mountains on this side of the boundary sometime after he had forfeited the bond under which he was being held as a violator of United States neutrality laws. Villa taking advantage of the circumstances of Orozco's death is declared to be using his name as a rallying cry for recruits.

Western Chihuahua was the home of Orozco as well as that of Villa, and the dead leader had a large following, which is said to have been inflamed recently when Villa informed them that Orozco had been murdered in Texas by Americans.

JAPAN

Again Makes Its Seven Demands on the Chinese Government.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The Japanese government has delivered to the Chinese minister in Tokio for transmission to his government a note embodying seven demands which were included in the Japanese program of last spring, the Manchester Guardian learns from far eastern sources. The Guardian expresses the hope that this news will be "authoritatively contradicted," as the demands when previously presented were full of danger to China's independence and their general effect would have been to place China under the tutelage of Japan. "It is the aim and hope of British policy," the newspaper continues, "to see China strong and independent developing peacefully, without interference from any foreign power."

PEARL WILLIAMS

Son of R. H. Williams, of Wilsonburg, Passes On Following Short Illness.

Pearl Williams, aged 11 years, son of R. H. Williams, a teamster employed by the Maderia-Hill-Clark Coal Company at his Wilsonburg mine, died at his home near the mine at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning following a short illness of measles and pneumonia. The deceased boy is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams, and two brothers and two sisters. No funeral arrangements have been made as yet.

OIL GOES UP.

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 26.—An advance of five cents in the price of Oklahoma and Kansas crude oil was announced in Tulsa this morning by the Prairie Oil and Gas Company. The price is now \$1.30 a barrel.

W. A. Thompson, of Parkersburg, is transacting business here. W. T. Robinson, of Parsons, is a visitor here.

Co-Operation Uplifts

(By G. W. Dudderar, Secretary of the Board of Trade.)

The habit of buying at home is a good one to adopt and to persistent follow. The welfare of a city depends on the loyalty of its citizens of each other. Each one's prosperity depends on the prosperity of all. The better off a man's neighbors are, the better off a man's own home is. To bring about this there is for him to more opportunity there is for him to make money. Moreover, the best market a man can have is that which lies nearest his door. This is coming to be better realized by citizens of progressive towns. The buy-at-home propaganda is being diligently preached by them. Here is a set of reasons every loyal citizen should adopt: We buy at home— Because our interests are here. Because the community that is good enough to live in is good enough to buy in. Because we believe in transacting business at home. Because we want to see the goods, and be in touch with the work. Because our home dealers extend

ALLEGED THIEF

Is Arrested Following the Death of His Wife in New York City.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The death of his wife was learned today to have led directly to the arrest here of George A. Gray on a warrant signed by the governor of Massachusetts charging him with the larceny of cash and securities valued at \$100,000 from Fred Kinsel, of Chicago, and other persons living in Massachusetts. A detective arrived here from Boston today to take him back for trial. Gray was arrested last night after having been followed by police from an undertaking shop to the cemetery, where Mrs. Gray was buried early today.

PNEUMONIA

Causes Death of A. C. Reed after a Short Illness in a Local Hospital.

Funeral services over the body of A. C. Reed, aged 44 years, who died at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in a local hospital following an illness of pneumonia, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Warno Undertaking Company's establishment on West Pike street. The Rev. E. B. Turner, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will conduct the services and the burial will be in the Masonic cemetery. The deceased man is survived by his widow and a half brother, who resides at Gypsy, Mr. and Mrs. Reed resided in Glen Elk.

ONE MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license has been issued to Jess E. Davis and Delite Marshall.

HARDWARE MEN TALK OF TRADE CONDITIONS

Members of State Association Are Taken on a Sight Seeing Tour.

Members of the West Virginia Retail Hardware Dealers' Association, which is holding its eleventh annual convention at the Waldo hotel, devoted their time Wednesday to listening to able and instructive addresses, concerning trade conditions and in making a tour of the city and its suburbs as guests of J. W. Williams, president and general manager of the Williams Hardware Company. J. M. Jacobs, of Fairmont, delivered an interesting address on "The Hardware Business and Its Development," soon after the morning session was opened. Dr. L. C. Oyster, of the hardware firm of Hedges and Oyster at Lumberport, talked about the catalog house methods of doing business and how local dealers can successfully compete with them. A question box was conducted by E. R. Showers, of Elm Grove.

At 1:30 o'clock, the delegates were taken aboard a chartered trolley car at the Waldo hotel by J. W. Williams and conveyed to various points of interest in the city and its suburbs. Upon their return, the association was again called into session by the president, J. R. Kemper, of Elkins. W. F. Kennedy, of Wheeling, made an address on "The Relation of the Jobber to the Retail Dealer"; J. W. Williams, of Clarksburg, discussed the parcels post business and a question box was conducted by E. R. Showers, of Elm Grove. The members of the association

credit to us when necessary. Because every dollar spent at home stays at home and works for the welfare of our city. Because the men we buy from stand back of the goods. Because we sell what we produce here at home. Because the men we buy from pay their part of the local taxes. Because the men we buy from help support our schools, our lodges and our homes. Here we live and here we buy. We have a prosperous city. Its development and the development of the country tributary to it depends largely on the buy-at-home spirit—the spirit of loyalty to the city institutions, the city factories and the city stores. This is "town loyalty" and it is on this basis that cities are built. This loyalty is best brought about through a central civic association. To bring about this loyalty is one of the great purposes of a rightly organized and managed board of trade to which you should belong. Come on and lift!

GREAT MEETING NOW EXPECTED AT METHODIST CHURCH TONIGHT

Many Coming Forward When Invitations Follow Preaching of Evangelist.

GREAT REVIVAL ASSURED

Entire City Moved by Interest in This Campaign against the Elements of Evil.

One of the greatest campaigns against the devil ever inaugurated in West Virginia, is now on in full blast in the First Methodist Episcopal church. Dr. King in launching this great work certainly made a wise selection when he secured the services of Dr. Morrison, the silver-tongued orator of the South, and a man whose lovable nature and sterling character makes him instantly a great favorite with all who meet him.

The preaching of Dr. Morrison is without a parallel in some respects—in fact he stands alone. He is a man whose peculiar manner of getting right down to the very vitals of a subject make him perhaps better fitted under existing conditions here than any other evangelist worker that might have been suggested. To miss one of his masterly sermons is to miss a treat.

Last night there was a great crowd out to hear the preaching and it is indeed well to come early if one cares to secure a seat. Tonight the attendance will doubtless be much greater.

At the close of the sermon a general invitation was given to come forward in a reconsecration movement, but to the great surprise of many, when the people started to move down the aisle a number knelt at the altar rail in humble supplication for remission of their sins.

One of the features of the meeting was the great willingness on the part of those present to engage in prayer and personal work among the penitents. Among those who were seen bowed in supplication to the Great Creator of all was one old man whose "days of his years" were approaching well toward the century mark.

The music is rapidly improving under the able direction of Prof. Hiatt and the great chorus is al-

COAL MINERS VOTE NOT TO STOP WORK

So Long as Negotiations for the New Wage Agreements Are Pending.

BRITISH REPLY

To American Protest Concerning Mails Seeks to Justify the Action Taken.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The foreign office handed to the American embassy today an interim reply to the American protest against detention of mails. The note states that a formal answer to the representations of the United States will be made as soon as the French government has signified its approval of the attitude of England.

It is understood the formal reply will defend the action of the British authorities by citing evidence that Germans have been abusing the privileges of first class mail. The British government will rely on the postal conventions adopted at The Hague for justification of its measures.

TWO ARRESTS

In Connection with Robbery and Murder in the City of Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Frank Pace and a woman said to be his wife are in custody today in connection with the robbery of the Cook tourist agency and the murder of B. A. Johnson, a policeman, last Friday. At the house where the two were arrested the police found three wigs, one of them answering the description of the color of the hair of the woman accomplice in the murder and the robbery.

NOTES BURIED

In a Fruit Jar under the Floor of John Harrison's Machine Shop.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 26.—When the police arrested John Harrison in his machine shop here a few nights ago, they said they found a fruit jar buried under the floor containing \$1,800 in national bank notes, said to have been stolen in the robbery of a Baltimore and Ohio train at Central Station, W. Va., last October. He is held under a charge of complicity in the train robbery.

STATE RESTS

At the Trial of Mrs. Mohr and Two Negroes for Murder of Dr. Mohr.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 26.—The state rested today in the trial of Mrs. Elizabeth P. Mohr, and two negroes, Cecil Brown and Henry Spellman, charged with the murder of the woman's husband, Dr. C. Franklin Mohr. By the testimony of more than fifty witnesses, the prosecution has attempted to prove that the negroes shot the physician at the instigation of Mrs. Mohr.

POSTPONEMENT

Of Joint Conference of Soft Coal Men Will Be Asked by Mr. White.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 26.—President John P. White notified the miners' convention at the opening of the session here Wednesday that owing to the inability of the convention to complete its work this week, he would ask the bituminous coal operators to postpone the joint conference in Mobile, Ala., until February 7. The joint conference was to have begun February 1.

GAUZOLEY FUNERAL

Services Will Be Held at 3 o'clock Thursday Afternoon.

Angeline Gauzoley, aged 24 years, a young Spanish woman, of Grassieville, died at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at a local hospital following a nine months' illness of complication of diseases. The deceased girl is survived by a brother, Joseph Gauzoley. Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Lynch-Osborn Undertaking Company's chapel and the burial will be in the Holy Cross cemetery.

NO LIVES LOST.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—A Lloyd's report says that the steamship Norseman, which was reported yesterday to have been sunk, has been beached and that no lives were lost.

HATFIELD GIVES LIE TO MR. HOGG

SCHOOL BOARD HOLDS SESSION

At Which Matters of Various Kinds Relating to Schools Are Looked After.

The city board of education held a regular semi-monthly meeting Tuesday night. All the members, namely W. H. Taylor, Dr. J. F. Williams and Robert Morris, Secretary James N. Hess, Superintendent F. L. Burdette, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds Frank Lamping and Architect E. C. S. Holmboe were present.

Frank J. Tracy was elected enumerator at a salary of \$90 for the work, which he will begin March 1. The board officially rejected the request of the John M. Kinsner and Brother Lumber Company, of Fairmont, for the return of a certified check given as a forfeit in connection with the contract to build an addition to the Alla Vista school house, the lumber company having refused to carry out such contract.

Superintendent Burdette reported that the night schools had started off in a satisfactory manner. Architect Holmboe reported that work of erecting additions to the Alla Vista and Morgan school buildings was progressing nicely. The usual bills were allowed.

FORD PARTY ARRIVES.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Reuter's Stockholm correspondent says that the working committee of the Ford peace expedition has arrived there and will remain until the peace negotiations are begun.

TO SEEK TO ENJOIN "DRY" DETECTIVES

Is Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company as They Are Obnoxious Now.

WHEELING, Jan. 26.—Information emanating from a source, the reliability of which is hardly indisputable, is to the effect that the Baltimore and Ohio officials here are already awaiting word from the Baltimore general offices before making an appeal for an injunction against "dry" detectives, or prohibition officers, who, it is said, have been making the Baltimore and Ohio station a stamping ground of late and also making life miserable for travelers. An official state that no traveling bag or suit case is safe, as the "sleuths" are lurking in the corner of every building, ready to do the "Sherlock" stunt on any suspicious looking package. Only Saturday, said the official, a young man on his way home was taken from the station by a prohibition officer, but upon examination of his two suit cases the officer found that he had made a big mistake.

Such mistakes are injurious to the business of the company here and it is getting so bad that people are afraid to board a train here for fear they will be searched from head to foot before being allowed to leave the city. It is a most disagreeable experience and passengers are indignant at the treatment they receive at the local station. Many complaints have been made to local officials, and it is said that complaints have found their way to the general offices at Baltimore through the mails. It is expected that a high official will be in this city some time this week, in case matters are not adjusted before hand.

The injunction against the railroads carrying labelled packages of intoxicants in the state has caused the roads no end of trouble and the local officials believe that it would do no harm to give the prohibition officials a dose of their own medicine. It is said that the existing conditions at the local station are alarming in the extreme and that many innocent travelers are afraid of being hauled up before a justice of the peace for the purpose of having their baggage searched.

It is learned upon good authority that it is not likely the Baltimore and Ohio will be granted such a request inasmuch as it would be interfering with an officer of the law in the discharge of his duties. It is stated that in case individuals are falsely arrested and made to miss their train, they can probably bring suit for damages.

BRISTOL CONFERENCE TO DECIDE A MATTER

Of Prime Importance to Great Britain in the European War Struggle.

The position of the British government on two matters of prime importance in the conduct of the war is to be determined as a result of proceedings under way today. The attitude of labor toward compulsory military service will be decided at the conference meeting today in Bristol. The debate on the question of a blockade of Germany is before the House of Commons. The Bristol conference is the most important of its kind ever held in England representing more than 2,000,000 members of trades unions. The compulsory military service bill having passed the House of Commons and encountered little opposition in the House of Lords the outcome of the long campaign on this issue will depend largely on the attitude of organized labor. Although great opposition to compulsion developed at the London labor conference it is believed this feeling has died down to a considerable extent since that time.

There are intimations unofficial in nature that the British government has decided against a formal blockade of Germany. It is pointed out in English newspapers which reflect the views of the government that such a blockade might weaken Great Britain's hands and increase friction with neutrals. The Austrian drive down the sea-

Governor of State Exposes the Glittering Generalities of Demagogic Democrat.

SOLAR-PLEXUS BLOWN

First Man to Announce for the Democratic Nomination for Governor Gets His.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 26.—Governor Henry D. Hatfield in a statement given out last night to the press, said: The statement made by Senator Hogg in announcing his candidacy for the governorship is a reverberation of the parrot-like, vicious falsehoods which were to be frequently heard during the last session of the legislature emanating from that class which wished to see defeated every effort made by the legislators who were sincerely interested in the state's welfare, to put into effect the progressive legislation enacted at the session of 1915.

Senator Hogg lent his support to that conspiracy, as the record will show, that put West Virginia in the embarrassing financial condition which brought about an actual moratorium. That the state could not pay its ordinary expenses of governmental maintenance, was brought to the attention of the citizens through the press of the state, soon after I came into office—October 27, 1913, in my communication to Mr. Radeker, of Parkersburg. This declaration as to the state's deficit was confirmed by the audit of the Honorable E. A. Dover, on December 14, 1914, confirmed by the state tax commissioner, Mr. Blue, and approved by Auditor Darst at that time. It was again itemized and confirmed and given to the public by Mr. Dover, in keeping with chapter 40 of the acts of 1915, which requires an annual audit of the state's finances.

Hogg's Bad Record. The record that Senator Hogg made indicates that he was controlled or influenced for political or other purposes, and with other senators refused to provide sufficient revenue to carry on the state government and maintain the state institutions. This resulted in the necessity of going to the expense of calling a third session of the legislature after an indignant citizenship had been aroused to the situation, before relief came to the state institution. When Senator Hogg makes the assertion that the state's money is being extravagantly used he reflects upon himself, or exposes to the public a lack of intelligence as to governmental affairs. If he is informed, he knows that the state's money can only be used as appropriated by the legislative body, of which he is a member. If he means to convey the idea that money belonging to the state not appropriated is being used illegally, he is not reflecting upon me, but upon the custodians of these funds, the auditor and the treasurer.

When the senator states that "a political machine" is being constructed he is stating a falsehood and he knows it and it is only a demagogic bid put out to fool some unsuspecting persons. An analysis of his declarations shows there is nothing new in them. It is the echo of the oft-repeated statement of the stragglers that controlled the senator's vote, mind and will, and makes him less than a man. There is no place in the state administration coming under my department to which these carping critics can point where extravagance is being practiced.

Put Up or Shut Up. Why does the senator deal in generalities when making this kind of declaration? Why does he not put his finger upon the specific point where extravagance is being practiced? I challenge any one of these critics who are preaching economy and retrenchment to point to one department specifically, or to one institution, specifically, where the cost of such department or institution is as much as that of a like department or institution in any other state in the union. They know they cannot do it, if they know anything about the administration of the state institutions and departments in connection with West Virginia's state government. They know that the state of West Virginia receives more in the way of returns for every dollar expended than any other state in the union.

These glittering generalities in the way of criticism are made by those who possess no definite facts, but who

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TO BUY COAL

In New York City in Anticipation of a Strike of Coal Miners.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—In anticipation of a strike of coal miners after their agreement with operators ends next April, the New York city board of estimates has asked the board of aldermen for permission to purchase \$200,000 worth of coal for the use of the city departments.

The city now has coal sufficient to last until March 31, but wishes to be prepared to meet requirements up to next June.

MANY ATTACKS ARE MADE BY THE FRENCH

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—A great number of counter attacks were made by the French yesterday to recapture the trenches taken by the Germans east of Neuville but they were repulsed each time after hand to hand fighting, says the statement issued today by the German army headquarters staff.

TO GIVE SUPPER.

There will be a supper at the home of Mrs. Anna Dabney on Water street at from 5 to 11 p. m. Thursday. All are cordially invited to attend. It will be for the benefit of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church. Go and take your friends.

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