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## GERMAN GUNS HURL BOMBS INTO CITY OF NANCY

### AEROPLANES ALSO DROP EXPLOSIVES OVER CITY; LITTLE DAMAGE RESULTS

### FRENCH SUBMARINE TORPEDOES SULTAN'S YACHT

### SERBIAN TOWNS OF MONASTIR AND GIEVGLI ATTACKED BY FRENCH FROM AIR

(By Associated Press.)

(BULLETIN.)

Paris, Jan. 25.—The city of Nancy was again bombarded today by long range German guns and a number of bombs dropped from German aeroplanes. The damages resulting from the battle are inconsiderable and only two persons were wounded, while the aeroplane attack is reported to have been without result.

(BULLETIN.)

Paris, Jan. 25.—The Serbian towns of Monastir and Gievglj have again been attacked by a squadron of French aeroplanes, sixteen in number, an Athens correspondent of the Havas Agency telegraphs. It is estimated that one hundred were killed and wounded at Gievglj.

### Sultan's Yacht Torpedoed.

London, Jan. 25.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Athens says that the Sultan's yacht, Erhogroal, according to reports in Constantinople was torpedoed in the Bosphorus by a French submarine during the latter part of December.

### Germans Destroy Cathedral.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—The ancient cathedral at Nieuport has been destroyed by German artillery fire as it was offering an excellent observation post, says a German official statement. Nieuport is in Belgium near Ostend. The cathedral was built in the fifteenth century, and restored in 1913.

### Dominion Liner Goes Down.

London, Jan. 25.—A Liverpool message to the Exchange Telegraph gives the report of the Dominion liner or Norseman, sunk.

### French Bag a "Zep."

London, Jan. 25.—A British official report from Dunkirk says that two aeroplanes again dropped bombs

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357,515 PAY THE INCOME TAX IN U. S.

Washington, Jan. 25.—According to last year's returns there were 357,515 incomes subject to the federal income tax. They were divided as follows:

1,000,000 and more, 69; \$500,000 and more, 114; \$100,000 to \$500,000, 147; \$250,000 to \$100,000, 130; \$200,000 to \$250,000, 231; \$150,000 to \$200,000, 496; \$100,000 to \$150,000, 1,183; \$75,000 to \$100,000, 1,551; \$50,000 to \$75,000, 3,669; \$40,000 to \$50,000, 8,098; \$25,000 to \$40,000, 5,483; \$20,000 to \$25,000, 8,572; \$15,000 to \$20,000, 15,790; \$10,000 to \$15,000, 24,141; \$5,000 to \$10,000, 127,448; \$1,000 to \$5,000, 98,525; \$500 to \$1,000, 82,754.

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## THE WAR A YEAR AGO TODAY

Jan. 25, 1915.

Kaiser sent Prince Eitel Friedrich to direct fighting in Alsace.

French gained toward Altkirch and destroyed bridges over Meuse at St. Germain.

Germans were forced by floods to abandon Dixmude trenches.

Fierce fighting in Bukowina.

Russians were forced from their trenches south of Tarnov.

## JUDGE DALE SITS IN HUSTON'S COURT

### ADDITIONAL JURORS ARE DRAWN FOR TERM; JUDGE HUSTON ILL; COUNTY COURT

With Judge Frank Dale on the bench in place of Judge Huston, who is ill, district court is grinding today on civil cases. A jury has the case of the Logan County Bank vs. Wm. Fr. Wm. on a money proposition. Criminal cases will begin Thursday.

An additional venire of 15 jurors were drawn today by Court Clerks Humphrey and Sheriff Sherwood on request of Judge Huston. The following names were drawn:

W. T. Horner, Oak View; J. L. Bakesley, Marshall; S. A. Douglas, Guthrie; Hiram Davis, Guthrie; J. A. Parvance, Guthrie; Wap; N. H. Surrick, Springer; Con. J. Harrington, Guthrie; J. S. Davis, Oak View; Jessie Bowman, Crescent; James Orr, Marshall; S. M. Nedy, Bear Creek; John Mahoney, Guthrie; J. A. Phisagral, North Cimarron; J. B. Nindiger, Guthrie and Chas Campbell of Antelope.

The following matters were adjusted in county court today:

Cane Brass, administrator of the estate of Edward Schroeder, has filed in the county court an inventory of the property of the estate. The pur-

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## KARL E. GIBSON VICTIM OF DEATH

Karl Ernest Gibson, proprietor of the Gibson clothes pressing shop, on First street, died Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibson, 410 North Division, after a brief illness. The deceased was 21 years of age. He lived with his parents on a farm 12 miles northwest of Guthrie, until he was ten years old, when he came to Guthrie. He was an affable and an industrious young man and possessed a wide circle of friends. The funeral took place Monday, at 2 o'clock from the late home of the deceased. Rev. H. P. Lott of Oklahoma City, conducted the services. The funeral was largely attended and the floral offerings were many. Interment was at Summit View.

## TOUGH LITTLE GIRLS RETURNED TO "HOME"

Two girls who had escaped from the Holmes' Home of Redeeming Love were apprehended here yesterday by Chief Mitchell and held for the officers of Oklahoma County. The girls were under 15 years of age and tough. They cursed like troopers and smoked cigarettes. "We don't want to go back to that place, we're old enough to sleep alone; if we want to," said one. They were returned to Oklahoma City.

## FOUR ROADS SAY RATES ARE CONFISCATORY

### NEW MOVE IS STARTED TO EVADE THE TWO CENT RATE BY FIGHTING FREIGHT TARIFF

Oklahoma City, Jan. 25.—The Rock Island, Frisco, Santa Fe and Missouri Kansas and Texas railroads, to-day that are prosecuting the increased passenger fare case in the federal court, today filed an application with Judge Frank A. Youmans, seeking to permanently enjoin a host of orders of the corporation commission prescribing state freight rates, alleging that the rates ordered are confiscatory.

The attempted interjection of the attack on freight rates in a case that is purely a passenger rate controversy was not received readily by Judge Youmans.

He set the application for Thursday to allow the attorney general to prepare a reply. Beside attacking the freight rate orders, the railroad application also seek to restrain the commission from enforcing order 982, which provides that no carrier shall charge more than the two-cent rate without obtaining the consent of the commission.

## \$40,000 Worth of Baseball Players



Benny Kauff, Outfielder.

Bill Rariden, Catcher.

Fred Anderson, Pitcher.

## AIR CRAFTS ARE AGAIN VERY BUSY ON FRONTS

### SCUTARI IS IN HANDS OF GERMAN ALLIES; VIENNA GLEEFUL

London, Jan. 25.—In their Progress southward across the Albanian frontier the Austrians have taken Albania's principal trade city, Scutari, and in addition have occupied Podgoritza, Dabrovatz and Nizic, in Montenegro. The Serbians forming the garrison at Scutari retreated southward without resistance.

The Austrian official communications denounce the Montenegrins as laying down their arms and that the populations in the towns occupied are receiving the invaders in a friendly manner.

Air raids have taken place in various localities. Germans again at 1 o'clock this morning passed over Dover in an aeroplane, which was engaged by all the anti-aircraft guns and pursued by British airmen. Whether bombs were dropped is not stated in the official announcement. This was the third venture of the kind in two days. In the other vis-

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## THIRD SACKER NOW IN NEWSPAPER GAME

Shamrock, Okla., Jan. 25.—Billie Harnuth, a former star player in the Western Association at Guthrie, has gone into the newspaper game and is now associate editor of the Republican at Fairview, Okla. For a number of years he has been a reporter between baseball seasons. He was a third sacker at Guthrie for two seasons and has since been in the California State League. In 1914 Guthrie traded Clarence Nelson, southpaw, to Cedar Rapids for Harnuth.

### BRADLEY TRIAL SET.

Chickasha, Okla., Jan. 25.—The trial of County Clerk F. P. Bradley has been set for Jan. 31. Judge Cham Jones removed Bradley from office on drunk charges.

Whatever else the Federal League did in its short career it managed to develop \$40,000 worth of baseball players in three clubs, and the New York Giants of the National League have just proved this by paying \$25,000 for Benny Kauff, outfielder in the Brooklyn Federal club; Bill Rariden, catcher in the Newark Feds, and Fred Anderson, pitcher in the Buffalo club of the Federal League. Perhaps only one other baseball sale required so much cash. That was the purchase by President Comiskey of the Chicago American League club of Eddie Collins in Philadelphia.

## NO ADVICES OF DISMISSAL, FAIN CALLS UP CASES

### ELECTION INSPECTORS, JEFFRIES AND SMITH, ON TRIAL IN FEDERAL COURT

Duke Jeffries, Democrat of Newark, and Willard Smith, Republican, formerly of Newark, but now seated at Roseburg, Oregon, are on trial in federal court Tuesday charged with "conspiracy" to prevent negroes from voting in the 1914 general election. A jury was secured Monday night and is composed of North Oklahoma men. All are white. Introduction of testimony was not damaging to the defendants. A number of negroes testified that they failed to pass the

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## LOGAN ASSESSMENT TO BE MADE UNDER OLD LAW

### WHILE OTHER COUNTIES FORCE TAXPAYERS TO CALL ON ASSESSOR, CARTER WILL NOT

While other counties of the state have taken advantage of the new law which makes it discretionary on the part of the assessor and the county commissioners as to whether the assessor shall go to the people for their rendition of assessable property or that the people shall call on the assessor, Logan county's assessor and commissioners have decided to follow the old law and assess as heretofore.

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## "NOTHING WITHOUT SACRIFICE," SAYS ILIFF

### MINISTER ROUSES METHODIST CONGREGATION; CHURCH'S FINANCES

Without sacrifice we can do nothing, was in a measure the theme of Dr. T. C. Iliff's rousing sermon at the M. E. Church Sunday morning. No sacrifice of self and even life itself was too great for our forefathers in the establishment of this early church with this inspiring thought in mind.

Dr. Iliff exhorted his hearers, to meet the obligations of the church today. He commended the congregation for their great spirit in undertaking the building of their beautiful church and encouraging them to make the necessary sacrifices for bearing the burden. Eight thousand is the sum required and of that sum \$7,000 has already been subscribed while the committee is confident that more than the \$700 needed to complete the sum will be raised in a short time. The floating indebtedness is \$5,000 and with this paid, leaves a bonded indebtedness on the church of \$12,000. The money subscribed is to be paid in two years, an eighth every three months.

## DILATORY TACTICS WAS CAUSE OF AUTO ACCIDENT

The half mile of bad road where the automobile accident occurred that resulted in the death of Earl Taggart, Sunday afternoon is the result of dilatory tactics on the part of the state highway authorities, said a city commissioner today. "We were ready to grade that section of the west highway a month ago. First the owner of the land next the road on one side refused to move a fence, that took time to adjust, after that was adjusted it was up to the state highway department to approve the road. Up to this date the approval has not been given. With the exception of that short stretch of road the Navinga highway is in splendid shape."

## HOUSE ROMPS ON PORK BILL OF \$125,000 FOR PRISON FACTORY

Oklahoma City, Jan. 25.—The senate Tuesday afternoon attacked the emergency clause to the anti-gambling bill and sent it to the house for agreement on two amendments. This done, the governor will sign his signature. The house cheered two hours over a resolution by Gainer endorsing the bill introduced in the senate of the United States by United States Senator Thomas P. Gore of Oklahoma, providing that the United States shall lease to permit the transportation of war munitions to European countries, which interfere with the legitimate commerce of the United States upon the high seas.

Several new bills dealing with legislative subjects proposed by the governor were introduced in both houses. These include bills making an appropriation of \$150 for the payment of the printing of the records and journals of the Oklahoma organization of the G. A. R.; providing for the correction of erroneous and excessive assessments and one proposing

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## SCHOOL "KIDDIES" ARE ON THE ANXIOUS SEAT

### GENERAL EXAMINATIONS BEGIN THIS WEEK IN ALL SCHOOLS; SECOND SEMESTER MONDAY

Principals and teachers of the city schools are rounding up the year's work this week and preparing for the new semester that begins next Monday morning. In the high schools the final examinations will be given next week and schedules completed for the last half of the term.

The final examinations in the grade schools start Thursday and will be finished Friday night. School children are on the anxious seat these days as the result of the tests this week will decide whether or not they will "go up" a class next Monday. "Examining" has been the order of the day and picture show men say the falling off in attendance at their houses during the past few weeks is caused by both the school "kiddies" and their parents doing extra work at night in preparation for the tests that are coming.

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## CRASH OF WAR HAS RUINED SHIP INDUSTRY

### UNITED KINGDOM IS MOST SERIOUSLY AFFECTED BY BIG CONFLICT

### SHIP OUTPUT OF WORLD AT MINIMUM

### PROLONGATION OF WAR WILL SEE BUSINESS OF SHIP BUILDING STAGNANT

(By Associated Press.)

London, Jan. 25.—How seriously the war has affected the shipbuilding industry of the world is shown in the official statistics which have been supplied by the leading British shipbuilding firms. During the past year only 1,655 merchant vessels, representing a total of 1,678,810 tons, have been added to the mercantile marine of the world, as compared with 3,165 vessels of 3,484,171 tons during 1914.

While all the combatant nations have obviously suffered in the greatest degree, the United Kingdom has been the most seriously affected, for the figures relating to British shipbuilding show that only 517 merchant vessels were built, representing a total tonnage of 649,334 tons, as against 1,294 vessels of 1,722,154 tons during the previous year.

The following table which has been compiled from statistics furnished by the leading shipbuilders shows the total output of the world during 1915 and 1914:

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## EXPORTS DURING 1915 INCREASED 70 PER CENT

(By Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 25.—American exports increased seventy per cent during 1915 and reached the great total of three billion five hundred and fifty-five million dollars.

THIS IS LAST CALL.

This is positively the last week in which taxes will be received without the penalty attached. "I have extended the time from time to time on account of bad weather, so that all could have a chance. This is positively the last week of grace. Next week the penalty will attach," said County Treasurer R. D. Stewart, today.

## THE WEATHER

### THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

The world is full of unfound friends; I see them lurking every place. Sometimes it makes me feel so glad I just could hug the human race!



By Associated Press.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 25.—Tonight snow, colder, cold wave with temperature fourteen to twenty, Wednesday, fair, colder.