

## AMERICANS ARE FLOCKING OUT OF MEXICO

### TURBANIA'S SINKING TO BE INVESTIGATED

#### Americans Aboard Neutral Vessel Alleged to Have Been Torpedoed

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—The American consuls in Holland have been instructed to investigate the sinking of the Tubantia with Americans aboard. Consular agents at Gibraltar and Lisbon have been instructed to investigate the unsuccessful attempt to torpedo the Patria.

(By Associated Press.)  
THE HAGUE, Mar. 17.—The loss of the Tubantia has stirred the country deeply. The opinion credited to the captain of the Tubantia that it was torpedoed adds to the feeling of resentment. The Vaderland calls attention to the fact that the vessel was sunk almost at the same time as the announcement of the resignation of Von Tirpitz, the German minister of marine, and his statement that his successor would continue submarine warfare.

(By Associated Press.)  
AMSTERDAM, Mar. 17.—The Tubantia was the newest and finest vessel under the Dutch flag. The disaster has created a sensation throughout Holland. The press reflects anger and indignation. It is believed that few people lost their lives.

### TURKEY DESIROUS OF SEPARATE PEACE

#### Germans Make Five Separate Unsuccessful Onslaughts in Vaux Region

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, Mar. 17.—A Rome dispatch says: "A message from Berne says that Naby Bey, Ex-Turkish Ambassador to Rome, is reported to be endeavoring to negotiate separate peace for Turkey with allies."

The Germans assaulted the lines east of Verdun last night. Five successive assaults in the Vaux region were reported, according to Paris. Berlin reports two unsuccessful attacks on German positions on Dead Man's heights.

### STEAMER GOES DOWN, EIGHT MEN MISSING

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—The steamship Kanawha, bound from New York for Rio Janeiro, sank off the coast of South Carolina. Eight of the crew in a life boat are missing. Twenty-one others were rescued.

### MARRIED MEN MAY BE CALLED TO ARMS

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, Mar. 17.—Heated debates marked the session of the house of commons regarding the problem of calling out married men until after 1 o'clock this morning when the house adjourned. Ex-Secretary of Home Affairs Simon appeared as the champion of the married men, but his speech was criticised by other champions of the married men, owing to his argument that there is danger of over-recruiting. The feeling of the house was that the Compulsion Act should be extended to married men.

### ANOTHER PROPERTY TO WORK AT BELMONT

Articles of incorporation of the Belmont Big Four Mining company were filed today with County Clerk Pohl. The company is incorporated for 1,250,000 shares at ten cents a share. The incorporators are: Dr. Charles Mantor, W. W. Spear, W. R. Gilkey, Tobar, Nevada; L. W. Spangler, Red Cliff, Colorado; W. E. Maul, Carlin, Nevada; and Alma L. Spear, Los Angeles, Cal. The location of works and principal place of business is Belmont, Nye county, Nevada.

### SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION

#### CALLIES' TROOPS SEEK TO CUT OFF VILLA Carranza Again Assures American Soldiers that they are Cordially Welcome

(By Associated Press.)  
EL PASO, Tex., Mar. 17.—Rapidly growing uneasiness among Americans in Mexico, especially in the north and west, is evidenced by the reports that United States citizens are either on their way to the border or are preparing to depart. At many points along the frontier Americans have arrived, but the majority are said to be leaving Mexico merely as a matter of precaution.

The most significant report received from Durango is where the American vice-consul advised that his wife and children be sent out of the country. American consul Williams and a large number of Americans have arrived from Toluca. The arrivals brought disquieting stories as to the attitude of Mexicans, especially in Chihuahua, Durango and Coahuila.

(By Associated Press.)  
LAREDO, Mar. 17.—Fourteen Carranza soldiers and ten civilians were killed Tuesday by the explosion of a carload of grenades in the railroad yards at Monterey, according to travelers. Carranza suppressed the news of the explosion because of the tension between the United States and Mexico. The dead are all Mexicans.

(By Associated Press.)  
DOUGLAS, Ariz., Mar. 17.—Carranza troops under General Calles are making efforts to co-operate with the Americans, who are pursuing Villa, according to reports. Four hundred of Calles' men are entrenching near Bavispe in a position commanding the two passes through which Villa is expected to march.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—Satisfactory assurances regarding the attitude of General Carranza toward the entrance of Americans are conveyed to the state department by Consul Silliman, who is with Carranza.

### NO CLASHES YET FOR EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

REPORTS FROM MEXICO ARE THAT SNIPING HAS NOT BEEN RESORTED TO

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 17.—The American expeditionary force has had no clash with Villa to date, according to reports. There are no instances of sniping.

### PRESIDENT CELEBRATES ST. PATRICK'S DAY

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—President Wilson celebrated St. Patrick's birthday, wearing a green necktie and a sprig of shamrock, sent him by John Redmond, the Irish Nationalist.

### IMPORTANT CHANGES DUE GERMAN ARMY AIR CORPS

(By Associated Press.)  
AMSTERDAM, via London, Mar. 17.—The Frankfurter Zeitung, a copy of which has been received here, announces important changes in the control of German army air service. It has been decided, says the newspaper, to substitute experimentally a separate administration control of the air forces and that the chief of this service will have authority equivalent to a general commanding an army corps.

### SEISMOGRAPH RECORDS NEVADA EARTHQUAKE

An earthquake originating about 150 miles from this city was clearly recorded recently by the new seismograph at the university. Prof. J. Claude Jones, in charge of the instrument, is of the opinion that the tremor was one of the frequent Pleasant valley earth disturbances. The motion was in an easterly and westerly direction. The seismograph recorded the earthquake at 2:30 p. m.—Reno Journal.

### SPLENDID OUTLOOK FOR NEVADA FARMS

#### Publicity Expert Forecasts 10,000,000 Bushels Wheat Annually

"The poor man's problem has become the rich man's game in Nevada," is the way John C. Martin, publicity man for the Southern Pacific Land Department, sums up the farm situation in this state, for the Bonanza. "The possibilities of farm development surpasses the richest dreams of avarice," continued Mr. Martin, "but it should not be thought that any man can venture into the arid sections of this state and immediately lay the foundation for a bank account. If he knows nothing about dry farming or irrigation by pumping then he better remain at home, wherever he is, for he is bound to make a failure. This has been demonstrated repeatedly in Humboldt and Elko counties, but scientific soil culture is beginning to be better understood and the class of settlers taking up lands is different from what it was several years ago when men and women were obsessed by the idea that all they had to do was to sow the seed and harvest a crop a few months later. Nevertheless, strange as it may appear, this is the system practiced successfully on the bench lands of the Promontory country where shipments of wheat last year ran into the hundreds of carloads. Two years before the section was a wilderness of barrens of the most forbidding character. Then a few farmers from Cache county, Utah, thought they would take a chance. They plowed and sowed and then returned to their home ranches. When they got through with their own crops the following fall they took a jaunt over into the Promontory country where they were greeted by fields of yellow tasseled wheat just begging the reaper to come along. This was the beginning and for the last three years the Promontory district that has been rendered famous for the development of zinc, is one of the most reliable shippers tributary to the Southern Pacific.

"But, to return to the original subject," continued the speaker, "the dry farm proposition is attracting men of capital, men of means and experience who are accompanied by soil experts, water chemists, hydraulic engineers and civil engineers who are engaged

### PLANNING AN INCREASED STANDING ARMY

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—Both houses worked today on the national defense measures. In the house every other issue was put aside while debate on the army bill proceeded under special rule, fixing the time limit at ten hours. An effort will be made to reach a vote tomorrow.

In the senate the army bill drawn by the military committee was formally reported. Chairman Chamberlain announced that he would ask for unanimous consent to take it up Monday. The bill before the house is the most extensive proposal for increasing the military defense ever laid before it in peace times. Kahn said that while the bill provided for a peace strength of 140,000 in the imminence of war the president could bring it up to more than 175,000, exclusive of auxiliary troops.

### VISITORS AMAZED AT RESCUE-EULA SHOWING

(By Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Mar. 17.—As the result of violence at the Argo plant of the Corn Products company, where the men are on strike, Judge Jesse Baldwin of the circuit court late today issued a temporary injunction restraining picketing and interfering with the property of the company.

### STRIKERS RESTRAINED BY ORDER FROM COURT

(By Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Mar. 17.—Nearly all the 1,000 strikers of the Cudahy plant returned to work this morning after having been on a strike since Monday. Several hours after the men returned, about a score of butchers quit work. It is not believed the other workers will join the butchers.

### BATTLESHIP KENTUCKY ORDERED TO VERA CRUZ

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—The battleship Kentucky, now at New Orleans, was ordered to Vera Cruz today by Secretary Daniels. She will sail as soon as she can be provisioned and coaled.

### WABASH LINE CASHIER ADMITS \$18,000 THEFT

(By Associated Press.)  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Mar. 17.—Robert Riley, assistant cashier of the Wabash Railroad, today confessed to a shortage of \$18,000. He has been arrested.

### CUDAHY STRIKERS RETURN

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### WILL RECRUIT ARMY TO ITS FULL STRENGTH

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—President Wilson today signed the joint congressional resolution authorizing the increase of the army to its full strength, approximately 120,000.

### EXPEDITION'S OBJECT IS SIMPLY PUNITIVE

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—The senate adopted without opposition the LaFollette resolution approving the president's course in sending the expedition to Mexico, and assuring the Mexicans that the object of the expedition was merely punitive.

### GOT 30,000 COYOTES

At least 30,000 coyotes were shot or poisoned in Lassen and Modoc counties during the outbreak of rabies, was the statement made by Sanitary Inspector E. T. Ross upon returning from the scene. He says the outbreak has subsided, so that danger is past.

### NOT A COUNTY PATIENT

A very regrettable error crept into the Bonanza yesterday afternoon, in referring to Mrs. J. H. Smith being removed to the county hospital, the paper should have stated that she is a private patient there. Mrs. Smith has the best medical attendance and nursing that can be secured.

### LEFT FEVER IN WINNEMUCCA

The band of gypsies left Winnemucca Friday, the child that was ill with scarlet fever being well enough to travel. However, they left a memento behind them, the two children of H. O. Rollins both being taken down with the disease. So far as known, these are the only cases of the fever in Winnemucca.

### LORIMER TRIAL POSTPONED

(By Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Mar. 17.—Illness of Attorney Albert Flak, counsel for Wm. Lorimer, today caused a postponement until tomorrow of the trial of former president of the LaSalle Street Trust and Savings Bank, charged with conspiracy in wrecking the institution.

### WILL CONDUCT STORY HOUR

The story hour at the library at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, will be conducted by Mrs. Moore. Children between the ages of five and ten are welcome.

### BUTLER THEATRE

BETTER PICTURES  
TONIGHT  
"THE FOURTH ESTATE"  
A Newspaper Story true to life. Made in the Mammoth Plant of the Chicago Herald  
The Greatest Newspaper Play Ever Written  
Hits at Forces that Conspire to Control Public Press  
A Sidney Drew Comedy

TOMORROW  
"THE GREAT DIVIDE"  
A Blue Ribbon Feature  
—And—  
A Two-Reel CHAPLIN Comedy  
Matinee, 1:30 Night, 7 and 8:30  
Admission, 10 and 15c

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