

THE WEATHER  
Fair Tonight and Friday

# TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS  
Silver 82 1/2  
Copper 24.25  
Lead 36.40  
Quicksilver 670.880

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TONOPAH, NEVADA, THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 20, 1916

PRICE 10 CENTS

# VILLA'S CAPTURE EXPECTED

## REPORTED SICK AND SEEKING MEDICAL AID

### ENEMIES CLOSING IN ON ELUSIVE BANDIT

#### Successful Conclusion of a Still Hunt Forecast by Cablegram to Mexican Consul

(By Associated Press.)  
GALVESTON, July 20.—The capture of Villa by Carranza's cavalry is momentarily expected, according to a cablegram to the Mexican consul. Villa is reported ill and seeking medical aid. His whereabouts is known by Carranza troops through a captured messenger.  
Villa with his main band is near Amador, according to official Mexican reports. This is thirty miles south of the Durango line. Trevino announced that the government troops have his band of 800 surrounded and an early capture is probable.  
(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The final approval of Wilson and Carranza, it is said, is needed to complete arrangements for settling the differences between the United States and Mexico through a joint commission.

### SCHOOL FUNDS OF THE STATE

#### SEMI-ANNUAL APPORTIONMENT OF STATE SCHOOL MONIES FOR 1916

CARSON CITY, July 20.—Following is the statement of the second semi-annual apportionment of state school monies for the calendar year 1916. The total amount reported in the state distributive school fund by the state controller for apportionment at this time is \$114,364.12. This apportionment is made on the basis of \$116.0043 for each teacher and \$2.371636 for each school census child; 70 per cent is apportioned to teachers and 30 per cent to school census children.

County	Census	State Child'n	Teach's	Total
Churchill	740	35	\$5,815.15	
Clark	870	36	6,239.47	
Douglas	318	16	2,610.26	
Elko	1,581	90	14,189.95	
Emeralda	702	28	4,913.01	
Eureka	263	19	2,827.82	
Humboldt	1,072	63	9,850.68	
Lander	303	18	2,806.68	
Lincoln	565	31	4,536.10	
Lyon	709	35	5,720.30	
Mineral	168	12	1,790.49	
Nye	980	49	8,008.41	
Ormsby	645	24	4,313.80	
Storey	399	14	2,665.25	
Washoe	3,433	137	24,055.51	
White Pine	1,348	64	10,621.24	
Totals	14,087	672	\$111,364.12	
Apportionment to the emergency school fund			3,000.00	
Total apportionment			\$114,364.12	

### HEROISM OF ELDER SISTER FAILS TO AVERT THE TRAGEDY

The body of Geraldine Fitzgerald was brought to Tonopah late yesterday afternoon by a special auto that came through without a stop from Bodie, where the afflicted family resided for a short time on their mournful journey. The latter reached home at 8 o'clock to find a mass of telegrams of condolence from all parts of the country expressing sincerest grief over the bereavement and extending heartfelt sympathy to the parents.  
For the first time the story of the tragedy was unfolded only to bring out the heroism of the elder sister, Elizabeth, three years the senior of the drowned child. For the first time during the vacation it was found necessary to leave the children alone at the camp on the shores of Silver Lake, as business called Mr. and Mrs.

### GUARDSMEN IN FINEST HEALTH

#### GEN. BLISS REPORTS BOYS ON FRONT ARE SUPPLIED WITH EVERY COMFORT

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Maj. Gen. Bliss, reporting from the War department inspection camp at New York that the guardsmen on the border were found comfortably sheltered and in excellent health, with the sick report virtually negligible. The food supply was of excellent quality.

### WOMEN DEPRIVED OF CLOTHING

#### PRESIDENT ASKED TO SAVE THE DEAR LADIES FROM WEARING THEIR OLD CLOTHES

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—President Wilson received a petition today from several New Yorkers asking the government to intervene in the cloak makers' strike on the ground that it threatened the supply of women's clothing for the whole nation.  
President Wilson referred the petition to the department of labor and commerce with a request for immediate action. The Bureau of Conciliation will probably undertake a settlement.

### RUSSIANS CLAIM ENEMY AIRSHIP NEAR TOKUM

LONDON, July 20.—A Zeppelin recently raiding the Riga was hit frequently by a Russian anti-aircraft gun and wrecked near Tokum, it is reported. Most of the crew were saved.

### BACK TO WORK IN SAN FRANCISCO

#### RETURN WITHOUT CONDITIONS AND STRIKEBREAKERS REFUSE TO REMAIN ON THE JOB

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—The striking longshoremen and the bay and river boatmen returned to work today after a strike for higher wages and better conditions lasting 50 days. The rivermen returned without announcing their intention. The longshoremen return at the same wage and same conditions, pending negotiations with the Employers' union to settle differences.  
After a three hours' session the union longshoremen ended the strike by returning to work, when 125 non-union men, acting as strikebreakers, themselves struck, refusing to work with union men, and were given their pay.

### BIG LUNING FIRE BURNS A BLOCK

#### CITIZENS ARREST FLAMES AND SAVE THE NEW KETELHUT HOTEL FROM DISASTER

(Special to the Bonanza.)  
LUNING, Nev., July 20.—Fire this morning, beginning at 4 o'clock, burned a block in the center of town, stopping next to the Ketelhut hotel, which was saved with fire extinguishers and wet blankets, which saved the new hotel from sharing the conflagration. The loss is estimated at \$10,000. Everybody in camp turned out and all work was stopped, as the citizens worked like demons. Had the hotel gone the rest of the town would have been reduced to ashes.

### CONGRESS ASKING ABOUT MILITIA

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Reports from the army camps along the border are being gathered by the War department in answer to Congressional resolutions of inquiry regarding the handling of the national guard at mobilization. All deny charges of a shortage of rations or lack of sanitary or transportation facilities. Department commanders report the troops left their home stations with adequate supplies.

### MAN OF MILLIONS COMMITS SUICIDE

#### WEALTHY SAN FRANCISCAN ENDS LIFE IN SECLUDED SPOT IN GOLDEN GATE PARK

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—Louis Rosenfeld, a millionaire shipping man, was found dead today with a bullet

### FRENCH ARE STEADILY ADVANCING AT SOMME

#### German Front Line Trenches Are Taken; Verdun Bombardment Still Continues

(By Associated Press.)  
PARIS, July 20.—French attacks were delivered on both sides of the Somme. On the north bank trenches of the Harcourt sector were taken. South of the river all the German front line trenches between Barleux and Soyecourt were captured. Official reports announce these successes. In the Verdun region there is still a continuous bombardment of the Avocourt and Chattancourt sectors.  
(By Associated Press.)  
BERLIN, July 20.—An Austrian official report states that by hurling stones down the mountain sides the Austrians repulsed three strong Italian attacks near Horcola pass.  
(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, July 20.—The official report says fighting still continues on

### EXTENSION BULLION VALUED AT \$62,880

♦ The Tonopah Extension this morning shipped by Wells Fargo ♦ express forty bars of bullion, ♦ weighing 78,600 ounces and val- ♦ ued at \$62,880, representing the ♦ production of the mine for the ♦ first half of July.

### MERCHANTS CLOSE FOR WANT MONEY

#### PAPER AND SILVER ARE KEPT ON A FALSE PARITY BY CARRANZAS

(By Associated Press.)  
CHIHUAHUA CITY, July 20.—Virtually all the merchants here closed their doors, asserting that it is impossible to continue a profitable business due to the rate of silver exchange fixed by the government of Carranza for the new issue of currency. The grievance was referred to the monetary commission of Mexico City.

### EXPORT BOUNTY ASKED BY EASTERN FIRMS

#### FRIVOLOUS EXCUSE OF FREE TRADERS TO SECURE HELP FROM GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—A general European attack on America's unprecedented gold reserve and foreign trade on the close of the war was predicted by a statement submitted to the House judiciary committee by the national foreign traders council, urging the passage of the Webb bill to permit American commissions on export trade.

### CHILD LABOR BILL MAY NOT COME UP

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—After a conference between Wilson and Kern, the latter said he was unable to predict whether an attempt would be made to pass the child labor bill this session or not. The question will probably be considered by the Democratic caucus soon.

### WEST END SENDS OUT 36 BARS OF BULLION

♦ The West End Consolidated ♦ Mining company shipped yester- ♦ day 36 bars of bullion, weighing ♦ 60,734 ounces. Estimating the ♦ gold and silver content at 80 ♦ cents an ounce, the shipment ♦ was worth \$48,587.20. It was the ♦ clean up for the first half of ♦ July.

### TWENTY PER CENT MORTALITY RATE

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, July 20.—In the 24 hours preceding 10 o'clock this morning, infantile paralysis killed 31 and 119 new cases were reported.  
The figures show the mortality rate is slightly less than 20 per cent. There have been 487 deaths and 2446 cases.

### DEATHS AND NUMBER OF CASES STEADILY GROWING IN METROPOLIS

(By Associated Press.)  
BOSTON, July 20.—Dr. Wilfred E. Harris, who was shot three times Tuesday by Dr. Eldridge Atwood is declared to have a fighting chance for recovery. The police are endeavoring to clear up the death mystery of the poisoning of Dr. Celia Adams, Atwood's fiancée, a few hours prior to the shooting. Atwood is in jail and charged with intent to kill.

### SEE AMERICA FIRST MOTORING DE LUXE

#### SWELL PARTY ACCOMPANIED BY A TRAIN OF HOTEL CARS FOR YELLOWSTONE

(By Associated Press.)  
ST. PAUL, July 20.—Automobiles from half a dozen middle west states departed today on the first leg of a Yellowstone park tour accompanied by a special hotel train. The tour ends July 28.

### INFANTILE EPIDEMIC IN ABSOLUTE CONTROL

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The public health service regards the danger of a nation wide epidemic of infantile paralysis to be over. All state boards report themselves able to combat the disease.  
(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, July 20.—Two hundred fishermen are believed to have lost their lives by a monsoon off the coast of Ceylon. A fishing fleet was caught and over a hundred boats failed to return.

### IN THE CARPATHIANS FIGHTING IS FIERCE

#### Hungarian Front Advanced and Slight Checks Reported at Hands of Turks

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, July 20.—Petrograd, via Rome, reports a great battle developing at Jablonitz, resulting thus far favorably to the Russians. There is also heavy fighting in the Carpathians, it is said. The Russian offensive has been resumed at Kovel and Valdimirvolski and in the Riga area.  
(By Associated Press.)  
CONSTANTINOPLE, July 20.—Turkish victories in Persia and the Caucasus mountains are reported. Russians attacking east of Sincl were driven off.  
(By Associated Press.)  
PETROGRAD, July 20.—An official dispatch says Kugi, an important point in the Caucasus, was occupied by the Russians Tuesday.

### DIVER IS WAITING FOR THE START

#### CAPTAIN STUDIES CHARTS OF RIVER TO FAMILIARIZE SELF WITH LOCAL CONDITIONS

### SOCIAL SCANDAL IN THE UPPER SET

(By Associated Press.)  
BALTIMORE, July 20.—The captain of the Deutschland studied the charts of the Patuxent river and Chesapeake bay today, which is generally believed to be preparatory to an early departure. The submarine engines, it is understood, were given the final test and found to be in perfect order.

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### BRITISH NAVY CAPTURES GERMAN U-35 SUBMARINE

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, July 20.—The London public had its first view of a German submarine of the U-35 class today. This is the first indication of the navy having captured one of these vessels.  
ROSS CONDON was a passenger this morning for Reno.

### LA FOLLETTE NOT AFTER BIG NAVY

#### WHOLE WORLD AGAINST THE CONSTRUCTION OF MORE SHIPS, HE SAYS

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—On the naval bill before the Senate an attack on the measure by La Follette was delayed by a vote yesterday. La Follette continued his criticism of the general preparedness program, which he said was actuated by selfish interests.  
"It is logic that the whole world, in view of the present situation, is against the necessity of the proposed increase," he said, continuing the argument.

### TROOPS ARE NOT BEING WITHDRAWN

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Acting Secretary Polk said that Special Agent Rodgers had no authority to make the statement that the American troops in Mexico were being gradually withdrawn. He said that the policy of the American government in this respect remained unchanged.  
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### POLICY UNCHANGED REGARDING THE RETURN OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN MEXICO

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### BUTLER THEATRE

BETTER PICTURES

#### TONIGHT

LENORE ULRICH  
Of "Bird of Paradise" fame, in "THE HEART OF PAULA"  
A Love Story of Old Mexico

—And—  
PATHE WEEKLY

#### TOMORROW

"THE NATION'S PERIL"  
Smashing Big Play of War in Five Big Acts—U. S. Atlantic Fleet Sinking a Ship by Shell Fire.  
Matinee 1:30 — Night 7:15-8:45  
Admission 10-15c.