

THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Sunday
Continued cold

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	76 1/8
Copper	28 1/2
Lead	27.70
Quicksilver	970.000

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WAR MAY BREAK LOOSE IN WEST INDIES ISLANDS

British and French Governors Prepare for an Attack by Raiders

THEATRE FIRE IN SEATTLE

ASSISTANT CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT KILLED WHEN ROOF FALLS IN

(By Associated Press.)
SEATTLE, Jan. 20.—Assistant Fire Chief Gilliam was killed, another man is missing and eight were injured when the Grand opera house, formerly the chief theater of Seattle, now given over to vaudeville and movies, was burned. The alarm was sounded at 6 o'clock this morning. The firemen entered the house, which was burning fiercely, when the roof crashed down, burying them. The Alaska building and Hotel Rector, adjoining, were saved.

LIFE IN KANSAS FULL OF THRILLS

BANKERS TAKE THE JOY OUT OF LIFE FOR DESPERATE BANDITS

(By Associated Press.)
KANAPOLIS, Kan., Jan. 20.—Jan. Cowie, son of the president of the Exchange State bank, engaged in a running fight with four men who blew up a bank vault and escaped in an automobile with \$2500 in cash and \$1000 in stamps after cutting all the wires in town. Cowie and his father heard the explosion and began firing from their home, a block away. A general fight ensued.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, announces that Charles Hick, an outfielder, has been sold to the San Francisco club.

TWO MISSING AVIATORS ARE FOUND EXHAUSTED

(By Associated Press.)
WELLTON, Ariz., Jan. 20.—Lieut. Col. Harry G. Bishop and Lieut. W. A. Robertson, missing army aviators, exhausted from walking four days in the wilds of Sonora, Mexico, without food or water, were found at 4:30 yesterday afternoon more than 200 miles south of the border by a civilian searching party from Wellton. Lieut. Robertson was brought here by the searchers. Lieut. Col. Bishop, too weak to walk, was left in charge of four searchers in the Rosario mountains, where he was found last night at 10 o'clock. An army motor ambulance from Yuma, with 15 men in four automobiles, is en route into the Sonora desert 50 miles south of here to bring Bishop back. Two sandwiches and two oranges each was all the food the men had tasted since they left the North Island aviation base at San Diego, January 10, on their flight. Robertson told the searchers. Water, which they took from the radiator of the airplane after they landed on the east coast of the Gulf of California, was exhausted four days ago, Robertson said. They had tasted none since, he told searchers. Robertson was found following the tracks of the automobile of the searching party. He was following the base of the Gila mountains, 200 miles south of the border. He directed the searching party to the Rosario mountains, 30 miles farther south, where he said he left Bishop the day before.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BURIED UNDER SNOW

(By Associated Press.)
BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 20.—A snowstorm is raging at Lebec, on the ridge route of the state highway. All efforts to clear the road with scrapers have proved unavailing. The Tehachapi route to Los Angeles will be impassable for several days probably.

CRISIS IN THE DUMA IS FEARED

GLOOMY OUTLOOK FOR UNITED ACTION BY LEADERS OF NATION

(By Associated Press.)
PETROGRAD, Jan. 20.—An imperial ukase further postponing convening of the duma and imperial council provided for another intermission in the Russian political drama. It became obvious today that another meeting of the duma now will only serve to sharpen the conflict which has resulted in a steady succession of ministerial changes since November. Newspapers are pessimistic in their comment on the situation.

THREE MEN BURNED TO DEATH IN HOTEL

FIRE GUTS LODGINGS BEFORE DAYBREAK AND TAKES DEATH TOLL

(By Associated Press.)
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—Three men were burned to death and a fourth seriously injured when fire gutted a hotel before daybreak. The dead were laborers.

DEATH FOR PREACHER IN CLEANUP CRUSADE

RED LIGHT BOSS SENDS THREAT TO KILL METHODIST MINISTER

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Rev. Paul Smith, pastor of the Central Methodist Episcopal church, is threatened with death in a letter if he dares mention the name of a certain "red light" cafe in the "roll of dishonor" which he promised to read from the pulpit tomorrow. The pastor refused to make known the text of the letter. He recently told the police commission that women of the streets solicited at the doors of his down town church.

MAY NOT CONFIRM WILSON'S PHYSICIAN

REPUBLICANS OPPOSED TO PROMOTION OF JUNIOR OFFICER OVER MANY SENIORS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Much opposition developed among Republicans of the senate against confirming President Wilson's nomination of Gary T. Grayson, his naval aide and physician, for promotion from the lieutenant commander to rear admiral over the heads of more than one hundred ranking officers of the navy medical corps.

TOO MUCH TENSION IN SCHOOL GAMES

(By Associated Press.)
SAN JOSE, Jan. 20.—Because the girls' internormal school basketball games cause a tension detrimental to school work, the faculties of the San Jose and Chico normal schools have decided on an order abolishing the contests.

KINGSTON AND MARTINIQUE FEAR THE DARING GERMAN COMMANDER MAY SWEEP DOWN ON THEM

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Possibility of an attack on the British and French West Indies by a German raider has created alarm among officials and residents of the islands and every possible precaution for defense is being taken by the authorities, according to the Rev. J. Henry Cartwright of London, who arrived here on the British steamship Parimar from West Indies ports. He said reports of the raider in southern trade routes were received there just before Christmas. At that time there was at Trinidad the British transport Magdalena, loaded with West Indian recruits ready to sail for England. On receipt of news of the raider, the troops were disembarked and scattered throughout the islands to strengthen the defense of the ports. The Magdalena, he added, left Trinidad under cruiser escort and it was reported to him that she had taken refuge in Martinique. "Lights in the towns and cities are forbidden," Mr. Cartwright said. "In addition, lighthouses and light buoys along the coast have been darkened and all vessels leaving port are warned to look out for hostile ships." Officers and passengers of the Parimar said the first they heard of the exploits of the raider was on the arrival of the ship at Quarantine today. It was learned, however, that wireless warnings to look out for her were received twice daily during the voyage, the last one early today as

COAL CARS MUST BE RETURNED AS SOON AS EMPTY

DRASTIC REGULATIONS TO RELIEVE THE COAL FAMINE AND REDUCE PRICES

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The interstate commerce commission today prescribed drastic regulations to relieve the shortage of coal cars to help bring about a lowering of the present prices of coal. They will require the return to the original owners of all coal cars as fast as unloaded and gives the railroads ten days to devise methods for relieving the shortage in other types of cars. The order requires railroads to apply the same regulations to refrigerator, heater, ventilated and insulated cars. The new orders become effective February 21. The committee which the railroads are called on to appoint should be vested with orders from the states, with plenary powers. The decision said: "The present condition of car distribution is unparalleled in history. Mills are shut down, prices advanced and perishable articles of great value destroyed, hundreds of carloads of food products have been delayed in reaching their natural markets. It is clear that the formal order is necessary to protect shippers, consignees and the general public."

ONE OF THE CAPTURED VESSELS DELIVERED IN GERMAN PORT

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, Jan. 20.—The British steamer Yarrowdale was brought into harbor on December 31 by a prize crew of sixteen men, says an official statement issued last night. She carried 469 prisoners, the crews of steamers captured by a German auxiliary cruiser in the Atlantic ocean. Three American members of the crew of the Yarrowdale were captured and taken to a German port, according to records of the British consulate here.

BACKBONE OF GANG OF BANDITS BROKEN

TWIN BROTHERS AND COMPANION KILLED BY POSSE

(By Associated Press.)
OKMULGEE, Okla., Jan. 20.—With the killing near here yesterday of three alleged outlaws by members of a posse led by county authorities and the killing of one and capture of another the day before, it is believed that the backbone of one of the most daring robber bands in Oklahoma has been broken. The men killed yesterday were Oscar Poe and Will and Harry Hart, twin brothers. More than \$5000 of the loot obtained from Oklahoma banks has been recovered. Poe and Will Hart were arrested recently and charged with robbing a bank at Centuria, but escaped from jail while awaiting trial.

FUNERAL OF MRS. FRAZIER TO BE HELD AT OLD HOME

At 8 o'clock this evening there will be a short service at the undertaking parlors of Wonacott & Cavanaugh, where the friends of Mrs. T. A. Frazier may gather for a last adieu. The body will be transferred to San Francisco, leaving on Sunday morning's train for the purpose of incineration. The ashes will be taken to the old home at Cairo, where funeral services will be conducted. After the obsequies Mrs. Wenger will return to Tonopah.

WHIPPLE IS RETAINED IN THE LEAK INQUIRY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The house rules committee has formally retained Sherman L. Whipple of Boston as counsel for the leak inquiry and will resume hearings in the New York custom house Tuesday.

ALL SWISS CALLED TO THE FLAG

IMMINENCE OF WAR WITH GERMANY MANY CALLS IN ALL THE RESERVES

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Swiss consulates throughout the world have been instructed to inform members of the second army division, parts of the fourth and fifth army divisions not already under arms, to return immediately to Switzerland to join the colors.

AMERICAN SHIPMENTS SUNK BY SUBMARINE

STEAMSHIP LEFTWOOD WITH CARGO VALUED AT \$750,000

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The British steamer Leftwood, carrying a cargo worth \$750,000, was submerged and sunk while on a voyage which started from New York on Christmas day, according to advices from France.

PERSHING RETURNING HOME FROM MEXICO

(By Associated Press.)
EL PASO, Jan. 20.—Predictions that the American punitive expedition will begin its long march across the deserts of northwestern Chihuahua towards Columbus, N. M., within the next 72 hours were made here by army officers who are in close touch with the movements of the expeditionary forces. It was unofficially reported by army officers that actual withdrawal operations were under way at El Valle, the southern outpost of the punitive expedition, and at San Joaquin, between El Valle and the field headquarters at Colonia Dublan. All supplies billed to Americans in the Casas Grandes-Colonia Dublan district and sent to Juarez for transportation over the Mexico Northwest railroad have been ordered held at Juarez and no further shipments of supplies will be made over this road for the punitive expedition. Arrangements were also being made in Juarez for securing all available cars to Casas Grandes to bring out the stocks of goods and surplus supplies from the stores of the American Mormons and others who have been supplying the American troops in Mexico. The dispatching of four empty motor truck trains of 30 trucks each from Columbus during the past 24 hours was taken here to mean merely withdrawal. The pitching of a number of large tents at Columbus for housing equipment, ordnance, merchandise and other army stores was also considered an indication of the early withdrawal and arrival of the expeditionary column at the field base. General Pershing's troops will be disposed along the border with headquarters at El Paso and San Antonio, according to reports here.

TEMPERATURE REPORT

Highest temperature yesterday, 33; lowest this morning, 19.
Highest temperature a year ago, 30; lowest, 15.

DEWEY IS HONORED BY NATION

MEMORY OF THE HERO OF MANILA REVERED BY HIS GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Admiral Dewey, the hero of Manila, was buried at Arlington today with public honors seldom equaled in the nation's history. After services in the rotunda of the capital, the body was followed down Pennsylvania avenue and across the Potomac to its resting place by a cortege including all the high officials of the federal government, the diplomatic corps, ranking officers of the army and navy, many military and naval units in uniform, committees of the senate and house, and representatives of many patriotic societies and other organizations. Flags on American public buildings, forts and naval vessels throughout the world were at half mast and at noon, while the last rites were being said at Arlington, senior warships of the American navy everywhere fired a farewell salute of 19 minute guns. During the services at the capitol, attended by President Wilson and many other officials, and distinguished men and women, the body rested on the same catafalque and at the same spot in the rotunda where Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley lay in state. Chaplain Frazier, Dewey's and the Olympia's chaplain at Manila, officiated. In conformity with the admiral's expressed desire, the Annapolis midshipmen were the only military escort when the body was taken from the home. All private business was stopped for one hour during the services.

IN HONOR OF DEWEY

Flags on all buildings in Tonopah were at half staff today in memory of Admiral Dewey.

TAKEN BY GERMANS

HERLIN, Jan. 20.—Germans took Nanesti, on the Berez.

TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Time	1917	1916
5 a. m.	19	15
9 a. m.	12	17
12 noon	15	32
2 p. m.	18	25
Relative humidity at 2 p. m.	today, 79 per cent.	

BUTLER THEATRE

TONIGHT
Double Bill—Seven Reels
Two Features—Two-Hour Show
CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "THE RINK"
—And—
NANCE O'NEIL
Celebrated Dramatic Star, in "THE IRON WOMAN"
From Margaret Deland's best Novel Two-Hour Show
Seven Reels—Two Features

Tomorrow
HAZEL DAWN and OWEN MOORE in "UNDER COVER"
"Col. Heeza Liar—Hobe"
Paramount-Bray Cartoon Comedy
Matinee, 1:30; Night, 7 and 8:30
Admission 10-15c