TODAY'S PRICES
Mexican bank notes, (state bills) 16½@18—Peso 52—Mex. Gold 48—Nacionales 18—Bar silver, N. & H. Quotations, 68¾.—Copper 27⅞@28.50—Cotton higher—Livestock steady. Stocks firm.

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GERMANS SHELL RUMANIAN CAPITAL

Envoys Insist Mexico Can End Outlaws

WITHDRAW PERSHING, REQUEST

Declare Relations Can Better Be Preserved By Removing U. S. Army.

IS OUTLAWRY IN MEXICO GROWING?

Mexican Representatives Prepare Denials of Reports From American Army.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 25.—The members of the Mexican-American joint commission today began the fourth week of their investigation of border conditions. The Mexican representatives were still insistent that their army is capable of maintaining peace in northern Mexico and that relations between the two countries would be greatly improved by the withdrawal of the American forces.

The American commissioners insisted on further study of Mexico's internal affairs adhering to their position that any agreement entered into must be so broad as to make reasonably certain the safety of American life and property throughout Mexico.

Outlawry Increasing.

More reports from the war department, supporting the charges that outlawry in the state of Chihuahua is showing signs of increase, were in the hands of the Americans, but the Mexicans were prepared to submit counter reports indicating the insignificance of Villa's reappearance.

OCT. 6-7 CLEANUP DAYS, DECLARES MAYOR TOM LEA

Municipal "clean-up days" for Oct. 6 and 7 were announced Monday by mayor Tom Lea, who also asked that the residents assist the city departments as much as possible in putting the city in ship shape order. Thousands of visitors will be in El Paso the following week and the mayor wants the city to present as attractive an appearance as possible.

"On Oct. 6 and 7," mayor Lea said, "every garbage and scavenger wagon the city owns will be put to work, with additional workmen, in cleaning up the alleys and streets. The citizens should lend the cleaners every possible aid by concentrating their garbage and debris."

DECISION IN FT. STOCKTON WATER DISPUTE IN A FEW DAYS

Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—Members of the state board of water engineers have returned from Fort Stockton, where they have been conducting a hearing on the petition of Joseph G. Knight and other water consumers in that territory for an adjustment of water rates by the Fort Stockton Irrigated Lands company. E. B. Gore, a member of the board, said that this company insisted at the hearing that it was a private and not a public service corporation and could not be regulated. The board, however, is to decide the question for itself. The board will announce its decision within the next few days.

CELEBRATES 50 YEARS AS ARIZONAN BY RAISING FLAG

Prescott, Ariz., Sept. 25.—John Ehle, aged 74, who camped on the Prescott townsite early in 1864, before there was a town, celebrated his 52nd anniversary as an Arizonan by walking from Prescott to Thumb Butte, several miles distant, climbing the tall landmark and raising the American flag on a 25 foot flagpole he erected at the summit. He was accompanied on the trip by his son and the latter's wife.

GOVERNOR TO TALK AT MEETING OF HEALTH MEN

Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—The second annual meeting of the City and County Health officers' association of Texas will be held at Austin September 28-29. The address of welcome will be delivered by Dr. R. E. Vinson, president of the University of Texas, and governor James E. Ferguson is on the first day's program for a discussion of "The Conservation of the Public Health."

AIRPLANE IS USED TO GET LIQUOR TO ARIZONA, CLAIM

Globe, Ariz., Sept. 25.—A Globe man a few weeks ago discovered that a mysterious airplane had been seen in the hills near the city. It then was assumed to have been an army machine, somewhat off its course. Now it is claimed that the plane had been making regular trips from a New Mexican point, bringing in quantities of "personal use" liquor.

PITTSBURG BAKERS PUT HIGHER PRICE ON BREAD

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 25.—Declaring that flour, sugar, milk and other bread making materials have advanced in price, as well as the price of paper in which bread is wrapped, the most important baking companies in the city today announced higher prices.

Five cent loaves in future are to be unwrapped.

CARRANCISTA SLAIN BY TROOPER

DEVOTION TO U. S. IS PRIME NEED

Hughes Says Only Patriotism Like That of '61 Can Preserve Nation.

Dayton, O., Sept. 25.—The United States will not endure unless each generation stands firmly for the dignity of American citizenship and the honor of the flag, Charles E. Hughes today told an audience of civil war veterans.

"What I most want to see in this country," Mr. Hughes said, "is our young men, our middle aged men, all our men, and our women, too, fired with the patriotic spirit of '61.

"You veterans aided in preserving the union at a critical time, but in a true sense every generation must preserve the union. We are still a young country as compared with empires of the past that have fallen into decay. We cannot be preserved alone by the valor of our ancestors, by those of an earlier day, but we can, indeed, be preserved if we keep alive their spirit.

Must Have Driving Power.

"As I look to the future and greatly desire that we should find solution for the economic problems of our country, I am deeply impressed with the fact that we must have a driving power of progress, of love for our country. Whatever our race, whatever our creed, wherever we spring from, wherever our fathers were born, we must have an intense devotion to our country, the United States. If we are going ahead and hold our nation where it belongs in the front ranks of the nations of the world.

"Surely, my friends, you must look into the future with some concern as you think of the possibilities of agitation and disturbance in this land. We, you and I, so far as I could, labored in the past for the preservation of the union, but the union of states must be typical of a union of spirit. We must have a sense of comradeship that is very real. Labor in all its activities must feel that its work is dignified by justice."

REPUBLICANS OF LAS CRUCES PLAN FOR COUNTY MEETINGS

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 25.—The Republican county convention will be held at Las Cruces on Thursday, Oct. 5, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for county officers, and for the senate and house of representatives of the third state legislature. Nominations to be made are: For sheriff, treasurer, assessor, superintendent of schools, three county commissioners from the first, second and third districts respectively; one candidate each for county clerk, for probate judge and county surveyor; two candidates for the house of representatives, one candidate for the state senate.

Precinct meetings for the selection of delegates to the county convention will eb held on Friday, Sept. 29. A meeting of the county central committee will be held at the Republican headquarters in Las Cruces, N. M., Thursday, Oct. 5, for the purpose of making provisions for the temporary organization of the convention.

WILSON DEFENDS ADAMSON BILL IN ANSWER TO HUGHES

Shadow Lawn, N. J., Sept. 25.—President Wilson, in opening his "porch campaign" here Saturday, declared the conflict between capital and labor is the chief menace before America and that the best energies of the nation must be directed toward solving the difficulty. He cited the dispute between the railroads and the brotherhoods of operatives as a nexample.

The president defended the passage of the Adamson eight hour bill, attacked by Charles E. Hughes, by stating that many Republicans also voted for the bill. He declared himself heartily in sympathy with the eight hour movement, but said much additional legislation must be passed by congress to permanently dispose of the whole issue between the unions and the railroads.

FORBES TO MAKE RACE FOR SHERIFF AS INDEPENDENT

Tucson, Ariz., Sept. 25.—Sheriff A. W. Forbes, rejecting the decision at the primaries in favor of Rye Miles as Democratic candidate for the office of sheriff, has announced himself as an independent candidate for reelection. He is said to have stated that he was "double-crossed" in the primaries, though making no specific charges. This action, it is claimed, will result in the election of the Republican candidate, Ben F. Daniels.

NO "PERSONAL LIBERTY," SAYS PROHIBITION CHIEF

Flagstaff, Ariz., Sept. 25.—"Personal liberty" arguments in favor of liquor were answered by J. Frank Hanly, the prohibition presidential candidate, today in a speech here.

"I haven't much patience with the cry of 'personal liberty'," he said. "We live in a complex civilization. Our lives touch each other at a thousand points of contact and we cannot live unto ourselves.

"Man cannot do as he pleases. We are compelled to live our lives so that others will not be wronged by what we do."

The special was to visit Gallup and Albuquerque, N. M., today.

$50,000 SEWER BOND ISSUE FOR SWEETWATER APPROVED

Austin, Texas, Sept. 25.—The attorney general's department has approved an issue of $50,000 city of Sweetwater sewer bonds bearing 5 per cent interest and maturing in 40 years, with an option of 20 years.

WILSON DEFENDS TARIFF POLICY

Tells Grain Dealers the U. S. Should Produce More Grain From Its Acreage.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 25.—President Wilson came to Baltimore today to deliver his address before the National Grain Dealers convention. Cheering crowds of several thousand people greeted him at the station and the Lyric theater.

Mr. Wilson declared at the outset that a political campaign seriously interfered with the consideration of public questions. He said he desired his audience to forget for the time being that a campaign was on.

U. S. Should Produce More Grain.

He said the export of grain from the United States was decreasing in ratio, adding that the agricultural acreage of the United States should produce at least twice as much grain as at present.

Upholds Tariff Policy.

The president upheld his tariff policy, defended the federal reserve act and the shipping bill and declared that if its business is properly conducted, America has an unexcelled future before it.

On the tariff, the president said he did not fear to say that previously tariff laws had been founded on theories. He did not fear the investigation of the facts by the tariff commission.

The president said he wanted the federal trade commission to make a thorough investigation of American business.

Protects Latin-American Relations.

The president declared one of his chief objects had been to see that nothing was done to interfere with the friendly relations between the United States and Latin-America.

Praises Banking Facilities.

The president, speaking slowly, turned to a discussion of the banking system of the United States. "Only in very recent years," he said, "have we even studied the question. Not until the present federal reserve act was passed did American bankers have proper facilities for carrying on foreign business.

"Not only when this war is over, but now America must take her stand in American business on a scale she has never before known."

OPEN SEASON FOR DOVES IN TEXAS MAY BE SHORTENED

Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—As a result of careful investigation, the state department of agriculture has decided to cooperate with the officers of the Audubon society and others interested in the matter of shortening the open season for killing doves.

Any lengthening of the open season for doves, which was done by the last legislature, investigation has demonstrated, will result in a rapid depletion of the doves. The sportsman's plea that the old date of Nov. 1 was too late, as by that time the birds had nested and migrated from all the northern half of Texas to the southern half, has been found untenable. The department is convinced that the old date of Nov. 1 for the beginning of the open season should be restored, and an effort in that direction will be made at the next session of the legislature.

COMMITTEE MEETS TO PLAN LABOR LEGISLATION

Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—A meeting of the executive committee of the State Federation of Labor is being held here today, at which it is expected some action will be taken relative to matters to come up before the next session of the legislature.

It is understood the federation has a few preferential measures which will be advocated.

The members of the committee here are: Ed Cunningham, of Bridgeport, president; George E. Sieger, of Galveston, secretary; Earl Ferguson, of Thurber, chairman of the legislative committee; Mrs. Dela Davis, of Fort Worth, and Norma Katchem, of Denison, second vice president.

TO PETITION U. S. COURT TO PREVENT FREIGHT RAISE

Austin, Tex., Sept. 25.—For the purpose of presenting a petition to federal judge Gordon Russell, attorney general Lo ney and assistant attorney general Luther Nickles are at Sherman today. The petition is to restrain the railroads from putting into effect an advancement of interstate freight rates.

The new schedules of the railways are to be filed with the interstate commerce commission on October 1, and will become effective November 1. The new schedules have not been made public by the railroads.

MORE NEW YORK UNIONS VOTE ON PROPOSED STRIKE

New York, Sept. 25.—Labor organizations, including about 100,000 workers, met today to vote on the question of joining in the proposed general strike to take effect here Wednesday morning. Ernest Bohm, secretary of the conference of labor leaders directing the movement, asserted that unions representing 179,500 workers already had voted to quit work.

Among those voting today were the machinists, metal workers, laundrymen and butchers.

BANKERS' ASSOCIATION PLANS TO CELEBRATE SAVINGS GAINS

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 25.—A thrift congress to be held in New York the latter part of December, to celebrate the gain made by savings banks this year, was planned here today by the executive committee of the savings bank section of the American Bankers' association.

It was the first work of importance undertaken by the bankers attending the annual convention opening here today.

PERSHING ASKS RELEASE; IS REFUSED.

Brush Between Mexican and American Soldiers In El Valle Saloon Reported.

VILLA TO DISAVOW COLUMBUS RAID

Agents Seek Proof That Attack on Border Town Was Led By Pablo Lopez.

A Carranza sergeant of the El Valle, Chihuahua, garrison was shot and killed Friday night by an American trooper of the Fifth cavalry, who is being held prisoner, according to a report brought to Columbus, N. M., from field headquarters. The Carranza commander at El Valle refused to surrender the prisoner after Brig. Gen. J. J. Pershing sent a messenger, requesting release of the American.

According to the report, eight members of the Fifth cavalry visited a saloon at El Valle. Seventeen Carranza soldiers entered later with side arms. During the drinking, the Mexican sergeant is said to have proposed a toast to the United States, which was objected to by the Americans. The shooting is reported to have followed.

Wounded American Carried Away.

The troopers fled through windows and doors, but missed one of their comrades when they reached camp. They reported having seen soldiers carrying a wounded American away.

Following an investigation, Gen. Pershing sent Capt. William Reed to confer with the Carranza commander. Unconfirmed reports say the latter refused to release the trooper and is holding him incommunicado on a charge of murder.

Villa to Disavow Columbus Attack.

Columbus, N. M., Sept. 25.—Army intelligence agents are making an investigation of a report that adherents of Villa were here to secure information to prove that Villa was not at Columbus on March 9, but that the raid was led by Pablo Lopez, who was executed in Chihuahua City because of his alleged leadership at the Santa Ysabel massacre when 18 Americans and other foreigners were killed. In this connection, it is reported that Villa is preparing a manifesto disclaiming responsibility for the Columbus raid and placing the blame on Lopez.

DEMING CANNING 40,000 POUNDS TOMATOES DAILY

Deming, N. M., Sept. 25.—Nearly 40,000 pounds of tomatoes are being handled daily at the canning plant of the Mimbres Growers and Canning association here. For the first two weeks of the season this year the canning plant put up 16,000 cans, as against 575 for the same period last year. Thus far this season the canning plant has put up in excess of 100,000 more cans of tomatoes than during the same period last year.

Increased acreage in tomatoes in the Mimbres valley this year has necessitated enlarging the output of the plant and a still further enlargement it is expected, will be necessary next season.

WIFE IS CHARGED WITH KILLING SAM REYNOLDS

Canyon, Texas, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Florence Reynolds has been indicted by the grand jury, charged with the murder of her husband, Sam Reynolds, on Tuesday, September 19. Reynolds accompanied by his wife, was hunting rabbits, several miles from the nearest house, when he was shot in the back and instantly killed. The shots were from a double-barrelled shot gun.

There were no witnesses to the shooting. Will Foster was called from a half-mile distance by the wife, who ran to him, calling, over and over, "My darling is dead." When he reached the body it was cold.

MAY RUN MOTOR CAR ON PECOS VALLEY RAILROAD

Balmorhea, Texas, Sept. 25.—A motor car for passengers is to be run on the track of the Pecos Valley Southern railway between Balmorhea and Pecos, according to a report in circulation here. It is said the motor car will be put on as a convenience to the people of the two towns, who now find it cheaper and more convenient to hire automobiles than to make the trip by train, which necessitates stopping over in Pecos all night and sometimes two nights.

INTERNATIONAL SOIL PRODUCTS EXPOSITION
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BRITISH SHOOT DOWN ZEPPELINS

Airships Raid England, Killing and Wounding Many; One Crew Captured.

London, Eng., Sept. 25.—Preparations were made today for funerals for the charred bodies of the German zeppelin crew burned to death when the zeppelin was shot down during Saturday night's raid of a German airship squadron against London and environs. Two zeppelins were shot down. In the raid, 28 English were killed and 99 wounded in the metropolitan district. In the suburban districts, two were killed and probably 17 wounded.

Of the 17 zeppelins two today lay stark and black masses of steel and aluminum in the little village of Mangold, Essex county.

One came down a flaming torch, while the second, disabled by gunfire, effected a landing which saved the lives of the crew, who are prisoners in England.

The crew of the first raider died in the consuming flames of the ship.

The death and burning of the first was witnessed by tens of thousands of London residents.

Several Direct Hits.

Many who saw the shrapnel bursting like sky rockets about the invader, which subsequently caught fire, think there must have been several direct hits. Many airplanes were aloft and attacked the zeppelins from all sides.

The raiders took a heavy toll of lives before their destruction, 28 persons being killed and 99 wounded in the Metropolitan district of London. Two persons were killed and probably 17 injured in the suburban districts.

Property Damage Considerable.

The property damage, while widely distributed, is confined for the most part to small suburban dwellings and ship, although one railway station was damaged, some empty cars being destroyed and parts of the tracks torn up.

The roar of dropping bombs was heard in many districts where the raiders were invisible. It is not believed that more than two or three invading zeppelins which crossed the east coast succeeded in reaching the environs of London, and that two of these paid the death penalty gives the greatest satisfaction to the military authorities.

Searchlights Work Quickly.

Suddenly a searchlight beam shot into the starlit sky. Three more dazzling shafts followed and within 15 seconds the whirring airships were caught in the toils and the guns began sending up shrieking shrapnel shells.

For a minute or two the raider kept its course, then wavered, turned partly away and suddenly dissolved apparently into thin air. Evidently the zeppelin was beclouded in the smoke and the lights lost her completely.

Bombs Crash Down.

In the meantime, however, bombs were dropping and red flares were visible as they hit the earth. Then the city was quiet for an hour, the searchlights flashing only occasionally in the hunt for raiders. All London within sound of the guns and bombs was out to see the spectacle and almost despaired of further excitement when well to the eastward a ship glow appeared low in the sky. It looked first like the moon rising, red in its last quarter from behind a cloud bank. From the city it appeared to hang stationary for a minute or more, then glowing redder and redder, slowly turned to the perpendicular and streaked into the gloom of the smoky night ground-mist.

British Cheer Gunners.

To the watchers in Essex, however, the spectacle of the flaming, falling zeppelin had all the thrills of excitement which marked the end of L-21, and they cheered the gunners and their fortunate shots that brought the raiders to earth.

Raiders of New Type.

From the moment the first zeppelin appeared it was evident that the raiders were of the new and larger types. This has been borne out by the two brought down.

One of the burning zeppelins, in falling, crashed through a row of trees in Essex, two of which pierced the lattice work of the envelope supports. The village fire engine was quickly on the scene and began putting water on the blazing wreck.

Some bodies Charred.

Police constables and volunteers removed the bodies as rapidly as possible.

Some of these were charred beyond recognition, while others were still white and recognizable. All appeared to be young men, well clad and wearing the remnants of stout leather coats and shoes of rather poor quality, which is taken here to indicate that good footwear is not plentiful in Germany.

Householders along the thoroughfares heard the bomb explosions growing louder and louder as the raiders came with the speed of an express train took their baptism of fire as they passed, and heaved a sigh of relief as the reports diminished in the distance.

Crew Captured on Highway.

The commander and 20 members of the crew of the zeppelin which was forced to land near an Essex coast town were arrested by the village constable as they were marching along the road in the blackness of the night, according to the latest eye witnesses' account.

"I am the commander of a German airship that has just come down and these are my crew," said the leader of the men, when accosted by the constable. Then the officer added:

"Please allow me to go to the nearest postoffice so that I may telephone some one in London who will let my wife know I am safe."

At this juncture special constables came up and the prisoners were marched to the nearest detention camp, where it was found several of them were wounded. All the men wore life saving waistcoats. None of them bore arms.

Commander Of Michigan Brigade

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COL. LOUIS C. COVELL.

Col. Louis C. Covell is the senior colonel of the Michigan brigade of infantry and has been in command of his regiment since Jan. 17, 1911. He completed 24 years of service last April, having enlisted as a private in company I, of the same regiment in 1892.

He reached the grade of captain just previous to the Spanish-American war and served the volunteers of 1898 in that capacity. He was promoted to major in 1900, to lieutenant colonel in 1907. He was detailed as a member of the Michigan state military board in 1913. Col. Covell is at present in command of the provisional Michigan brigade at Camp Cotton.

ARABIAN REBELS OCCUPY FORTS

London, Eng., Sept. 25.—Another success for the Arabian revolutionists is announced in a Reuter dispatch from Cairo, Egypt, today. It states the sheriff of Mecca, leader of the revolutionary movement, reports the Turkish garrison, which has been holding out in the forts at Taif, 65 miles southeast of Mecca, has been forced to surrender. The Turks comprised 50 officers and 800 men.

MANY FIRES ARE CAUSED BY ZEPPELINS, GERMANS SAY

Berlin, Germany, Sept. 25.—Today's official statement on the zeppelin raids in London reads:

"During the night of September 23-24 several naval airships dropped bombs on London, on places of military importance and on the midland counties. Large fires were everywhere observed to result, these remaining visible for a long time.

"Previously, before crossing the British coast the airships were fired upon by guard vessels and during the attack itself were under an extraordinarily heavy fire of incendiary shells from numerous batteries in well directed volleys. Two of the airships fell victims to the anti craft guns at London. All the others returned undamaged."

BREAD FAMINE IN VIENNA REPORTED IN SWITZERLAND

Zurich, Switzerland, Sept. 25.—Press dispatches from Vienna, Austria, say there has been a bread famine there several days, owing to transportation difficulties. An official decree has been published forbidding hotels and restaurants of Vienna and lower Austria to supply bread to guests, who must bring their own. Railway service has been greatly disturbed since Rumania entered the war.

CRETAN REVOLT SPREADS; 11,000 ARE FULLY ARMED

London, Eng., Sept. 25.—An Athens dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says the Cretan revolution is spreading and that risings are occuring in all of the provinces.

At Herikleon, Candia (Crete), after feeble resistance by the garrison, the revolutionists abolished all civil authorities.

The insurgents, the dispatch adds, number 11,000, fully armed.

GERMAN AIRPLANES DROP BOMBS ON FRENCH TOWN

Paris, France, Sept. 25.—The official communication this afternoon in its reference to aerial activity reads:

"Enemy airplanes Sunday after 8:30 p. m., threw down about ten bombs in the region of Luneville. One woman was slightly wounded; the material damages were insignificant."

BULGARS RETREAT OUT OF GREECE

Serbs, Pushing Back Enemy, Reach the Frontier Of Their Native Land.

ALLIES REPORT MANY ADVANCES

Russians Capture Fortified Hill From the Bulgars In Macedonia.

BERLIN, Germany, Sept. 25.—Bucharest, capital of Rumania, has been strongly bombarded by a German airship, according to the German official announcement of today which does not fix the time of the bombardment. It is presumed to have been about the time of Saturday night's zeppelin attack on England. Reference to Bucharest is made as a fortress, supporting the German assertion that unfortified towns are never subject to attack.

Field marshal von Mackensen's forces, which are invading eastern Rumania, have won further successes, the statement says. Bratish and Servian attacks on the Macedonian front were repulsed. Following is the statement:

"Army group of field marshal von Mackensen: Fighting south of the Cobadin-Toprai Sari line (Dobrudja) was successful for the allied (Teutonic) troops.

"The fortress of Bucharest was bombarded by one of our airships.

"Macedonian front: Minor engagements occurred near Florina on Saturday. Repeated strong Servian attacks against Kaimakacalan broke down. Weak English detachments, advancing on a wide front in the Struma sector, were repulsed."

PARIS, France, Sept. 25.—Latest dispatches from Greece indicate the Bulgarians are being driven out of Greece, and in some cases have already been forced across the Servian border. The Servian army, at one point, was on the border of the native land from which it was expelled months ago.

Today's announcement concerning conditions on the Macedonian front today follows:

"On the left bank of the river Struma, British troops, continuing their raids, were successful in an attack upon Janlmah, to the north of lake Tahinos.

"A detachment of French troops, operating on the right of the British, took a trench at the point of the bayonet and made some prisoners.

Doiran Bombarded.

"A bombardment of Doiran resulted in causing a fire in the town. On our left wing progress was continued.

"In the region of the Broda river, Servian troops have reached the frontier. To the north of Krusograd and to the northeast of Florina, French infantrymen have occupied the first houses of Peterak, as a result of a spirited fight and they also have made a slight advance to the north of Florina. To the west of this town Russian troops captured by assault hill 916, which had been strongly organized by the enemy.

Counter Attack Repulsed.

"In this same locality a Bulgarian counter attack was repulsed at the point of the bayonet by French and Russian troops acting together. To the southwest of Florina a French reconnoitering detachment has had several spirited engagements in the country south of Bresha lake with Bulgarian detachments from Biklista."

VENIZELOS AT SALONIKI; MAY HEAD REVOLUTION

London, Eng., Sept. 25.—A dispatch to the Star from Athens says former premier Venizelos, of Greece, has gone to Salonika.

A report came from Athens several days ago that former premier Venizelos might go to Athens to head the revolutionary faction. He refused to confirm or deny the report.

12 TRAWLERS ARE SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINES

London, Eng., Sept. 25.—Twelve trawlers have been sunk in the North Sea by German submarines. The attack was delivered about the time the Zeppelins were attacking England. This has led to a belief that the Zeppelins were convoyed as far as possible by submarines.

PAY OF GERMAN OFFICERS IS SOON TO BE REDUCED

Berlin, Germany, Sept. 25.—All unmarried officers in the German army will be affected by a general reduction in pay in conformity with an order to become effective October 1.

The salary of the minister of war and the army commander will be re-

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Plan Now To Come To El Paso About October 14; It Will Be Worth While