

URGE WAR ON MEXICANS

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—War between the United States and Mexico is being agitated here today following tales of the wholesale murder of American citizens in Mexico.
 The situation is regarded so seriously that the state department today sent a second ultimatum to President Francisco I. Madero, warning him that the killing of American citizens must stop at once, and an explanation sent immediately.
 Although government officials are determined to safeguard American lives they are unwilling to start hostilities, hoping that Madero will adjust the situation.
 General Anson Mills, Mexican boundary commissioner here, asserts that American intervention in Mexico would mean fifty years of warfare.

Aviation Benefit

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 PARIS, April 24.—A mammoth benefit for army aviation will be given April 28. Many of the most celebrated of Paris stage favorites have volunteered their services and the program will be hours long. Prices of tickets range from 50 cents to \$10.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
 Marriage licenses were issued to the following yesterday afternoon: Arthur Rooco and Florence Davis, San Francisco; Herbert J. Donnelly and Emma St. Arnold, Tacoma; Leo Morand and Hesel Sowers, Tacoma, and William W. Drury, Tacoma, and Elsa A. Grell, Davenport, Ia. Today licenses were issued to George R. Farr and Mary E. Miller, Skiyokmah, Wash.; J. Ann Combe and Katie Jennings, Lewis, Wash.; and Fred Bucholtz and Anna Litton, Tacoma.



AN INVESTIGATION OF THE GROCERY VALUES OFFERED HERE; A CAREFUL CONSIDERATION OF THE QUALITY OF THE GOODS AND THE PRICES ASKED, WILL PROVE TO ANY DISCRIMINATING HOUSEWIFE THAT THIS IS DISTINCTLY THE STORE OF VALUES.
 Our Cocoa shipment has arrived. We again offer you at 25c a pound as good an article as you pay 50c for in cans. Are sorry to keep you waiting, but New York is a long ways off and we could not get anything as good nearer.
 A TREAT.
 New Brazil Nuts, 20c lb; 3 lb, for 50c.
 That's cheaper than others ask for old ones. You know that coming from the equator they are harvested in our spring months. They are the sweetest, richest and the freshest of all nuts now. A real treat.

SPECIAL PRICED FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.
 Lea and Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce; reg. 21c 25c; special 19c
 Quart bottle Marischino Cherries; reg. 75c, 58c
 2-lb. Brick Codfish; reg. 25c; special 19c
 6 Bars Crystal White Soap, 25c; 25 for \$1.
 10 Bars Destiny Soap, 25c.
 Diamond "M" Baking Powder, 45c. A pure cream of tartar powder. Second to none.
 Diamond "M" Flour, \$1.30 a sack; \$5.15 a barrel.
 This price for only a few days. Remember also that the quality's better.
 24-lb. bags Graham and Whole Wheat, 65c. The economical way to buy.
 Franco-American Concentrated Tomato Soup, 3 for 25c.
 Franco-American Soup, small size, all varieties, 3 for 25c.
 Heinz Pure Fruit Preserves, 25c tins, 15c; 43c tins, 25c.
 Butter, fresh from the churn, 30c lb.
 Strictly Fresh Eggs, 2 doz. for 45c.
 OUR COFFEE IS BLENDED AND ROASTED BY A SPECIALIST WHOSE WHOLE TIME IS DEVOTED TO GIVING YOU "COFFEE QUALITY."
 We will match our 30c blend against any 45c canned coffee sold in the city. Try a pound and judge for yourself.

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Death In Husbands' Arms Better Than Life Alone for These Heroines of the Titanic



THE TITANIC HEROINES—MRS. H. J. ALLISON (ABOVE) AND MRS. ISADORE STRAUS.

The quiet, smiling heroism of two women stand pre-eminent among the thrilling stories told by Titanic survivors—the love that was greater than death as displayed by Mrs. H. J. Allison of Milwaukee and Mrs. Isadore Straus of New York. Both went down with their husbands on the Titanic, refusing rescue at the cost of separation and after-life loneliness.
 Mrs. Straus jumped from the lifeboat into which she had stepped and clung so desperately to her husband that the efforts of those about could not separate them. They were last seen, arm in arm, a moment before the Titanic sank.
 The story of Mrs. Allison's heroism is told by her sister, Miss Sadie Daniels. With the Allisons were their little daughter Lorraine and their seven-months-old son, Wilbur. This is the sister's story:
 "Sister died rather than leave her husband, when the officers refused to let both into the lifeboat. She said life was not worth living alone and she went down even smiling, with her arm around Herbert.
 When the boat struck few realized there was any danger. Herbert and Bessie laughed and went back to dress. When we stood together at the rail, as the boats were being sent away, I was standing with Wilbur, and Lorraine was with Herbert and Bessie. Then came the order, 'Women only,' and an officer tried to put Bessie in the boat.
 'Not without my husband,' she cried. 'You must,' cried the officer, but Bessie threw her arms around Herbert's neck and refused to leave him. Then after the officer stopped trying to force her into the boat she ran to me, pushed me into the boat, and threw little Wilbur after me.
 'The boat was full, and she grasped Lorraine with one arm, and her husband with the other, and stood waving her hand, and it seemed to me, smiling, as she saw us rowing away. The last I saw, just as the boat started to plunge to the bottom, was Bessie returning to her husband for a farewell kiss, as the water washed to their knees. Lorraine was holding to her mother's skirts."

GOLD SWINDLE IS ALLEGED

Forty-nine out of about 100 Tacoma men who bit at the alluring bait held out by the Continental Gold Mining company of Oregon have combined in a suit started by H. C. Colburn to recover about \$18,000.
 The petition alleges the scheme is a clean swindle, that instead of paying \$35,000 for the property as the promoters said, they paid only \$4,000.
 Commissioner H. F. Gronen and wife are two of the stockholders caught here.

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Mrs. F. J. Townsend, 1707 S. 44th St., Tacoma. Cured of serious bronchial disease.

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 BY A SKILLED PHYSICIAN
 OUR SPECIALTY
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Mill Strike Is Endurance Test Taxpayers Kick

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 ABERDEEN, April 24.—The strike of the millmen has become an endurance test. The strikers' funds are low, but they have excellent commissaries and kitchens established and are resisting the efforts of the strike-breakers to exasperate them into violence.
 Taxpayers are kicking on having to foot the bills for the extra police force. Aberdeen alone must pay \$20,000.
 Of the dozen mills effected, not one is working full time. The owners admit that the experiment of bringing Hindus into the district has failed. They are not strong enough for the work.

Summer Resort Affinity Cause of This Divorce

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 24.—Declaring that summer resort affinity is responsible for his domestic trouble, Royal A. Armstrong, former deputy clerk, was granted a divorce from Nellie V. Armstrong here today.
 Armstrong testified that in the summer of 1907 he sent his wife and their two little sons to the beach, where Mrs. Armstrong became enamored of another and notified him to come and get his children.

Dickered To Get Track Moved

It was a swap.
 Owen Woods got the street railway company to agree to change its tracks and put them up Delin street and help to pay the expense of paving for two blocks more.
 The Stone-Webster syndicate wants the Seattle-Tacoma Power company franchise transferred to the Puget Sound Traction, Light & Power company, which is taking over all Stone-Webster interests.
 Woods agreed to see it through. The transfer ordinance was introduced this morning.
 GARETSON PETTIT'S CLERK.
 Max Garetson is acting as clerk for Commissioner Pettit today. A. W. Berggren resigned and went to the gas company and Parretson went into Mills takes charge.

OPEN SHOP ORDERS START BIG WALKOUT

SPOKANE, April 24.—Following the open-shop order of the building trade contractors, union men are walking out by scores today. Many plumbers, steamfitters and painters also quit work.
 The Central Labor council today made the announcement that a fight to a finish will be waged for a closed shop. A general strike may be ordered.
 The employers say they intend no cut in wages, but insist on "operating their business without interference" from unions. They say scarcity of work will aid them to win the fight.
 The employers are putting strikers on the "taboo" list and filling their places with non-union men.

Twins Born Fastened Together By Heads

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 FRANKFORT, April 24.—A pair of "Siamese twins," said to be the most unique in medical annals, have been born to the wife of a mechanic in Bilbel, Hessen. The two girls are grown together at the top of their heads and thus form one straight line. If one were to stand up she would have to carry the other on her head with the feet and body straight in the air.
 Both children appear to be in excellent health. Early in May the twins are to be exhibited before a large medical congress in Frankfort, and effort is to be made, by means of the X ray, to determine whether they have one brain in common, or if each child has its own brain. Medical science also is to determine whether it will be possible to separate the heads.

TO EXTRADITE BANK ROBBER

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 NEW YORK, April 24.—John McNamara of San Francisco, known as "Australian Mack," accused of complicity in the \$258,000 bank robbery at New Westminster, B. C., several months ago, was ordered extradited to Canada yesterday. McNamara has been held here for several weeks.
 McNamara had several witnesses who swore that he was in New York September 16, the date of the robbery. The British consul produced a teamster who swore that McNamara "looked like a man whom he saw cranking a stolen automobile in New Westminster." Later the teamster positively identified McNamara.

TITANIC LOSS \$15,000,000

NEW YORK, April 24.—Fifteen million dollars is the total amount to be paid by the various life, accident and marine insurance companies as a result of the loss of the Titanic, according to adjusters. The marine companies will have to pay two-thirds of this. Several American concerns are hard hit.
 All the marine insurance was carried aboard, but the American companies are affected through re-insurance.
 The Titanic losses are unparalleled in the annals of marine insurance. Estimates follow:
 Accident insurance, \$2,213,000; life insurance, \$2,193,000.
 Marine insurance (ship), \$5,000,000.
 Marine insurance (cargo), \$5,000,000. Total, \$14,406,000.

GOV. OWNERSHIP OF WIRELESS SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Congressman Victor Berger of Wisconsin introduced today in the house a bill providing for the government ownership of wireless telegraphy systems.

Have Nine Jurors

CORVALLIS, Ore., April 24.—Nine jurors have been secured now to try George and Charles Humphrey, charged with the murder of Mrs. Eliza Griffith.
 Neither of the brothers, he are alleged to have slain three others besides Mrs. Griffith, seemed to take any interest in the proceedings.

Will Probe Rates

The public service board will meet here May 7 to consider the complaint of Tacoma against the discriminatory rates of the N. P. which is charging Tacoma more than Seattle shippers to eastern points in this state.

GONBOY GETS 3 YEARS

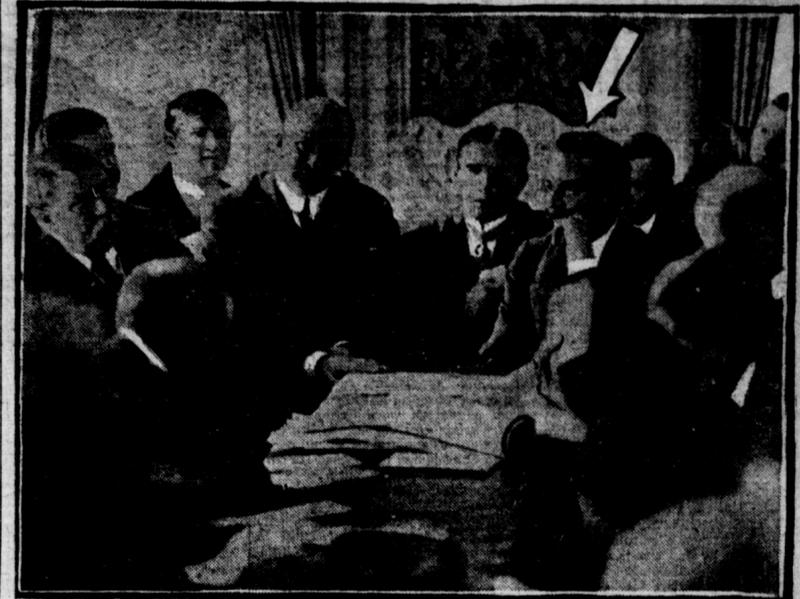
SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—Former Police Captain Michael J. Conboy was yesterday sentenced to three years in San Quentin for the murder of Bernard Lagan. Conboy was convicted at his fifth trial.

SEATTLE GIRLS SELL PLAY TO BLANCH WALSH

Blanche Grace (top) and Michael Marshall, co-eds of the University of Washington, who have just sold a playlet to Blanche Walsh, melodrama star, now acting vaudeville, for \$200. The sketch is 20 minutes long, and took just 4 hours to write.



Bruce Ismay Before the Senate Committee



SNAPSHOT OF COMMITTEE IN SESSION AT WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL IN NEW YORK. ARROW POINTS TO J. BRUCE ISMAY.



FLASHLIGHT PHOTOGRAPH IN FRONT OF CUNARD PIER, NEW YORK, AT MOMENT WHEN TITANIC SURVIVORS ARRIVED.

Phantom Bandit Leader Makes His Escape

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
 PARIS, April 24.—In a desperate attempt to arrest Bonnot, the chief of the Phantom bandits, who have been terrorizing Paris and vicinity for months, Assistant Chief of Detectives Jouin was killed today and Officer Collman mortally wounded. Bonnot escaped.
 The police surrounded Bonnot, who opened fire with two automatic revolvers. Bonnot has been sought for weeks. Carouy and Callemn, members of his "phantom" gang, were captured recently. Twenty murders, besides numerous robberies, are credited to the band.
SHOOTS FINGER OFF.
 Earl Cooper, a 14-year-old boy, living at Fern Hill, while toying with a shot gun yesterday accidentally shot the forefinger from his right hand. Dr. Pinkerton attended the boy and said the accident was not serious.

HAS LANDLORD ARRESTED.

Mary O'Reilly this morning filed a complaint against John Doe Ketterling against the "Falsfield" hotel, 1218 1/2 Tacoma avenue, charging him with assault. Mrs. O'Reilly alleges that she had been living at the hotel and that she had not paid her rent for a few days. Last night Ketterling came to her room and tried to put her out. Justice Armstrong will hear the case tomorrow morning.

MADAM! IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT TAKE DELICIOUS "SYRUP OF FIGS."

Waste-clogged bowels, torpid liver and decaying food in stomach cause the sick headache, gas, backache, sallowiness, biliousness and indigestion.

All women get bilious, head-achy and constipated—simply because they don't exercise enough. They don't eat coarse food, or enough fruit and green vegetables. These are nature's ways of keeping the liver and thirty feet of bowels active; but very few women employ them. The next best way is delightful Fruity Syrup of Figs.
 Nearly all ills of women can be overcome with Syrup of Figs alone. There is no need to have sick headache, backache, dizziness, stomach sour and full of gases, bilious spells, sallowiness, coated tongue, bad breath, bad complexion, nervousness and depression. The surest and safest remedy is one or two teaspoonfuls of delicious Syrup of Figs. Try this tonight—you'll feel splendid in the morning when the sour bile, clogged up waste and poisonous matter have been gently but thoroughly moved on and out of your system, without nausea, griping or weakness. Your head will be clear, complexion rosy, breath sweet, stomach regulated; no more constipation, gases, pains and aches.
 It is simply a matter of keeping your stomach, liver and bowels clean and regular. Then you will always be well—always look and feel your best.
 But get the genuine—the old reliable. Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna."
 Refuse, with contempt, the so-called Fig Syrups sometimes substituted to fool you. The true, genuine, bears the name California Fig Syrup Company; look for this on the label.

Bankrupt SALE 1129 C St.

We must vacate the store Monday so will put the entire stock of the Tacoma General Electric Co. on sale
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
 Consisting of high class electric, combination gas and electric chandeliers, wall brackets, stairway bronzes, Tiffany reading lamps, flash lights, shades, electric domes, fans and electric supplies, at your own prices. No reasonable offer will be refused on anything.

Some Real Bargains

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| 9-foot Extension Cord, complete | 50c | 75c Gas Shades | 5c |
| \$1.50 Flash Light | 75c | \$150 Cash Register used one year | \$105 |
| \$30 Electric Oven | \$18 | 1 standing desk and chair, cost \$25.00, | \$13.50 |
| \$6 Electric Toaster | \$2.75 | for \$25.00, as new | \$50 |
| \$10 Reading Lamps | \$4.25 | One 12-foot Counter | \$10 |
| \$2.50 Porch Light | 95c | Four \$5 display tables, each | \$2.25 |
| \$1 Flash Light | 45c | Four Office Chairs, each | \$1.50 |
| \$1 Electric Shades | 35c | | |

No reasonable offer will be refused on anything as it must be sold by Saturday, 11 p. m.

1129 C St.