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Though the republican family may
have had some little squabbles of its
own, it is united in its contest against
the democrats.

Where Congressman Kitchin has
the better of the Prophet Ezekiel is
that the prophet has no vote on the
administration's defense program.

Consul Homer M. Byington reports
that the declared exports to the United
States through the Leeds (England)
consulate for the quarter ended Sep-
tember 30, 1915, amounted to \$218,-
440, as compared with \$565,941 for
the corresponding quarter of 1914. For
the nine months ended September
1915 the total was \$611,289, com-
pared with \$1,788,350 in 1914. "The
decrease," he remarks, "may be held
to be due to conditions which are the
direct result of the war."

An Important Session

The sixty-fourth congress, whose
first session began Monday, must deal
with a multitude of questions of unusual
importance. The overshadowing issue,
in light of present conditions, is that
of preparedness. A majority of both
branches of congress will favor military
and naval increases, but there will be
a wide divergence of views as to de-
tails. The revenue problem will loom
large. Even without extra naval and
military expenditures, the need of addi-
tional revenue demands attention. Closely
connected with this question will be
that of economic preparedness against
the possible flooding of our
markets with foreign goods at the
close of the war.

Speeches will be made on foreign
relations by individual members, but
judging from the public attitude of
house and senate leaders, congress will
take no steps that might interfere with
the diplomatic handling of this subject.
Plans for expanding our foreign com-
merce will be presented and discussed.
A change of our banking laws so as to
permit the establishment of branch
banks in South America under condi-
tions that will enable them to compete
with other foreign banks is likely.
There is a probability of altering the
Sherman act so as to permit American
firms to have common selling agencies
in the foreign markets. The adminis-
tration makes a show of intention to
to force through its ship purchase bill.
But it is not sure of a majority in the
house or of being able to reach a vote
in the senate. The agitation of the
question, however insures our naviga-
tion laws and the merchant marine
ranking next to the tariff in importance
in the next campaign.

The enactment of conservation meas-
ures and rural credit legislation will be
attempted. The proposed legislation
affecting the Philippines will provoke
much discussion. The establishment
of a budget system and the creation of
a tariff commission will be proposed
and debated. The improvement of
rivers and harbors, flood prevention
and other internal improvements will
be the occasion of much congressional
oratory. It is the last chance before
the campaign and the Congressional
Record will be cluttered with speeches
for and against the administration.
But some subjects must be disposed
of. This consideration may cause the
administration forces to refrain from
too strongly urging measures to which
there is great opposition. That may
be part of the significance of the over-
whelming vote of the democratic sen-
atorial caucus against making cloture a
party issue. There will be much po-
litical jockeying, as usual in the session
before a presidential campaign, but
the administration will be in a dan-
gerous position. Legislation de-
pending on measures on which the
country has never spoken—Globe
Democrat.

GARBER

The past week has been delightful
weather for the time of year, but then
that is what this Ozark country is
noted for.

The engine that was wrecked a
week ago was placed on the track
Sunday evening, and Monday taken to
Crane. Mr. Butler, the master me-
chanic, seemed greatly relieved when
the work of enrolling the wreck was at
an end, as they had been working
steady for seven days to get things
cleaned up. This week will seem
quite lonesome, for the people of the
neighborhood paid daily visits to the
wreck to watch the work of getting
the giant iron horse on its feet again.
But none of them want see another
show of the kind.

Miss Inez Wilson came home last
Wednesday with a felon on one of her
fingers, but was able to get back to her
school work at the S. O. the first of
the week.

Miss Josie Walden was a visitor at
home Saturday, returning to school at
Cedar Springs Sunday noon.

Henry Meyer of St. Louis came in
last week and visited with Frank Go-
fourth until Sunday evening, seeming
well pleased with the way things are
moving along at the fruit farm.

Mrs. Emma Cadwallader of Colorado
came in last week and is visiting with
her sisters, Mrs. L. M. Froberg and
Mrs. Anna Powell, for a few days.

Mrs. Nola Cole returned to Garber
last Sunday, and will remain here for
some time.

Hilliard Davis returned Sunday from
western Oklahoma, where he had been
at work during the fall in the broom
corn fields.

H. N. Brooks' bridge train was set
out at Garber during the wreck, but
left us again Monday for the north.

Mrs. Bertha Heber came in Sunday
and is visiting with her mother, Mrs.
J. R. Smith.

Harry Fullerton went to Crickett
Sunday to stay with his brother and
help make ties.

Mrs. J. N. Burt's father, who lives
at Ft. Scott, Kansas, suffered a stroke
of paralysis and is reported in a very
critical condition. Mrs. Burt is ex-
pecting to be called to go to him at
any time.

Lee Craig went to Hollister Sunday
to be away all week doctoring auto-
mobiles.

Mrs. Dulcia Gold went to Crane last
Friday and had some dental work done.
She returned Sunday to her school at
Irma.

J. F. Hill and Harry Brown went to
Springfield last week and had a high
old time looking over the good
roads of Greene county. They re-
turned home Sunday, much enthused
over the way they were entertained on
their trip, and seem to think things are
coming our way soon. They will, if
we can get a few more good boosters
to help push.

WAYSIDE

The weather is a bit cooler since
the rain.

With wheat sowed and corn in crib,
the farmers of this vicinity can sit by
the fire and enjoy themselves.

The writer and A. J. Essary made a
trip to Springfield last week.

J. Gilden hauled a load of bran from
Bradleyville to Garrison last week.

The singing at Roller Sunday night
was well attended. Miss Letha Warren
was leader.

Furs are pretty high at present and
the Wayside boys are making some
spending money.

There will be an entertainment at
Middleton Saturday, we hear.

Bood K. Singer is sure getting his
share of the rabbits.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf is sick, but
was reported better Sunday.

E. A. W. and J. R. Gilden made
a trip to Bradleyville Saturday.

Geo. Summerton has gone to Wis-
consin to visit his mother, whom he
has not seen for 13 years.

Mrs. S. A. Mott has returned home
from a visit with relatives and friends
in Wisconsin.

W. H.

L. D. H.

Garrison last week.

BROWN BRANCH

(Too late for last week.)

The Thanksgiving program which
was to have been given Thursday after-
noon was interrupted by the rain.

Uncle John Bird preached here
Thursday at 11 o'clock.

Misses Mabel and Gladys Dean vis-
ited home folks from Wednesday until
Sunday. Miss Ethel Miller of Ava
accompanied them home and was their
guest during the visit.

Miss Beulah Jackson and brother
Kay of Bradleyville visited in the Dean
home Thursday and Friday.

Grover Upchurch of Ava was the
guest of Miss Ada Dunn last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean entertain-
ed several of their friends at dinner
on Thanksgiving.

Rev. Robert Jackson kept his reg-
ular appointment here Saturday after-
noon and Sunday.

Misses Mabel Dean and Ethel Mil-
ler visited Ada and Edith Dunn Satur-
day afternoon.

BRADLEYVILLE

We are having some very pleasant
weather at present.

Mrs. J. M. McPherson and son
Oscar, of Brown Branch, were in our
town last Thursday.

Wm. Reese and Erna Jackson made
a business trip to Ava the first of the
week.

Cletis, the small son of Mr. and Mrs.
Ora Bunch, had the misfortune to set
himself back in a tub of hot water and
was severely burned.

Henry Stone is very ill with fever.

Miss Maud Golder of Ava is with us
again.

J. T. Melton and family are moving
into their new dwelling.

Beulah Jackson visited with relatives
at Brown Branch last week.

James Blair has been on the sick
list for the past few days.

Poncie Savage visited with Goldia
Rozell at Chadwick last week.

Grandma Adams of Chadwick came
down the last of the week to see her
grandson, Cletis Bunch.

Miss Grace Hummel, who has been
quite ill, is reported better.

Rev. Spindler and wife are visiting
with friends at this place and Mr.
Spindler is holding services at present.

BLUFF

Fine weather yet.

Jim Sportsman returned last week
from Nebraska, where he has been for
some time past.

Alfred Estep took a load of hogs to
Ozark last Friday.

Dan Thornton took a load of Christ-
mas trees to Springfield last week.

Henry Cupp returned last Monday
from Colorado where he has been for
some time.

James McCoy celebrated his 70th
birthday last Thursday. A surprise
dinner was given, and all had a very
enjoyable time.

Miss Gladie Keithley and Mr. Hugh
Melton were quietly married, last
Thursday. We wish the young couple
very much happiness and success in
the future.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Estep and son
Worth spent last Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. J. W. Esop of Walnut Shade.

Miss Annie Cook visited last week
with her sister, Mrs. L. H. Palmer,
of near Walnut Shade.

Miss Annie Thornton spent Sunday
with Miss Pessie Box.

TANEYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Kilby spent Sunday
with their daughter, Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Ada Osborne and Frances Beall
were guests of Jessie and Fay Clemens
Sunday.

Lawrence Roy was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Triplett went over to Beaver
Sunday.

George made a business
trip to Forsyth Friday.

Mrs. Blouff went over to Beaver
Monday.

Miss Mae Beall was the guest of
Violet Stout Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blouff spent Sunday
with her mother, Mrs. Mayden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould Pierce spent
Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Blouff.

School at this place began again

Monday morning after a vacation of a
few days on account of the sickness of
the teacher.

Rather gloomy looking at this writ-
ing, but we hope for more sunshine
soon.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE
Between 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m.,
Friday, December 31st, 1915, at the state
court house door, in the town of
Forsyth, in the county of Taney, state of
Missouri, the trustee having refused to act,
I will, as acting trustee, sell for cash to the
highest bidder, the following described real
estate situated in Taney county, Missouri,
to-wit: Lots 25, 27 and 28 of Koller's sub-
division of part of 3rd addition to the town
of Heald, etc., etc., as follows: Beginning at
a point on the west side of Maple street
and said subdivision, 125 feet north of the
south side of said subdivision, run south-
west 1/4 section 18, Twp. 22, R. 20, W. 2, con-
taining 36 acres, more or less, subject only to
an incumbrance of \$1000.00 first mortgage
noting said tract of 36 acres, default having
been made in the payments mentioned in
the promissory note secured by deed of
trust executed by E. E. Sanders and Laura
E. Sanders, his wife, to Adrian E. Randolph,
and recorded in book 25 at page 93, in the
office of the recorder of deeds for Taney
county, Missouri. This sale is made at the
request of the lowest owner and holder of
the equity of the said tract of land for the
purpose of satisfying the terms of said deed of trust.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
On Monday the 27th day of December,
1915, at the Court House door in the city of
Forsyth, Taney county, Missouri, between
the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and
five o'clock in the afternoon, I will sell at
auction to the highest bidder for cash, sub-
ject to a prior deed of trust, dated Septem-
ber 2, 1914, given by Adrian E. Randolph, a
single man, to Charles B. Liville, Trustee,
to secure the payment of a note of \$3000
and the interest thereon, and recorded in
the Recorder's office in Taney county,
Missouri, in Book 86, page 81, all of the fol-
lowing described land:
All of the south-east one-fourth of the
South-west Quarter of Section Twenty-nine
(29); and all of the East one-half of the
South-east Quarter of Section Thirty (30)
in Township Twenty-three (23) North,
Range Eighteen (18) West of the Fifth
Principal Meridian, containing in the aggre-
gate One Hundred Twenty (120) acres of
land more or less, situated in Taney county,
Missouri.
This sale is made by reason of default in
the conditions of a certain deed of trust
made to Charles B. Liville, Trustee, on the
25th day of September, 1914, by Adrian E.
Randolph, a single man, and recorded in
the Recorder's office in Forsyth, Taney
county, Missouri, in Book 86, page 28.
Said Charles B. Liville having refused to
act.

Dated at Forsyth, Missouri, December 2,
1915.
Sheriff of Taney county, Missouri.
D. F. McONKEY,
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No. 6961, for east 1/2 of south 1/4 of section 14,
Twp. 22, R. 20, W. 2, containing 20 acres, more
or less, subject to a five year proof, to es-
tablish claim to the land above described,
before clerk of county court, at Forsyth,
Missouri, on the 27th day of December, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: J. M.
Moore, Jess E. Thurman, Willie Moore and
W. C. Kinyon, all of Forsyth, Missour.
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BULGARS DEFEAT SERBS ON BORDER

King Peter's Fleeing Troops
Overtaken Near Albania,
Says Berlin.

CONTINUE BALKAN CAMPAIGN

Allies Reinforcing Their Lines to
Check German Advance—Greece
Still Hesitates.

Berlin, Dec. 6.—Retreating Serbian
troops have been overtaken and de-
feated near the Albanian border by the
Bulgarians, the war office an-
nounced today. More than 100 cannon
were taken. The occupation of Monas-
tir by Germans and Bulgarians is of-
ficially confirmed. The statement fol-
lows:

"German and Bulgarian detach-
ments entered Monastir and were wel-
comed joyfully by the authorities and
the people.

"In successful engagements near
Plevlje, Montenegro, and in the moun-
tains northeast of Ipek, Montenegro,
several hundred prisoners were taken.
"Bulgarians halted the retreating
enemy southwest of Pristina, Serbia,
near the Albanian border, defeated
him and captured more than 100 can-
non and large quantities of war ma-
terial including 200 automobiles.

To Check German Advance.
"Serbian rear guards were repulsed
in the Yama mountains and between
Kreova and Ochrida (southwestern
Serbia, near the Albanian border).

The Athens correspondent of Reu-
ter's Telegram Company sends the
following:

"The conviction prevails here that
the Balkan campaign will continue
more energetically in order to check
the German advance to Constantinople.
From French sources it is re-
ported that the reinforcement of the
entire line from the Cerna river to
Krivopal continues. Positions east of
the Varda gradually have been ren-
dered secure with a view to extending
the zone for the protection of the rail-
way."

The negotiations between Greece
and the allied powers at Athens, still
drag, new hitches seemingly arising
as the old ones are smoothed out. One
day it is reported a settlement has
been reached, only to be followed the
next by denial or accounts of fresh
difficulties confronting the diplomats.

Rumania Still Undecided.
The attitude of Rumania remains
undecided. Since the dispatch an-
nouncing the closing of Rumanian
ports to foreign trade was received
silence has descended on Bucharest,
and Europe is awaiting anxiously the
next move which will give a meaning
to this order. The general belief here
is that the Rumanian government is
waiting for the concentration of a suf-
ficient Russian force in Bessarabia and
a large enough Anglo-French army in
Southern Serbia to make victory cer-
tain before joining the allies.

Bulgars to Turn on Allies.
London, Dec. 4.—The second phase
of the Balkan campaign is developing
slowly. It is expected, however, that
with the conclusion of the operations
against Serbia and the occupation of
Monastir the whole Bulgarian army,
when the weather permits, will at-
tempt to drive the British and French
forces out of Southern Serbia, while
the Austrians continue their efforts to
overrun Montenegro; and the Ger-
mans, with the aid of the Turks and
what Bulgarians and Austrians can be
spared, turn their attention to the Rus-
sians, who again are reported to have
entered Rumanian territory on their
way to Bulgaria.

A report from France that part of
the German army is going to the Gal-
lipoli Peninsula to assist the Turks in
a great effort to drive the entente Al-
lies from the peninsula is hardly cred-
ited in military circles here, where it
is not believed that they can spare
the men, guns and ammunition for
such a venture. The Turks, it is true,
have been displaying more activity re-
cently in the Dardanelles, but this they
are believed to have been doing more
with ammunition which they have
been collecting during the quiet period
than with any fresh supplies from Ger-
many.

Rustchuk, on the Danube, west of
the Roumanian border, in the opinion
of well advised persons here, is to be
the point of concentration for the Ger-
mans, both as a warning to Roumania
that it would be dangerous for her to
join the entente Allies and to meet any
Russian advance.

There is conflict in the speculation
here regarding the position of Greece.
Some dispatches say a satisfactory
agreement has been reached between
the entente Allies and the Hellenic
Kingdom, while others aver that the
situation is so unsatisfactory that the
entente Allies have re-established
their restrictions on Greek commerce.

Clark Sees Roosevelt Boom.
Washington, Dec. 3.—Theodore
Roosevelt will be the Republican can-
didate for President next year; the
young bucks of the party everywhere
are for him," declared Speaker Champ
Clark, today. He said he had been
feeling political pulses in many states.

British Liner Aground.
London, Dec. 3.—The Wilson liner
Marengo, from New York for Hull, is
stranded on the Goodwin Sands, off
the mouth of the Thames. Lifeboats
went to her assistance.

FIX WEDDING DATE

President and Mrs. Galt to be
Married on Saturday,
December 18.

CEREMONY TO BE VERY SIMPLE

White House Announcement Says Only
Members of the Two Families
Will Be Present.

Washington, Dec. 6.—Extreme sim-
plicity will be observed at the wedding
of President Wilson and Mrs. Norman
Galt, which the White House has an-
nounced will be solemnized on Decem-
ber 18, at the home of Mrs. Galt. The
arrangements virtually have been com-
pleted.

The president will have no best man
at the wedding and Mrs. Galt will not
formally select a maid of honor, al-
though one of her sisters, probably
Miss Bertha Bolling of this city, will
escort her during the ceremony.

The announcement at the White
House that only members of the two
families and the president's immedi-
ate household would attend the wed-
ding and that no formal invitations
would be issued, surprised official
Washington. It had been expected
that at least a few of the president's
friends would be invited.

The Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, rec-
tor of St. Margaret's Protestant Epis-
copal church here, which Mrs. Galt
has attended in recent months, has
been tentatively selected as the officiat-
ing clergyman, although it is pos-
sible that the Rev. Sylvester Beach,
pastor of the president's church in
Princeton, may assist.

The president and Mrs. Galt spent
practically the entire day together
Saturday discussing final arrange-
ments for the wedding. They played
golf together in the morning and went
for an automobile ride in the after-
noon.

The wedding ceremony will be held
in the drawing room of Mrs. Galt's
home, where a temporary altar will be
erected. The ceremony will be an eve-
ning affair. Official Washington will
have an opportunity to extend per-
sonal congratulations at the Pan-Amer-
ican reception, the first of the formal
social affairs of the White House so-
cial season, which will be held Janu-
ary 7.

Plans for the honeymoon trip are
being kept secret, but it is known they
plan to leave Washington shortly after
the ceremony. The Mayflower, the
president's yacht, is being kept here
and it has been reported that at least
a part of the trip may be made on
water.

PLANS A TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

Mexican Capital Being Put in Shape
for Carranza's Reception on New
Year's Day.

Monterey, Mex., Dec. 6.—Prepara-
tions have commenced for the trium-
phal entry of Gen. Venustiano Carranza
into Mexico City about the first of
the new year, according to word from
the capital, received here today at the
headquarters of the de facto govern-
ment.

Triumphal arches of characteristic
Latin architecture, new buildings of
state and magnificent decorations, are
being constructed each glorifying the
accomplishments of the Constitutional
party.

Work is under way at the artists'
colony in the capital on a large oil
painting, showing a battle scene and
the final triumph of the first chief.
Prominent in the picture will be the
portraits of the slain Mexican execu-
tives, Francisco I. Madero, former
president, and Pino Suarez, former
vice president, while other figures will
represent the men who aided General
Carranza in his battles, Jesus Carranza,
his brother, who was executed by
insurgents early in the year Alvaro;
Obregon, commander in chief of the
Carranza armies, and Pablo Gonzales,
now in command in Mexico City.

AUTO OVER COLORADO CLIFF