

GULF STORM MAKES BIG TOLL

25 KNOWN DEAD AT CORPUS CHRISTI, THOUSANDS MADE HOMELESS AND PROPERTY DAMAGE RUNS INTO MILLIONS

Relief Trains Rushed To Devastated Areas With Food, Clothing, Doctors, Nurses And Undertakers Aboard--Red Cross Workers Take Charge

LAST MINUTE BULLETINS
CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Sept. 15--A relief train from Kingville and Robstown loaded with food and other supplies arrived here at midnight and its contents were turned over to the Red Cross workers, who were in charge of relief measures.

Report 120 Bodies Found
HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 15--Late tonight a telephone message was received here from Beeville, stating that 120 bodies had been found on a reef eight miles from Portland, near White Point.

More Dead At Portland
HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 15--A message stating that the bodies of 23 persons who lost their lives in the gulf hurricane had been received at Portland, a small town seven miles from Corpus Christi and that others were being recovered, was received here tonight from Kingsville, Texas, by Mayor A. E. Amerman.

Dispatches Relief Train
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 15--General Jos. T. Dickman, commander of the Southern department, ordered a relief train sent to Corpus Christi tonight. The train will carry tents, cots, blankets, medical supplies and several thousand cases of foodstuffs.

Hobby Issues Proclamation
AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 15--Governor Hobby tonight issued a proclamation calling upon the people of the state to render all possible assistance to the storm sufferers. The proclamation also announced the appointment of a state relief committee, which includes Mayor Davis of El Paso.

25 Known Dead
CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Sept. 15--(By the Associated Press)--With the dead numbering at least 25 and more than 50 persons known to be missing, Corpus Christi early today was devoting its energies principally to giving relief to the 3,000 persons made homeless by the ravages of Sunday's tropical hurricane.

Ladies--See the Latest Importations in the Millinery Line
NOW is the time for the Ladies to select their Fall hats. There are large, small and medium shapes, every desired color is shown, as well as all the wanted trimmings, styles and distinctive head dresses that will appeal to women of all ages.

Millinery
THE BONNET SHOP
27 East Adams. Mrs. Ross, Prop.

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ARMY OFFICERS FIGHT DUEL ON HISTORIC FIELD

FORT LEE, N. J., Sept. 15.--Atop the Palisades a few miles from the famous Weehawken duelling ground on which in 1804, Aaron Burr and Alexander Hamilton, veterans of the revolutionary war settled their differences with pistols, another pair of Army American officers, veterans of a bloodier war, tonight faced each other at 20 paces, according to a report under investigation by the local police.

PORTLAND HEARS WILSON'S VIEWS ON PEACE PACT

Asserts League Of Nations Carries Out Points As Suggested By Senator Lodge--Will Fight Opponents To Bitter End--Talks Of Senate Conference.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 15.--Quoting from an address made in 1915 by Senator Lodge, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, suggesting that nations must unite as men unite to preserve peace, President Wilson told a Portland audience tonight that the league of nations covenant carried out what Mr. Lodge had suggested in his 1915 address.

Asserting he had found few men opposed to a league of nations, the president said the great objection seemed to be to this particular league. "I entirely concur in Senator Lodge's declaration," the president said.

Hot Fight On Vote Clause
How much time the senate would take in considering this amendment members today declined to say, although the general view was that nearly every one on the republican side might want to express opinions regarding it.

PRO-CARRANZA FACTS GAINED FROM "MEX" PAPER SAYS WITNESS
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.--Statements issued by the League of Free Nations association to counteract what is being said in the press in Mexico, were largely based on information received from George F. Weeks, publisher of the Mexican Review, a Carranza organ.

British-French Flags At Fiume Are Hauled Down
PARIS, Sept. 15.--Twenty-six thousand Italian troops are now in Fiume, according to the latest advices to the Italian peace delegation here. The British and French troops have left the city, lowering their flags at D'Annunzio's request.

Newspaperman On Tour With Wilson, Killed In Accident
PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 15.--An automobile containing members of the party accompanying President Wilson on a scenic trip over the Columbia highway near here shortly after noon today overturned killing two and injuring three. It was the first accident of a serious nature to occur during the president's tour of the country.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 15.--Twenty-five distinct earthquake shocks were recorded today by the seismograph at Sacred Heart college in this city. The tremors started at 11:20 and ended at 11:45, reach a maximum at 11:40. Observers said they could not determine the direction nor distance of the quakes.

LEAGUE COVENANT IS "GIGANTIC TRUST OF WAR" SAYS HIRAM

Treaty Means That American Power and Treasure And Blood Will Guarantee Security Of Possessions By Italy, France, England And Japan He Avers.

DES MOINES, Sept. 15.--In two addresses delivered here tonight, Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California described the league of nations covenant as a "gigantic war trust."

Breeders of Bolshevism
"Who are the power violators the constitution they are breeders of bolshevism," said Senator Johnson. "This means it is bred in the breasts of mothers whose sons were drafted to fight against Germany but were shot down in Russia, a country with which the United States is not at war."

Treaty Only a Mock
The treaty of the United States means neither territory nor respect. It should mean the triumph of our loud-trumpeted ideals for civilization, for the rights of small nations, for self-determination, for democracy.

Talked Much--Did Little
"But this argument in its last analysis means that the United States power and treasure and blood will do for England, France, Italy and Japan what otherwise they would be compelled to do for themselves. It means not the end of discontent or the cessation of war, for peoples held in cruel subjection by England, France, Italy and Japan are ever striving for their liberty and the self-determination for which we talked so much and did so little. It means that the great democracy of the world--our country--must not only

Two Negroes Dead In Race Rioting
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.--One negro was killed, two injured and a patrolman assaulted in a fight between negroes and whites which broke out early this morning at 135th street and Lenox avenue, in the heart of the negro section. Police reserves were summoned from four stations.

London Accepts Bullitt's Story As True Account Of Paris Happenings
LONDON, Sept. 15.--With the exception of two or three anti-government newspapers, London journals gave scant attention this morning to the testimony given by William C. Bullitt before the foreign relations committee of the United States senate.

The Daily News gives great prominence to the story and in its editorial comment accepts Mr. Bullitt's story as the true account of what happened at Paris and cites Premier Lloyd George's statement before the house of commons on April 18--when he virtually denied knowledge of Mr. Bullitt's mission to Russia.

WOULD DISMISS ACTION AGAINST HARRY WHEELER

Prosecutor French Surprises Defense With Offer To Drop Case Of Former Cochise Sheriff--Captain Bound Over To Superior Court On Own Request.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 15.--Harry C. Wheeler, sheriff of Cochise county at the time of the deportations that followed the I. W. W. trouble in Bisbee in July, 1917, was this afternoon, upon his own request bound over for trial before the superior court on a charge of kidnaping filed against him two months ago as the result of his part in the deportations.

County Attorney Robert N. French, who is conducting the prosecution in the deportation cases, arose and announced that he had intended to request the court to dismiss the charge against the former sheriff. Testimony in previous hearings, he said, had failed to indicate that Wheeler had any connection with the deportations.

The county attorney offered no further objections and the case went over. Although he had stated that there was no evidence to show Sheriff Wheeler's connection with the deportations, the county attorney's first witness in the case that followed, that of County Commissioner John J. Bowen, testified that Bowen had stopped him in Bisbee on July 12, 1917, and turned him over to Sheriff Wheeler who, the witness testified, took him by the arm, placed him in a line of men who were being deported and refused to release him until several hours later.

Five other defendants, John Pickering, Ed Dickinson, Ike Stafford, Tom Madden and W. G. Higgins, all Warren district miners, were bound over this afternoon. Their hearings were held jointly, and they waived further examination after having sworn in 1,200 Bisbee and 1,000 Douglas citizens as deputies the night before the day of the deportations.

I therefore call upon all loyal Americans to aid me in peaceably arresting the distributors of our national and local peace. Let no shot be fired throughout this day unless in necessary self-defense, and I hereby give warning that each and every leader of the so-called strikers will be held personally responsible for any injury inflicted upon any of my deputies while in the performance of their duties as deputies in my posse, for whose acts, I in turn, assume full responsibility as sheriff of this county."