

## 50 KILLED IN INDIANA TRAIN WRECK

### PASSENGER CARS TELESCOPED IN REAR - END CRASH

Westbound Trains on New York Central and Michigan Central Lines Pile Up.

### 42 BODIES RECOVERED

Many Dead Believed Buried Under Wreckage—Number Of Injured Undetermined

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—At least fifty, probably more, persons were killed and an undetermined number of others injured near Porter, Indiana, 50 miles east of Chicago, at 10 o'clock last night when a fast Westbound New York Central passenger train crashed into the rear end of a Westbound Michigan Central train.

Early today, 42 bodies, charred and mangled, had been recovered, and railroad officials admitted that others probably were buried under the tangled wreckage.

Two coaches of the Michigan Central train were telescoped, most of the fatalities occurring among the occupants of these, not one of whom is believed to have escaped.

Both the engineer and fireman of the New York Central train were killed in the crash, but comparatively few of its passengers were seriously hurt.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 28.—Fourteen persons were slightly injured yesterday when a Union Pacific passenger train telescoped the rear end of a Missouri Pacific passenger train at Gilmore Junction, nine miles south of here.

### Revolution Raging in Indian State of Tonk

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Revolution has broken out in the Indian state of Tonk, in Rajputana, says a Reuters despatch from Alabad. After agreeing to the demand of the people, the Nawab, Mohammedan ruler of the district, arrested leaders in the movement, whereupon rioting broke out. State troops are engaged by rioters.

People are fleeing toward British territory. The capital of the district is located in the city of Tonk, about fifty miles South of Jaipur.

Tonk is one of the twenty one Indian states included in the Rajputana district, which covers a vast area in the Northwestern part of the Indian Peninsula. Tonk has an area of 2,553 square miles and in 1911 had a population of 303,181. Most of the population are Hindus.

### Health Officer Prohibits Employees from Powdering

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 28.—An order issued by Dr. M. M. Carrick, State Health Officer, prohibiting use of rouge and face powder by young women employed in his department, evidently met with the approval of mothers, according to the doctor. He said he had received many letters and telegrams approving his action.

### Candidate for Congress Found Hanging from Strap

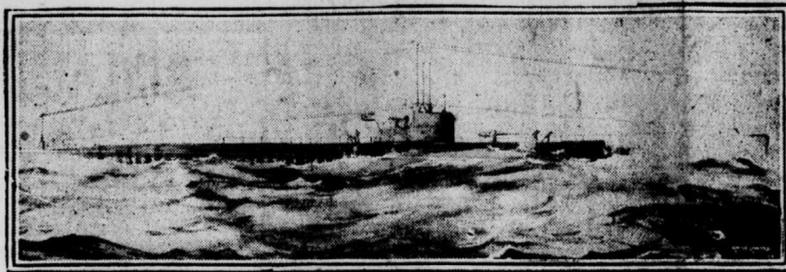
THE DALLES, Ore., Feb. 28.—The Rev. Owen Jones, who ran for Congress in the recent primaries, against Representative N. J. Sincott, was found dead today, hanging from a strap fastened to a water pipe in a sanitarium where he was undergoing treatment for a nervous breakdown.

## Profiteering Cases Illegal Lever Act Unconstitutional

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The United States Supreme Court this afternoon handed down a decision holding that section of the Lever food control act under which many prosecutions have been brought by the Government for alleged profiteering in the necessities of life, to be unconstitutional.

Hundreds of cases growing out of the Government's campaign to cut the high cost of living, are affected by the opinion.

### U. S. BUILDING WORLD'S LARGEST SUBMARINES



The United States Navy has twelve submarines under construction which completely overshadow the famous German U-boat, Deutschland, in size and speed, besides possessing the latest marvels in mechanical equipment. Each of the submarines will cost \$5,000,000, they will be 300 feet long, have a beam

### PANAMAPREPARES TO DECLARE WAR

Republic Marshaling Forces To Repeal Invasion of Costa Rican Troops.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Threatened war between Panama and Costa Rica has been averted by the Costa Rican Army in Coto, Panama, surrendering, according to advices received late today by the Panama Legation.

PANAMA, Feb. 28.—President Porras, of the Republic of Panama, has signed a proclamation declaring war against Costa Rica following occupation of Coto, Panama, on the Pacific end of the frontier, by Costa Rican troops, but is holding issuance of the proclamation in abeyance until assured the entire country is behind him. It was learned from official sources today.

The President is said to contemplate assumption of dictatorial powers for defense of the republic relying upon the National Assembly to confirm such action.

Lack of arms and ammunition to equip the government forces is offering serious difficulty to immediate despatching of troops to the invaded area but belief is held that the United States is duty bound to furnish arms since the country was disarmed by the American authorities after signing of the Panama Canal treaty.

### Two Naval Aviators Are Killed in Plane Crash

ROCKAWAY, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Eugene Lindsey, 24, of San Francisco, and Harold F. Stevens, 26, of Rockaway, both attached to the naval air station here, were killed yesterday when their planes crashed to the ground from a height of several hundred feet.

### Bachelor Tax Bill Up to Governor, Spinners Safe

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 28.—A bill providing a tax of three dollars a year on bachelors, the proceeds to go to the widows' pension fund, was passed by the Senate of the Montana Legislature Saturday and is now in the hands of the Governor. An amendment making spinners liable to the tax was killed.

### Champ Clark, Ex-Speaker Of House, Critically Ill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, former Speaker of the House, is critically ill here. A bulletin issued by his physician last night said his condition was worse than Saturday.

### Blind Alaskan Completes 3000 Mile Trip to Seattle

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 28.—Blind and helpless, Michael Romes, of Nenana, Alaska, accompanied by his wife and three small children, completed a 3,000 mile journey by dog sled, railroad and steamship, when he arrived here last week in hope of securing surgical aid that can restore his eyesight.

### Indian Princess Is Sponsor At Launching of New U. S. Submarine.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 28.—Princess Tocoowas, a descendant of Uncas, first Chief of the Mohicans, was sponsor at the launching of the new submarine U.S.-48 here Saturday.

### Oil Prospectors Given Permit to Stake Claims

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Department of the Interior today issued permits to oil prospectors in the unsurveyed Cold Bay district of Alaska to stake out claims pending adjustment of the boundaries within the next six months. No surveying can be done until summer, however. The Department's order followed a conference, between Assistant Secretary Alexander Vogelsang and Dan Sutherland, Delegate-Elect from Alaska.

### President-Elect Leaves St. Augustine for Marion

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 28.—With preparations for his inauguration next Friday complete, President-Elect Warren G. Harding, today was enroute to his home at Marion, O., to receive formal farewell from his townsmen before entering the White House. The President-Elect apparently was in much better shape than when he arrived here several weeks ago for a rest.

### Huge Store of Jewels Is Discovered in Old Trunk

BUDAPEST, Feb. 28.—Finance Minister Hegidus has discovered vast quantities of precious stones in an old iron trunk deposited unknown years ago in the treasury. He was searching the treasury and when the trunk was broken open, thousands of opals and other precious stones appeared, the value of which is estimated at two hundred million crowns.

### Haywood Asks Review of Draft Evasion Charges

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The legal battle for the freedom of William Haywood and seventy-eight other I. W. W.'s convicted of conspiracy to obstruct the draft during the war entered its finale phases today with the filing of a petition asking the United States Supreme Court to review the defendants' trials.

### Niagara Falls Power Co. Given 50 Year License

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Water Power Commission today granted the Niagara Falls Power Company a fifty year license to use 19,000 cubic feet of water per second of the water that is permitted to be diverted from the Niagara River above the falls.

### MISSING GASBOAT SAFE. NATIVES LIVE ON CLAMS

The gasboat Helen, that left this port a week ago for Taku Inlet with three natives aboard for a single day's stay and with food enough aboard for only one day has arrived safely in port last night. Finding the wind blowing very hard the men took shelter at the lower end of Douglas Island and lived on clams for almost a week until the weather became favorable to come to Juneau.

### TOWN CONSTABLE GETS BIG REWARD

Bank to Pay \$26,000 for Recovery of \$772,000 in Liberty Bonds.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—John Draper, village constable at Hayworth, Ill., who arrested William Dalton, former confidential clerk for the Northern Trust Company of Chicago, and recovered all but \$500 worth of \$772,000 worth of Liberty Bonds stolen from the company, will receive a reward of \$26,000, trust company officials announced today.

### Mob Cheated of Victim.

MONTROSE, Colo., Feb. 28.—A mob of 200 miners smashed in the doors of the County Jail at Ouray, Colo., Saturday night in an attempt to seize and lynch Billy Nogle, a miner, who is said to have confessed he killed the superintendent of the White Club Mine at Ironton. The sheriff had received advance information of the mob's movements and had removed the prisoner from the jail through a coal chute before the raiders effected entrance. The prisoner was brought here for safe keeping.

### Women Accused of Holdup.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 28.—Three women were arrested here today charged with robbery in connection with a recent holdup of a Northern Pacific mail train, in which \$40,000 was taken. A portion of the loot was found in the home of the women. All are accused of being accomplices of Delbert Smith, charged with the actual holdup, who has not been captured.

### Nearly \$40,000,000 Spent On B. C. Railway to Date

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 28.—The Government will have spent \$40,000,000 by March 22 on construction of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway between Vancouver and Prince George on the Grand Trunk Pacific System, Provincial Premier Oliver announced in asking the Provincial Legislature Saturday for \$4,600,000 to continue work this year.

### Flags Train with Matches After Both Legs Cut Off

PASCO, Wash., Feb. 29.—George Burns, 35, with both legs cut off by a train flagged another train with matches Saturday night, thereby saving himself from bleeding to death. At a local hospital where he was taken it was said he had a good chance of recovering.

### Penobscott Women on War Path for Right to Vote

OLDTOWN, Maine, Feb. 28.—Penobscott Indian women are on the war path for the right to vote at the tribal election and share in the directing of reservation affairs. The State has notified the women that it will remain neutral in their fight with the braves.

### Harding Given New Broom, Is Advised to "Use This"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—A fine new broom was delivered at the White House Saturday addressed to "President Warren G. Harding." With it was a note saying "use this." The sender is unknown.

## Destroyer Rammed and Sunk Near Panama, 16 Lives Lost

### BRITISH EXECUTE SIX IRISHMEN AS "AN ACT OF WAR"

Five Condemned for Levying War on Crown Forces, One For Having Revolver.

### INTERFERENCE REFUSED King's Bench Recognizes Authority of Military Law in Ireland.

CORK, Ireland, Feb. 28.—Six Irishmen charged with levying war against British crown forces were executed here today despite appeal for clemency by the Cork Corporation.

Five of the doomed men were convicted of complicity in an attack on crown forces near Dripsey, County Cork last month but the sixth was sentenced to death for being in possession of a revolver and ammunition.

In confirming the sentences, the King's Bench decided that a state of war exists between Ireland and England and recognized the authority of military law without interference by civil courts.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The British Government does not intend altering its present policy of maintaining order in Ireland, Premier David Lloyd George announced in the House of Commons today. He declared Sir Horam Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland, would be allowed to carry his administration through to its conclusion.

### Parliament Denounced.

Members of Parliament are in receipt of a letter from Eamon De Valera, President of the "Irish Republic," who charged British troops with waging war on the Irish people "contrary to all the rules of civilized warfare."

The communication, it is explained, was sent "lest under plea of ignorance you should disclaim responsibility for what is being done in your name." The troops, he declared, were guilty of torturing prisoners, assassinating men and boys, murdering women, children and clergymen and outraging Irish women and girls, flogging and maltreating civilians; issuing and enforcing "crawling," and such like humiliating and degrading orders; taking men from their work and forcing them to do military duty or work at military labor as slave gangs; burfing and looting factories, creameries and shops, and houses; the destruction of farmsteads, and farm produce and killing and maiming of livestock.

### Many Outrages Alleged.

"Although you have put your troops on active service in Ireland, he says, although you have sought to justify many vile deeds committed as 'acts of war,' and although you are armed with the deadliest modern machinery of war and protected by every means known to technical skill, you now seek to purchase immunity from defensive action by our party by taking possession of all firearms, an offense for which an Irishman may be arrested and shot and for which one has been shot, and by carrying Irish citizens in your military expeditions against our people.

"The orders to your troops are to shoot these hostages, should the unit with which they are traveling be attacked. Already under the specious pretense that they were trying to escape, Irish prisoners have been brutally murdered by your troops. Now representative citizens are to be murdered similarly on the ground pretended or true, that the party with which they are moving is attacked.

### BIG STOCKYARDS FIRE.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28.—Fire in the stockyards here Saturday caused loss estimated at \$500,000 to Morris and Company's plant.

### Marshall Is Presented With "Going Away" Gifts by U. S. Senate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—With Senators Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, and Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, making the presentation speeches, the Senate today presented Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall, its presiding officer, with a silver loving cup, gold eyeglass holder, gold cigar holder and cigars as "going-away" gifts.

Mr. Marshall, who steps out of office next Friday when the new administration is inaugurated, plans to sail for Europe May 11 on the *Washington*.

### U. S. WARSHIP IS CUT IN TWO BY STEEL INVENTOR

American Steamer Collides With U. S. S. Woolsey Off Entrance to Canal.

### NAVY INQUIRY CALLED Admiral Rodman, Commander of Pacific Fleet Orders Official Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The United States destroyer Woolsey of the Pacific Fleet was rammed, cut in two and sunk while in tow of the destroyer Aaron Ward off the coast of Panama Saturday by the American steamship Steel Inventor, the Navy Department announced today. One enlisted man is known to be dead, fifteen others are missing and probably dead and several suffering severe injuries as a result of the accident.

Damage to the Steel Inventor was slight and none of her crew was hurt. One hundred and twelve survivors of the Woolsey were taken aboard the destroyers Aaron Ward and Philip which at once headed for Balboa. The Steel Inventor was taken under convoy of the Destroyer Buchanan and also proceeded to Balboa.

Admiral Hugh Rodman, commander of the Pacific Fleet has called a naval court of inquiry to investigate the affair. The court will sit at Balboa.

### Limited Funds May Stop Trips Planned by Fleets

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Limited naval appropriations may prevent contemplated foreign tours of the Atlantic and Pacific Fleets, Navy Department officials said today. The Department had planned to send the Atlantic Fleet down the East Coast of South America, and then across the Southern Atlantic to Cape Town, Africa while the Pacific Fleet would go to Australia, New Zealand and the Orient.

### Nine True Bills Returned In Probe of Defunct Bank

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 28.—Nine true bills were returned Saturday by the grand jury investigating the recent failure of the Scandinavian-American Bank here. Names were withheld pending serving of warrants.

### INTERCOLLEGIATE PRESS.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 28. The Western Intercollegiate Press Service was established at the convention of the Intercollegiate Press Association here Saturday.

### Latest Bulletins By Special Cable

RIGA, Feb. 28.—Rumors that the Soviet authorities at Petrograd have been overthrown, are circulated in Moscow, according to Moscow advices received here today.

### WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The United States Supreme Court this afternoon held the Federal Farm Loan Act to be constitutional.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Senate today approved the Fordney emergency tariff bill and sent it to the President. The vote was 49 to 36, eleven Democrats voting with the Republicans in favor of the measure and four Republicans against it.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Senate has agreed on the Army bill, providing an army of 175,000 instead of 150,000 as agreed by the House, and sent it to conference. The Alaska road appropriation of \$500,000 was retained in the bill, and its advocates are hopeful that the conferees will give it their approval.

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