

## A SQUADRON OF COSSACKS DOES NOTABLE RIDING

Average 24 Miles a Day Over an Extremely Mountainous Region; Two Horses Fall Over Precipices.

(Associated Press Correspondence.)  
Paterson, July 15.—The remarkable ride by a squadron of Cossacks who succeeded in effecting a junction between the Russian troops in the neighborhood of Kermanshah and the British on the Tigris, as previously mentioned in these dispatches, was made at the rate of 24 miles a day, for seven and a half days over 180 miles of extremely mountainous region which made the achievement an extraordinary one.

The squadron—or sotnia—consisted of five officers, 110 men and 125 horses, and left Mahidash, twenty miles southwest of Kermanshah, on the evening of May 8 and arrived at Ali Charbi on the Tigris on the 15th, there having been, in addition to the actual riding time, a two and a half days halt.

The track was frequently difficult even for pack-train, and a number of rugged passes, some of whom more than 8,000 feet high, had to be negotiated. Enemy forces were often to be met with at any moment and the entire country traversed was infested with warlike tribes whose attitude at best was decidedly doubtful. Nevertheless no actual opposition was encountered though shot at long range did occur, and on one occasion the sotnia entered a village just half an hour after a superior hostile force had left it. This force is said to have numbered about 150 mounted tribesmen accompanied by German officers.

### No Sickness Occurred.

Three days rations were carried to start with, and when these were consumed, the troops lived entirely on the country purchasing barley, flour, rice and sheep from the villagers. No sickness occurred among the men, but two horses fell over precipices and five others died of exhaustion, or of thirst during the last twenty-five miles of desert between the foothills and the river Tigris.

Throughout the whole enterprise mobility played a role of great importance, and the high degree of this quality displayed by the Cossack on this as on other occasions may be ascribed to a variety of causes. He is a hardy man who has spent his life roaming about the steppes on horseback. This has taught him to rough it, to look after himself and to become an expert forager. He habitually eats little and is accustomed to long marches on short commons.

On his person he has his rifle, his sword, his water bottle, his personal equipment, four pounds of ammunition. His great coat, waterproof sheet, horse blanket are carried rolled behind the saddle while the food for his mount is contained in a pair of wallets that will take fifteen pounds of grain. The remainder of his outfit consists of 24 rounds of ammunition, four horse shoes, one day's bread, three days' groceries, one pound of bully beef, a shirt, a pair of drawers, a carry comb and a brush all of which go into two saddlebags attached behind the stirrup leather.

**ARE YOU A MEMBER?**  
He rides with a straight leg on a narrow saddle much lighter than ordinary. On arrival at Ali Charbi the Cossacks were warmly welcomed by the British troops and made as comfortable as the exigencies of war permitted and it is noteworthy that though they reached camp after night fall, the Cossacks disported themselves with some and dance till 1 a.m., before seeking their rest.

After a couple of days respite from their long journey, the commander of the squadron and two of his officers rode on to the Tigris to meet Sir Percy Lake commanding the army in Mesopotamia. During their stay at Basrah the officers were decorated with the British military cross by order of King George.

### GENERAL RESIGNS FROM MEXICAN ARMY

(By MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)  
Davison, Aug. 2.—The supreme convention of the Knights of Columbus in session here today re-elected the four members of the board of directors whose terms expire. They are John H. Redding of Louisville, W. H. Dwyer of St. Paul, Dr. N. A. Dusault of Quebec, and Judge Paul Leech of Donnellson, Ia.

The board of directors will be authorized to expend what money is necessary to establish recreation and relief stations for the men enlisted in the militia because of the Mexican difficulty. Members in Canada and in Mexico will not be required to share the expense of this work.

Removal of Nafziger from the Tamaulipas command, it was stated in Matamoros, was due directly to representations from the American government as to his alleged anti-American activities while in command at Tampico and in the oil fields region of that district.

### M'DONALD WILL FIGHT FOR FEDERAL FUNDS

(By MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)  
Laredo, Texas, Aug. 2.—Two hundred bandits attacked a northbound National lines train at Gonzales Junction, Mexico, on the afternoon of July 28 and in an engagement which followed with seventy-five constitutional soldiers, several bandits and nine soldiers were killed, according to a reliable report received today at Nuevo Laredo.

The bandits were dispersed.

### ADMINISTRATION OF WILSON IS ENDORSED

(By MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)  
New York, Aug. 2.—The democratic state committee today endorsed the administration of President Wilson and the democratic national platform, in resolutions offered by Norman E. Meek.

It was agreed that Judge Samuel Seabury of the state court of appeals would run for governor of New York in the democratic and progressive primaries was made here today by William P. Schneider, county clerk, after a conference with Judge Seabury.

**TAKES SLAP AT PEARY.**  
Washington, Aug. 2.—Representative Helgeson of North Dakota introduced a resolution today declaring that Rear Admiral Peary's claim to discovery of the North Pole had not been substantiated and proposing that congress repeat its act of 1911 prohibiting the sale of nitric acid to Dr. Peary and that it will know that it is thirty-seven times more potent than lithium and that it dissolves nitric acid as hot water does sugar.

## TOURING WEEK SPIRIT SWEEPS WHOLE COUNTRY

Automobile and Tire Makers and Dealers Universally Endorse Movement With Warmest Praise.

National Touring Week, the great nation-wide automobile outing scheduled to begin August 6, has grown in size and momentum like a rolling snowball, the heat of approaching dog days notwithstanding.

Not only have motorists joined in the movement and signified their intention to take their vacation coincident with National Touring Week, and take it afield, but makers of automobiles and automobile accessories have thrown their support back of it, and have sent it smashing through records of organized automobile touring.

Motor car makers are enlisting with the project every day by tens and scores.

Here are some of the recent firms, besides those published yesterday, to enlist behind National Touring Week, and what they say about it:

Dixie Motor Car Co.—"We are with National Touring Week."

Saxon Motor Car Co.—"This is a cause well worth boosting."

Champion Spark Plug Co.—"Pleased indeed to co-operate."

Timken Co.—"We are with you."

Willard Storage Battery Co.—"We will feature National Touring Week."

Pure-Detroit Motor Car Co.—"The campaign to nationalize National Touring Week is certainly worthy of co-operation. Congratulate you on your good work."

Harcos Motor Car Co.—"We are co-operating in every way possible to make National Touring Week a big success."

Standard Welding Co.—"This movement will be beneficial to everybody."

Barley Manufacturing Co.—"With you."

Dart Motor Co.—"We are doing everything to assist National Touring Week."

Dart Motor Car Co.—"Doing everything to make it a big success."

Moore Motor Co.—"We think the idea good."

Olds Motor Co.—"Please to co-operate in making National Touring Week a success."

Hupmobile Corporation—"We heartily believe in National Touring Week."

Lapland-Stewart Motor Co.—"We are pleased to co-operate."

Apperson Bros. Automobile Co.—"Depend upon our support. We are with you heart and soul."

Autocar Company—"This is indeed a splendid proposition."

Crawford Automobile Co.—"This is unquestionably a good work."

Murray Motor Car Co.—"Will do anything to help."

Hupmobile Corporation—"We heartily believe in National Touring Week."

Studebaker Corporation—"Anything we can do to promote this good idea, we will."

White Company—"Glad to promote National Touring Week."

Vin Motor Company—"Heartily in accord with the idea."

Premier Motor Co.—"A whale of a movement."

Knight-Moline Co.—"A red letter event."

Merrih Motor Car Co.—"With you, we feel that motorists have forgotten the idea of touring and lay pleasure cars merely for commercial purposes."

## DIRECTORS CHOSEN BY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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The car in which Mr. Parker made this trip crossed Death Valley and other western deserts, and in which he recently drove to the bottom of Grand Canyon, will be seen in the motion picture performance at the Pastime theater, Friday, August 4, afternoon and evening.

**GARDNER AND SANGER WINNERS IN MISSOURI**

(By MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 2.—Riders here today indicated that Fred S. Gardner had been nominated on the democratic ticket for governor in a plurality estimated at 12,699.

John E. Sanger has obtained the republican gubernatorial nomination by an estimated plurality of 11,000 according to available totals here.

**POST RECEIPTS INCREASE.**

Santa Fe, Aug. 2.—The postmaster receipts for July just passed show an satisfactory increase over those of last July, the receipts being \$2,689,111 against \$2,120,54 last year, an increase of more than 25 per cent. For stamp \$2,325,59 were received, in contrast \$1,841,17 last year, for a new class postage \$66,66, an amount \$2,11 last year, for box rate \$286,66, an amount \$24,20 last year.

**PURNEY INCORPORATES.**

Santa Fe, Aug. 2.—The incorporation papers were filed today by the Purney Mercantile company of Berthoud, Sanderson county. The capitalization is \$55,000 and the incorporators and directors are Robert E. Purney 100 shares, Margaret L. Purney 100 shares, Philip Purney 17,399 shares, statutory agent, John K. Kirkham 100 shares.

**CURE FOR CHOLERA MORbus.**

"When our little boy, now seven years old, was born, he was cured of cholera morbus by Chatterton's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simons, Fair Haven, N. Y. "Since then other members of my family have used this valuable medicine for colic and bowel trouble with good satisfaction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." Obtainable everywhere.

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### SANTA FE COUNTY VALUATIONS SHOW HEALTHY INCREASE

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE TO MORNING JOURNAL)  
Santa Fe, Aug. 2.—The rainfall for July was about normal, according to the United States weather bureau, the snowfall being 2.47 inches. Since New Year there has been an excess of 2,39 inches. There was no day in July without sunshine and yet only two days were charged as clear, while the rest twenty-four days were cloudy while the rest twenty-four days were simply days on which sunshine and clouds chased each other. The average temperature for July was 68 degrees, the highest daily maximum being 79 degrees on July 4, breaking the record for several years past. The lowest was 62 degrees on July 11. The greatest daily range was only 11 degrees on July 2, and the least 10 degrees on July 11. Since New Year there has been an excess of temperature above the normal of .27 degrees.

The total wind movement was 2,700 miles on average of seven miles per hour, with a maximum velocity of 27 miles an hour. The maximum percentage was 10 per cent. The average maximum temperature was 78.1 degrees, the average minimum 58.2 degrees. Thus the average temperature above the normal of .27 degrees.

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