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HUGHES WIRES CONGRATULATIONS

BELGIANS RESISTING ORDERS OF TEUTONS

NUMEROUS OUTBREAKS HAVE FOLLOWED THE DEPORTATIONS OF MEN INTO GERMANY. ENTIRE CITY REVOLTS

People of Lesines Attack Railroad Station and Do Much Violence. German Commandant Threatens to Punish All the People.

(By United Press) AMSTERDAM.—Two months' imprisonment is the punishment meted out by German authorities to the Belgian deportees who refuse to do the work that their captors demand, according to the newspaper, "Echo De Belge." The population of the Belgian city of Lesines openly revolted at the deportation orders. They attacked the railway station, smashing windows and doing other damage. They were finally driven off by a detachment of German soldiers. There have been numerous riots in other parts of Belgium, but in every case the rioters have been dispersed by the soldiers. Many have been killed and wounded in these battles. The German commandant has threatened to punish the whole community of Lesines for the outbreak in that city.

FRENCH TAKE CHARGE OF GREEK STATION

(By United Press) ATHENS.—Following the various outbreaks that have been occurring recently, the French marines today assumed charge of the Peloponnesus railway station.

SANTE FE CASE BEEN POSTPONED

(By United Press) KANSAS CITY.—The injunction of the Santa Fe railroad against the Adamson eight-hour law, which was set for a hearing today before Judge John C. Pollock, has been postponed indefinitely pending the result of the conference between the railroad officials and government representatives.

SAFETY MEETING AT THE CITY SCHOOL HOUSE

There will be a safety party at the school house Friday night at 8:00 o'clock. Refreshments will be served, and prizes will be given to the luckiest girl and boy. Benefit of fourth year. Everybody is cordially invited to come and make. Admission will be 1 cent for every year you are old unless you are over twenty-five, then twenty-five cents.

COTTON REPORT. ... Lint ... Seed cotton ... Cotton seed ...

THIEVES ROB EXPRESSMAN OF \$40,000

(By United Press) CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—Two men today held up Fred Cornelison, a Southern express driver and are reported to have obtained as high as \$40,000. Cornelison reported the robbery when he staggered through the door of the Express company office a little later. He is being held for future investigation. The money was being shipped to southern banks.

AYDEN TO GET A BOX FACTORY AND VENEERING PLANT

Progressive Little Town in Pitt County is Making Some Big Strides.

AYDEN, N. C.—With car loads of material daily arriving and plans rapidly assuming shape in the construction of buildings for the box factory and veneering plant to be located in this city, conditions around the location, where the old Ayden Lumber Company was formerly situated are at the present time taking on a very lively appearance, and prospects at this time predict that it will not be very long before the construction work will be rapidly underway.

Information as to the character of the new plants has just been obtained from an authentic source, and the car loads of material for the construction work that is daily arriving gives strength to the fact that the new enterprises are to be a sure thing, and not of the imaginary character as was one time thought. The principal promoters of the enterprises are connected with the old Ayden Lumber Company, and it is stated that more definite information will be obtainable from headquarters at a later date. The box factory and veneering plant combined will command a three and one-half acre floor space, and will employ from three to five hundred men.

RECEIVES WORD OF DEATH OF AUNT

Mrs. Winifred E. Campbell, Formerly of This County, Died at Troy, Ohio.

J. S. Campbell today received word of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Winifred E. Campbell, who died at Troy, Ohio. Mrs. Campbell suffered from heart trouble for some time and this was the cause of her death. She was born at Bath, N. C., March 2, 1858. She left North Carolina about 20 years ago. She is survived by three children, who all live in Ohio, one brother, W. N. Campbell, of Jessamine, and a nephew, J. S. Campbell, of this city.

BIDS FOR HYDRO-AEROPLANES TO BE OPENED TODAY

(By United Press) WASHINGTON.—The war department today opened bids for the forty-eight military hydro-aeroplanes. Prices range from \$22,000 to \$29,000 for planes ranging in speed up to thirty miles an hour and a climbing power of 4,500 feet in ten minutes.

UNSUCCESSFUL AIR RAID. LONDON.—A successful air raid against the German hydroaeroplanes by naval forces was made today, the admiralty announced.

Elks County Fair to be Held At The New Theatre Tonight



Tonight's the big night. At the New Theatre there will be a glorious and joyous time for all who attend. The Elks' County Fair is to be the big attraction. No other fair has ever been seen like it in the past and it is doubtful whether one will ever be seen like it in the future. Tight-rope walkers, wild men, trapeze artists, snake charmers, fat ladies, strong men and many other

characters usually found at all fairs will be seen tonight. At close observance some of the audience may recognize in these characters a number of our most prominent business men, but that won't make any difference. There will be pretty dances, choruses, singing and lots of other fun, it's going to start at 8:30 o'clock and it promises to be the biggest thing of its kind that has ever been seen in Washington.

ALREADY BOOSTING TEDDY FOR THE 1920 CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON.—In a circular sent out from Butler, Penn., under date of November 10 and addressed to the delegates to the National Republican convention of 1916, Progressive Republicans notify prospective delegates to the convention in 1920 that "Theodore Roosevelt is to be the next nominee of the party, unless the Republicans desire another term for the Democratic nominee." Circulars have been freely circulated in North Carolina. In fact, it is said, nearly every delegate to both

the Republican and Progressive convention at Chicago last June has been furnished a copy of the circular and been urged to give his views now and prepare for the biggest political battle ever pulled off for 1920. The circular calls the Chicago convention a "miserable mess" and declares Taft was "stupid" when he refused to enact such Progressive legislation as the "child labor law," and the "federal reserve act." Wilson, the circular says, is no more of a progressive than Taft, but that he is a much smarter man.

BORDER TRAINING ADDING 150,000 YEARS TO LIFE

(By WEBB MILLER, United Press Staff Correspondent) EL PASO, TEX.—About 150,000 years is being added to the aggregate life of the population of the United States by the Mexican "sit-down." Instead of spreading death and debilitation the campaign in Mexico and the mobilization of the national guard is adding from a few months to years to the life of every civilian soldier, army physicians declare. Statisticians have figured that the average added to the life of each guardsmen will be nearly a year.

will be benefited immeasurably by the training he is undergoing," said Major Edwards. In most cases the instruction in personal hygiene and right living will influence the militiamen for years. Even now the difference in the health of our men, can be noticed. Several months of daily exercise in the open air and sleeping in a tent cannot but benefit. It is worth a dozen vacations rolled into one. "But most important is the effect of the army diet. Most civilians eat too much. And intemperance in eating is more dangerous than any other form of intemperance. For four months our men have been eating the simple palatable army ration. They don't eat too much and the food value of what they eat is computed scientifically." This regime with plenty of exercise cannot fail to add something to the lives of our citizen soldiers.

But there is no pleasing everybody. To the man undergoing this training it sometimes loses the vacation—physical training tinge and becomes just a hard labor. "Hub," said one

guardsmen drilling in the sun when told he was adding one year to his life, "Ism't so, well, I'll give three of the other end of my life to go home now."

DESTRUCTION OF BRITANNIC TO BE TAKEN UP BY THE U.S.

REPORTED THAT THERE WERE AMERICAN SURGEONS ON BOARD HOSPITAL SHIP.

IMMUNE FROM ATTACK

Under Rules of Genoa Convention, Hospital Ships Were Made Immune From Attack. Case to be Probed by Government.

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON.—The destruction of the great British hospital ship, Britannic, seriously threatens to enter into the tangle of possible submarine complications between the United States and Germany. The reported presence of American surgeons aboard the vessel renders the case one for serious reflection and possibly serious action.

The Britannic case, taken in connection with others, may show transgression on the part of Germany regarding the pledges that were made early this year. On the other hand, the case may be taken merely as an indication of the way the German war wind is blowing.

Under the rules of the Genoa convention, hospital ships are immunized from attack. Subsequent changes do not effect this status of ships engaged in errands of mercy. Hence, if American surgeons were aboard the Britannic, they were entitled to safety under the law. The case will be added to the list of submarine cases now being probed.

FEAR IS FELT OVER SAFETY OF SERBIANS

(By United Press) LONDON.—An ominous silence from Bucharest respecting the fate of the armies which Berlin claims have been encircled by Teutonic forces south of the Danube, is causing considerable uneasiness. No reports have been received since Sunday.

VIENNA MOURNS EMPEROR'S DEATH

(By United Press) LONDON.—Vienna will not parade her sorrow. Vienna dispatches indicate a departure from the rigidly formal and highly ceremonial customs which have hitherto marked the passing of a monarch. The pall of war beclouded even the pall of sorrow. Vienna is literally wrapped in a shroud and draped with black. The body of Franz Josef lies in state at the Imperial palace.

THE RAILROADS URGE CLOSER CO-OPERATION

(By United Press) WASHINGTON.—Pleas for more adequate railroad facilities, less duplication of railroad management and a better credit condition was made by the railroads today before the Newlands railroad investigation committee. A. B. Thom, counsel for the roads, urged a more helpful attitude toward the railroads so that they might spread out and increase America's business and better serve the public.

Gone to Richmond.

Miss Beale Conley, superintendent of the Washington hospital, and Jesse Manning Hospital left for Richmond today on a short visit to that city.

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TELEGRAM WAS SENT TO WILSON LAST NIGHT

MESSAGE FROM MR. HUGHES WAS COUCHED IN BRIEF AND IN RATHER FORMAL TERMS.

WILSON SENDS REPLY

Thanks Defeated Candidate for His Expression of Good Wishes. Tone Was Much the Same as That Used in Hughes' Message.

WASHINGTON.—Charles Evans Hughes last night sent the following telegram to President Wilson: "Because of the closeness of the vote, I have waited the official count in California. And now that it is virtually complete, permit me to extend you my congratulations upon your re-election. I desire also to express my best wishes for a most successful administration. (Signed) 'CHARLES EVANS HUGHES.'"

President Wilson's reply to Mr. Hughes' congratulatory telegram, which was dispatched this morning, read as follows: "I am sincerely obliged to you for your message of congratulations. Allow me to assure you of my good wishes for years to come."

NO COMMENT IS MADE ON JUDGE HOOK'S DECISION

WASHINGTON.—The government will be unable to submit formally its appeal to Judge Hook's decision on the Adamson eight-hour law in Kansas City today until December 4, when the United States Supreme court reconvenes after a two weeks' recess. The papers in the case, however, can be filed with the clerk previous to that time. This preliminary step was expected to be taken, according to department officials, as soon as a transcript of the records can be made and brought here from Kansas City, which may take four or five days.

Attaches at the executive offices and officials of the department of justice, while obviously surprised at the decision declared the question "of course remains to be finally settled by the United States Supreme court."

It was said at the White House that no statement or announcement of any kind could be expected, especially since the matter at issue is still in the courts. The same attitude was taken at the department of justice.

Department of justice officials explained privately, however, that "the biggest part of the fight is now about to start."

DOWNED 25 PLANES.

(By United Press) PARIS.—Lieutenant Guy Nemer today downed his twenty-second German battle plane. There are no activities along the entire front today, according to official statement.

TODAYS PROGRAM AT New Theatre

"ELKS COUNTY FAIR" Admission: 25c, 50c & 75c Seats on sale at Worthy and Etheridge Show starts at 8:30 Help a worthy cause

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