FIFTY MILLION TO HIS INFANT SONS

Bulk of Vanderbilt Fortune is Left in Trust for Two Boys.

WIFE WELL CARED FOR

Wife of Late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Who Perished on the Lusitania, Given Three Million and Two Large Estates.

New York, May 29.—The bulk of the estate of Alfred G. Vanderbilt, who perished on the Lusitania, estimated at more than $50,000,000, is left in trust under his will to infant sons by his second wife, Margaret Emerson Vanderbilt. They are Alfred G., Jr., and George. The will was filed for probate today.

William H. Vanderbilt, his son by his first wife, Elsie French Vanderbilt, who was divorced, receives a trust fund of $5,000,000; the Vanderbilt properties known as Oakland Farm, near Newport, R. I., the portraits and bust of Cornelius Vanderbilt, his grandfather, and a gold medal voted by Congress to Cornelius Vanderbilt, his great-great-grandfather, founder of the Vanderbilt fortune. This legacy is in addition to a liberal settlement which William H., received from his father during his life time. He is now 13 years old.

Mr. Vanderbilt made provision for his widow by leaving her $3,000,000 and the income of $5,000,000 in trust, together with the Vanderbilt estates in the Adirondacks and Gloucester House in London, Eng.

Relatives and friends receive bequests ranging from $1,000 to $500,000. The infant sons share in the rest. The legacies will be held in trust for them until they are 21, when each is to receive outright the accumulated income and one-fourth the principal. At the ages of 25, 30 and 35 years each son is to receive a quarter of the principal, the trusts therefore terminating when each is 35 years old.

The bulk of the Vanderbilt millions passed to Alfred G. Vanderbilt on the death of his father, Cornelius Vanderbilt, in 1899.

The will provided, however, that Alfred must wait till he was 30 before he came into any appreciable part of the fortune. Then he was to receive half. At 35 he was to receive the other half. He was 37 last October. Cornelius, the older brother, cut off in the will with only $1,000,000, received $6,000,000 more as a gift from Alfred.

Cornelius was not mentioned in the will filed today. The will is dated December 16, 1913, and was signed in New York city. The executors are Reginald C. Vanderbilt, Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Henry B. Anderson, Frederick M. Davis and Frederick L. Merriam.

TORPEDOING OF NEBRASKAN ADD GRAVE FACTOR TO SITUATION

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torpedoing of the Lusitania without a moment's warning made it impossible to launch such life boats as the ship did carry.

From the brief outline, it was not believed that the German note went beyond the circular of May 11 which promised to express regrets and make reparation for mistaken attacks on neutral vessels.

Speculation was widespread as to the Washington government's course. It was believed the German note would be promptly answered with a statement of facts as understood by the United States and a reiteration of the demand for reparation for past events and guarantees as to the future. This prediction was based, however, on no comment from the White House but on the general trend of comment among officials familiar with President Wilson's viewpoint as expressed on previous occasions.

VESSEL IS EXAMINED

American Naval Attache and British Experts View Wrecked Ship.

Liverpool, May 30.—The American steamer Nebraskan was placed in drydock yesterday at Birkenhead, in the presence of the American naval attache, Lieut. John H. Towers, British naval officers and other experts.

The vessel showed a huge gap forward on the starboard side 25 feet long and 12 feet deep at the bottom of the ship, which at this point had been blown away. All the plates surrounding the gap were curved inward. None of the officials would say anything about the nature of the explosion.

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MUCH GOOD COMING FROM CONFERENCE

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pledging that organization's support to further a better understanding between the two Americas. Mr. Fahey said he expected to meet in New York next week with Mr. Vanderlip and Senor Alda, of Argentine, to draft a code to govern the settlement of commercial disputes by arbitration.

The conference ended tonight with a banquet in the Pan-American Union building. Secretary McAdoo was host. Secretary Bryan, Mr. McAdoo, Assistant Secretary Peters, of the Treasury Department; L. S. Rowe, secretary-general of the conference; John Bassett Moore; Senor Triana, of the Colombia delegation, and Ambassador Dagama, of Brazil, were speakers.

On Monday the delegates will start on a two weeks' tour of the Middle West and East.

GERMANY'S REPLY TO AMERICAN NOT HAS BEEN PRESENTED

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foreign office carried it across the square to the American embassy where it was placed in the hands of the ambassador. The embassy staff immediately began coding the message and transmitting it to Washington. Mr. Gerard in the meantime called at the foreign office.

Road Sentence For Former Law-Maker

SUPERIOR COURT OF CUMBERLAND SENTENCES J. H. JOHNSON, FARMER AND LAWYER, TO THE ROADS.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., May 29.—James H. Johnson, lawyer, farmer and former Republican member from Cumberland of the State Legislature, on appeal from recorder's court was found guilty in Superior court here today or violating the prohibition law by selling less than the legal quantity of wine, and sentenced to three months on the road which is the same sentence imposed in the recorder's court in February last.

In May, 1914, Johnson was found guilty in another case of retailing and Judge Rountree released him under a bond of $500 with the promise that he would appear in court twice a year for two years and report good behavior. Johnson failed to appear at any term of court and at the January, 1915, term a capias was issued for him and process served for this present May term. He having been called at the January term and failed, on motion of Solicitor McLean, it was adjudged that court recovered $500 on the bond and the costs of the suit. After this proceeding the solicitor moved that Johnson be disbarred and the motion was continued.

BATTLE FOR POSSESSION OF PRZEMYSL FORTRESS IS CENTER OF INTEREST

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enemy held, and we again are the masters, holding the entire village.

"The engagement was very hot and we killed or drove to flight three companies of Germans.

"In the rest of the sector of Arras there is nothing to report except a bombardment by the enemy of extreme violence to which our artillery replied."

DROP BOMBS ON VENICE.

Austrian Naval Airmen Make Daring Raid According to Vienna Report.

Vienna, via London, May 29.—In an air raid on Venice last night by several naval air men many bombs were dropped, causing several extensive fires in and near an arsenal. Another bomb caused an explosion in Fort Nicolo. News of the raid is given in an official statement issued tonight by the war office.

POINCARE A TEETOTALER.

President of France Tells Alcoholic League He Never Drinks.

Paris, May 29.—President Poincare, replying today to a request made by the National Alcoholic League sent to the secretary the following letter:

"You ask me as president of the republic to follow the example of other heads of states and make an agreement to abstain from all spirituous liquors during the war. That is an engagement the President takes willingly and without difficulty and not only for the duration of the war, but ever afterwards. He never drinks alcoholic liquors."

Are you saving as much as you can afford? If not, take out shares in the eighth series Orton Building and Loan beginning June 5. Office James & James, Inc., Southern Bldg. my30

FEDERAL ATTORNEY PLEADS FOR FRANK

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have occurred within two hours. According to the testimony of the detectives it would have taken more than an hour to prepare the notes, alone, but I reduce that estimate to half an hour."

Mr. Dorsey's letter was in response to notice from the commission of the pending application. He wrote:

"The court records of the case, which doubtless will be considered by you, present the details of the crime for the commission of which Frank was convicted by the courts of this country, and illustrate the conditions and circumstances under which the crime was committed. I do not understand the application for executive clemency to set up any newly discovered evidence or other grounds not heretofore considered and finally adjudicated by the various judges of all the courts, state and Federal, which have declined to interfere with the verdict finding Frank guilty of the murder of Mary Phagan.

"This is therefore, an application for amelioration of the penalty of a crime for the commission of which the courts have finally adjudicated the applicant guilty. Indeed the application does not pray for a pardon, but asks that the applicant be punished by life imprisonment instead of the penalty imposed by the trial court.

No Case for Mercy.

"The facts and circumstances surrounding the commission of the murder of Mary Phagan does not involve the exercise of mercy or offer inducement to temper the penalty of the law to one who has been finally convicted of the crime. I do not believe that the education, opportunities and influence of the applicant or the importunities of his friends should be permitted to affect the expression of an official opinion and I confess myself unable to find in the record of this case a single ground upon which to justify the solicitor general, charged with the enforcement of the law, in asking that the decree of the courts shall be overridden by the governor, upon whom also the state constitution enjoins the sacred obligation to 'take care that the laws are faithfully executed.'

"The very fact that the conviction of the applicant by a jury of 12 citizens has been affirmed by the judges of all the courts, state and Federal, by whom the case has been reviewed, dispite the circumstances of the defendant and the unusual and indefatigable exertions of his influential friends in and out of Georgia, confirms my sincere respect for the integrity of our courts and justifies my deep conviction that in this case the ends of justice have been accomplished by the process of the law."

A letter to the prison commission from Spencer R. Atkinson, of Atlanta, former justice of the state Supreme court stated that during Frank's trial Judge Roan from the bench handed him an anonymous letter threatening Judge Roan and Frank's lawyers with death if Frank were acquitted.

"Judge Roan at that time expressed doubt as to whether it was possible to give Frank a fair trial," Mr. Atkinson wrote.

Other letters in Frank's behalf were received today from United States Senator Vardaman, of Mississippi; Congressman Gregg, of Texas, and Chipperfield, of Illinois; Governor Hanna, of North Dakota, and from Rabbi David Marx, of Atlanta, who was Frank's pastor.

Mrs. J. W. Coleman, mother of Mary Phagan, tonight forwarded to the commission a letter protesting against the commutation of Frank's sentence. "In this matter I have no bitterness," she declared, "but feel that the penalty the law has imposed is not too severe."

A clemency petition signed by the editors of about 60 leading newspapers and magazines was received at Governor Slaton's office today.

NEARLY MILLION SIGNATURES

Reported to Be Attached to Petition From Chicago in Behalf of Frank.

New York, May 29.—A petition with 800,000 signatures for commutation of the death sentence of Leo M. Frank was sent tonight by the anti-death commitee, of the Woman's Peace Society, to Governor Slaton, of Georgia. Miss Elberta K. Shipley, chairman of the Leo M. Frank petition committee sent a letter to the governor recounting the work the commitee has done "in the cause of justice and humanity," and requesting the commutation of Frank's sentence.

DANIELS DECLARES AMERICA LACKS TRAINED MEN IN ARMY

In an Address Before Southbend, Ind. Press Club Last Night.

Southbend, Ind., May 29.—Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, in an address tonight at a banquet of the Southbend Press Press club, referred to the lack of trained men for war in the United States.

"I don't like to admit that there is a deficit in the military system of the United States," he said, "but if there is a deficit it is not in the equipment but in the lack of trained men for war. In the heart of the American nation is hoped that we will never again go to war, but if we do it will be necessary that we have young men with military training suc has these cadets whom I reviewed at the University of Notre Dame today."

SUNDAY SERVICES

Yes, indeed. We all know that the summer is just at hand and that we will not feel like going to church. But surely that is not the way we do about other things. We must and we do attend to our daily duties whether we feel like it or not. Suppose we ask ourselves whether we owe it to God and our own selves to go to church and seek the spiritual benefits to be had only there. Besides that our example should be good to those who watch whether we walk worthy of our high calling to glorify God in all things. What example do we set in this?

(Our friends among the pastors of city churches are again reminded that we cannot undertake to receive church announcements over the telephone. These notices are cheerfully given space when written out and sent to the office as it is desired they are to appear, but in the rush of Saturdays we cannot undertake to receive these notices over the phone.)

Bladen Street Methodist church, Fifth and Bladen streets, Rev. T. G. Vickers, pastor: Rev. L. E. Thompson, presiding elder, will preach at the morning service, 11 o'clock. Children's day exercises will take up the evening hour. Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. Come and welcome.

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector. Trinity Sunday: Holy Communion at 7:30 in the morning. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Evening prayer and Sunday school commencement at 5. Everybody welcome. Come and bring a friend.

St. Matthews English Lutheran church, Fourth and Honnett streets, Rev. W. S. McClannahan, pastor. Trinity Sunday: Morning service at 11, subject "Man Can These Things Be?" Evening services by the Sunday school; subject, "Christian Education." Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. Woman's Missionary meeting on Thursday afternoon at 3:30. Everybody welcome to all the services.

Imannuel Presbtyerian church, corner of Front and Queen streets. Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Regular services today at 11 and 8. Sabbath school at 3 in the afternoon. Brotherhood Tuesday night at 8. Something very special and interesting. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8. A cordial welcome to any and all persons. This means you.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor: Services at 11 and 8. Topics of sermons: "The True Goal of Education," "The Need for Christian Education." The public is cordially invited to these services. Sunday school 3:30 in the afternoon. Meeting of Mongert Mission Society Monday afternoon 4. Dorcas Society Thursday at 4. Luther League Friday evening at 8.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, Sixteenth and Market streets: Morning prayer at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45. All are welcome.

St. John's Episcopal church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector. Trinity Sunday: Holy Communion 7:30. Morning prayer and Holy Communion at 11. Evening prayer 5. Seats free. All are cordially invited.

St. John's Mission, 1313 North Fourth street. Sunday school 9:30, Mr. Virginius Hall, superitnendent. Service with illustrated Bible lesson every Wednesday evening at 8. All are cordially invited.

Fifth Street Methodist church, Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor. Located on Fifth avenue, between Nun and Church streets. Children's day at 11 in the morning. Preaching by the pastor at 8 in the evening. Sunday school at 9:45. The entire morning services will be given over to the work of the Sunday school. Epworth League Tuesday night and prayer meeting on Wednesday night. All the members of the church are expected to attend and all visitors are heartily welcomed.

St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral. First mass at 7 in the morning. Last mass and sermon at 10:30.

Castle Heights Methodist church, Fifteenth and Castle streets: Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon and preaching by the pastor, Rev. T. C. Ellers, at 8 in the evening.

Grace Methodist church, corner of Grace and Fourth streets, Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor. Preaching services at 11 and 8. Morning subject, "Heaven a Home." Evening subject, "Christ's Wards." Sunday school at 9:45 in the morning, M. F. Allen, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. Epworth League meeting Friday evening at 8. The public cordially invited.

Southside Baptist church, corner of Fifth and Wooster streets. Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor: Morning worship at 11 with preaching by Rev. C. V. Brooks, of Wallace, N. C. Evening service at 8 by the pastor. Baptism at close of the service. The Daughters of Liberty will worship with us at the evening service. Sunday school at 3 in the afternoon. Public cordially invited to all services.

The Christian Science services are held in the church edifice, corner of 17th and Market streets, at 11 o'clock, lesson sermon: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." Sunday school is held at close of morning service. The Wednesday evening services are held in the same edifice at 8:15. This society maintains free public reading room in the Murchison National Bank building, 915, corner of Front and Chestnut streets, open daily except Sunday from 4 to 6:30 in the afternoon. Authorized C. S. literature can be obtained and read. The public is cordially invited to attend both services and reading room.

PLOW UP COTTON AND REPLANT GROUND IN CORN

Boll Weevils Put in Apeparance in Western Alabama Counties.

Montgomery, Ala., May 29.—Authentic reports from counties along the western tier of Alabama, say the appearance of boll weevil in the young plants have caused planters to plow under the new cotton and replant with corn. The weevil is reported in large numbers in various counties and the abandonment of acreage now planted in cotton to corn and other products will materially reduce the acreage and cotton production in this state.

DIED AT ASHEVILLE

J. W. Pattison, Painter, Author and Lecturer, of Chicago, Dead.

Chicago, May 29.—James William Pattison, painter, author and lecturer of Chicago, died at Asheville, N. C., today. His paintings have been widely exhibited. He fought in the Civil war, and 20 years ago was director of the School of Fine Arts at Jacksonville, Ill.

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$35.00 Stein Bloch of Rochester, N.Y. Suits at **$21.50**

$28.50 Griffon Make of Baltimore, Md. Suits at **$16.75**

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Men's $2.00 Khaki Pants ... $1.25
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Men's $2.50 Palm Beach Pants $1.25
(Better grades in proportion.)
Men's $3.50 Striped Worsted Pants ... $1.95
Men's $4.00 Striped Worsted Pants $2.65
Men's $5.00 Striped Worsted Pants ... $3.95
Men's $6.50 Striped Worsted Pants ... $4.50
Men's $7.50 Striped Worsted Pants ... $4.95
(Sizes to fit extra large men, to 48 inches, same prices.)
Boys' Khaki Pants ... 45c
Boys' White Duck ... 89c
Boys' Woolen Pants ... 45c
Boys' Better Pants 69, 98c, $1.49, $1.95
Boys' Blue Serge Pants, tomorrow only ... 85c
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50c Men's Silk Neckwear ... 35c
39c Men's Silk Neckwear ... 19c
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50c Pad Garters, single or double 29c
50c B. V. D. Underwear ... 39c
12½c Men's Socks ... 8½c
50c Men's Shirts; not all sizes 39c
75c Men's Shirts ... 45c
25c Fancy Socks ... 19c
50c Fancy Socks ... 39c
50c Porus Knit Underwear ... 35c
$1.00 Porus Knit Union Suits ... 69c
39c Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers ... 23c
$1.50 Arrow Brand and Star Shirts ... 85c
$2.00 Arrow Brand and other makes ... $1.15
Boys' 25c Underwear ... 19c
Boys' 50c Underwear ... 39c
B. V. D. Union Suits ... 85c
50c Side Seam Drawers ... 39c
50c Police Suspenders ... 19c
25c Suspenders ... 17c
75c Belts, all kinds and sizes ... 45c
50c Belts, all kinds and sizes ... 23c
$2.50 Silk Shirts ... $1.89
$1.50 Silk Bosom Shirts ... 89c
$1.00 Working Shirts ... 82c
New line of Palm Beach Belts, 23c, 45c, 65c and 75c
50c Athletic Underwear ... 33c
$1.00 Athletic Underwear ... 85c
$1.50 Athletic Underwear ... $1.15

Thousands and Thousands of other items of Wearing Apparel, such as Night Shirts, Pajamas, Underwear, Union Suits, Shirts, Etc., Etc. The newspaper won't hold all the items we could publish.

MEN'S HATS

Hundreds and Hundreds of Hats and Caps, for Boys, Children and Men; small lots of a great many; quantities are not enough to advertise; out they go, as follows:

25c Hats and Cape ... 12½c
50c Hats and Caps ... 39c
75c Hats and Caps ... 49c
$1.00 Hats and Caps ... 69c
$1.25 Hats, Soft and Stiff ... 87c
$1.50 Hats ... 95c
$2.00 Hats ... $1.45

STRAW HATS BY THE HUNDREDS

Lots and Lots just arrived from the Northern markets, and included are the new shapes and styles, Soft or Stiff Straws, Bankoks and Panamas.

$7.50 Panamas ... $5.50
$6.50 Panamas ... $4.50
$5.00 Panamas ... $3.95
$5.00 Bankoks ... $3.95
New Genuine Leghorn Hats, $6.00 and $7.50 values ... $3.95

(Other Straws of all kinds, at same reductions, and they're all the season's Newest Shapes, and such Straws as Sennets, Milans, Splits, Porto Ricans. We also include Silks, Sateens, Mercerized Silks, Fur, Stiff and 1 oz. Pocket Hats. Every one at Reduced Price.)

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$7.50 Suit Cases ... $5.00
$12.50 Xtra deep Cases, at ... $9.00
$15.00 Suit Cases ... $11.50
$17.50 Coat Cases ... $13.50
$7.00 and $6.50 Cowhide Bags ... $4.95
$10.00 and $9.50 Sewed Bags ... $7.50
$15.00 Walrus Bags ... $12.50
$18.00 Whale Grain, at ... $13.50
$19.50 Walrus Bags, at ... $15.00
$12.00 Dress Trunks ... $8.75
$15.00 Dress Trunks ... $11.00
$18.00 Dress Trunks ... $15.00
$22.00 Dress Trunks ... $18.75
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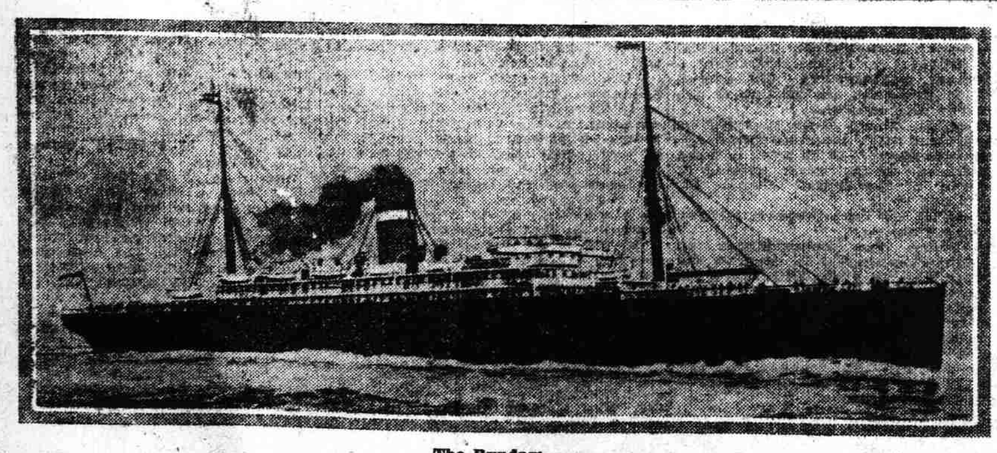

The Ryndam.

The Holland-American liner, Ryndam, carrying 78 passengers and a crew of 200, was in collision with the Norwegian freighter, J. J. Cuneo, off Nantucket light, Wednesday, May 26. After wireless calls several vessels answered, among them battleships of the Atlantic fleet, which have been conducting a war game for several days.

For a time it seemed the liner would sink, and her passengers and most of the crew were transferred to the Cuneo. Later the battleship South Carolina took them aboard, and the Ryndam, under her own steam, started back to New York.

The Ryndam has a gross tonnage of 12,527 tons, is 662 feet long over all and has a 62-foot beam and a draught of 27 feet. She was built at Belfast in 1901.

The Cuneo flies the Norwegian flag and is commanded by Capt. C. Aamodt. She has a gross tonnage of 874, is 201 feet long and has a 30-foot beam.

ACUTE INTEREST IS AROUSED OVER THE MEXICAN PROBLEM

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that Carranza forces under General Pablo Gonsales were moving toward Mexico City to take the capital and relieve distress there.

REPORTS OF CONDITIONS.

American Red Cross Issues Supplementary Appeal.

Washington, May 29.—Reports of hunger and suffering poured into American Red Cross headquarters today from all parts of Mexico. Supplementing its appeal for aid the Red Cross sent this telegram to all state governors:

"There are a large number of unfortunate people in Mexico facing death by starvation and the President of the United States and the American Red Cross make an appeal for money and food supplies. Gifts of corn, beans, rice and flour will be accepted at any point in the United States and forwarded by the Red Cross to Mexico to reach the people in distress.

'Money may be sent to local Red Cross treasurers or to the Red Cross headquarters in Washington. Before donated supplies are sent from any point, instructions from Washington will be furnished for routing. The most practical gateways into Mexico at the present time and under the present conditions are Vera Cruz (via Galveston) Brownsville, Laredo, Eagle Pass and El Paso, Texas, and Nogales, Ariz."

While supplies can enter Mexico through these gateways, the question of whether the Carranza or Villa forces will interfere is still bothering officials.

H. W. Catlin, who recently arrived from Vera Cruz, told Red Cross officials today that beans were being shipped from Vera Cruz to Cuba while people are starving five miles outside the Carranza capital. There were practically no food supplies to be purchased in Mexico City, he said.

Why did the war cause you to be hard-up? Provide against the future by taking out shares in the eighth series Orton Building and Loan at 25 cents per share. Opens Saturday, June 5. Office James & James, Inc., Southern Bldg. my30

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.—U. S. Engineer Office, Wilmington, N. C. Sealed proposals will be received here until 12 M., June 28, 1915, and then opened, for furnishing about 13,000 tons of bituminous coal. Further information on application. my3-tf

GENERAL YOUNG CANNOT ATTEND RICHMOND REUNION

Commander-in-Chief of the Confederate Veterans Cannot Leave Home.

Richmond, Va., May 30.—Gen. Bennett H. Young, commaneder-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans will be unable to attend the reunion. This announcement was made today in a telegram dated Cleveland, Ohio, received here by Gen. W. P. Freemand, commander of the first brigade, Virginia division, in which General Young declared his physicians had forbade his attendance. He announced that he had designated Lieutenant General George P. Harrison, of Opelika, Ala., commander-in-chief of the department of the Army of Tennessee, to preside at the convention of Veterans.

Orders for 100,000 tunics for the Russian army have been placed with Leeds firms.

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