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Graham Christian Church—N. Main Street—Rev. J. P. Truitt. Preaching services every second and fourth Sundays at 11.00 a. m., and E. L. Henderson, Superintendent.

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Friends—North of Graham Public School—J. Robert Parker, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m., and at 7.30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal, South—Main and Maple St., H. E. Myers, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11.00 a. m., and at 7.30 p. m.

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Electric Light in Tub Kill Women Mrs. Bertram Bellows, aged twenty-two, wife of a local real estate dealer in Toledo, Ohio, was killed by electric light in her bathtub.

Armed Italian Ship Sails. Collector Malone, at New York, was instructed to allow the Italian steamship America to clear from that port with the two guns mounted aft, which she had on her arrival several days ago.

Two Killed by Trains. F. Walter Beck, of Searcy, was struck by a train and killed. Davis Foosel was killed by a train near where Beck met his death.

Never Self Applied. "Father," said the small boy, "what's a state of righteous indignation?"

To Care a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.

Grand Army Reunion August 29. The national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Kansas City from August 29 to September 1, it has been announced.

Help American dye manufacturers by wearing the colors they can produce. This is the slogan of the 100,000 members of the 'Women's National Made in U. S. A. League, which is headed by Mrs. James M. Thompson of New Orleans, daughter of Speaker Clark.

Proper Treatment for Biliousness. For a long time Miss Lela Skelton, Churchville, N. Y., was bilious and sick and had headache and dizzy spells.

W. H. AUSLEY.

GRANTS DEMAND OF CARRANZA

May Is Cleared For Pursuit of Bandit Villa.

A RECIPROCAL AGREEMENT

First Chief's Troops May Enter This Country and Arrest Americans Who Commit Depredations in Mexico.

The United States accepted General Carranza's proposal for a reciprocal arrangement by which either his troops or American troops may pursue bandits on either side of the border.

The text of the reply to Carranza's proposal, as sent to American Consul Hillman, who is with the first chief at Queretaro, Mexico, follows: "The government of the United States has received the courteous note of Senor Carranza and has read with satisfaction his suggestion for reciprocal privileges to the American and Mexican authorities in the pursuit and apprehension of outlaws who infect their respective territories lying along the international boundary, and who are a constant menace to the lives and property of residents of that region.

"The government of the United States, in view of the unusual state of affairs which has existed for some time along the international boundary and earnestly desiring to cooperate with the de facto government of Mexico to suppress this state of lawlessness, of which the recent attack on Columbus, N. M., is a deplorable example, and to insure peace and order in the region contiguous to the boundary between the two republics, readily granting permission for military forces of the de facto government of Mexico to cross the international boundary in pursuit of lawless bands of armed men, who have entered Mexico from the United States, committed outrages on Mexican soil, and fled into the United States, on the understanding that the de facto government of Mexico grants the reciprocal privilege that the military forces of the United States may pursue across the international boundary into Mexican territory lawless bands of armed men who have entered the United States from Mexico, committed outrages on American soil and fled into Mexico.

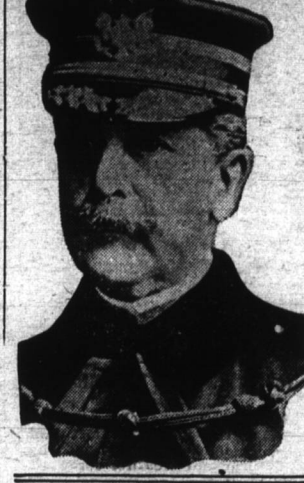
The position of Carranza was set forth in a manifesto that was issued through his government in Mexico City, in which the first chief plainly indicated his intention to defy the United States unless his demands for a reciprocal agreement were complied with.

It is a matter of sincere gratification to the government of the United States that the de facto government of Mexico has evinced so cordial and friendly a spirit of co-operation in the efforts of the authorities of the United States to apprehend and punish the bands of outlaws, who seek refuge beyond the international boundary in the erroneous belief that the constituted authorities will resist any pursuit across the boundary by the forces of the government whose citizens have suffered by the crimes of the fugitives.

With the same spirit of cordial friendship the government of the United States will exercise the privilege granted by the de facto government of Mexico in the hope and confident expectation, that by their mutual efforts lawlessness will be eradicated and peace and order maintained in the territories of the United States and Mexico contiguous to the international boundary.

COL. HERBERT J. SLOCUM

In Command of U. S. Forces Attacked by Villa at Columbus.



READY FOR A DASH

Troops on Border May Start Villa Pursuit at Once.

In spite of official denials at El Paso, Texas, reports persisted that American cavalry on the Arizona state line has assembled for immediate crossing of the Mexican border, and that they might cross at any moment.

An advance guard of several cavalry troops was collected on that border two days ago, with the prospect that it might be the first force into Mexico.

SOCIALISTS NAME TICKET

Pick Candidates for President and Vice President by Referendum. Allen L. Benson, of Yonkers, N. Y., has been chosen as the candidate for president of the Socialist party by a referendum vote of the members of the party, it was announced in Chicago.

GETS \$12,500 FOR LOST LOVE

Janitor's Wife Awarded That Amount Against Wealthy Widow. A supreme court jury in New York decided that \$12,500 is proper restitution for the theft of a janitor's love.

Canadian Child Voted "Dry."

Manikoba went "dry" by a two to one vote and redeemed the pledge of Premier Norris, elected last year, that at the earliest date possible he would submit a prohibition measure. Winipig carried the measure by nearly three to one. The measure is for straight prohibition.

Divorced Couple to Wed Again.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards Wilkes, of Duncan, applied for a marriage license to marry again. They were divorced in Lebanon a year ago.

Never Self Applied.

"Father," said the small boy, "what's a state of righteous indignation?" "A state of righteous indignation, my son, is the frame of mind into which you drift because of some other person's shortcomings."—Washington Star.

GERMANS PAUSE IN VERDUN RUSH

But Violent Cannonade Continues Along the Front.

VAUX FIGHTING TERRIFIC

French Storm Troop Trench in La Pretie Wood—Say Tauton Losses Are Heaviest of War.

A pronounced pause has come in the Berlin offensive operations against Verdun, so far as the infantry arm is concerned, according to the official bulletins from Paris.

The Berlin headquarters report confirms the French report of the comparative infantry quiet prevailing around Verdun.

The German lines were forced to fight, but many Bavarian reservists climbed up on one another's shoulders and struggled up the slope, clinging to angles of rock and grasping tufts of grass.

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A GENERAL SURVEY OF THE WAR

TUESDAY. German troops have a new offensive against Verdun, this time west of the Meuse river and northwest of the city itself.

WEDNESDAY.

German troops have advanced two miles on a front four miles wide, between Bethincourt and Cumlees, northwest of Verdun.

THURSDAY.

Berlin announced the capture of Vaux, its forts and fortified positions, five miles northeast of Verdun.

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GENERAL FUNSTON

Will Command U. S. Troops Ordered to Kill or Capture Villa.

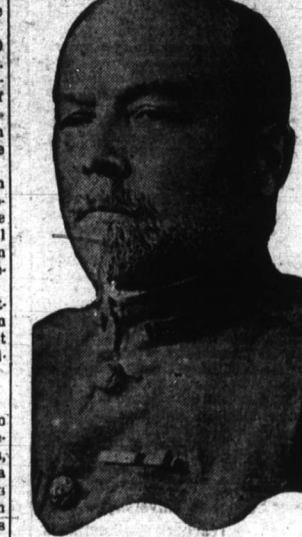


Photo by American Press Association.

Mr. Voorhees returned last week from Rochester, Minn., where he had undergone an operation, the nature of which has not been disclosed.

Henry Gasaway Davis Is Dead.

Former United States Senator Henry Gasaway Davis, of West Virginia, vice presidential candidate on the Progressive ticket in 1904, died in Washington after a brief illness.

Hen Lays Egg Flying; It Is Caught.

What is believed to be the first time on record of a hen laying an egg in mid-air was the unusual accomplishment of a brown leghorn hen in the express office at Graham.

Teuton Casualties 2,667,372.

The German casualties since the outbreak of the war have been 2,667,372, it was officially announced by the British government press bureau.

Steel Tonnage Broke Record.

The monthly statement of the United States Steel corporation, issued in New York, broke all records.

Boy, Eleven, a Suicide.

Lonnie George, eleven-year-old son of R. H. George, a jeweler of Cherry Tree, near Indiana, Pa., shot and killed himself Saturday morning after his father had spanked him for chewing tobacco.

Four Drowned in Vat.

Four men were drowned and a number of others injured at Conneville, Pa., when the roof covering a vat of scalding water in the Baltimore & Ohio railroad shops collapsed during a religious meeting.

Noted Surgeon Dies.

Dr. William L. Rodman, president of the American Medical association and professor of surgery at the Medi-Cal college, died suddenly. He had been ill with pleurisy a few days only.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR quiet; winter clear, \$8.65; city, \$9.21.

WHEAT—Steady; per barrel \$1.17.

CORN—Steady; No. 2 yellow, 79 1/2¢.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 51 1/2¢.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS. CHICAGO.—HOGS—strong; mixed.

PRESIDENT WINS ARMED SHIP FIGHT

House Tables Warning Measure by Vote of 276 to 143.

PARTY LINES WIPED OUT

Lower Chamber Follows Senate, Declining Rights of American Citizens Must Not Be Abridged.

The United States house of representatives upheld President Wilson in his position that American citizens should not be warned of armed merchantmen of belligerent nations, by tabling the McLemore resolution which provides for such "warning" by an overwhelming vote—almost two to one for thus suppressing that measure. The vote was yeay, 276; nays, 143.

The vote was largely on non-partisan lines, and the dominant note of the debate that preceded the final vote was that the president should not be embarrassed in his dealings with Germany, or any other power, by the utterances or intervention of congress.

The president remained in the cabinet room with several members of the cabinet to discuss the result of the vote on the "previous question" in the house. He was told the result was a victory for the administration and expressed satisfaction.

SEED CORN FOR THE NORTH.

Shortages Are Becoming More Serious as Importance of Crop Increases.

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Varieties must be found or bred which will make a rapid growth and mature in the short period before the last killing spring frosts and the first killing fall frosts.

Bedouins and Water.

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SECURE GOOD SEED OATS.

From many localities comes the report that good seed oats will be scarce this spring. It does not pay to grow inferior seed of any kind. If seed oats must be obtained in farmers can co-operate to good advantage in securing such seed as is needed. In some countries local exchanges are being established so that seed grown near home can be used if it is to be had. There should be no delay in making arrangements for seed oats. Out seeding time will soon be here. Usually those who sown early are the most sure of making a good crop.—Kansas Farmer.

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EUREKA Spring Water FROM EUREKA SPRING, GRAHAM, N. C.

A valuable mineral spring has been discovered by W. H. Ausley on his place in Graham. It is noticed that it brought health to the users of the water, and upon being analyzed it was found to be a water strong in mineral properties and good for stomach and blood troubles.

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