

### BIG TURKISH FORCE CAN BE FORWARDED TO OTHER THEATERS

Two Hundred Thousand Released From Service At the Dardanelles

### "A GLORIOUS FAILURE"

Way London Regards the Abandonment of Gallipoli Campaign—British and French Fleet Is Available for Service Elsewhere

(By the United Press)

London, Jan. 10.—Two hundred thousand of the finest Turkish soldiers have been released for service in other theaters by the withdrawal of the Allies from Gallipoli. They will be sent, with many big guns, either to the Suez campaign or to Arabia, in an effort to drive the British out of Mesopotamia.

No hint has been given as to what disposition is to be made of the Allied troops. A large fleet of warships is released for the other theaters by the abandonment of the campaign.

The withdrawal is called here "the most glorious failure in history."

Berlin Says British in Arabia Are Hemmed In.

Berlin, Jan. 10.—Ten thousand Turks have surrounded the British expedition at Kutelamara, it is reported.

London Tells Altogether Different Story.

London, Jan. 10.—The British severely defeated the Turks in Mesopotamia, it is officially announced.

They have captured a large number of the Turks' guns. The battle lasted several days, it is announced.

General Nixon, in command of the Mesopotamia campaign, has been retired on account of ill health.

### GOOD PRICES FOR COTTON HERE TODAY

Twenty-eight bales of cotton had been sold here today by 3 o'clock. Prices ranged from 11 to 11.92 1-2.

New York futures quotations were:

Open	2.45
January	12.46
March	12.65
May	12.86
July	13.02
October	12.75

### RIOTING AT NIAGARA FALLS ALUMINUM PLANT

Strikers Smashed Windows—More Than Thousand Walked Out—The Trouble Started With Pot Workers and Spread to Other Departments—Police Reserves Quelled Mob Bent on Mischief

(By the United Press)

Niagara Falls, Jan. 10.—Riots at the plant of the Aluminum Company of America today shattered windows in the plant with clubs and stones. Police reserves dispersed the mob. The strikers are holding a mass meeting.

Three hundred striking pot workers have been augmented by a thousand strikers from other departments.

### W. W. KITCHEN ARGUES AGAINST KEATING BILL

Former Governor Tells House of Representatives Labor Committee That Children in the South's Cotton Mills Would Be Injured More Than Owners by Passage of the Measure

(By the United Press)

### PROTEST TO ALLIES NOW GETS ATTENT'N OF THE OFFICIALS

Phases of Note to London Outlined; Submarine Issue In Background

### SMASHING PRECEDENTS

To Be Cited In Message to Great Britain—Interference With the United States Mails One Matter of Contention

(By the United Press)

Washington, Jan. 16.—The submarine controversy has been relegated to the background today, and the State Department is preparing a protest of the Allies' seizures of American merchandise.

The note to England is to declare that all precedents have been reversed in putting an embargo on cotton and some other articles now called contraband. The plan is to publish the message soon. The note to England also will protest interference with American mails.

Lusitania Case Being Closed Up.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The Lusitania case will be settled within a week.

Von Bernstorff and Lansing conferred. The former sent a tentative draft of an agreement and approved by the President to Berlin for the Kaiser's approval.

When a negro washerwoman's home burned at New Bern Saturday a big pile of clothes which was the property of her patrons, was carried across the street to seeming safety.

A spark set fire to the pile and every garment was consumed.

### WILLIAMS DESIRES PROSECUTION BANKS THAT GOUGE PUBLIC

Recommends Empowering of Department of Justice to Bring Action in Usury Cases—Reserve System Boosted Deposits

(By the United Press)

Washington, Jan. 10.—Recommendations that the Department of Justice be empowered to prosecute national banks guilty of usury and that laws be passed to prevent bank failures are made in the annual report of Comptroller of the Treasury Williams.

During the first year of the Federal Reserve system bank deposits increased \$2,081,000,000, says the report, proving that the calamity prophets were wrong.

### HE HAS REPUTATION FOR TALKING A LOT

(By the Eastern Press)

Washington, N. C., Jan. 8.—In a speech to members of a Baraca class here H. S. Ward, member of the local bar, said the preparedness movement, by which it is "proposed to drag our young men away from civic work and put them behind guns and on board ships to slay other men and to destroy property," should be checked.

Mr. Ward advocated "such forts" as are between the Argentine and Chile. He told of the incident which happened in the Andes once upon a time when, as the result of arbitration, the armies of the two nations were drawn up, not for battle, but for the dedication of a statue towering above the clouds.

Ward said these mountains should be named after these countries. "The Andes," is in effect the inscription of a famous memorial bears.

### JURY DISAGREED AS TO GUILT OF FIVE OF NEW HAVEN MEN

Retrial for William Rockefeller and Four Others, Stated

### SIX FOUND NOT GUILTY

Arrangements to be Begun Immediately for a New Hearing at Which Government Will Put Forth Best Effort

(By the United Press)

New York, Jan. 10.—Arrangements for the retrial of William Rockefeller and the four other, New Haven directors on whose guilt on conspiracy charges a Federal jury yesterday disagreed, will be begun at once, it is said at the district attorney's office. It is believed it will be some weeks before another jury is drawn.

The government is to bring its heaviest forces to bear.

Six Not Guilty, Said Jury.

New York, Jan. 9.—Six of the eleven former directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, charged by the government with criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, were found not guilty late today by the jury that for nearly three months has been trying the case. The jury disagreed on the five others.

Those acquitted were: D. Newton Barney, Farmington, Conn.; Robert W. Taft, Providence, R. I.; James S. Hemingway, A. Heaton Robertson and Frederick F. Brewster, New Haven, and Henry K. McHarg, Stamford, Conn.

Those on whom the jury disagreed were: William Rockefeller, New York; Charles F. Brooker, Ansonia, Conn.; C. M. Pratt, Brooklyn; Lewis Cass Ledyard, New York, and Edward D. Robbins, New Haven.

The verdict was returned at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon after fifty-one hours of deliberation and the jury was discharged. The final vote on the five defendants upon whom the jurors could not agree, stood 8 to 4 for acquittal.

R. L. Batts, chief counsel for the government, announced that in due time he would move for a new trial of these five. This will be done, he said, before any effort will be made to try the six other former directors of the road that were indicted, but who obtained the right to be tried separately.

From the time the case was submitted to them at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, the jurors took in all eighteen ballots. The first stood six for acquittal, four for conviction and two blank. It was not until Saturday that they reached the eight to four alignment.

### NEARLY FOUR MILLION BALES LESS OF COTTON

Ginned by January 1 From Last Year's Crop Than From 1914 Crop By Same Date—10,643,783 Bales Against 14,443,146, According to Report Given Out By Census Bureau Today

(By the United Press)

Washington, Jan. 10.—Cotton ginned prior to January 1 totalled 10,643,783 running bales, as compared with 14,443,146 bales prior to January 1 of 1915, counting round as half bales and excluding linters, the Census Bureau today announced.

### MRS. MOHR'S TRIAL IS BEGUN AT PROVIDENCE

(By the United Press)

Providence, R. I., Jan. 10.—Mrs. Elizabeth Frances Mohr, widow of Dr. Frederick Mohr, was placed on trial for the murder of her husband today.

### NO DANGER NEGROES HELD IN GOLDSBORO WILL BE STRUNG UP

In Face of Rumor That the Men Suspected of Murdering Anderson Gurley Would Be Lynched Sheriff of Wayne Went to Bed

### UNSATISFACTORY REPTS

Given Him By the Preparedness Leaders in Congress — President Takes Personal Charge of Campaign to Effect Program

(By the United Press)

Washington, Jan. 10.—President Wilson is taking personal charge of the battle for preparedness, and will soon appeal to the people of the country to lend support to his fight. Unsatisfactory reports by administration supporters determined him to take personal action. He will make speeches in Baltimore or New York on the preparedness issue.

The President will confer with Chairman Hay of the House military committee and other leaders at an early date on forcing the defense plans through.

### THREE MEN KILLED IN A DUPONT PLANT

Explosion in Machine Shop at Carney's Point—Night Workers On Boat in Delaware Shaken Off Their Feet—Fear Paralyzes Two—Whole Countryside Shaken—Lights Put Out

(By the United Press)

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 10.—Three men were instantly killed by a terrific explosion in the machine house of the Carney's Point DuPont plant, just after midnight.

The blast shook the countryside. The night shift had just embarked on a ferryboat at Long Beach to cross the Delaware. All were knocked off their feet. Windows were broken and lights put out. Two men were paralyzed with fear when they reached the other side.

### SAYS PREPAREDNESS WILL PRUSSIANIZE THE UNITED STATES

(By the United Press)

Boston, Jan. 10.—Speaking in Faneuil Hall this afternoon before the closing session of the conference of the Society to Eliminate Economic Causes of War, Raymond L. Bridgman, publicist, declared the most vital purpose of preparedness is not preparedness for war, but preparedness against war. He said in part: "Nor is our purpose of preparedness against war; not that we may not be able to fight successfully, if we are forced, but that we may not be forced."

"The present popular craze for preparedness, for war leads straight to militarism. Prussian preparedness, the very root of modern militarism, was the direct cause of the exhausting armaments of modern European nations. Militarism inevitably prevents national moral sense. It breeds treachery, the policy of frightfulness, cruelty, slaughter, the trampling of treaties as scraps of paper, the sinking of Lusitanias, the murder of the Armenian nations, the shooting of Edith Cavella. Human nature is the same in America as abroad. That is what preparedness for war will do for us."

### BULLETINS

(By the United Press)

RUSSIANS INACTIVE NOW, REPORTED.

Berlin, Jan. 10.—The Russians have temporarily abandoned the onslaughts in Volhynia, Galicia and Bessarabia, it is reported.

### NEWSPAPER LORD, BURNHAM, IS DEAD

London, Jan. 9.—Lord Burnham died today after an illness of more than a month.

Lord Burnham, the proprietor of the Daily Telegraph, was the last of the old school of London newspaper owners. Born Edward Levy, on De-

### WILSON TO ADDRESS PEOPLE OF NATION ON DEFENSE ISSUE

To Make Speech in New York or Baltimore On January 17th

### PARALLEL TO DEAL ROAD

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(By the United Press)

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### KINSTON MANUFACTURING CO. SHUTS DOWN AND MAY NOT START UP

Indications Are That Kinston Is Likely to Lose Big Enterprise

### ALL UP TO NORFOLK MAN

J. T. Deal Not Certain He Will Renew Contract With Kinston - Carolina R. R. & Lumber Co. Many to be Out of Work

(By the United Press)

The Kinston Manufacturing Company, as it is popularly known, in Southwest Kinston, was expected to suspend today. About 250 men, it is estimated, including logwoods laborers, will be out of employment. The estimated weekly payroll is something like \$3,000 or \$3,500. It is not known if the plant will be operated again or not. If the Kinston Manufacturing Company does not renew its contract by which it took over the operation the mill will not resume work.

The situation, as explained by officials of the Kinston-Carolina Railroad & Lumber Company today, is about as follows: Something like four years ago the Kinston Manufacturing Company entered into a contract with the K. C. R. R. & L. Co. With the cutting of a certain amount of timber, as stipulated in the contract, the K. M. Co. was at liberty, after three months' notice, to throw up the contract. This it has done, the three months' notice having expired last week. The Kinston Manufacturing Company, as is generally known, is J. T. Deal and interests with possibly others.

At the mill this morning it was said that operations will cease this afternoon or Tuesday, "for a time." Upon being asked about the renewal of the contract the manager stated that Mr. Deal himself does not know what will be done. Mr. Deal is in Norfolk. He had not made up his mind on Sunday, it was stated.

It is said on excellent authority that in the event Mr. Deal does not continue operation of the big mill and timber woods the Kinston-Carolina Railroad & Lumber Co. will make no effort to run it, and that the enterprise will probably be lost to Kinston, with a business amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars.

### PLANS OF THE STATE NORMAL FOR SUMMER

Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 10.—Plans for the summer session of the State Normal College are already formulated and President J. I. Foust is completing the details of them. Today he made the announcement that the summer session in the collegiate course will open June 1 this year and close July 27, making eight full weeks of work. The teacher training school will begin two weeks later, June 15, and close on the same date, July 27. The new course, the housekeeper's training school, will open June 15 and last through July 27, and the teachers' institute will be conducted for two weeks, July 13-17, inclusive.

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