

Riffs to Fight Spain to Finish

Declare They May Even Force Alfonso to Surrender Ceuta and Melilla.

By International News Service. Sheshuan, Morocco, March 14.—Under the leadership of Abdel-Krim, Riff tribesmen, who for years have been harassing Spanish occupational troops in Morocco, are prepared to "fight to the finish to free their country from the yoke of Spanish tyranny."

"That's the tenor of an official statement of Riffian aims just issued by S. H. Muhammet, brother of Abdel-Krim and commander-in-chief of the Riff forces, from his headquarters here.

"The one and only object of the war is to free the Riff and the Djehala territories from the troops of the invader and win complete independence for our country," says the statement.

Reform Affairs.

"The war finished, we have every intention to reform our home affairs and develop the resources of our country. If Spain surrenders and acknowledges our liberty, we wish to carry on trade with that country, and to live on the most amicable terms, without any bitterness or rancor of the past.

"We consider we are capable of administering our own affairs. A proof of this is at once apparent in the successful position in which we are placed at the moment, owing to the combined actions and the patriotism of every one, rich and poor, during the last 18 months.

May Demand Towns.

"Up to the present moment we have always been agreeable to leaving Ceuta and Melilla in Spanish hands, but owing to Spain's complete failure to meet any of our terms we may be forced to ask her to evacuate these towns."

Sidi Muhammet denied that there are foreigners in command of Riff forces. Neither are there bolshevik agents in the Riff country, he said, because the soviet propaganda is opposed to all the teachings of the Koran.

Glasscock Urges South to Change Its Politics

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 14.—"The south would be much better off, more powerful and more progressive if Washington was never sure whether you were going democratic or republican," according to former Governor William Eliver Glasscock of West Virginia.

"Politics will have to change down here before the south is as successful as those who are becoming it wish it to be. I do not mean that I think you should all be republicans but you should have enough republicans to keep politicians at the nation's capital guessing," he said.

Omaha Miss Seems Content Among Easter Lilies



Here is Lola Lee Leddy, 3, daughter of Easter lilies. Her dark curls and big eyes almost outline the large brown eyes almost outline the street, in the midst of a window full of lilies. Lola took a leading part in Grace Abbott's "Kiddie Follied" last year.

National Legion Quartet on Tour to Aid Endowment Fund



National American Legion quartet: Left to right, Floyd Paynter, Art Paynter, Clare Young and Paul Jordan.

The Keno four, now the national American Legion quartet, left Omaha Saturday night on a tour of 13 southern cities, where they will participate in the American Legion \$5,000,000 endowment fund drive for widows and orphans of former service men.

They will open Monday at Hot Springs, Ark. On part of their trip they will be accompanied by James A. Drain, national commander, who will speak in behalf of the drive.

Their tour includes Nashville, Tenn.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Montgomery, Ala.; Birmingham, Ala.; Columbus, Ga.; Atlanta, Ga.; Savannah, Ga.; Columbia, S. C.; Charlotte, N. C.; Richmond, Va.; Charleston and

Ill Fortune Fails to Down Man Who Gets Job as "Newsie"

You may have seen him. He is Sam Goldman, newsboy for The Omaha Bee, and out of the hurry-burly rush of a big newspaper's street circulation room that melting pot that has fused many capable men for success in later years, Sam was picked by the street circulator "to hustle" one of the best corners in Omaha.

"He's one of the best men I have," declared the circulation manager. But that's ahead of the story. On one of the coldest days of this year Sam appeared at police station and asked to be put in jail. Men that ask to be put in jail are not uncommon, but when this man also stipulated he was willing to work around the station in return for a place to sleep and eat he stepped out of the general role of those familiar to police. Work and police characters don't agree.

"Why don't you get a job?" queried Capt. Lon Troby.

"I've tried. There ain't none," he replied.

ALASKA OFFICIAL VISITS IN OMAHA

R. W. Reed, collector of customs in Nome, Alaska, is visiting his brother-in-law, Paul K. Harlan, 361 North Forty-first avenue, for a few days.

"No, we wouldn't call this very cold in Alaska," he said. "We sometimes have 50 below zero up there. But not often. People have a mistaken idea that Alaska is terribly cold. Our climate in winter is about like that of Omaha. Occasionally we do get 50 below but no often, and besides, we don't get a high wind with that cold. I've often seen boys playing baseball out on the ice on Christmas."

Eight-Pound Triplets

Born in Massachusetts Concord, Mass., March 14.—Mr. and Mrs. John Sabloni Lane are the proud parents of triplets, each weighing about eight pounds at birth.

The triplets (all boys) are said to be the largest on record in New England medical annals. The mother and her three sons are in excellent health.

The Lane family roster now consists of eight children, the oldest a boy of 13.

OSTEOPATHY

The Voice of Authority Concerning Adjustment of the Spinal Column

Wedding Reveals Romance of War

Soldier, Missing 10 Years, Returns to Find Sweetheart at Memorial.

By International News Service. Antwerp, March 14.—A unique romance of the early days of the world war lies behind the recent announcement of the marriage of an Antwerp couple of modest circumstances.

M. Pollet, the bridegroom, was in one of the Liege fortifications when that town fell into the hands of the Germans in August, 1914. Wounded, he was hidden away in the basement of a farmhouse, where he was carefully nursed by the daughter of the house.

Subsequently, however, he was found by German soldiers, who took him away as a prisoner of war, but not before he had promised unswerving affection to the girl who had nursed him.

Pollet was taken to a German camp in East Prussia, and was among the numerous prisoners captured there by the Russians. He was taken to a Russian prison, where he languished until the revolution of 1917 when he was freed and pressed into the service of the bolsheviks as an interpreter.

He remained in the Russian intelligence service for seven years, but last August escaped over the frontier into Poland and eventually reached his native town of Antwerp, where, having obtained employment, he set out for Liege to try to find the girl. He had been reported missing and the girl, giving him up for lost, paid visits to the local war memorial every Sunday to perpetuate his memory.

She was on one of these visits when Pollet arrived, and there was a dramatic meeting at the foot of the memorial. The wedding from Pollet's home in Antwerp followed a few weeks later.

MASS MURDERER FREES SUSPECT

Munsterberg, Germany, March 14.—Disclosure of the horrible crimes of a "mass murderer" have brought freedom to Trautman, a butcher, who has served 15 years in prison for the murder of a girl.

Trautman was found guilty after a lengthy trial in which 200 witnesses appeared. The fact which told most strongly against him was the statement of the public analyst that the murderer must have been a clever surgeon or a butcher, so well dissected was the girl's body.

After all of these years it has now been proven that the crime for which Trautman has been punished was actually committed by Danke, a "mass murderer," who cheated the gallows by committing suicide in jail. Danke confessed to more than 30 murders, mostly of young girls.

Immunization against typhoid before the trip beats hospitalization with it after.

Clock Tells Time in 13 Languages



A clock that indicates the time in 13 languages is owned by Carl Self, Arthur building. He states that it is the only clock of its kind in the world.

This curious instrument was made by M. D. Albrecht of Omaha and was presented to Self eight years ago. He keeps the clock on top of his office desk and now and then he muses on the time of day at Denver, San Francisco, Karluk, Alaska, Wellington, N. Z.; Sidney, Australia; Philippine Islands, Calcutta, Mascot, Arabia; Odessa, London, Rio de Janeiro and Washington, D. C.

Self does not know that this clock can be put to any practical use, but as a curiosity he believes it is something worth considering. The clock has 13 faces and a pair of hands for each face. The 12 smaller faces are operated by the central and larger face.

Albrecht worked many months before he succeeded in designing a clock that would operate with 13 faces, each indicating different time. The clock will run for eight days on one winding.

"Well, it is now 11 p. m. in Odessa," Self remarked as he looked at his clock. "I suppose everybody in Odessa is tucked away in his little cot. That's what the clock tells us."

EX-OMAHA WOMAN KILLED IN CHICAGO

J. A. Kuhn, traffic manager of the Omaha Grain exchange, received a telegram Saturday stating that his wife was killed in Chicago Friday evening when struck by an automobile.

Mrs. Kuhn left Omaha two years ago and divided her time between Boston and Chicago, living with a daughter, Mrs. Marion Richardson, while in the latter city. Since leaving Omaha she devoted herself to Christian Science reading. When in Omaha she was identified with the First Central Congregational church. Her brother, S. F. Miller, is freight traffic manager of the Northwestern railroad. She was 53 years old.

Kuhn will leave Saturday night for Chicago. He believes the body will be taken to Streator for burial beside Mrs. Kuhn's mother.

GOOD FILMS ON ROSELAND BILL

Program of the Roseland theater next week includes some of the leading photoplays of the year. "The Butcherly," the dramatization of the Kathleen Norris book, with Laura La Plante and Norman Kerry will be shown on Friday and Saturday.

Claire Windsor, Frank Keenan and Lloyd Hughes will be featured in "The Dixie Handicap" on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. "Worldly Goods" with Agnes Ayres and Benny Leonard in "Flying Flits" will be the firm showing for Wednesday.

Evangelical Is 25 Years of Age

St. John Congregation Will Observe Silver Jubilee on Sunday.

St. John Evangelical church, 3113 South Twenty-fourth street, will celebrate its 25th anniversary Sunday with jubilee services at 10:15, 3 and 7:30.

Rev. W. Schaefer, of Gladstone, Neb., former pastor of the church; Rev. G. Duensing of Tilden, Neb., secretary of the Nebraska district, and Rev. J. Steyer of Plattsmouth, will deliver the sermons. Luncheon will be served by the Ladies' Aid society.

Twenty-five years ago a little group gathered and held services in a small building at Nineteenth and Custer streets. Rev. Mr. Sattlinger was the first pastor. He was succeeded by Rev. Mr. Thiele.

In 1904 Rev. W. Schaefer was called to the pastorate by the mission board and under his supervision the present site was acquired. The parsonage was built in 1906 and the church in 1908.

The present pastor is Rev. W. Kochheim.

RUM AGENTS FIND "EVIDENCE" IS TEA

For days Federal Prohibition Agents Anderson, Smith and Neily have been "shadowing" the home of F. W. Morgan, 1414 Davenport street.

Friday a man drove up and started into the house with a package. They grabbed him and hustled him to the federal building.

The package was opened. Ah, a bottle! With amber liquid in 'em. "Tain't liquor," said the man. "It's only tea."

His captors laughed as they opened a bottle. They smelled and tasted and stopped laughing. It was tea.

Methodist Hospital at Bridgeport Makes Gain

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Bridgeport, Neb., March 14.—In February the board of directors of the Western Nebraska Methodist hospital added a regular anaesthetist to the force of operatives, installed an X-ray machine and laboratory and established a laundry in the building, which is now just one year old.

During the month 116 patients received medical treatment and surgical care, with one death and 10 births. There were 53 operations performed and five free patients treated.

The board is planning on an anniversary celebration for the new building next month, when Bishop Keeney and other prominent citizens of the state will be asked to attend.

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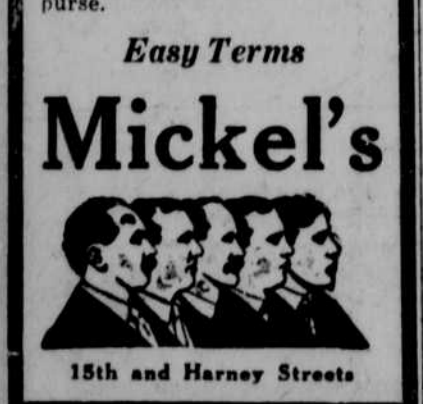
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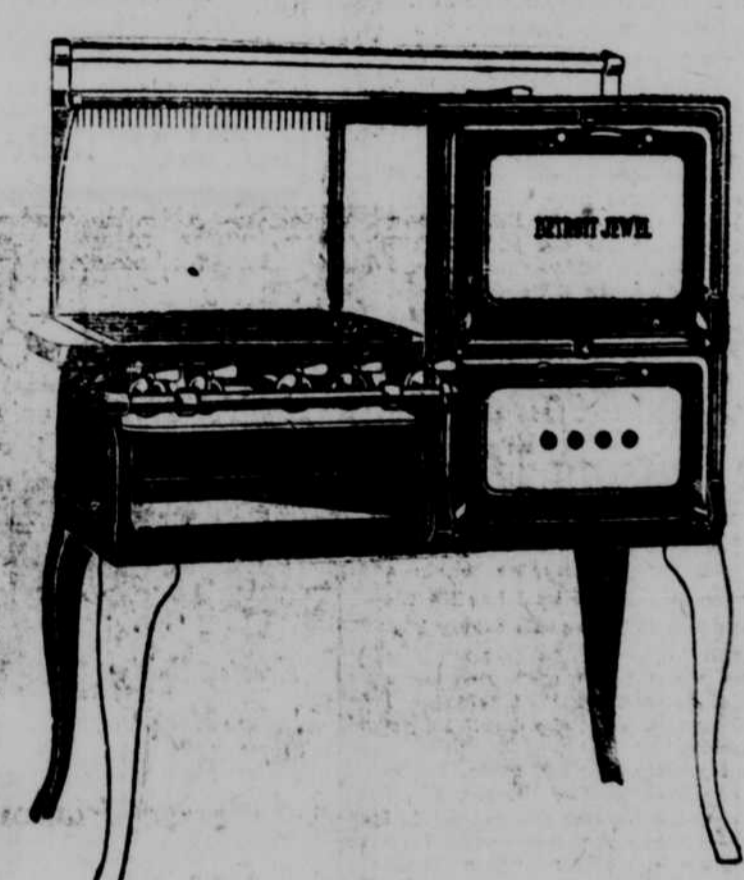
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