Camp Ojo de Fredericka to camp near Corralitos ranch, on March 21, 1916.

OUR BOYS IN MEXICO-The Sixteenth infantry on the longest hike of the campaign, traveling twenty-six miles from

GERMAN ATTACK **CUTS DISTANCE** TO VERDUN GOAL

Terrific Assaults of Kaiser's Soldiers Gives Them Footing in Work Near Malancourt and in Village.

THIS IS LATEST PARIS REPORT

Part of New Works Constructed by Teutons Near Verdun Are Taken by Storm.

COUNTER ATTACK IS REPULSED

with heavy force against the village were checked by the French fire.

PARIS, March 29. - French troops made an attack last night on Avoncourt wood, west of the Meuse, where the German assault was made yesterday. The official statement today says the French carried part of the works which the Germans had constructed.

The Germans made a fierce counter attack, but were driven back with heavy losses. They made no effort to recover the lost ground. The recent German attack upon Malancourt was made with a fresh division which was thrown back with heavy losses.

"After an intense preparatory artillery fire our troops delivered a spirited attack against the German positions in the wood of Avocourt. We occupied the en the scene only a few days ago was completely repulsed. The enemy suffered heavy losses and left fifty prisoners in

"East of the Meuse there has been great activity on the part of the opposing artillery forces in the region of Vaux and Dougument and in the Weevre, in the sector of Moulainville.

"On the remainder of the front the

announced today.

The statement says: "Western front: South of St. Elol one of the mine craters occupied by the British was wrested from them as a re-

suit of a hand grenade engagement, "On the left bank of the Meuse our troops, with little loss to themselves, stormed French positions north of Mainncourt over a front of about 2,000 meters. They also penetrated into the northwest ern portion of Malancourt. The French left in our hands twelve officers and 486 unwounded men, one gun and four machine guns. Examination of the prisoner taken enabled us to confirm the belief that two more French divisions have been brought into the fighting."

Dutch Steamship Duiveland is Sunk

LONDON, March 29 .- (8:05 p. m.)-Another Dutch steamship, the Duiveland, has been sunk. All the crew were saved.

FOOT OF SNOW FALLS THROUGH BLACK HILLS

DEADWOOD, S. D., March 2 .- A foot of snow has fallen throughout the Black Hills since yesterday afternoon.

The Weather



1916, 1915, 1914, 67 36 49 Highest yesterday

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal: Normal temperature
Excess for the day
Fotal excess since March i
Normal precipitation
Deficiency for the day
Fotal rainfall gince March 1
Deficiency since March 1 Excess for cor. period, 1915. Excess for cor. period, 1914.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Cheyenne, part cloudy Davenport, cloudy Denver, cloudy Denver, cloudy Des Moines, clear ander, snow Omahe, part cloudy ... Pueblo, rain Rapid Cify, cloudy ... Sair Lake, part cloudy

L . A. WELSH, Local Porecaster.

ORGANIZED BALL IS FACING NEW FIGHT FOR LIFE IN COURT

League Sues for Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars' Damages Under Trust Laws.

MAKES CONSPIRACY CHARGE

Government May Have to Take Cognizance.

ALLEGES OUTLAWS SOLD OUT

Organized Base Ball is facing an-PARIS, March 29 .- In an attack other attack against its existence in a suit for \$900,000 damages filed in of Malancourt today the Germans the United States district court here succeeded in gaining a footing in an today under the national anti-trust advanced work north of aMlancourt laws by the Federal base ball club and occupied the houses in the vil- of Baltimore. The defendents in the lage, according to the official state- suit are the National and American ment issued by the war office to- leagues, and the sixteen clubs, maknight. Further attempts to advance ing up their membership, the three members of the National base ball commission, James A. Gilmore, Charles E. Weeghman and Harry Cinclair, formerly of the Federal

If the Federal league of Baltimore wins its suit, Organized Base Ball will be in peril of attack by the federal government, it is said. The difference between the suit filed today and the one begun by the Federal league against Organized Base ball in Chicago in January, 1915, is that the present action is one for damages, while the first one was an injunction to restrain Organized Base Ball from continuing certain acts alleged to be in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

U. S. May Have to Act. To win the present action, the Balti-

southeastern corner of this wood for a more club must show that Organized depth of more than 300 yards, as well as Base Ball as at present constituted is an important work called the Redoubt of in violation of the Sherman anti-trust Avocourt, which the Germans had law and the Clayton anti-trust act. If strongly fortified. A violent and sudden it proves this and recovers damages, counter attack delivered by the enemy lawyers said tonight, the government with a fresh brigade which had arrived may have to take cognizance of the court's decree.

The Baltimore club alleges that it was

present organization of the game and its operation, mentioning the National agreement, the National commission, the Germana Take French Trenches. base ball players fraternity and the officials here for some time concerning bentun. March 29.—(Via London.)— various leagues that enter into Organ-French positions north of Malancourt | ized Base Ball. The complaint recites several lines deep along a front of 2,000 the organization of the Federal league. goes into details of the negotiations are operating independently of the main whereby the Federal league was eliminated from base ball competition.

Charges Conspicacy.

thorized a committee consisting. the defendants.

"Organized Base Ball conducted its negotiations looking to an adjustment of his report is not expected for some time base ball conditions, not with the Baltimore club, any individual club or person representing a single club or interest, but rather with the Federal league as an organization. It was our understanding that the Federal league was acting for all its component clubs and had proper authority to so act in every thing that was done toward a settle ment of all conditions. In effecting an adjustment of baseball conditions we are satisfied we did nothing inconsist ent with the Sherman Anti-trust act or Clayton act. Therefore, we fall to see where we are liable as set forth in the suit of the Baltimore Federal league

Two German Air Craft Destroyed; Twenty Men Killed

Baltimore Club of Late Federal

If Action Successful, United States

PHILADELPHIA, March 29 .-

not considered in the negotiations last winter which resulted in the so-called peace agreement between Organized Base Ball and Federal league owners and that in consequence it suffered a loss of 1300,000 and asks for triple damages under the federal anti-trust laws. The complaints gives a history of the

The Baltimore club charges that the National and American leagues are operating in a combination of conspiracy to restrain trade and have conspired to monopolize or attempt to monomolize a part of the commerce of the states in violation of the federal anti-trust laws. The complaint states further that in the alleged conspiracy to wreck the Federal league Organized Base Ball gave or secured to the Brooklyn Federal league club \$400,000 to induce that club to cease competing with the defendants and that by cash contributions of not less than \$50,000 and "flat-tery and persuasion." induced Charles Perships With Advanced. E. Weeghman and his associates to leave the Federal league.

The complaint also states:
"The plaintiff is informed and believes and alleges that all of the remaining members of the Federal league, not including the plaintiff, aucording to information of the plaintiff, of the defendants, James A. Gilmore, Harry Sinclair and Charles E. Weeghman, to settle their position and to protect their rights as best they might, induced thereto, the plaintiff believes and charges, on account of the realization of the hopelessness of repairing the damage already done to the Federal league as a whole by the defection of the ranks of its most important members and that the committee has now signed an agreement on behalf of all the assenting members of the Federal league agreeing eliminate further competition with

Tener's Statement.

NEW YORK, March 29.-President Tener, president of the National league, when informed of the suit filed in Philadelphia today by the Baltimore Federal league base ball club, said:

PARIS, March 29 .- Twenty persons were killed, between thirty and forty were General Gomez and his troops had Tuckerton.)-M. Loncin, private secretary wounded and two German aeroplanes reached Nacozari, seventy-five miles were destroyed in the aerial raid over Salentki on Monday, mays an official is reported, will be distributed at towns patch from Pressels given out today by statement issued here this afternoon.

American Troopers Reported Closely Pressing Outlaws in Southern Chihuahua.

MEXICANS LOSE TRACE OF HIM

EL PASO, Tex., March 39 .- The goes relentlessly on, but from the meagerness of the official dispatches from General Pershing's advanced base, it was impossible to learn today the position of the American that Carranza would consent to the use troops and how far they were in the last heard of proceeding southward to the Tarahumare mountain country, his command driving their Mexi- firemen and conductors, who were forcan ponies at full speed and being closely pressed by the American

troopers. Commanders of the Carranza troops now in the Chinushua region apparently have lost trace of Villa and his men for no report has been received by Mexican

meters have been stormed by German charges that Organized Base Ball en- in various parts of Chihuahua and in troops, the German headquarters staff tered into a conspiracy to wreck it and some numbers around Torreon, but they

> Villa's whereabouts, Will Try to Recruit Force. Carranza officials in Juarez express their belief that Villa will try to establish a main base at some point after he has thrown the American cavalry off nis trail and then recruit his command to one of large proportions from the Villistan now roaming about the southern Chihuahua district. Villa, the Carranza officers first chief. think, will then engaged in a maurauding campaign that would make the American and Carranza forces no end of trouble. Army officers here do not believe Villa will ever make a stand and fight the American cavalry, but will continue

Pershing With Advance.

SAN ANTONIA, Tex., March 29.-Francisco Villa was moving toward Santa Catarina, in the Santa Maria valley, four days ago according to information sowarded to General Funston today by General Pershing

General Pershing added that the residents of the valley appeared friendly to Villa and that it was with great difficulty that the scouts learned anything from them regarding his movements.

General Pershing was known to be with one of the advanced columns today, but at his own request the positions of his ops were not revealed. All detachments operating south and east of Namiquipa were reported to be pushing forward at high speed and from the American frontier to the last supply base the quartermaster's department was working at high pressure to keep moving the large volume of supplies. As to the details of the actual chase of Villa, however, General Funston and his staff knew

little more than the public. The War department has returned the long report of Colonel Slocum on the Columbus attack with instructions to have the colonel amplify it. Colonel Slocum i commanding troops just now more than 200 miles from the border and revision of It has been sent to him, however.

Lieutenant Colonel W. S. Scott today left for Douglas, Ariz., to take command of the First Cavalry, relieving Colonel F.

Aerial Attack on Saloniki Causes **Great Indignation**

DOUGLAS, Artz., March .0 .- Travelers reaching here from Cumpas, Sonora, stated today that General Arnulfo Gomez, commander of a column of 1,000 Mexican troops, gave assurances of protection to Americans.

Preparations were being made by meneral P. Elias Calles to move the Ague Prieta hospital to hiermosillo tomorrow Two hundred Mexican troops reached Naco, Sonora, late yesterday. Mexican officials have reported that

Supply Trains for Pershing's Army Are Ready to Go South ARE CHASING VILLA

EL PASO, Tex., March 29. - Supplies will begin to go forward on the Mexican Northwestern railroad within a few hours after General Bell has received official notification of the consent of General Carranga to the use of the road. General Bell said everything was in readiness and he was prepared to act immediately he chase of the brigand Villa by the received word from General Fuston. He flying columns of American cavalry, expressed the greatest gratification and relief over the news that General Carranza had granted the request of the American government,

For over a week the quartermaster's department here has been working day and night preparing for the possibility of the railroad. A big supply depot has rear of the fleeing band. Villa was been established down town within a few blocks of the international railroad bridge. In addition, train crews have been enlisted from among the engineers, merly employed on the Mexican roads. The question of train equipment has also been thoroughly arranged. Every engine and car which the American roads passing through here could supply in an emergency has been listed and can go into service when called for. According to the plans of the military

authorities the supplies will be sent Casas Grandes on trains manned exclusively by twenty-five American passengers. Americans and probably driven by American engines. The roadbed of the Mexico condition, except at spots where the bridges have been burned by bands of Villistas. These bridges have not been repaired and all trains have to make their way across the gulches on tempo-

General Gavira, the Carranza commander at Juarez, when informed unofficially that permission to use the been granted said he would make no comment until he heard from Queretaro, but that he held himself in readiness to obey any orders of the

Waite Says He Paid Undertaker to Help Conceal His Crimes

NEW YORK, March 29 .- Further details of Dr. Arthur Warren Waite's activities to prepare a defense before he was arrested for the murder of John E. cured by Colonel Dodd, Sunday, and for- Peck, his father-in-law, were made to District Attorney Edward Swann today by the prisoner himself, from his bed at Bellevue hospital. In addition to paying \$9,000 in cash and \$9,400 in a check to Eugene W. Kane, the undertaker who embalmed Peck's body, Waite told the prosecutor today that 'he was to have paid Kane in all \$25,000, from which Kane was to bribe the druggist from whom Waite bought the arsenic from which Peck died, to keep silent.

The young dentist asserted, according to the district attorney, that his negotiations with Kane were conducted at first through John S. Potter, an undertaker. Potter, in the district attorney's office today, denied everything Waite told Mr Swann regarding him.

United States Asks Germany About the Manchester Engineer

WASHINGTON, March 29 .- The United States has sent inquiry to Germany asking whether any of its submarines were concerned in the sinking of the British steamer Manchester Engineer, which is reported in dispatches from American consular representatives to have been torpedoed and sunk without warning while two American citizens were abourd Consul Frost at Queenstown cabled the State department today that the British steamship Eagle Point, with one or more Americans on board, had been torpedoed by a submarine.

An official announcement by the State department based on the censul's dispatch says the Eagle Point was torpedoed the Metropolitan water plant in Flor without warning 100 miles from land. that all aboard were saved and that among the survivors was one American

Cardinal Mercier's Secretary Arrested

to Cardinal Mercier, the Belgian primate, south of Naco, yesterday. The troops, it has been arrested, according to a disnear the Chihushua-Sonora state line, the Oversons News agency,

HORSE SHIP MADE EFFORT TO ESCAPE

Steamship Englishman was Shelled, Then Torpedoed, Say Americans Who Were Aboard.

SUSSEX PROBABLY TORPEDOED

WASHINGTON, March 29,-The a German submarine, according to three American survivors.

Following the receipt of this inscemed clear that the Englishman had tried to escape. The submarine was operating within the law in shelling and torpedoing the Englishman, if the vessel was fleeing to escape capture, as is inferred by officials here from the dispatch.

The German sovernment has been asked whether any of its submarines was concerned in the sinking of the Englishman or the damaging of the channel steamer Sussex while that ship was carrying

It is indicated that the case of the Englishman may not lead to difficulties between the United States and Germany if it is proved it was escaping. Overnight Dover seem, officials said, to bear out previous allegations that the Sussex was

torpedoed. American consular representatives, it was said in the dispatches, had secured from various survivors at Dover affidavits confirming those by survivors in France.

Expect Answer from Berlin. The State department expected to receive from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin some time today or tonight the result of his inquiry at the verman foreign office into the circumstances surrounding the damaging of the Sussex and the sinking of the Englishman.

A dispatch from Dover today said Wilder Penfield and Joshua R. Armitage, survivors of the Sussex, were improving. George H. Crocker, another American, is notified of his condition

Information received by the State department does not disclose whether the Englishman was torpedoed before or after it had stopped. The reports indicate that it had made an attempt to escape, but apparently had abandoned the attempt and was coming to a standstill when torpedoed. Officials here say if the vessel had indicated to the submarine its intention of stopping before being torpedoed it was entitled to immunity from attack, even though it had at first attempted to escape,

Wilson Talks with House. President Wilson discussed the subnarine issue at length today with Colonel M. House, Counsellor Polk of the State department also saw Colonel House. Additional information regarding the sinking of the steamer Manchester Engineer was expected by the State departnent during the day from Ambassador Page at London and from consular of-

Florence to Vote On Light Bonds | Anthrax Causes

The city council of Florence has passed an ordinance providing for the submission to the voters, April 18, of a \$19,000 bond issue for the construction of a municipal electric lighting system. In case the bonds carry the light rates will be determined by the city council Members of this body venture the prediction that the rate would probably be 6 cents per kilowatt hour, which is lower than the rates charged by the Omaha Electric Light and Power company. Although the ordinance makes no men tion of this fact, it is proposed to obtain the energy for the municipal plant from

Hughes Is Choice Of Mass. Solons

BOSTON, March 29.- (Special.) -The Secton Transcript publishes today a poli

Millionaire is Not Guilty of Violating White Slave Law

CHICAGO, III., March 29.-The case against William Rufus Edwards, wealthy St. Paul lumberman, on trial charged with violation of the Mann act, was taken from the jury today. At the court's direction the jury returned a verdict of not guilty and Judge Anderson entered an order discharging the British horseship Englishman was transporting Miss Ada Cox from Chicago The coaches and the engine first shelled and then torpedoed by to Minneapolis, Milwaukee and other

the State department at Liverpool by three American survivors The sudden ending of the case came formation today, officials said it to have occurred in St. Paul, Miss Cox referred to as her first escapade, The defense placed on the stand witnesses who testified to previous inti-

macy with Miss Cox. The court's ruling followed testimony by Edwards that his purpose in inviting Miss Cox to St. Paul was to confer on business dealings, and that he had no thought of immoral actions until he took the young woman for an automobile ride in St. Paul.

Judge Anderson refused to permit coun-

sel to refer again to the details of the St. Paul experience with hiss Cox. again," the court said. "There is only law on which this indictment was found dispatches to the State department from declare that the purchase of the ticket must have been with the intent to commit immorality."

Substitute Army Measure Explained To Upper Chamber

WASHIN TON, March 29.- The army bill was brought into the senate today and to a crowded chamber, which listened attentively. Chairman Chamberlain of the military committee gave a detailed explanation of the senate measure and its purposes and told way the com-mittee had decided to substitute its own bill for the one already passed by the seriously injured and his relatives in the house rather than attempt to reconcile United States and England have been differences. He emphasized the need for

action. Chamberlain explained, after a thorough study of all army reorganization plans, the Hay bill, the Garrison bill and the

Chambberlain bill. "There are no differences between the secretary of war and the two military committees of congress so serious that they cannot easily be settled in conferhe said. "The bill as finally introduced was framed without partisan or political purpose. It was the embodiment of the best in all the army bills." With compulsory training-not compulsor, service-he declared the country, after five years, could absolutely do away with its standing army except such as was necessary for police duty.

The country, however, he explained, was not ready for compulsory training. and voluntary training in institutions of learning was as far as the bill had gone. Senator Chamberlain blamed congress for faulty equipment in the army, for aero; lanes that would not fly, and machine guns that would not shoot.

Death of Kansas Boy

ABILENE, Kan., March 29.-Anthrax was responsible for the death of Paul Lloyd, the 8-year-old son of Gurfield Lloyd, a machinist here, who was buried today, physicians who attended the boy declared. The child was ill for two nonths and specialists announced he had contracted the disease in playing with the family cat. Several operations were performed in attempts to thwart the

Chinese Rebellion Still Spreading

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.-Two nore districts in Kwang Tung province have joined the revolution against Yuan Shi Kai; two military stations have been occupied by the revolutionists and a of the Massachusetts legislature showing third military station, all in Kwans Hughes to be the overwhelming first Tung province, has declared its indechoice of both houses, with Roosevelt a pendence of Yuan Shi Kai, according to Print circulars and co-operate with the poor second and favorite sons almost ig- a cablegram received today by the Chinese Republic association from Shanghai. ning down automobile thieves.

DROWSY LOOKOUT AND FOG BLAMED FOR TRAIN WRECK

Triple Collision on New York Central Road Near Amherst, O., Kills Thirty and Injures Forty or More Persons.

ONE CRASH FOLLOWS ANOTHER

Second Section Smashes Into First and Then Twentieth Century Flyer Plows In.

MANY INQUIRIES UNDER WAY

CLEVELAND, March 27 .- With a toll of at least thirty persons dead and forty or more injured, federal and state officials and officials of the railroad company have begun an investigation into the cause which early today led to one of the most disastrous wrecks in the history of

the New York Central's lines. Three trains, including the Twentieth Century Limited, westbound. the New York Central's palatial flier and two sections of No. 86, known as the Chicago-Pittsburgh Limited, eastbound, came together in collision near Amherst, O., thirty-seven miles west of Cleveland.

Three Thrown Together.

Reports generally credited were that the first and second sections of No. 86 were proceeding at a rapid rate and at some points were only a mile or so apart when the second section crashed into the first section, the Twentieth Century plowed into the wreckage of the first two trains which bulged over from the parallel tracks and the three were thrown to-

The coaches and the engines of No. 36 were toppled over and wreckage was piled thirty feet high. Two cars were smashed to junk. Fourteen coaches were overturned.

General Manager Moon in an official statement said this coach was a "modern detail several alleged meetings with the solid steel coach." Passengers and othdefendant. One of these meetings alleged ers who were on the scene did not all agree as to the correctness of this statement, many contending that the coach dispute the assertion that the coaches were all of solid steel pointed to the fact that the car in which the fire startedthe "death coach," as they called atwas torn into small fragments, which burned like tinder.

Moon's Statement. Mr. Moon issued the following state-

"About 3:30 this morning first No. 86, t. Paul experience with hies Cox. the Chicago-Pittaburgh passenger train, "We won't have that nasty story told was stopped at the interfecking tower at Amherst, O. Shortly after the train one possible question here, and that is started to proceed and was moving at a the motive he had before he sent the speed of about five to ten miles an ticket to Milas Cox. The sections of the hour second No. 36 following, being partly an express train with the Detroit-Cleveland sleepers, collided with the first sec-

> ontained all passengers who were either killed or seriously injured, was a modern solid steel coach. This car and the next car shead, a steel under-frame club car, were thrown over on the westbound track just as the Twentieth Century Limited, westbound, was approaching. The latter train of eigut care, colliding with part of the wreckage, was entirely derailed, except the three rear cars.

> Four-Track Bond. "The railroad at the point of the accident is a four-track road, equipped with automatic and interlocking signals of the most modern type, and examination and test made immediately following the accident show that the signals all were working properly.

> "Investigation as to responsibility involves several employee, some of whom were injured and have not yet been interviewed, and no statement can be made as to responsibility unless complete investigation has been made, which will be as soon as the condition of the employes will permit and the facts are known." Identified Dead.

REV. GUSTAV WALYI, Detroit, Mich. WALTER B. EASTON, Philadelphia. FRANK GALLAGHER, Brooklyn. DORA ROSENBERG, Toronto. A. R. PAHHELTAI, manager Hungarian Theatrical association, Cleveland. B. E. ASH, mail transfer clerk, Olmstead Falls, O. J. H. HEARN, Gallipolis, O. MALCINCA BEMMOL, Indiana Harbor, Ind.

MARICINCA BERMIOL, Indiana HarJor, Ind.

GYORGY OJONCA, Indianapolia.

ROSENODAH, Indianapolia.

MRS. JENNIE HADDAS, Cleveland,
lied at Elyria Memorial hospital.

CHARLES NELSON, member of Machine Movers' union, died on train on
way from Amherst to Elyria.

D. FRUCHTMAN, Teronto,
R. THOMAS, Philadelphia.

EDWARD LEROY, St. Louis, dead at

Lorsine.

BRUCE BROWNLEE, address unknown, dead at Lorsine.

J. RISEY address unknown; "Leet." tailor mark on clothes.

S. R. DOU, address unknown; certificate of stock in Pekin cafe, Detroit, found in pocket. The Twentieth Century emerged almost inscathed and proceeded on its westward journey, its passengers uninjured

except for a severe shaking up. A heavy fog from Lake Erie had settled down over northern Ohio. This, with the alleged failure of a towerman to do his duty under the rules, was ascribed by some of (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)

Omaha Auto Club Names a Committee To Work for Depot

Following the example of other pul spirited organizations in lining up with the agitation for a new union depot the board of directors of the Omaha Automobile club at a special meeting passed resolutions favoring the proposition, A committee will be appointed to cooperate with other organizations in the

fight for a new depot. L. V. Nicholas was elected a director of the club to succeed P. H. Dearmont,

who recently resigned. The directors decided to have the club police department in other ways in run-