

WAR NEARLY OVER

BERLIN SAYS ITALY AND TURKEY
HAVE AGREED TO TERMS
OF ARMISTICE.

EXPEDITIONARY FORCE LANDS

Vanguard of Italian Army of Occupation Reaches Tripoli and Disembarks as Fleet Shells Countryside to Drive Moslems Back.

Berlin.—Reports from an authentic source indicate that peace between Italy and Turkey is not far off. It is even declared that an armistice has been virtually agreed upon by the belligerents through the initiative of Germany.

It is understood that the transportation of the Italian military expedition will not be interfered with, but that hostilities in all quarters will cease. This is considered in Berlin as equivalent to the ending of the war, or at least the warlike movements which will now be succeeded by negotiations looking to a settlement.

It is regarded as probable that as soon as the strong Italian army has once disembarked at Tripoli, even the Young Turk Irreconcilables will begin to recognize, as apparently the Ottoman government already does, that there is no hope of withholding Tripoli from Italy. Then it will be possible for Turkey to enter into peace negotiations with the prospect of reaching a less unsatisfactory conclusion than would result from a continuation of the conflict.

Tripoli.—The fast transports bearing a portion of the Italian expeditionary forces, arrived here. They were escorted by warships and accompanied by the hospital ship Regina d'Italia. The disembarkation of the troops began immediately, the greatest enthusiasm prevailing.

The batteries of the fleet shelled the surrounding country, which was swept by the searchlights. Tripoli has nothing more to fear from Turkish attacks.

Hassid Karamanli is now mayor of Tripoli by decree of King Victor Emmanuel. He sent a message of loyalty and devotion to the Italian sovereign and the communication was also signed by other notables of Tripoli.

It expressed their satisfaction at the Italian occupation of Tripoli, which they said represented the resurrection of their beloved country, which aspired to be once more, as at the time of the Romans, a source of prosperity and pride for the metropolis.

Derna.—Derna has been bombarded. Hospitals and barracks were damaged as well as other buildings and many were killed and wounded. The bombardment followed an unsuccessful attempt by Italian bluejackets to make a landing from a warship in the harbor.

RODGERS LOSES BIG PRIZE

Aviator Breaks the International Cross Country Record, However—Has Traveled 1,391 Miles.

Marshall, Mo.—Exceeding the world's record for a cross country aeroplane flight by 134 miles, and speeding 70 miles an hour at times, C. P. Rodgers landed here on his air voyage from New York to San Francisco. The former world's record, 1,265 miles, was made by Harry Atwood in a recent flight from St. Louis to New York. Rodgers has flown 1,391 miles.

Rodgers left Springfield, Ill., and flew 214 miles. He made stops at Nebo, Mo., and at Thompson, Mo., to replenish his supply of gasoline.

WANT GOMPERS TO RESIGN

Miners' Organizations Will Ask Labor Leader to Retire From National Civic Federation.

Denver, Colo.—According to officials of the United Mine Workers of America and of the Western Federation of Miners here, delegates from these organizations to the national convention of the American Federation of Labor will ask Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to give up his membership in the National Civic Federation or resign from the labor organization of which he is the head. This action is in line with the enforced retirement from the Civic Federation of John Mitchell.

Plans Fight Upon Typhoid

Washington.—The prevalence of typhoid fever in practically every section of the United States has inspired the public health and marine hospital service to express publicly its belief in the artificial immunity, with certain limitations, afforded by anti-typhoid vaccination, already compulsory in the American army for soldiers under forty-five years of age.

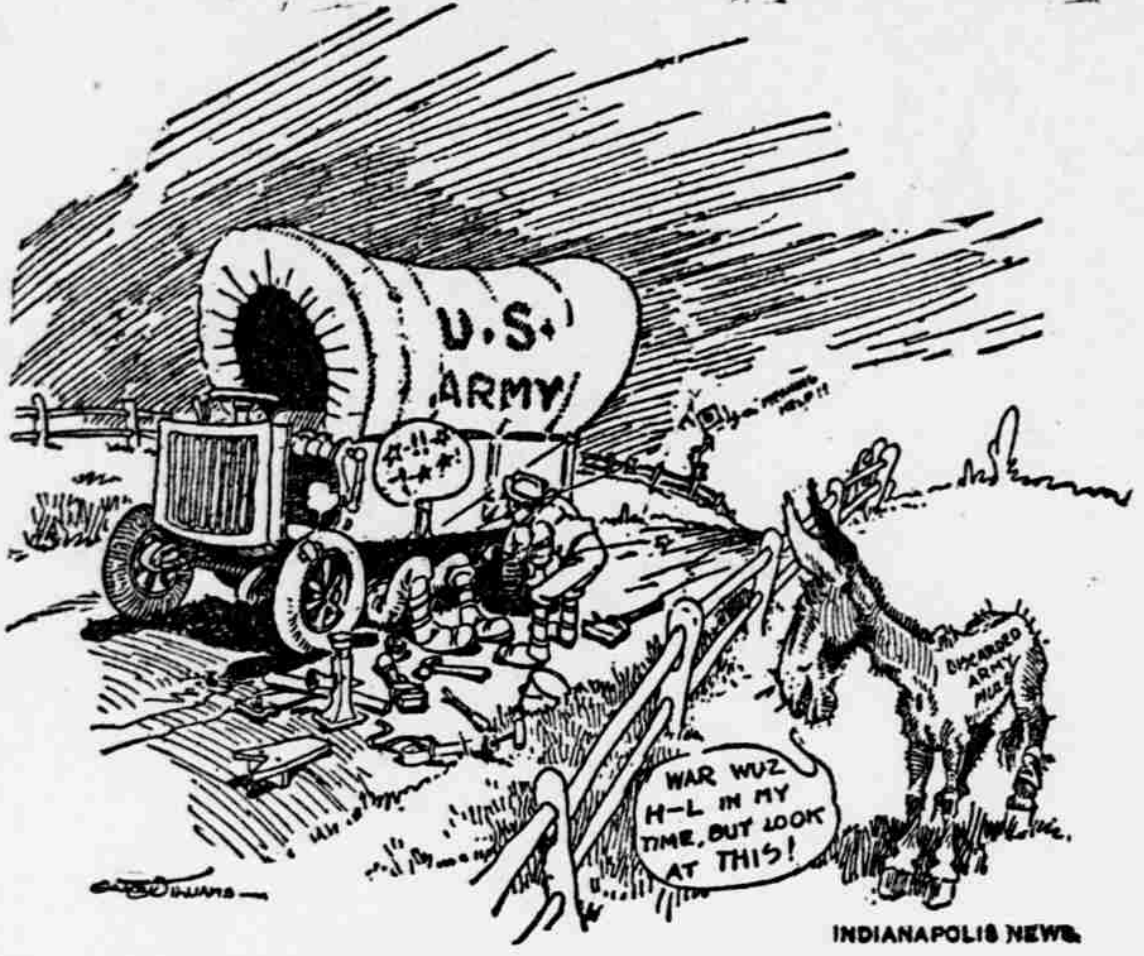
Dakota "Dietz" Lands in Cell

Bottineau, N. D.—William Dagner, a Dakota "John Dietz," who fortified himself in a haystack while contesting for property, has been arrested on a charge of contempt of court. He had gone on the property in violation of a court order.

Prefers Death to Solitude

Muskegon, Mich.—Felix Barron, a deaf mute forty years of age, preferring death to solitude, fired five bullets into his face. It is thought that he will die.

HEE-HAW



LORIMER PROBE ON BIG DITCH IN 1913

NEW TESTIMONY INVOLVES FIVE FORMER ILLINOIS LEGISLATORS IN ELECTION SCANDAL.

MENTIONED FOR FIRST TIME

Former Senator Hopkins' Private Secretary Names Men Whom He Suspected of Being Bribed in One Way or Another.

Chicago.—The committee of the United States senate which is investigating the election of William Lorimer, senator from Illinois, resumed its hearings in this city after a recess of eight weeks.

Four witnesses were heard. They were: State Senator Frank A. Landee of Moline; Jacob Groves, member Forty-sixth Illinois assembly; Thomas Campbell, member Forty-sixth Illinois assembly, and John M. Peffer, formerly private secretary to former United States Senator Albert J. Hopkins of Illinois.

The four witnesses were adherents of Hopkins, who was a candidate for re-election against Lorimer in the spring of 1909.

Accordingly, a sensation was created when Peffer, who was intimate with Hopkins' affairs and practically managed his campaign against Lorimer, tolled off the names of five Republicans—deserters from the Hopkins camp—whom he suspected of being bribed in one way or another to cast their votes for Lorimer.

These men are: Senator B. F. Downing, Dixon, Ill.; Senator George M. McCormick, Alton, Ill.; Representative Carl S. Burgett, Newman, Ill.; Representative Johnson Lawrence, Polo, Ill.; Representative Charles L. Fieldstock, Irving Park, Ill.

The names were obtained from Peffer on cross-examination by Attorney Elbridge Haney, counsel for Lorimer.

On direct examination Peffer said he had a conversation with McCormick about a week before the election of Lorimer.

"McCormick told me he had been offered money to change his vote from Hopkins to Lorimer," said Peffer. "He specified the amount as \$2,500. He said he had refused the money, and had then been asked to name the amount for which he would change his vote. He didn't say who made the offer."

IDA VON CLAUSSEN JAILED

New York Jurist Commits Woman, Who Sued Roosevelt, to the Tombs.

New York.—Miss Ida von Claussen, whose million-dollar damage suits against ex-President Roosevelt and her several pugilistic encounters in various cities have heretofore brought her considerable notoriety, was committed to the Tombs by Justice Greenbaum on the charge of sending a threatening message to a judge. Justice Greenbaum took this action following receipt of a telegram from Mrs. von Claussen demanding "justice."

FIRST HUSBAND-SLAYER FREE

Two More Women to Be Tried for Same Crime in Fall Term of Denver Court.

Denver, Colo.—Mrs. Assunta Molitone, first of three husband slayers to be tried at the fall term of the district court, was acquitted in less than an hour. The defense offered no evidence.

The other two women who must appear are Mrs. Eleanor Valentine and Mrs. Gertrude E. Patterson.

Lee Murder Trial Is Begun

Boonville, Ind.—William Lee, the twenty-two-year-old self-confessed slayer of his mother, father and brother, was placed on trial here. According to Lee, the motive for his crime was the refusal of his parents to finance his courtship to Nina Taylor, his seventeen-year-old sweetheart.

\$15,000 for Tuberculosis

St. Paul, Minn.—Women of St. Paul in their annual "tag day" collected more than \$15,000 to be used in the campaign against tuberculosis.

TAFI SAYS CANAL WILL BE AHEAD OF SCHEDULE.

Presidential Party Narrowly Escapes Spending Night Among Glaciers on Mt. Rainier—Machines Mired.

Bellevue, Wash.—President Taft in a speech here predicted that the Panama canal would be ready for use on July 1, 1913.

"The canal," he said, "is the greatest constructive work since the Christian era."

"If nothing untoward happens you can count on that canal on July 1, 1913. It's been promised for July 1, 1915, but I'll let you into the little secret when I tell you, you may see the first ship go through the canal on July 1, 1913."

Tacoma, Wash.—President Taft climbed up to the foot of the glaciers on Mount Rainier and narrowly escaped spending the night in the mountain fastness.

The presidential party made the ascent in automobiles, and when nearing the highest point reached by the roadway some of the machines became mired in the mud up to the hubs of the wheels.

In the meantime forest rangers had pulled several of the stalled automobiles from the mire, and they were turned back for the return trip before the president's car reached them on its downward trip.

The president completed the journey as planned and arrived safely at his train, which had been taken to Ashford, near the mountain, and passed through here en route to Bellevue.

ALL BOOST FOR ILLINOIS

Two-Day Meeting of Farmers, Bankers and Commercial Men Opens in Springfield.

Springfield, Ill.—The first great Illinois meeting of farmers, bankers, railway heads and representatives of the commercial organizations of the state, called for the purpose of working together for the state's increased prosperity, opened here. The program today was in the charge of the commercial organizations and the main effort was to smooth away the feeling of rivalry that has separated Chicago from the rest of the state, and to make possible co-operation in movements that are for the good of the entire state.

TENEMENT BURNS; FOUR DIE

Black Hand Is Blamed for Blowing Up of House—Forty Lives Are in Peril.

Wheeling, W. Va.—Death by fire, following the dynamiting of a large frame tenement in Benwood, a suburb, came to four persons, and Black Hand operators are blamed for the outrage. Forty persons lived in the house, which was conducted by Edward Kolinsky. Recently Kolinsky received a Black Hand demand for \$1,500, which he ignored. A woman and two children and a man were seen to fall back into the flames from windows.

JOSEPH V. QUARLES DEAD

Judge and Former Senator From Wisconsin Passes Away After a Prolonged Illness.

Milwaukee.—Former United States Senator Joseph V. Quarles, who for the last six years has been judge of the United States circuit court here, died at his home after an illness of several months.

Judge Quarles was sixty-eight years old and had been confined to his bed for six weeks.

For years Judge Quarles was intimately connected with the political history of Wisconsin and had held many public offices.

U. S. Probes the Railroads

Washington.—Inquiry into railway company's control of the dock facilities at various points on the gulf of Mexico, the Mississippi and the Atlantic coast, has been instituted by the interstate commerce commission.

Landslides Block Traffic

Kingston, N. Y.—A series of heavy landslides from the Palisades two miles north of Highland station has completely blocked the West Shore railroad tracks for a long distance and interrupted all traffic.

Delinquent Tax List.

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Description	Sec.	Amt.
Township 28, Range 37.		
s 1/2 nw 1/4	1	2.88
s 1/2 ne 1/4	1	2.88
s 1/2 se 1/4	1	2.88
s 1/2 sw 1/4	1	2.88
Township 31, Range 37.		
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Township 32, Range 37.		
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Township 33, Range 37.		
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Township 34, Range 37.		
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Township 26, Range 38.		
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Township 27, Range 38.		
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Brownlee Village, Keeler's 2nd Add.

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