## ROBBER TIES UP MEDICAL STUDENT AFTER ASKING AID

"Binding Bandit," Who Has Been Operating for Week, Takes David Quilty's Money, but Returns Watch.

APPLIES BECAUSE TEETH HURT

Apparently in Search of Dentist, Enters Dr. J. T. Dwyer's Office at Night.

LEAVES YOUNG MAN TRUSSED

Omaha is now playing host to "the binding bandit."

A yegg who binds and gags his victims and then robs at leisure is at large and once more is banished the ennul threatened by the capture of Art Hauser, "The Ape-man," and two men identified as the "joy-ride thugs."

The newest violent performer on pocketbooks of Omaha's citizenry perpetrated his fourth and most daring job last night and thereby established himself as an advanced player, It was at 19 o'clock in the evening that a nattily dressed men of about 30 years walked into the office of Dr. J. T. Dwyer In the Creighton block, Fifteenth and

Called for Bentlet. "I want a dentist, my teeth are giving

me fits," he mumbled, holding his hands over his laws. David Quilty, Creighton medical student, who handles emergency cases for Dr.

Dwyer, was in the office alone.
"I'm not a dentist, but I'll see if I can find one at this hour for you," answered He called several dentists and inally located one. "Do something to ease the pain until

find him, will you doc," the visitor Quilty made an examination and applied a remedy.

'How much do I owe you, doc?" "Oh, that's, all right. We'll call it square," amiably retorted Quilty. "No, you won't-I'm going to give you something to remember me by," the pattent exclaimed, pulling a gun.

Begins Operation. Compelling Quilty to face towards the wall and fold his arms behind him, the bandit produced a rope and tied his victim securely. Then he tied his feet and then gagged him, after which he toppled

him to the floor. "Now I'll operate on you," the binding bendit laughed as he started to search Quilty. He got \$7.50 and a watch of "Give me hack my watch it's a sift from my mother," pleaded the captive. 'All right, I'm a good crook. You can After leisurely looking over the office

Hey, you son of a gun, don't I gave you," yelled Quilty.

Promises Rescue. "I won't. I never do but one job a day.

I'll send someone up to untie you after The "binding bandit" performed similarly at two auto filling stations and at a coal yard during the last two weeks. In each instance he bound and gagged his victim, talking facetiously all the while.

Then he would rob them and send send one to the rescue after he had enfel

#### Grahame-White Said To Be Badly Wounded

HAZEBROUCK, France, Feb. 13.-Claude Grahame-White, the British aviator, has been wounded gravely. No details have been obtained. He was commissioned a lieutenant last month.

Lieutenant Grahame-White won international prominence several years ago his spectacular flights in England and America. He enlisted in the naval corps at the outbreak of the war and was appointed temporary flight commander. A year ago, after participating in a raid by a squadron of aeroplanes on Belgian towns, he fell into the sea but was picked up by a cruiser.

Lieutenant Grahame-White's wife, for merly Miss Dorothy Taylor of New York, obtained last month a decree for the restitution of her conjugal rights, an action which, in England, is a preliminary step to a suit for divorce.

#### KANSAS OIL FEE LAW HELD UNCONSTITUTIONAL

OPEAKA, Kan., Feb. 13.-The Kansas oil inspection fee law was held to be unconstitutional by the Kansas supreme court today because the fees are in excess of the amount necessary to pay for the cost of inspection.

A test suit is pending in Nebraska involving the same question.

### The Weather

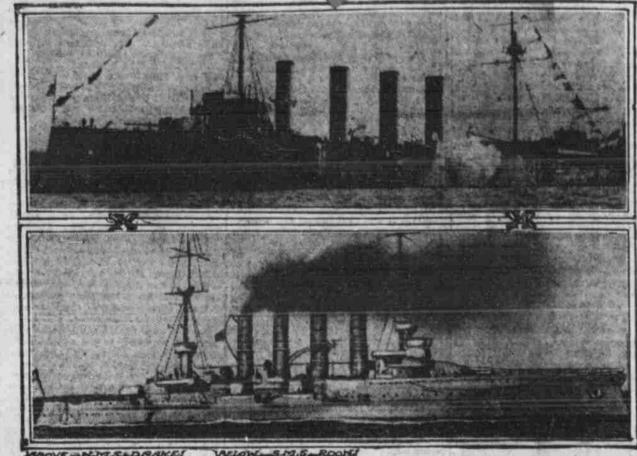
Comparative Local Record.

Lowest yesterday... Mean temperature.

SINGLE COPY TWO CENTS.

#### VICTOR AND VANQUISHED IN REPORTED SEA B private code message from Bermuda, the British arm battle several hundred miles northeast of the Berne German cruiser Roon, the "mother ship" of German the Atlantic.

E-According to an alleged ser Drake, after a three-hour ands, succeeded in capturing the merce raiders recently operating in



## GUARD PROPOSALS BEFORE CONGRESS

Men Must Comply with Certain Proposals Before They Can Get in on Pay.

FORCE OF TOTAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 .- The proposals of the National Guard association for federalization of the state troops were before the military committees of congress today in the form of a bill drafted by representatives of the association at the request of the senate committee. The regulations contemplated are given force by a provision limiting participation in the federal pay feature to officers, men or organizations complying with certain specified requirements.

and stick up that dentist whose address \$800; brigadiers, \$700; colonels, \$600; lieutenant colonels, \$550; majors, \$525; captains, \$500; first Heutenants, \$300; second lieutenants, \$250.

> Pay of Enlisted Men. Enlisted men would be paid on the basis of 25 per cent of the pay rates of the regular army, a private receiving approximately \$45 a year.

The maximum number of troops pro vided for by the bill is 300 for each congressional district, or a total peace strength of approximately \$3,000, an increase of 78,900 over the present strength of the National Guard. They would form a separate branch of the regular army in time of war, when called into the federal service. The act would take effect July 1, 1916.

The bill provides also for organization of a junior guard composed of boys between 12 and 18 years, available for active service only after every other class of militia had been called out. The juniors would be divided into two clases, cadets, or those of 15 years and above, and cadets of the second class, those less than 15 years.

Contract Required.

An enlistment contract would be reduired under which the soldier would bind himself to serve the federal gov-"within or without the tinental limits of the United States, for a period of two years or until discharged should the guard be called out at any time during his three-year enlistment period. The enlistment period of any soldier whose time was close to expiration, when his regiment was called out would be extended automati-

It is proposed to do away with choice of officers by election and commissions would be limited to specified classes and granted only after examinations by the War department. Promotions during ac tive service would be made by the president from the commissioned force or ranks of the organization dependent on the grade to be filled. This clause is Council to Take

aimed at appointments from civil life.

Number Drills a Year. At least forty-eight drills a year and participation in annual field maneuvers would be required. An elaborate system of regulations for training and discipline

us been worked out. Members of both the senate and house fore it would be acceptable to congress.

#### OVER HUNDRED MILLION PEOPLE IN UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 .- The tensus sureau experts estimated today that the population of the United States on Janury 1 last was 101,306.215 and that by July

### Woman Tries to End Life by Drinking Ink

RUSHVILLE, Neb., Feb. 13.-(Special.) Miss Kate Shugert, who makes her me with H. F Wasmund, Sr., has beome Insane, having tried to commit autcide by drinking ink, formaldehyde and attempting to open the arteries of her She was taken under the care of the sheriff and will be brought before the board of insanity Monday

## BOMBARD HOSPITAL AND CHURCH BY AIR

Ravenna and Other Cities of Italy Shelled by Austrian Aeroplanes.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN DIE

PARIS, Feb. 13. Austrian aeroplanes made a raid yesterday over Ravenna and the neighboring towns osed is as follows: Major generals, of Codigoro and Bottrighe in northeastern Italy near the Adriatic. A children were among the injured.

damaged. The church of Sant' is armed. Apollinare was erected in the years 535 and 538 and was consecrated in 549 by Saint Maximiam. It was restored in 1779 and is the largest of the central powers to be well founded of the basilicas still existing at Ra-

### Lane or Man Not in Official Circles Is Likely to Be Named

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.-No messages reached the White House today from President Wilson, cruising in Chesapeaks bay on the Mayflower, and officials said if he had reached any conclusions in his consideration of a successor to Secretary Garrison they had no knowledge It was said the president left the capital just night with an open mind, expecting during his trip to give careful consideration to each of the long list of candidates suggested to him

Among many of those familiar with the president's views the impression prevails that unless he goes outside of high official circles for a war secretary he will name Franklin K. Lane, now secretary of the interior. Others believe that of those already asociated officially with the administration Secretary Houston of the Agricultural department, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the Navy department not seem inclined to doubt that such and Counselor Polk of the State department are being very seriously considered by the president.

There will be little surprise, however, if the choice fell upon some man outside official circles and not publicly discussed

# Up Live Topics at Morning Session

ing of Twenty-second street, Harney to ommittee, who had looked over the Dodge streets, at the regular meeting have an important bearing upon the final measure, said today it would require this morning. Both matters were post- | decision. radical amendement in their opinion, be- poned on request of the municipal affairs nittee of the Commercial club. It is expected the electric light company will have a street lighting proposition to submit to the city this morning.

#### JUDGE IRVINE IS NAMED ON PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Judge Frank Irvine, dean of the law

# TO WARN ALL OFF ARMED VESSELS

Germany's Formal Note in Regard to New Policy Reaches Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 .- Gernany's formal note to the United treat armed merchantmen of the Jose Maytorena, former Villa governor entente allies as warships after of the State of Sonora, already had been February 29, reached the State de- killed, it was learned, including Francisco partment today. The policy of the Mayotoral, at one United States in regard to the declaration of the central powers prob-

don quickly, only seventeen days Havas dispatch from Rome says fif- remaining before the effective date teen persons were killed and a num- of this declaration, after which comber wounded. Several women and manders of German and Austrian then would go to Campas, where a numsubmarines are expected to receive ber were to be killed. A hospital and the basilica of orders permitting the torpedoing Sant' Appolinare at Ravenna were without warning of any ship which Michael Kalamaja

See Position Well Founded. There were strong indications that various high officials believe the position

in view of the changed conditions of sea that the Teutonic declarations are a development of the American memorandum to the entente allies, suggesting the disarming of merchant ships and indicating that armed merchantmen entering Amercan ports might he regarded as was ships, subject to internment.

Representatives of various of the ontente allies have made official representations to Secretary Lansing regarding the American memorandum.

Protests May Pollow.

Although the State department de clined to make known the nature of the Dog Chases Deer retary was informed that at least some of the entente governments were unwilling to adopt the suggestions and that strong protests might follow should the inited States attempt to put into pracice the auggestions it has made.

Plan of United States. The plan of the United States has been would give such pledges. Officials did went the deer. It is still at large piedges would be given in good faith Garrison Says He and that, together with assurances already given, the lives of non-combatants on unarmed ships would be safe in the

future. Prospects of a warning to American gress would be called upon to take some action leading to that end.

Officials of the State department also American naval policy and operations in the event this government was engaged will consider electric lighting and open- in war. The question has been discussed with naval officials and probably will

### Thousands of Elk Starving in Snow

KEMMERER, Wyo., Feb. 13,-(Special.) chool of Cornell, who has just been nom- dering helplessly in drifts in the Upper

# FACE FIRING SQUAD AS "OBJECT LESSON" FOR STEALING BEANS

Three Mexicans Will Wait for Fatal Volley While Others Are Executed in Earnest by Riflemen.

THEN THEY WILL BE SET FREE

Four Soldiers Carry Death List Containing Names of Persons to Be Slain.

FORMER VILLISTAS ARE KILLED

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 13 .- Sergeant Manuel Rogas, former Villa soldier and later bugler in the Carranza army, together with four civilians, is to face a firing squad shortly before noon tomorrow, according to orders issued tonight by General Gabriel Gavira, commander at Juarez.

Rogas was sentenced to death for stealing ammunition, and a civilian named Sanchez is to pay the death penalty for buying it.

Just Object Lesson.

The other three civillans are to merely have been executed, according to General landed at Malta. Gavira, who is said to have conceived this tity of lard and beans from an American- England. owned ranch in western Chihuahua. The Lloyd's report that the British steams charge against the third, buying stolen ship Cedarwood has been sunk. ammunition from Rogas, is said not to members of its crew were saved. have been clearly proved.

The garrison at Juarez and others who desire to witness the affair will be per- England. mitted to do so.

Carrying Death List. DOUGLAS, Ariz., Peb. 15.-Passengers arriving here tonight on a train from Mexico reported they had met and talked ALLIES PRESENT PROTESTS with members of a firing squad of the Carranza army who were carrying a "death list" containing the names of persons to be arrested and executed as ene-States, announcing its intention to ber of former adherents of Villa and of nics of the de facto government. A num-

Strung Up to Tree. Last Wednesday, the passengers said, ably will be defined some time next the squad, constering of four soldiers, week, after a note similar to that issued by Germany is received from the Vienna foreign office.

It was pointed out today in high and shot. Mayotoral, it was said, was and total find the control of th official quarters that the United killed last Sunday at Cuchuta, forty-two of long exposure in the sea."

Members of the squad told the passengors, it was stated, that they were on the way to Nacosarl to execute two men and

# Is Re-Elected Head Of the Polish Club

Michael Kalamaja was re-elected president of the Pelish Citisens' olub at an annual meeting held vesterday afternor in the Pollsh school building at Twentyfourth and Bancroft streets. Hip. Neneman was re-elected secretary. The membership of this organization is 200. During the afternoon Father Theobald Kalameia of the Immaculate Commption wrelt spoke on "American locals and nstitutions," riging members of the club to be good sitizens and to honor the flag

of their adoption. Mayor Dahlman was a guest of honor. An athletic program was given at the close of the meeting.

# Out of City Park

Lost: One deer. Finder please notify. the city of Omaha.

City Commissioner Hummel last night was informed that one of the city's deer had jumped over the fence at Riverto secure from Germany and Austria view park and sped away in the direc-pledges that no unarmed ships will be tion of freedom. A dog introduced himattacked without warning. It is believed self into the wild animal's quarters and course at Cornell, except that of law, rehere that the Teutonic powers readily proceeded to pursue him. Over and out quires the study of chemistry.

# Will Not Get Vocal

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-Lindley M. Gavcitizens, to remain off vessels that are rison, former secretary of war, said toarmed loomed up large today. One big night that when his successor was apton and help the new secretary become Point at 2 o'clock this afternoon acquainted with his duties.

mination as to policy will have upon of politics and intend to make no further about 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

#### THEOSOPHY WILL SOLVE ALL THINGS IN NATURE Burd, F. Miller lectured at Thecapphical

hall Sunday evening on "An Inner View of Astrology." in which he said that a careful investigation of the workings of nature would astound the investigator and he would soon realise that the ancient saying that "God geometrizes" is a reality, because of the subtle way it which the whole of one's life could be That thousands of e'k driven from the read by geometrical figures, and, not only higher country by deep snow are floun- that, but the colors could be traced to geometrical figures also, and the sounds From normal:

Normal temperature and precipitation departicular from normal:

Normal precipitation departicular from normal from n would, in its analysis, show in the same Frye of Sallisaw were elected to the ma- tion reminds the public of a legal de-

# FRENCH FEAR FOR FATE OF CRUISER

Amiral Charner, with Crew of Nearly 400 Men, Patroling Syrian Coast, Missing.

WARSHIP SUNK FEBRUARY 8

PARIS, Feb. 13 .- The following official statement was given out here today:

"The ministry of marine fears for the fate of the cruiser Amiral Charner, which has been patrolling Germans Announce Capture of the Syrian coast. No news has been received from the cruiser since February 8 when, according to a German telegram, a submarine sank a

The Amiral Charner under normal conditions carried a crew of 370. It was 347 feet long, fortysix feet beam and displaced 4,680 tons. It was armed with two 7.6aft, six 5.5-inch guns, four nine

French warship.'

one pounders and four torpedo tubes. It was laid down in 1889,

pounders, four three pounders, six

British Ship Sunk. LONDON, Feb. 13 .- The British steamship Springwell has been sunk in the Mediterranean, while on its way from experience the sensation of facing the London to Calcutta. A Reuter dispatch firing squad as an "object lesson," but to Malta says it was torpedoed without will not be shot. They are to be ignorant warning. The officers and crew numberof their fate until Rogas and Sanches ing seventy-three were picked up and

The Springwell was a 425-foot boat of form of punishment. Two of the three 5,500 tons gross. It was built in 1914 and were charged with having stolen a quan- owned by the Well Line of New Castle,

> The Cedarwood, 654 tons gross was built in 1907 and owned in Middlesbrough.

### Germany Claims to Have Sunk Another British War Cruiser

BERLIN, Feb. 18 .- (Via Wireless to Sayville.)—In addition to the British ship day and Inspected the great guns that Arabia, another vescel was sunk by a guard the entrance to Chesapeake bay. German torpede heat in the North Sea. Accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, he landed Mayotoral, at one time a captain in port which is forwarded for publication reservation. by the Overseas News Agency, fellows: "The admiralty reports relative to the strend s ship launching at Newport News, sinking of the British cruiser Arabia, but arrived too late. Mr. Wilson declined that a second English ship was sunk an invitation to attend a dinner given which was hit by a torpede. A German the launching party tonight.

A German official statement last about 120 miles east of the English also declared that a torpedo struck a president inspected the twelve-linch guns,

The British admiralty stated that the rulsers mentioned in the German report were four mine sweeping vessels, three

#### of which returned safely. Chemical Building At Cornell Burned; Radium Destroyed

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 13 .- Morse hall, eniversity's valuable chemical laboratory Chow, in the western part of the province, and scientific equipment, was destroyed by fire carly today. The loss is estimated at 100,000, partly covered by in- the Chinese Republic association, from surance. The cause of the fire has not been determined. No one was in the

The fire started in a photographic laboratory on the third floor of the main building and spreal to the Carnegie ad- in command of southern Yunnan, it was dition. Firemen were menaced by chemical explosions, and the lack of water to resist the revolutionists, but he had pressure hampered their work. Chem- been unable to muster an army, icals which it was said cannot be replaced at present, owing to the European PARIS HATS STILL WANTED war, were consumed, although radium worth about \$1,000 was saved. More than 2,500 students will have to

building at the time.

### Mayflower, with Wilson on Board, Docks in Morning

OLD POINT, Va., Feb. 13.-The presiofficial expressed the belief that con- pointed he would offer to go to Washing- Wilson and his wife aboard, left Old ment, lowers our standard abroad, dam-"I shall not make myself vocal in any of a driving snowatorm. It is expected state to make us economically indepenre considering what effect its deter- way." Mr. Garrison said. "I am out to dock at the Washington navy yard dent of foreign countries."

The president did not come ashere during the day, declining an invitation to to the government, pointing out that Paris play golf at the Hampton Roads club. Yesterday he and M rs. Wilson inspected Fort Monroe and made a launch trip to from Swiss allks, which pass the Austrian Newport News, arriving just toe late to frontier as Swiss goods, but become see a big tank steamer launched at the French when they reach the Vienna ship yard there.

#### OKLAHOMA REPUBLICANS REFUSE TO ENDORSE T. R.

MUSKOGEE, Okl., Feb. 13.-A motion to endorse Theodore Roosevelt for the presidential nomination was defeated today by the voters of the Second Oklahoma congressional district in convention I it would be 102.017,302. On July I last instead by Governor Whitman as one of Horse Creek valley, is a report brought that estimed the mind and gave content. The convention adopted a motion to the house many people new seek his year they figured the population at the public service commissioners for the in by C. J. Summers, a ranchman, who ment could be traced in the same man-

tional convention, with G. O. P. Grant cision, rendered some years ugo, that me

# **BULGARS MAKE** OVERTURES OF PEACE TO FOE

Dispatch from Athens Says it is Confirmed Sofia Has Asked Allies for End of the Hos-

tilities. BATTLE ON IN CHAMPAGNE

of 700 Yards. PARIS AVERS ATTACKS FAIL

French Position Over Front

LONDON, Feb. 13 .- The Exchange Telegraph company received the following dispatch from Athens:

"It is confirmed in entente circles that Bulgaria has made overtures inch guns in turrets forward and for a separate peace to the entente

> BERLIN, Feb. 13 .- (Vis London.) -- Heavy fighting is in progress in the Champagne. The German office announced today the capture of French positions extending over a front of about 700 yards. In Flanders the Germans penetrated positions of the entente allies.

PARIS, Feb. 13 .- (Via London.)-Five successive infantry attacks were delivered by the Germans in the Champagna yesterday and last night in an effort to recapture the positions recently taken by the French. The war office statement of this afternoon says these assaults were repulsed. Near Soissons the Germans penetrated a French trench, but subsequently were ejected.

### President Inspects Great Guns Guarding Chesapeake Entrance

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Peb. 13.-President Wilson visited Fortress Monroe toaccording to an official admiralty re- from the naval yacht Mayflower late in port given out here tonight. The re- the afternoon and walked through the

The president's party was invited to

which was hit by a torpede. A German torpede boat rescued the commander of the Arabia, also the surgeon, one officer, one officer and twenty-bus noncommissioned officer and t yesterday claimed that on the night of requested that there be no formal cour-rebruary 10-11, during an advance of tesies and that they be allowed to see German torpedo boats, several English the fort without escort. They walked parade grounds, looking the burracks over coast and that one of them, the new from the outside, and then mounted the cruiser Arabia was sunk The statement ramparts of Battery Parrott, where the

### Rebels Make Further Progress in China

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Tokie dispatches state that the Chinese rebeis who ad-vanced from Yunnan province into Sec-Chuen and captured Luchow and Chung-King, have been joined by government

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.-Revolu THACA, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Morse hall, tionary successes in the province of Yunnan, China, with the capture of Yunnan, were reported today in a cablegram re ceived by Tong King Chong, president of rebel headquarters at Shanghai. The cable said all of the territory around Yuen-Chow had been occupied

with little difficulty, through the defection of government troops. Neal Tse Chung, the governor general said, had been ordered to raise a force

# BY THE WOMEN OF VIENNA

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) rearrange their schedules as every VIENNA, Feb. 10.-"Ladies in our circles of society," says a memorial from the Vienna Milliners' association to the government, "still insist, in the present terrible times, on wearing Paris hats and will buy no others." The resolution adopted by the milliners' association further declares that many Vienness milliners are bringing hats from Switzerland and offering them as French models. The association appeals to the government to punish the offending milliners, declaring dential yach Mayflower, with President that their conduct "injures patriotic sentiages all honest-dealing tradespeople and steamed up Chempeake bay in the face renders illusory all the attempts of the

The Vienna Tailors and Dressmakers' association has sent a similar houses have established branches in Switzerland where gowns and frocks are made

#### MANY DOCTORS IN VIENNA CONSULTED BY TELEPHONE

VIENNA, Feb. 10.—So few doctors are left in Vienna that professional consultations over the telephone have become very numerous. Instead of calling the dector nass where the patient has already been L. G. Disney of Muskogee and E. M. examined. The Vienna Medical as