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OMAHA SOLDIERS REACH U.S.

LEAVES GREAT FORTUNE MADE FROM BUFFALO HIDES. Chicago, Jan. 7.—A fortune of \$3,000,000, amassed in dealing in buffalo hides before the bison disappeared from the plains, is disposed of in the will of William C. Lobenstein, filed today.

ROOSEVELT ENEMY OF "NATURE FAKERS." West Park, N. Y., Jan. 7.—John Burroughs, famous American naturalist and lifelong friend of Colonel Roosevelt, in a tribute to his memory today declared: "He was a born naturalist, who knew the animal life of the globe as few men do."

WILSON RECEIVES MANY GIFTS AT MILAN. Milan, Jan. 7.—During his visit to Milan, President Wilson received many gifts. One was a statuette made of captured Austrian cannon representing Italy conquering the Austrian Black Eagle.

NEW SPEED RECORD MADE BY AIRPLANE. Cleveland, Jan. 7.—A new world's airplane speed record was set today in a flight from Dayton to Cleveland by Pilot Eric Spranger and Mechanic Francis Longchamp in a Martin bomber plane driven by two liberty motors. The 215 miles were made in one hour and 15 minutes, an average of 172 miles an hour.

LONDON TO PARIS AND BACK SAME DAY BY AIR. London, Jan. 7.—Major Sir F. H. Sykes, chief of the air staff, in an address before the Chamber of Commerce today, told how Paul D. Cravath and Oscar T. Crosby, American members of the inter-continental council, had been carried from England to Paris and back the same day in four hours and 20 minutes.

LIQUOR STARTS FIGHT AS STATES RATIFY DRY PLAN. Ohio, Colorado and Oklahoma in line for prohibition; Distilleries to attack Wartime Measure.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Three more states today ratified the proposed prohibition amendment, making a total of 19 states that have endorsed the proposal of congress.

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MANY FALL IN REVOLT IN GERMAN CAPITAL

General Strike Proclaimed by Radicals; Majority Socialists and Democrats Support Government.

Paris, Jan. 7.—(Havas).—During the fighting between the Spartacists and the government supporters in Berlin Monday, according to dispatches received here, the Spartacists entered the chancellor's palace, from which they opened fire on the building of the Vorwaerts. Eichhorn, the Spartacist police chief, is reported to be fortified in the castle.

Government Takes Firm Stand. Berlin, Jan. 7.—The government has decided that it will end the plot of the Spartacist socialists with the means at present at its disposal.

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Second in Country. He said he wondered if the dealers present really appreciated the vastness of the automobile industry and the part they are playing in the industry that is the second greatest industry in the country today.

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Auto Smashed by Work Train and Five Killed. Four Farmers and Babe Lose Lives in Crossing Accident; Child's Mother Severely Injured.

Scottsbluffs, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special).—Four men and an infant were killed and a woman, the child's mother, probably fatally injured when an automobile in which they were riding was struck today by a work train on the Burlington North Platte valley line.

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TROOPS OF THE 127th NOW AT PORT IN VIRGINIA

Old Fourth, Regiment Boys Debark from Powhatan at Newport News; Big Homecoming Planned.

Camp Stuart, Newport News, Va., Jan. 7.—(Special Telegram).—With the arrival today of the One Hundred and Twenty-seventh field artillery, made up largely of Nebraska boys, and the arrival Sunday of the One Hundred and Twenty-sixth field artillery, composed of Iowa men, the greater part of the Fifty-ninth brigade is in camp, awaiting orders to depart for the demobilization camps in their respective states.

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