# SAY CARRANZA CAUSED RAIDS

Documentary Evidence Placed Before Senate Subcommittee Probing Mexican Situation.

San. Antonio, Tex., Jan. 22.-Carranza and a few of his principal lieutenants instigated and directed the long series of raids on American properties that began along the Rio Grande early in 1915, according to documentary evidence today placed before the senate subcommittee investigating the Mexican situation.

This was supported by testimony by John A. Walls, the district attorney at Brownsville, Tex.; L. R. Barnes, in charge of the United States army intelligence work along the border during the war, and other witnesses. The committee obtained from them and from documentary evidence information tending to show that not only were the highest Mexican officials cognizant of the program of the raiding parties which was carried out under the provisions of the" plan of San Diego," but that as late as June, 1915, they were still given encouragement to and aiding those who participated in those raids in plans inimical to the United States.

Success of Germans. Incident to the taking of testimony regarding Mexican government officials' connection with the plan of San Diego," further information was obtained as to the success encountered by Germans in bidding for the sympathy and support of Mexico during the war and the reported present drift toward bolshevism. T. B. Allendorf, a Pole who was in the intelligence service of the American army the war and who was the arrest largely responsible for of the German spy, Witske, now a prisoner at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. was placed on the witness stand long enough to identify Mario Mendez, the director of telegraphs in Mexico, as one of those whom Minister Von Eckhardt kept on his payroll during the war. Allendoff said Mendez' job was to see that copies of all messages from the United States bearing on military affairs were delivered to the German legation. A new note on the bolshevik Captain Confiscates government in Mexico came from a copy of a letter written by Linn Gale to L. C. A. K. Martens, the bolsheviki's representative at New

Draft Dodger Helps.

"Knowing you are the financial agent of the Russian soviet in New York," Gale wrote, "I take the lib-

was the editor of a magazine de-I have been extended unusual help in various ways by President Carranza and his prime minister, Secretary Berlanga."

Chambers turned the inquor over to the Brazilian customs authorities with a request that it be given to a hospital, or sold and the proceeds donated to charity.

Summarized the plan of San The captain, formerly a naval offi-Diego, a copy of which was read into the record follows:

The captain, formerly a naval offi-cer at the Pelham Bay training camp, said he would prefer charges into the record follows:

ico, Colorado, Arizona and Califor- ican consul at Rio De Janeiro, by nia are to be invaded simultane-ously with uprising with Mexican removed from the Lake Elkwood and negro citizens on the American and had to appeal to the Brazilian side. A separate government is to courts to get his ship back. He al-be established and reannexation to leged that the vice consul caused to be formed into a negro republic under the protection of Mexico.

This is to be accomplished in a ket value. ruthless manner, All male Americans more than 16 years of age are to be killed."

#### Italy Not to Enforce London Treaty Until Other Measures Fail

Paris, Jan. 22.—Italy will demand of France and England the carrying out of the treaty of London only when all other means of settling the Adriatic question have been tried and found futile, according to a statement made by Premier Nitti to representative of the Echo de Paris. The correspondent accompanied the Italian premier from this city to Nice, and was told by Signor Nitti that his trip to Rome was brought about solely by the railroad

"The reply of the Jugo-Slav gov-crument to the note of the supreme council relative to conflicting claims on the eastern shores of the Adriatic does not satisfy us." the premier is quoted as saying, "but we have gone to the extreme limit in making concessions. The world should realize that for the sake of Fiume we renounce Dalmatia which was giver to us by the pact of London. hone that after a few days further reflection the Jugo-Slavs will send an acceptable answer."

Premier Nitti expects to return to Paris soou to resume his work in the peace conference.

## Ex-Premier of England

Will Contest By-Election London, Jan. 22.-Ex-Premier Herbert H. Asquith seeks to re-Herbert H. Asquith seeks to return to parliament through the by election in the Paisley constituency arising out of the death of Sir J. McCallum. The local liberals have adopted Mr. Asquith as their candidate. There is already a labor candidate. J. M. Biggar, in the field, and as the coalitionists had previously decided not to contest the seat if Mr. Asquith were selected, there is likely to be a straight fight between the liberals and labor candidates unless, as is considered improbable, the unionists run a candidate.

In view of the result of the recent Spen valley (west Riding of Yorkshire) by-election, when the laborite. Tom Myers, won over the liberal candidate at the general election, Mr. Biggar was very few votes behind McCallum, the struggle should brove as exciting one. turn to parliament through the by-

#### **EDITOR DENIES CHARGES ABOUT** NAVY ARE FALSE

ON RIO GRANDE Rathom Answers Roosevelt and Says Evidence Will Back Up Statements.

> Washington, Jan. 22.—Chairman Page of the senate naval committee appointed Senators Ball, Delaware Keyes, New Hampshire, and King Utah, to determine whether an investigation should be made into charges by John R. Rathom of the Providence (R. I.) Journal, that immoral conditions exist in the navy with the full knowledge of Secre-Daniels

Assistant Secretary Roosevelt said Mr. Rathom's charges were, "in view of the circumstances, a deliberate and malicious attempt to create trouble in addition to being false."

Rathom Replies.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 22.—John R. Rathom, editor of the Providence lournal, replied to a statement of Franklin D. Roosevelt, in which the assistant secretary of the navy as-serted that Mr. Rathom's charges that immoral conditions in the navy existed with the full knowledge of Secretary Daniels were malicious and false. Mr. Rathom said in part

"We are about to present to the senate committee a list of seven specific charges against the officials of the Navy department backed by hundreds of pages of official testi-mony and the names of 35 witnesses.

No Interest in Men. "The Providence Journal has no interest whatever in the men who have been accused by the Navy de-partment. It knows none of them and is not in any way concerned in their guilt or innocence. In presenting these charges we have only one aim in view-the maintenance of honorable and decent conditions in the United States navy and of its morale, the protection of tens of thousands of honorable officers

and those who have permitted such onditions to exist. "Mr. 'Roosevelt's statement that our charges constitute a maliciously vicious, dishonest and dishonorable attack is absolutely false in every respect, and we stand by the evidence and witnesses we are ready to produce to prove the truth of every charge we have made."

and enlisted men in the navy and the

punishment of the brute beasts re-

sponsible for the present conditions

## Crew's Liquor and Gets Into Trouble

New York, Jan. 22.-Confiscation of about 20 cases and 40 bottles of liquor belonging to the crew of York," Gale wrote, "I take the liberty of asking you if you can give me financial aid in my propaganda in Mexico."

He added the explanation that he was the editor of a magazine devoted to the furtherance of radical- to many difficulties encountered on ism. He explained that he went to Mexico to evade the army draft, "and since then" he added, "I have established various to the draft here before a United States commissioner. Four members of the established very close relations with the Mexican government which I have urged to bolshevise the country and which will, I'believe, do so.

"The states of Texas, New Mex- against Augustus I. Hasskarl, Amer-Mexico requested. Six other states the steamship to be delayed 49 days, contiguous to this territory are to while a broken propeller blade was be carved out of the United States being repaired at a cost of \$57,000.

Denmark has a two-story pig sty accommodating nearly 1,000 animals in which almost all the work is done

## **CUTICURA HEALS SCALP TROUBLE**

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very thin on top.
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## **GOMPERS URGES** SEDITION LAWS Was Held as Prisoner BE NOT PASSED

Other Opponents of Measures Proposed Also Air Their Views Before House Committee.

Washington, Jan. 22.-Opponents of anti-sedition measures, led by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, urged the house rules committee to block the passage of the measures because of their drastic provisions and because sufficient laws now exist to prosecute dangerous radicals

and communists. Attorney General Palmer, who reviously had announced his support of both the Sterling bill, which passed the senate, and the Graham measure, which has been held up in the house because of the drastic death penalty provision, failed to opear in defense of the measures The attorney general, however, sent letter to Chairman Campbell of the rules committee, stating he was "impelled to say that neither of the bills ccords with my views as to what he legislation ought to be," and ecommended as a substitute a bill which he drafted last November and which was introduced several weeks ago by Representative Davey, dem-ocrat of Ohio.

Fine of \$10,000.

The Davey bill provides fines not xceeding \$10.000 and imprisonment or not more than 20 years for persons convicted of an attempt to overthrow the government, or of acts of violence against the government. The measure also would prohibit writings or teachings which onstitute sedition.

The Department of Justice is ready, Mr. Palmer informed the ommittee, to enforce whatever leg-

Mr. Gompers, appearing as the spokesman for the American Federation of Labor, denounced the pendmeetings with the orderly purpose to strike to improve living conditions pital for observations would be suppressed under the bills, asserted Mr. Gompers, adding that

From Home Where She



The tale of the tragic life of litt Harriet Seres, who throughout her entire 15 years of life has been practically imprisoned in her own home New York branch of the S. C. From the day of her birth Har-rict has never left hee mother's

sight. She never played with other children and never went to school She does not know even her A B She lived with her father and mother in one room of a New slation congress should see fit to York tenement. The child has been placed in the care of the Children's society and her mother, who, ac-cording to her husband, "had acted kind of queer and nervous" since the ing bills in unqualified terms. Mass death of their first child 18 years ago, was removed to Bellevue hos-

E. W. Evans, president of the strikes and cessations of labor are Yearly Meeting Society of Friends, nothing more or less than aspira- said it was impossible to separate tions of working people to improve freedom of speech and the freedom of religion. He advocated an appeal "I do not believe this species of to the public-spirited people of this night take Cascarets and get rid of egislation will stifle the things it is country in an effort to put down upposed to do," Gompers asserted, those who would overthrow the gov-"but rather it will provoke the op-posite. It will tie men to their jobs." drastic laws.

## FROM NEBRASKA **URGE NEW LAWS**

Abolishment of Council of Defense and Irrigation Assistance Measures Introduced.

bill to repeal section 2 of the military appropriation act of August 29, 1919, creating a council of national defense and providing for its person-nel. It is Mr. McLaughlin's con-viction that the council of national defense is serving no useful purpose at this time and he makes the charge that its only function is to create positions for people whom the members of the council don't want to let out. The Fifth district representative unhesitatingly says that the council abused its privileges during the council abused of the privileges during the council abused of the privileges during the council abused of the privileges during th f unnecessary trouble. There is no reason whatsoever

hat I know of to continue these of fenses in times of peace," said Mr McLaughlin. He also makes the charge that the council is sending out thousands of typewritten bulletins of no use, and if their issuance was stopped the paper used would nelp relieve the present shortage in white print paper. He is convinced the business of the council could be andled by some other department

Judge Kinkaid, at the instance of

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the committee of governors and others interested in reclamation now in session in Washington today in-troduced the bill formulated by the committee "authorizing advances to the reclamation fund and for the issue and disposal of bonds in reimbursement therefore."

The bill authorizes the secretary of the treasury upon the request of the secretary of the interior to transfer from time to time the rec-lamation fund created by act of congress in 1920, and acts supplement-ary thereto, such sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate \$250,000,-000 as the secretary of the interior may deem necessary "to complete, construct, operate and maintain such By E. C. SNYDER,

Washington Correspondent Omaha Bee.

Washington, Jan. 22.—(Special States." The bill provides that the Celegram.) — Representative Most Telegram.) - Representative Mc- sums so transferred shall be re- A Texas plumber is the inventor Laughlin today introduced a house imbursed to the Treasury from the of a hand operated tunneling ma-

Former Nebraskans In Washington Meet And Elect Officers

Washington, Jan. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-Over 100 Nebraskans temporarily residents of Washing ton, met at the Wilson normal school and elected the following officers of the Nebraska State association, an organization that has been active in the social life of the national capital for a quarter of a century J. L. McGrewal, president, Lincoln; Miss Edith Lathrop, vice president;

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# The Last But Most Important Day

THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE in charge of the Thrift Campaign has made "Pay Your Bills Day" the last day of the campaign---Saturday, Jan. 24. This is due to the importance of this particular educational effort and in the hope of making a lasting impression upon debtor as well as creditor.

## Why Pay Bills Promptly?

#### Answered by Credit Men

There are ever so many reasons why it pays to maintain a good credit rating, but the outstanding feature is the fact that those who do pay their bills promptly as they become due are on the high road to success, contentment and happiness.

A good credit rating is an asset. On the part of a merchant it is an expression of CONFIDENCE in YOU—your honesty, trustworthiness and integrity. It makes it possible, when really worthwhile bargains are offered at the stores and you do not have money ready for such an event, to SAVE by securing the merchandise you desire and have it charged to your account.

If you pay your bills promptly, you are rated as a desirable citizen. YOUR NAME is as GOOD AS CASH. Everyone is anxious to serve you, for it is a pleasure to do business with one who has a clear credit record.

A good credit rating over a period of fifteen years often proves useful when Dame Opportunity knocks at your door and you appear at the bank for a loan. A good credit standing has often been a deciding factor in favor of the borrower.

Again, failure to pay bills promptly ties up large sums of money. Your individual credit is a cog in the great financial wheel of the nation. If you do not pay bills promptly business cannot pay its bills. If the credit of business isn't good, then the credit of our nation is not good.

Purchasing on credit has become so easy one is inclined to forget that the privileges enjoyed are, after all, an accommodation and if abused will eventually add to the cost of doing business and must be paid for by the consumer.

In closing, remember that through the Associated Retailers every business place in Omaha has your credit standing at its finger tips. You are rated after the plan upon which businesses are rated. The record files show your credit rating is good, medium or bad. The more promptly bills are paid the better your rating grows. How important it is, therefore, that we pay bills promptly. H. O. WRENN.

It is a real pleasure to answer the question, "Why pay bills promptly?" and in just a few words I will mention two chief reasons which in my judgment cover the field.

First-The extension of credit involves an obligation, in other words, a contract between two parties—the creditor and the debtor-and, although the obligation is handled in a verbal manner, the trust imposed by the creditor in the debtor is just as sacred as though a contract were drawn in written form and signed by both parties. Every credit transaction should be viewed in this light. The merchant allows his customer to take his merchandise, having faith in his honor and integrity to assume his part of the obligation.

Now for the second reason, which emphasizes the element of promptness involved in the transaction. The merchant needs his money. The merchant's capital is invested in his business and must be kept at work; just as a pool of water without a source of supply becomes stagnant, so a mercantile establishment without frequent additions of fresh merchandise; and the credit favor which the merchant so gladly extends to his customer, he in turn must seek from the manufacturer and jobber, and this activity of capital thus engaged is essential to the health of the business.

#### Credit a Priceless Asset---Prompt Pay Creates Credit

The lesson sought to be taught by the Thrift Campaign is not to hoard money, but to spend it wisely. The lesson-sought to be taught on "PAY YOUR BILLS DAY" is important to all men and women for the reason that unless prompt and regular payment of bills becomes the custom of men and women everywhere, those who fail to adopt this custom will find it absolutely impossible to obtain credit; and CREDIT is the most valuable possession of any man, be he rich or poor; the possession of good CREDIT is the road that carries you into the possession of the things worth while.

"PAY YOUR B! LS DAY" should be on a certain date of each month; the day of the month decided upon in advance; and then have an understanding with all creditors that on that day bills will be paid.

Credit is character; and no man unless unworthy of the name "man," would willingly destroy the character of another. Most men would go out of their way to protect the other's character. The retail credit man is a man; and all of them are anxious to protect the credit or character of patrons of their stores. Should it happen through unfortunate circumstances that it is impossible for you to meet your monthly obligations on the time agreed, you need have no hesitancy in taking it up with the credit man of your creditor. You will, find that he will meet you more than half way,

and assist in protecting your good name. The credit bureau of the Associated Retailers of Omaha is operated not only in the interest of the stores, but in the interests of each individual in Omaha. Because of the large numbers of names that are alike, or very similar, mistakes creep in (very seldom) and anyone who may hear that he has a rating which he does not believe is just, is most earnestly requested to visit the bureau and assist the management in eradicating any error that may have

#### "Co-operation Is the Source of Progress"

The Associated Retailers of Omaha are the accredited representatives in Omaha for the two great national credit men's organizations, the Retail Credit Men's National Association and the National Association of Mercantile Agencies. These two national organizations have representatives in every city, town and hamlet in the United States, besides being affiliated with organizations in some of the foreign countries. The co-operation existing between these two national associations and the Associated Retailers of . Omaha gives to the local association a source of information that

The watchword of the credit bureau of the Associated Retailers of Omaha is "Service;" service not only to the retailer, but to every individual in Omaha's trade territory. We invite all business and professional men who may be willing to assist in educating the people as to the value of a good credit standing, and are willing to actively co-operate with the membership of the association, to investigate the proposition and co-operate with us.

## Why Pay Bills Promptly?

#### Answered by Credit Men

There are three reasons why we should pay our bills promptly. First: By paying our bills promptly, we create a sense of honor within ourselves, causing us to desire that all our obligations be met as is required by our creditors; and brings before us the necessity of being economical and conservative in our buying at all times, resulting in our income going farther and our bank account

growing larger.

Second: By paying our bills promptly we create a feeling of respect among the commercial houses through which we transact our business, establishing a reputation youching for our character, insuring us service and courtesy at all times and leniency in times

Third: By paying our bills promptly, the houses favoring us with the privilege of credit are enabled to meet their obligations with a like degree of promptness, thereby placing them in a position to sell goods at a more reasonable rate which, of course, will work to our benefit in reducing prices.

Upon first reading these three reasons appear to be of a selfish nature. However, when we go into the deeper analysis we discover there what might be converted into an entirely different motive. Our income and bank account is really of no lasting value to us unless the surplus is used to relieve the straitened condition of suffering humanity, who are adrift in the

If we put forth all our energy to meet our obligations with the one object in view of placing ourselves before our creditors and the community at large as persons a little better than others, we have not bettered our condition. But, when we do all of this because of a sincere desire to live upright and righteously before all men, doing our utmost to do that which is right and just at all times, that those with whom we come in contact may receive an inspiration to do likewise, we have fulfilled our obligations in the

Lastly, we should meet our bills promptly, thereby relieving our creditors of a great deal of worry and anxiety, for you know it takes a vast amount of money to conduct a business on the credit basis, and we who have been favored with the privilege of credit should, in justice to those who have befriended us, re-ciprocrate by returning to them their statements, accompanied by the amount called for on the date they are due. For after all, we should live our lives and conform our actions to the wishes and desires of others as much as possible, keeping in mind the admonition of the great Apostle Paul, "Quit ye like men, be strong."

I know of no better reason "Why Pay Bills Promptly."

J. L. MARTIN.

It is my experience that when a new customer applies for credit I immediately form an opinion as to whether they are entitled to it or not. Sometimes, after investigation, I am compelled to change this opinion, but generally the first impression

The answer to this is "Confidence." The "Good Pay" customers know that they have a clean record and that a little inquiry will convince the credit grantor that their account is desirable.

They are ready and willing to give any information desired and answer all questions that are necessary. When I meet one of these people they inspire me with their "confidence," and I know their accounts will never cause me

On the other hand, when I meet a crusty individual who resents any reference to "pay your bills promptly," I immediately put out the sign "Safet" First." L. C. HAMILTON.

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