

"King of Climax" Is Killed Before His Leesburg Bank; Assassins Escape in Auto

FORSYTH BUILDING NOW THE PROPERTY OF ASA G. CANDLER

Skyscraper Was Erected Several Years Ago by Realty Company, Which Was Promoted by E. P. Ansley.

CANDLER PAYS \$425,000 FOR HANDSOME BUILDING

Big Transaction Presages a Great Revival of the Real Estate Market in Atlanta in the Near Future.

The Forsyth building, at the northwest corner of Forsyth and Luckie streets, was sold yesterday to Asa G. Candler for a consideration of \$425,000.

This is by far the largest and most important real estate deal that has been consummated in Atlanta in a number of years, and one of the largest central real estate sales ever made in this city.

The transaction was handled by the real estate firm of J. R. Smith and J. H. Dwyer, Edwin P. Ansley acted for the Realty Trust company which owned the building.

This is the second large office building to change hands within the last thirty days, John Grant having recently exercised an option in the purchase of a one-half interest in the Third National bank building, the whole building now being owned by Mr. Grant and his mother, Mrs. Sarah Frances Grant.

That these two large transactions should have occurred right in the beginning of this year leads great encouragement to the realty market. The sale of the Forsyth building, too, follows a week of miscellaneous sales approximating \$500,000 in their considerations.

The Forsyth building is an eight-story, fire-proof building. It was designed by Architect A. T. Erik Brown. Since its construction, the Forsyth building has been one of the most popular office buildings in the city, any of its offices being rarely vacant, while the Forsyth theater, which is in the building, is one of the most popular places of amusement in the city.

The building was completed five years ago. Its name was recently changed to the Realty Trust building, but it is still better known as the Forsyth.

Ansley's Work for Street. Edwin P. Ansley, organizer of the Realty company which owned the Forsyth building and representative for that company in the present transaction, is not only responsible for the existence of the structure, but is responsible also for the present importance of Forsyth street and many other big real estate developments in and around Atlanta, including Ansley park.

Banker A. D. Oliver, Known Throughout State for Spectacular Career, Slain Instantly by Shotgun in the Hands of Unknown.

COUNTRY IS SCOURED FOR THREE WHO FLED FROM SCENE IN MOTOR

Sheriff of Lee Expects Arrests by Morning—Oliver Had Checks for \$600,000 Among His Effects—Creditors Had Threatened His Life.

Leesburg, Ga., February 17.—(Special.)—Three shots fired by unknown persons who afterward escaped in an automobile, ended the dramatic career of A. D. Oliver, known as the "King of Climax," as he stepped from his bank here tonight.

Fiction has no hero of frenzied finance whose exploits can surpass those of the slain banker, who, arriving at Climax, Ga., in 1908 with nothing but a handbag, arose to affluence, fell with a crash to poverty, served in the Lee county jail for bigamy, escaped the penitentiary in Mississippi by proving a "twin brother," then returned to Lee county and again won riches by repeating his clever banking operations.

At the time of the shooting, about 8 o'clock, the street was dark. Oliver had just emerged from the Farmers' Bank and Loan company, which he had recently organized and whose affairs have been recently investigated by state bank examiners. Three men were seen running away from the place by A. A. Barr, who described them as a large man in black, a small man in black and a third dressed like a chauffeur.

A negro who met them had a pistol poked into his face and was commanded to "shut up." The three ran for a block and getting into an automobile sped north in the direction of Smithville and Americus. Although the whole country has been aroused in search of them, the fugitives were not Wednesday night, though Sheriff Moreland has hopes of capturing them before morning.

A coroner's inquest was immediately held at which Oliver, unarmed when shot down, had received two loads of No. 4 shot from a shotgun, one in the heart and the second in the left breast, the latter having penetrated to the lungs. The third shot had evidently went wild.

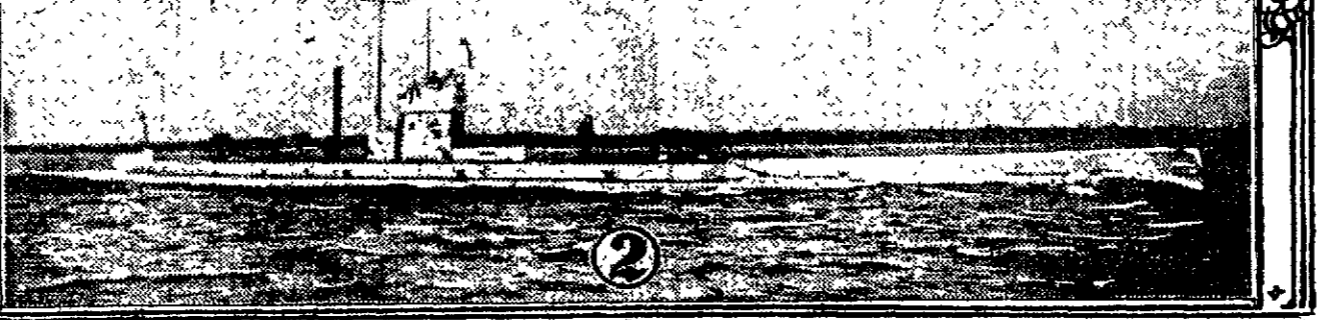
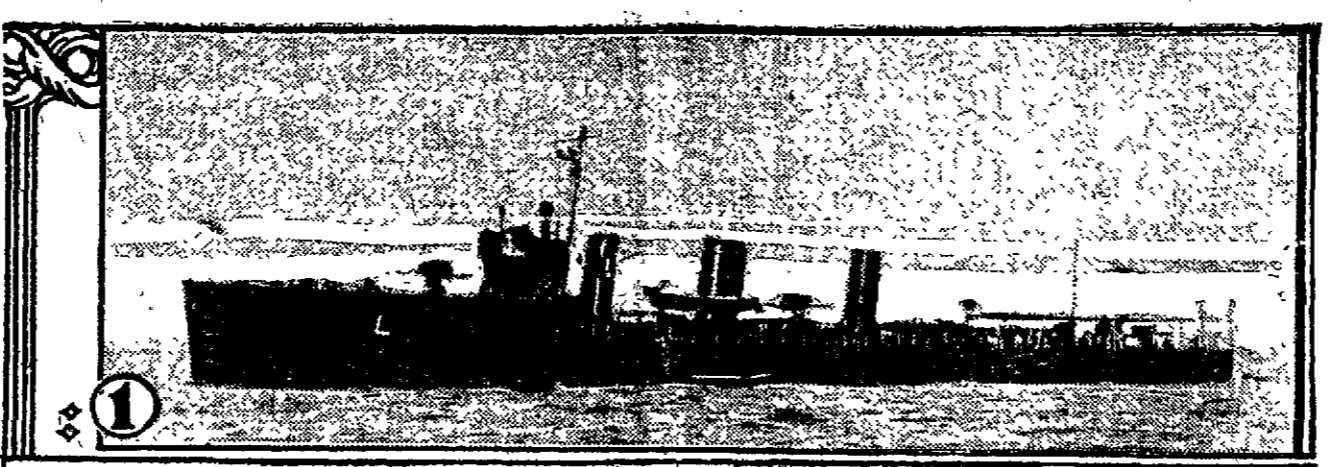
Among Oliver's effects were found two large checks, one for \$250,000 made out to him by the Pennsylvania railroad, and a cashier's check for \$100,000 made out to him by the Columbia County Bank of Benton, Pa. No threats against Oliver's life are known to have been made in Leesburg, but it is said that old creditors in other towns in which he had banks have threatened to shoot him on sight.

The dead banker had many friends here and indignation is general over his assassination. Requisition papers from Mississippi on charges which Oliver formerly evaded were under consideration at the capital in Atlanta.

Built Fortune on Shoestring. A. D. Oliver, called the "King of Climax," first became known in Georgia in 1908 when he arrived at Climax, a small town in Decatur county, with a small town in Decatur county, with nothing but a handbag. He was genial and of a prepossessing appearance and immediately made friends to whom he imparted the information that he intended to invest large sums in the vicinity. He dickered with the owner of a small bank in the town and took it over, giving checks on New York in exchange. Attracted by his lurid tales, people came from miles around to place their money with him, and he in turn made wise investments in saw mills, realty and business enterprises.

About this time he began to put on style, bought an automobile and finally married the pretty daughter of the hotel keeper, Rosebud English. Suspicions over his speculations finally arose, however, and when he was caught at the station about to board a train his explanations failed to avail him. He was arrested, his speculations, however, his creditors, who figured that they had lost something over \$100,000, were unable to fix upon him the breaking

Germany Starts Submarine War Around British Isles



1. TYPE OF ENGLISH TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER. 2. TYPE OF SUBMARINE.

Today, February 18, 1915, is likely to be included by historians as the day when a significant date in the present struggle. On this date Germany planned to put into effect her submarine

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THOUSANDS AGAIN HEAR DR. CHAPMAN

Wonderful Results Already Resulting From Great Revival—"Where Is Your Brother?" Asks Chapman.

"Where is Abel, thy brother?" That was the text of Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman's sermon last evening when he preached on the subject, "Where Is Thy Brother?"

His discussion was to impress the thousands present of their responsibility for the salvation of those that were near and close to them.

He was heard with rapt attention for nearly one hour. The revival tabernacle on Peachtree street was crowded to hear the seventh sermon of Dr. Chapman, of the Chapman-Alexander revival, which seems to have awakened Atlanta as no other revival ever has.

The song service, before the services, the Scripture reading and the masterful discourse stirred the great congregation to the pitch of enthusiasm. The choir of one thousand voices aroused the congregation as much as the appeals made from the pulpit.

Asks Ladies to Remove Hats. Dr. Chapman called upon the ladies to remove their hats in order to not obscure the view of those in the rear of the building.

KAISER MAY EXPEL 5,000,000 GERMANS WHO CANNOT FIGHT

Copenhagen, February 17.—(Via London.)—The report is in circulation here that owing to the necessity to restrict food consumption, the German government intends ordering 5,000,000 Germans who possess independent incomes and are ineligible for military service, to leave Germany for neutral countries and remain there until the war is over.

POLICEMAN REFUSED TO ARREST STABBER

This Charge Made by Three Eye-Witnesses to Assault on Young Man.

Although C. T. DeFray, a young man living at 124 La France avenue, was knocked down, trampled, and stabbed a number of times last night in front of the city hall, according to three eye-witnesses, an Atlanta policeman refused to arrest his assailant when pointed out to him by the witnesses, after DeFray had been rushed to the Grady hospital, profusely bleeding from his wounds.

The witnesses were Iris Pendleton, a concert manager, of Wichita, Kan.; C. D. Baldwin, of 145 Cooper street, and E. C. King, of 148 Walton street. Baldwin and King, who were nearest the scene of the struggle between DeFray and his assailant, attempted to assist him, but the assailant fled on their approach.

Pendleton, Baldwin and King followed him, and pointed him out to an officer of the law on Marietta street, who they declare, refused to arrest him. The officer's name could not be ascertained, as no one seemed to know him. Call Officers B. B. Haslett and Lou W. Evans answered Pendleton's phone call, and accompanied by King, Pendleton and Baldwin, they searched the downtown streets for fully twenty minutes. King finally saw the alleged assailant through a window in a Marietta street beer saloon, and pointed him out to the officers, who arrested him. He gave the name of S. W. Porter, of 136 West North avenue. He was charged with stabbing, and held at the station in default of bond.

An investigation of DeFray's knife-slashes showed that he was stabbed several times about the body, and his nose badly lashed by one sweep of the knife. His condition is not believed to be serious.

HEAVY FIGHTING ON WEST FRONT; ALLIES GAINING

More German Trenches Are Taken by Anglo-French Forces and Fierce Counter Attacks Beaten Back.

London, February 17.—It is apparent from the official announcement issued by the French war office, that heavy fighting is taking place both in Belgium and in France.

The French claim not only to have maintained the ground recently gained, but to have captured German trenches and to have repelled many counter-attacks by the Germans. French aviators have dropped bombs on the railway station at Freiburg, Baden.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg's successful operations against the Russian army in East Prussia are still being celebrated in Berlin, where von Hindenburg's direction of the campaign is described as having been characterized by mastery of skill. Officially it is announced that the German troops are still following the Russians north of the Niemen river.

In Poland, north of the Vistula, from Plock, recently occupied by the Germans, to Racow, another great battle is apparently developing. Fighting in that region already is of a desperate nature.

Austria, according to Swiss advices, for ten days has been concentrating troops, chiefly artillery, on her Italian frontier. Guns have been placed to dominate the Tyrolean passes. All along the entire boundary of Serbia, Albanian forces are active. Ochrid, 100 miles north of Janina, has been captured by the Albanians, and violent fighting is in progress at several places.

AT STROKE OF MIDNIGHT GERMANY'S "BLOCKADE" BEGAN WORK ON BRITAIN

BRITAIN DENIES INJURY BY FLEET TO U. S. COMMERCE

Complete Reply to American Note Asking for Early Improvement in Treatment of American Trade.

Figures Given to Show That, Barring Cotton, American Exports Have Increased Since War Has Declared. Retaliatory Measures Are Planned Against Germany.

Washington, February 17.—Great Britain's second and complete reply to the American note of protest, which on December 28 last, asked for an early improvement in the treatment of American commerce by the British fleet, was made public tonight by mutual agreement between the state department and the British foreign office.

The note, addressed to Ambassador Page by Sir Edward Grey, under date of February 10, denies that the depression in American industries is due to the activity of the British fleet, and suggests among other causes the shortage of shipping facilities, the consequent diminution of cotton trade and the destruction by submarine mines, "laid by the enemy indiscriminately," of many neutral vessels.

After giving a lengthy and detailed answer to the charge that American ships and cargoes were being unduly detained, the communication contains in its concluding paragraph the announcement that Great Britain intends to take retaliatory measures against the German submarine campaign on enemy ships, but does not reveal their nature.

STRIVING TO AVOID INJURY TO NEUTRALS. Concerning that foodstuffs intended for the civil population of a country are not contraband, the British government points out that "in any country where the national character and tremendous organization for war as now obtains in Germany, there is no clear division between those whom the government is responsible for feeding and those whom it is not."

"It will still be our endeavor," says the final paragraph, "to avoid injury and loss to neutrals, but the announcement by the German government of their intention to sink merchant vessels and their cargoes without regard to the nationality of character and without making any provisions for the safety of non-combatant crews or giving them a chance of saving their lives, has made it necessary for his majesty's government to consider what measures they should adopt to protect their interests. It is impossible for one belligerent to depart from rules, and precedents and for the other to remain bound by them."

"Supplementing the preliminary reply of several weeks ago, the new note is about 10,000 words long and includes not only statistical argument, but a further discussion of the legal principles involved. Foremost, however, is the denial of the British government that the depression in American industries referred to in the American note was due to the alleged interference with the neutrality of American commerce, or the result of an exercise of belligerent rights."

TRADE STATISTICS OF UNITED STATES. Since the presentation of the preliminary note, Sir Edward states he has endeavored to ascertain by examining into the trade statistics of the United States as embodied in the customs returns, in order to see whether the belligerent action of Great Britain has been in any way the cause of the trade depression which your excellency (Ambassador Page) describes as existing in the United States and also whether the seizures of vessels or cargoes which have been made by the British navy have inflicted any loss on American owners for which our existing machinery provides no means of redress.

"In setting out the results of my investigation," writes the British secretary, "I think it well to take the opportunity of giving a general review of the methods employed by His Majesty's government to intercept contraband trade with the enemy, of their consistency with the admitted right of a belligerent to intercept such trade, and also of the extent to which they have endeavored to opportunity of examining and complaints from time to time addressed to them on behalf of the United States government.

"Towards the close of your note of the 28th December, your excellency described the situation produced by the action of Great Britain as a pitiful one to the commercial interests of the United States, and said that many of the great industries of the country were suffering because their products were denied long established markets in neutral European countries contiguous to the nations at war.

With Submarines the Kaiser Hopes to Make British Waters So Dangerous That Neutral Ships Will Be Afraid to Carry Supplies to Britain.

GRAVE POSSIBILITIES EXIST IN THE SITUATION

Manner of Carrying Out the Submarine Campaign Awaited at Washington With Anxiety—American Note of Warning Has Not Been Answered by Germany.

The time limit set by Germany for neutral shipping to the measures of safety has expired and Germany is now expected to put into operation her declared intention of employing her submarines and mines in the waters around the British Isles, which she has proclaimed a war zone, with the object of cutting off food supplies to the British people.

Germany has earnestly warned the neutral states that this zone will hereafter be a danger zone for all shipping and has expressed her determination to take the most stringent action against British merchantmen.

It is announced from Berlin that Germany's reply to the American note of protest against this action has been handed to the American ambassador at the German capital, but the reply has not been received by the state department at Washington. In the meantime Germany in developing her submarine warfare, has added one more merchant ship to the list of vessels destroyed by sinking the small French steamer Ville de Lille off Cherbourg, of many neutral vessels.

London, February 17.—At the stroke of midnight the waters surrounding the coasts of the United Kingdom became as far as the British government is concerned a danger zone for all vessels, neutral or otherwise, which all vessels, neutral or otherwise, will penetrate at their peril.

Some of the services across the channel probably will be curtailed, but a majority of the neutral shipping lines will accept the risk and continue their sailings. The names and nationality of the vessels and the flags of their nations will be painted on their sides in the hope that German submarines will not sink them by mistake.

England's announcement of details of her proposed retaliatory policy, by which she plans to shut off the German food supply from the outside, is expected momentarily, and apparently there is not the slightest prospect that this country will accept the German proposal to call off the blockade if England will relax naval pressure on shipping.

It is not expected that there will be any immediate and widespread activity by the German submarines, but the developments regarding neutral ships should bring to a head one of the most interesting and threatening situations of the war.

SITUATION FRIGHT WITH POSSIBILITIES. Washington, February 17.—Secretary Bryan said late tonight that no reply had been received from Germany to the American note concerning submarine attacks on belligerent merchant vessels in the new sea war zones under the German admiralty's proclamation, which goes into effect tomorrow. A reply to the proclamation of the United States, which was delivered in Berlin to Ambassador Gerard, the state department had not been apprised of that fact.

Publication tonight of the text of Great Britain's complete reply to the American communication concerning contraband and neutral shipping revealed that England does not intend to relax her vigilance on food shipments.

C. F. von HERRMANN, section Director.

ments to Germany, and announces that measures are in contemplation to retaliate against submarine attacks by Germany on British merchant ships.

The warning in the British note that if Germany abandons the principles of international law by refusing to verify the character of a merchant ship before attacking, England may not be bound by the rules hitherto accepted, injected into the general situation further uncertainties on which the developments of the next few days were generally expected to have an important bearing.

While white house and state department officials did not discuss what might be done if any American vessels or lives should be lost in the war zones, it was admitted on all sides that the situation was fraught with many grave possibilities.

**German Agents Friendly.**

Representatives of the German government are entirely friendly in their conference with Ambassador Gerard.

and there is nothing to show that officially there has been any change in the good relations which have hitherto existed.

The manner of carrying out the submarine campaign is awaited here with considerable anxiety. It was hoped that since negotiations with neutral governments were pending, the German proclamation would not actually be carried into effect for a few days, although scheduled to be put into force at midnight tonight. Many American vessels will be in the war zones in the next few days, and these will be afforded, it is believed, an opportunity to reach their destinations.

The recent suggestion from German sources that American merchantmen might escape attack if conveyed by an American warship, has not met with approval in naval circles here. It was suggested that the threatened British retaliation for the German war zone order may be a blockade, of the German coast, and that the United States would not pass the blockade lines alone, much less with a convoy of merchant ships.

Formal notice by the British of the blockade, and recognition of it by the United States, would, of course, at once remove from the field of diplomatic negotiations all questions relating to the right of neutral nations to send cargoes of food to the civil population of the blockaded state.

as well as in England itself, the German government desired to point out that it was not going to accept any further unnecessary delay.

"Hence it is absolutely assured that the reported food products will be consumed by the British population in Germany exclusively and there remains no doubt upon which England can prevent the exportation of food products from America to Germany for the use of civilians.

The imperial government expresses the firm hope that the American government will stand on its right in this matter.

**GERMAN PURPOSE TO STIR NEUTRALS.**

Rome, Tuesday, February 16.—The Giornale d'Italia today says: "The German note to the United States (regarding the war zone) does not deny the right of neutrals, of which the great American republic has become the champion, nor does it refuse to accept the principle of neutrality. The German purpose now has been revealed. All the noisy and somewhat unscrupulous maneuvers of the imaginary maritime blockade of neutrals, the object of the compelling of neutrals to make their voices heard in England, and the British government's permit provisions to enter Germany, Germany has been asserting that the danger of a blockade is absolutely not existent; as a matter of fact Berlin is seriously anxious and scarcity of food products is being felt among the well-to-do in the German civilian population."

**TWO SHIPS SUNK BY SUBMARINES**

**French Steamer Ville de Lille and British Collier Dulwich Torpedoed—The Crews Escaped.**

Paris, February 17.—An official communication issued by the ministry of marine tells of the sinking yesterday by the German U-16 of the French steamer Ville de Lille off the Barleur light-house, a short distance east of Cherbourg, after the submarine had ordered the crew to leave the steamer.

The French steamer Ville de Lille, belonging to the Compagnie Navigation Des Bateaux a Vapeur du Nord, sailing from Cherbourg to Dunkirk, sighted the German submarine U-16 near the light-house at Barleur at 1:30 o'clock yesterday.

"The Ville de Lille endeavored to escape, but was out speeded by the submarine, men from which boarded her and gave the crew 10 minutes to leave in the ship's boats. They then sank the Ville de Lille by bombs placed in her interior.

The U-16 headed for a Norwegian steamer, but sank out of sight when a division of French torpedo boats from Cherbourg appeared on the horizon."

The Ville de Lille was a steamer of 997 tons.

**BRITISH SHIP SUNK BY A SUBMARINE.**

Have, February 17.—(Via Paris.)—The British steam collier, Dulwich, bound from Hull to Rouen, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the coast of France. The Dulwich was a vessel of 2,289 tons, owned by the British Steamship company.

**KAISER TO APOLOGIZE TO U. S. AMBASSADOR**

**German Ruler Will Express Personal Regret for Demonstration Against Gerard.**

Basel, Switzerland, February 17.—(Via Paris.)—Emperor William will apologize personally to James W. Gerard, the American ambassador to Germany, for the hostile demonstration which occurred at a Berlin theater on the evening of February 9, according to a telegram received here today from Berlin.

The emperor, it is said, will express his regrets to Mr. Gerard when the ambassador visits his majesty at the East Prussian fortress of Koenigsburg. Mr. Gerard is reported to have accepted the emperor's invitation to go to Koenigsburg.

Ambassador Gerard and a party from the American embassy were attending a theater in Berlin on February 9 when, greatly to their annoyance, a man in the audience protested because they were speaking English. When informed that his remarks were directed against the American ambassador, the man began a loud and violent tirade against the United States for permitting the exportation of arms. The individual was finally suppressed by attendants.

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| 3 lbs. Japan Head Rice             | <b>18c</b> | Large package Macaroni           | <b>9c</b>  |
| Real Yellow Yams, peck             | <b>25c</b> | Large cans Snap Beans            | <b>10c</b> |
| Churngold Butterine, pound         | <b>25c</b> | Small cans Snap Beans            | <b>8c</b>  |
| Royal Scarlet Lima Beans, 25c size | <b>17c</b> | Van Camp's Red Kidney Beans, can | <b>8c</b>  |
| Royal Scarlet Lima Beans, 15c size | <b>11c</b> | Early June Peas, No. 2 size can  | <b>10c</b> |
| Red Lima Lima Beans, large cans    | <b>11c</b> | No. 3 size California Peaches    | <b>11c</b> |

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**GERMANY'S OFFER IN REGARD TO FOOD.**

Washington, February 17.—The text of Germany's note proposing that food cargoes be distributed under supervision of American consular officers and being the United States to consent and give the right to ship foodstuffs to non-combatants, was made public today. It follows:

"1. The federal council's decision concerning the seizure of food products, which England alleges to be the cause of food products shipped to Germany being treated as contraband, is exclusively on wheat, rye, but unmixed and mixed with other products and wheat, rye, oats and barley flour."

"2. The federal council makes an express exception in the above-mentioned order. Section 45 provides as follows: 'The stipulations of this regulation do not apply to grain or flour imported from abroad after January 31.'

"3. Conjointly with the above saving clause, the federal council's order contains a provision under which imported cereals and flours could be sold exclusively to the municipalities or certain specially designated organizations by the importers of the United States. This provision had for its object simply to throw imported grain and flour into such channels as supply the private consumption of civilians, and, in consequence of that provision, the federal council's order which was to protect the civilian population from speculators and engrossers were fully met, it was nevertheless rescinded so as to leave no room for doubt.

"4. My government is amenable to any proposition looking to control by a special American organization under the supervision of the American consular officers and agents, which will itself make a proposition in that direction.

"5. The German government further calls attention to the fact that municipalities do not form part of the government, but are self-administrative bodies, which are elected by the inhabitants of the commune in accordance with fixed rules and therefore exclusively represent the private part of the population and not as it directly. Although these municipalities are well known and obtain in the United States

**ON WILHELMINA.**

Rome, Tuesday, February 17.—The report which received wide publicity last night that a British prize crew had been placed on the American steamer Wilhelmina at Falmouth, proved today to be erroneous. The officer commanding the men in charge of the Wilhelmina at Falmouth, proved today that the exportation of food products to a prize crew, but merely a guard.

**HEAVY FIGHTING ON WEST FRONT**

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eral hot actions at close quarters, which resulted in heavy losses to the enemy.

"A strong attack by the Germans was completely repulsed at Four de Paris.

"Between the Argonne and the Meuse we have made progress at diver points.

"In Alsace we have taken control of the ridges which dominate the Suedel front, and have retained all the ground conquered.

"Our aviators have bombarded the railway station of Everheim in Breisgau."

**RUSSIANS TAKEN BY THOUSANDS.**

Berlin, February 17.—(By Wireless, Via London.)—Fifty thousand prisoners and many cannon and machine guns were captured by the Russian army in the Mazurian Lake district, East Prussia, according to a general headquarters today. Its text follows:

"In a nine-days' battle in the Mazurian Lake district, the Russian tenth army, consisting of at least eleven infantry and several cavalry divisions, not only defeated the German army entrenched positions east of the Mazurian Lake plateau, but was forced back to the woods east of Suwalki and Augustowo, where they are being pursued. The number of prisoners taken has not been ascertained, but certainly exceeded 50,000. More than fifty cannon and sixty machine guns, besides an unknown quantity of war material were captured.

"Emperor William was present during the decisive fighting in the center of the front. The victory was won by veteran East Prussian troops, assisted by other troops who were young for such work, but proved their worth."

"The achievements of these people, under fearful weather conditions, and in the face of a heavy bombardment against such a stubborn enemy, are beyond all praise.

"Friedrich von Hindenburg directed the operations with mastery skill, and he was brilliantly assisted by General von Below."

**FRENCH REPULSED, ASSERT GERMANS.**

Berlin, February 17.—(By Wireless, Via London.)—Today's war office statement is as follows:

"Western theater: Obviously induced to do so by our recent successes in the east, the British and French yesterday and during last night began especially stubborn attacks in many places along the front."

"In their unsuccessful attempts to recapture positions which they lost on the 14th of February, the British lost in prisoners four officers and 170 men. In the northeast of Rheims the enemy's attacks were repulsed. Two officers and 178 Frenchmen were captured. Especially strong advances, made against certain positions, were repulsed. The enemy had penetrated and where the battle still continues, the troops of the enemy were repulsed everywhere, and about 400 Frenchmen were taken prisoners."

"In the Argonne we continued our offensive and captured further portions of the enemy's main positions, taking 250 prisoners, two mountain cannon and four machine guns. In the forest of Wald, north of Toul, small successes also were recorded.

"On this occasion two machine guns were captured. There is no news from the Alsace-Lorraine frontier."

"Eastern theater: North of the Niemen river our troops have followed everywhere the defeated enemy in the direction of Rauronien. In the district east of Augustowo engagements occurred at many places during the pursuit of the enemy. A Russian column advancing from Lomza was defeated. Four hundred prisoners and six machine guns fell into our hands. A division of the enemy, coming from Krajowo also, was driven back towards Asewale."

"On the conquered front from Plock to Racloz, in Poland, north of the Visulia, bitter fighting apparently is developing. In the south of the Visulia, there are no new developments."

**ITALY WATCHED BY AUSTRIA.**

Geneva, Switzerland, February 17.—(Via Paris.)—Austria has been concentrating troops to test the Italian frontier. Guns have been employed to dominate the Tyrolean passes.

"Serbian and Russian soldiers are close on one another on the lonely three-cornered frontier of the Alps at a point of frontiers to 8,000 feet, and frequently fraternize in the deep snow."

**GREAT BATTLE IN BUKOWINA.**

Berlin, February 17.—(Via London.)—The Russian army in Bukowina has been enveloped by the Austro-Hungarian army between the Pruth and Dniester rivers, according to a Tagblatt dispatch from Bistriz.

"One Austrian army pushing the Russians from the south now has reached Storozhinez. Another Austrian force which advanced toward from Nemoros against Wisnicz, now is in the vicinity of Czernowitz."

"A general battle may be expected, therefore, south and east of Czernowitz. The Russians have halted 12 miles on the front. The battle is informed, having met reinforcements."

**ALBANIANS RAID SERBIAN BORDER.**

Paris, February 17.—A Balkan News Agency today reports from Nish, under date of February 16, says:

"Albanian attacks on the Serbian frontier posts are developing along the entire boundary. Okrida has fallen into the hands of the Albanians."

"Violent engagements took place at Rovine and Levatz. The Albanians have been repulsed at Prizrend. The Serbians have retaken Yanitchte."

"Salonika, Greece, February 17.—(Via London.)—The Albanian raiders into Serbia, have been defeated, according to reliable advices, and thrown back across the frontier. Serbia has decided to follow them and secure several Albanian towns to secure her frontier against further violations."

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SUES EASTMAN COMPANY FOR \$190,231 DAMAGES

Flagrant Violations of Anti-Trust Law Charged by the Southern Photo Co.

A suit was filed under the federal anti-trust act in the United States district court, Wednesday, by King & Spaulding, attorneys for the Southern Photo Material company, against the Eastman Kodak company, of Rochester, N. Y., for damages amounting to \$190,231.

The plaintiffs allege that the defendants have damaged them by flagrant violations of the anti-trust act.

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causing a loss in five years of \$60,077 in profits. The Eastman Kodak company, it is alleged, entered Atlanta in 1913 by buying the Glenn Photo company, and since then has maintained a trust by forcing independent companies to pay at least 50 per cent higher for photo materials than was charged members of the trust. It is further alleged that the Eastman Kodak company has "secured control of about 88 per cent of the country's film kodak business."

MORE FAIR WEATHER, PROMISES FORECASTER

More fair weather for today and tonight! It's getting to be a habit with the elements. Looks as though there was a reformation in the skies! Wednesday was as rainy, delightful spring day as a rainy sunny south could demand. There wasn't a cloud, a chill or a breeze to mar the exquisite pleasure of it. And today will be likewise. At least that's the assurance given from the weather bureau. The fairness of the present good weather wave is indefinite.

However, its too early to start boasting!

EAST ATLANTA CLUB WILL HOLD MEETING TONIGHT

There will be a meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock of the East Atlanta Improvement club at the East Atlanta bank, corner of Glenwood avenue and Peachtree road, for the purpose of taking up the improvement of the city schools.

END TO "DOME PARTIES" UNTIL AFTER APRIL 1

"Dome parties" at the state capital will be no more until after April 1. A sign hangs upon the door leading to the capitol dome, which nearly every afternoon in fair weather is a popular resort for sightseers, stating that the dome is closed permanently. The keeper of the building states, however, that "permanently" means only until April 1. The closing of the dome followed the recent illness and death of J. B. Allen, keeper of the dome.

Three Sorrowing Families Ask Salvation Army to Find Their Missing Loved Ones

Three pathetic appeals were received Wednesday at the "missing bureau" of the Salvation Army from parents and relatives anxious to locate missing sons and brothers. Mr. George G. Strubling, of Turner's Ferry, Ga., asked the aid of Brigadier A. W. Crawford, in command of the Salvation Army forces here, in locating his son, H. Eugene Strubling, who disappeared from Atlanta about eight years ago while a student at the Atlanta College of Physicians. He was later traced to Texas and Colorado and more recently was heard from in Oregon. Strubling has been in, however, he has not been heard from. J. R. Davis, of Blountsville, Tenn., has a brother somewhere in Atlanta whom he wants to reach because of the recent death of the boy's mother, Charles C. Davis is the name of the missing brother.

FORMER PREACHER FINED BY RECORDER FOR CURSING WIFE

When a policeman had testified in police court that Fletcher Haskins had gone home drunk and cursed his wife and daughters until there was nothing left in the category of blasphemy and vituperation for him to say, Recorder Johnson excoriated the offender. "Isn't this my old friend the Rev. Fletcher Haskins?" the recorder pursued. "I used to be," the prisoner replied. "And you were once a preacher, weren't you?" the recorder pursued. "Was once," came the reply. "I can't understand," the recorder went on to say, "how a man who was once a preacher can curse so. An ex-preacher might liquor up a little, but to curse, and curse, and curse, I can't understand it, except \$75 worth."

WHERE IS FERNANDEZ? FORTUNE AWAITS HIM

If there is any one in Atlanta who happens to know the whereabouts of one "Franklin" or Isidoro Fernandez, who once conducted a tailoring establishment in the old Kimball hotel, Mayor Woodward would like to have the information. Yesterday the mayor received a communication from L. Antonio Fernandez, a resident of Havana, in which he asks that the city authorities make an effort to locate Isidoro. The writer intimates that the man sought after is heir to a fortune in Cuba, and his relatives are very anxious for him to return and claim his own.

Atlanta Woman Goes to Europe To Nurse Wounded of Allies

When Miss Ruth Sanderson, the well-known training nurse of Atlanta, leaves for the battle fronts in Europe, next Monday, she will be the first woman to go from the south for the alleviation of suffering in the allied armies. Her passage has been booked on the Lusitania, which sails on the following Saturday. Miss Sanderson feels no trepidations in an invasion of the German blockade, believing that if others may make the trip she can safely follow. Miss Sanderson has several relatives fighting for the allies. Two of her cousins, Henry Beard, a commander of a troop of Hindus, and William Ker-shaw, of England, are reported to have been lost. Miss Sanderson was induced to tender her services largely through the efforts of her cousin, Sir James Duckworth, and Lt. Rockdale, of Rye, date, her native town. She received her appointment over the several thousand other applicants from America because of her British citizenship. According to the letter, which is written in Spanish and which Secretary Ormond had translated for the benefit of the mayor, Isidoro Fernandez is about 40 years old. He left

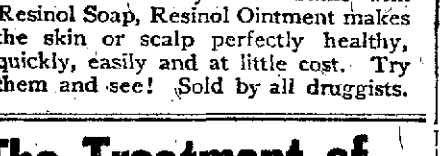
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The Treatment of Influenza or La Grippe

It is quite refreshing these days to read of a clearly defined treatment for influenza or La Grippe. In an article in the "Lancet-Clinic," Dr. James Bell, New York City, says he is convinced that too much medication is both unnecessary and injurious. When called to ease of a gripper, the patient is usually seen when the fever is present, as the chill which occasionally attends the disease, has generally passed away. Dr. Bell then orders that the bowels be opened freely with salts. "Acetide" or citrate of magnesium. For the high fever, severe headache, pain and general soreness, one Anti-kamnia Tablet every three hours is quickly followed by complete relief. Ask for A-K Tablets. They are also unexcelled for headache, neuralgia and all pains.

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Girls of North Avenue Serve Y. M. C. A. Supper In Place of the Losers

Seventy-five or more young men from the North Avenue Y. M. C. A. yesterday night in the Young Men's Christian association building to celebrate the "hatchet-burying" between the Red and the Blues of the Pilgrim class of the North Avenue Sunday school. After a hot membership and attendance contest lasting over a month, the Blues had nosed the Reds out of victory on the very last Sunday. In a compact at the start of the contest was that the losing side should serve the table at a supper to be given in honor of the winning side. The girls of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. stepped in at the last minute, to come down to the Y. M. C. A. and serve the supper. The supper was given in the dining room of the Y. M. C. A. and the girls of the Y. W. C. A. assisted in the entertainment. Speeches were made by several members of the class. Maynard Fuller spoke on the "lesson history of the Y. M. C. A. of benevolence; E. J. Bond, on class camp; F. P. Shaw, on class spirit; and George Normandy, on class prophecy. Robert E. Mell, the president, then made a ringing talk on the various activities of the class.

Nathan Holds Revival In Recorder's Court To Prove He Is Sane

Rev. Nathan Glass, who has been for many years a noted evangelist in downtown Atlanta, held a revival in the police court yesterday afternoon. Recorder Johnson charged that Nathan was crazy. He asked Recorder Johnson if he might have a revival in his court. Recorder Johnson said that he was mentally all right. "Out loose," said the recorder. "Mar text am, 'Is I er fool?' An I axes very all'er hitch up wid dat queeshead, very er hater. Dat an' dem made me de debbil. Is I er fool?' Dis jedge am er good man, but dere am room ten hab dem cherties, 'Is I er fool?' De heb er folks tink dat dey am wropped in holiness an' all de time hell am waiting for dem. 'Is I er fool?' I hab neber stoled nuttin but lick an' I takes all of dat dat I kin git. 'Is I er fool?' 'Yes, dat's de way dem cherties work. My knees and prayed long and loud for a great revival to take hold of the police court of Atlanta and make the judges, the policemen and the newspaper reporters 'merciful and mighty.' One old 'Amens' on 'dat sars' shouted out 'Amen,' and the revival meeting was over. Nathan is being held in jail for a writ of lunacy.

CHILD'S TESTIMONY WINS FOR MOTHER

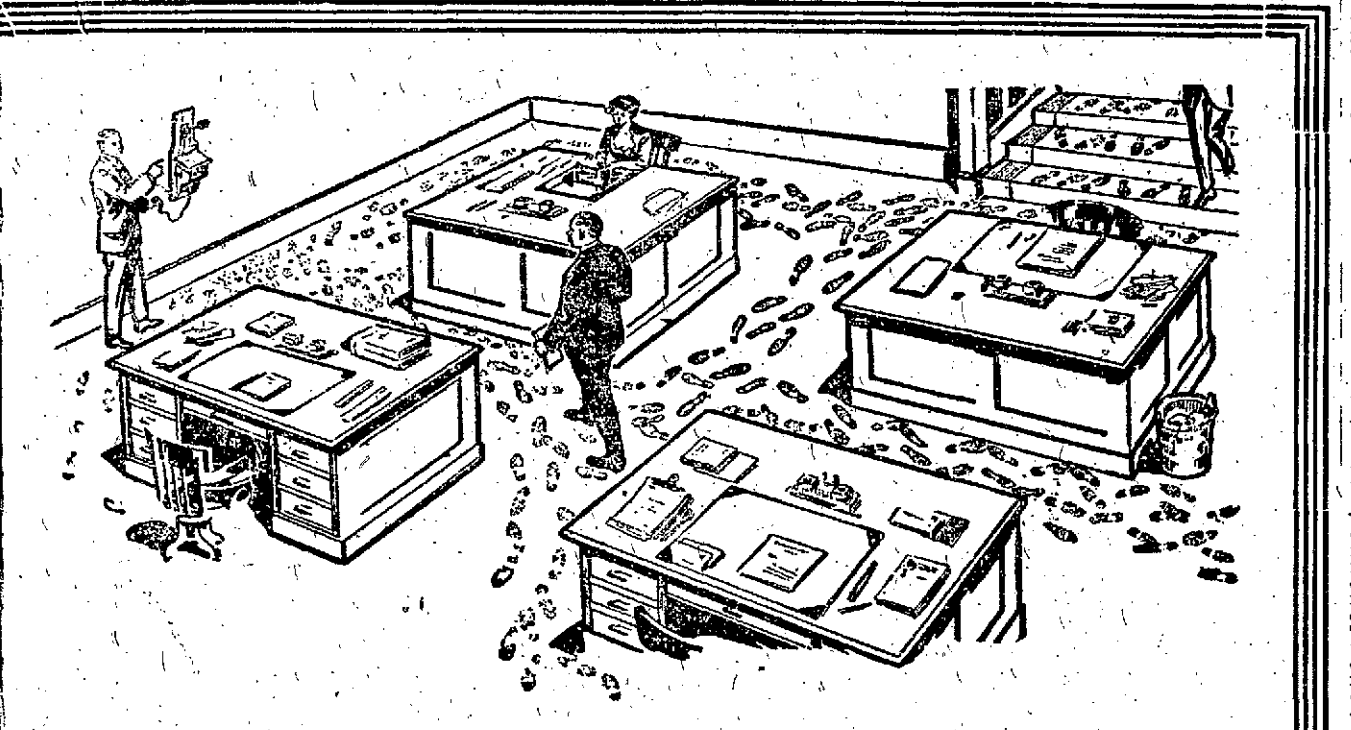
When Judge John F. Fendleton lifted the 3-year-old boy of estranged parents to his bench yesterday morning and asked who he would choose, his mother or his father, the boy testified for his mother. "I'd rather live with mother." Such testimony not only saved the mother from contempt of court charges, but was instrumental in awarding her alimony of \$20 monthly. The child was the son of Mrs. James E. Evans, participants in a divorce suit that is now in progress. Some time back the courts awarded the custody of the two children, Glenn, aged 8, and Evelyn, 5, to the mother. So far the father's wife of seeing them on specified occasions. This the father charged was refused him.

PARENTS ASK FOR HELP TO FIND MISSING SON

Waycross, Ga., February 17.—(Special.)—Police in Georgia and Florida today were requested to join Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Wells, of Waycross, in a search for their missing 12-year-old son. He left home early Monday for school and has not been seen by relatives since leaving. He may have been offered an accident with a rifle, a local physician extracting a bullet from a finger. This became known today. The boy is evergreen for his mother, has brown eyes and light hair. His parents are greatly distressed. He told his classmates last week he might go to Savannah or Jacksonville.

THE BATTLE FRONT

Petrograd, Russia: Feb. 17, via London. The number of head and arms wounds of the men at the front is enormous, for men in trenches expose only their heads and arms. Many hundreds are hit in the head and death does not result from the wound. Occasionally one may see the slightly wounded walk back from the extreme front. Perhaps forty per cent of the wounded are back on the firing line after three months' cure and rest in a hospital. It all depends on a man's health and blood. If the blood is pure and good, the soldier gets the first aid proper treatment and his wounds heal by first intention. Good blood is everything to every man. It means fresh, strong circulation. Those who have used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery medicine know the way it checks blood diseases. See a man today with skin all broken out; see him a few weeks later after using the "Discovery"; his skin is all cleared up, eyes bright, and he is contented with himself. The foundation of good health is good blood. Are you pale? Are you weak? Are you no longer ambitious or energetic? Have you pimples or boils? Do you suffer from headaches, low spirits? Then you are anaemic, your blood is thin, lacking in healthy, strength-giving red corpuscles. Then your blood is impure—and your liver is not up to its task of clearing the blood from the poisons accumulated. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a temperance remedy that will restore to you rich, health-giving blood—a remedy proved by experience in tablet or liquid form. It is a glyceric extract of roots from our forests, known to science as those which will best of the stomach, liver and bowels needed help.—(adv.)



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What Did Miss Daisy Say? Was It, "Go to the Devil," Or Just Plain, "Go to Hell?"

Whether Miss Daisy Whitmore, while walking with her uncle, T. W. Whitmore, told her brother-in-law, R. F. Dunn, that she was "going to the devil," came very near being a vital question when the two men were tried in police court Wednesday afternoon for fighting on the street. The recorder, however, ruled that the two men had the same thing in mind, only a difference of occupant and occupancy. The invitation caused the fight which ended in Whitmore being knocked down and his head getting badly lacerated, and Dunn getting out so seriously that he was laid up for ten days. Dunn had refused to speak to Miss Daisy and Whitmore for her side when Dunn demanded an explanation. The evidence was very conflicting and the recorder fined Dunn \$15.75 and fined Whitmore \$10.75 and held them in a bond of \$50 for stabbing.

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New Orleans, February 17.—In the first day of trading in cotton under federal supervision, prices at the low...

Liquidation in New York. New York, February 17.—Cotton was lower today, under the anticipated liquidation of the market...

COTTON MOVEMENT. Atlanta, February 17.—Cotton steady; Middling 8.55; receipts 468; exports 5,824; stock 112,286...

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON MARKET. New York, February 17.—(Special.) Selling here today, especially during the morning...

Comparative Port Receipts. Following were net receipts at United States ports...

Interior Movement. Houston, 13,900; Galveston, 9,115; New Orleans, 12,000...

Estimated Receipts Thursday. Galveston, 13,900; New Orleans, 12,000; Houston, 13,900...

Potter, Choate & Co. Bonds. Offering of \$100,000 first mortgage sinking fund...

Grain Makes Plunge Downward On Account of Shipping Crisis

Wheat at One Time During Session Sold at Over Six Cents Decline—Closed 23-4 to 4-3 Cents Down. Corn and Oats Also Lost Heavily.

Chicago, February 17.—Misgivings over the shipping crisis brought about by the attempted starvation diet...

Chicago Quotations. Following were quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:

WHEAT—Open, High, Low, Close, Prev. Close. Table with columns for price ranges.

Receipts in Chicago. Articles. Today. Estimated Tomorrow. Wheat, cars, 247; 250...

Grain. Chicago, February 17.—Cash: Wheat No. 2, \$1.57 1/2; No. 2 hard, \$1.58 1/2...

SUGAR FUTURES FIRM ON LIBERAL BUYING. New York, February 17.—Sugar futures were firm early today...

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON MARKET. New York, February 17.—(Special.) Selling here today, especially during the morning...

Liverpool Cotton. Liverpool, February 17.—Cotton, spot, easier; good middling, 6.25; middling, 4.99...

Dry Goods. New York, February 17.—Cotton goods were quiet and steady today...

Naval Stores. Savannah, Ga., February 17.—Turpentine steady at 42; sales none; receipts, 47...

Rice. New Orleans, February 17.—Rough rice was active and strong today...

Country Produce. New York, February 17.—Butter unsettled; receipts, 8,415; creamery, extras, 19.20...

ATLANTA'S STRIDES FROM DAY TO DAY

Indications are rapidly multiplying in the Atlanta real estate market that revival in business has set in...

Building Gains \$129,000. Not only are real estate operations moving with renewed vigor...

Whitehall Sale of \$60,000. Warrantee deeds went to record. New York, February 17.—After a quiet and somewhat irregular early session...

COFFEE FUTURES WERE ACTIVE AND ADVANCING. New York, February 17.—After a quiet and somewhat irregular early session...

New York Stocks. Amalg. Copper, 56 1/2; Am. Agricultural, 27 1/2; Am. Can, 27 1/2...

PROVISION MARKET. (Corrected by White Provision Company.) Corned hams, 12 to 14 average, 18...

New York Bonds. U. S. 2s, registered, 98 1/2; U. S. 2s, registered, 98 1/2; U. S. 4s, registered, 100 1/2...

Financial. New York, February 17.—Mercantile paper, 3 1/2 @ 4; 4 1/2 @ 5...

Live Stock. Chicago, February 17.—Hogs—Receipts, 42,900; week, 167,565; light, \$8.40...

CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET AS OF SEPTEMBER 26, 1914. Assets: Real Estate and Improvements, \$50,434,307; Stocks and Bonds, \$36,462,091...

Wednesday conveying to James G. Dodson, No. 550 and 552 Whitehall street, for cash consideration \$50,000...

Quit-Claim Deeds. 31—Minnie Carter to Georgia Realty company, No. 2 Carleton street, 4x11.7 feet...

Warranty Deeds. \$2,000—W. E. Woolley to Gustave and Edith E. Kuhn, 100 feet east of Maryland avenue...

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