

# DELLA CHIESA NEW PONTIFF

Recently Created Cardinal Succeeds Pius X.

## TO REGIN AS BENEDICT XV

Present Head Of Church Received Red Hat Only Last May—First Papal Benediction From Balcony In Pontifical Robes.

Rome.—Sardinal Giacomo Della Chiesa, Archbishop of Bologna and former assistant papal secretary of state, was elected Pope, succeeding the late Pius X.

The election was on the ninth ballot.

The new Pontiff chose to be known as Benedictus XV and will later designate the date for his coronation.

With the conclave called while all Europe was involved in a devastating war, which was largely responsible for the death of Pope Pius from a broken heart, the election of Benedictus XV will go down as taking place at one of the most critical times in history.

The election of Cardinal Della Chiesa to the papal throne is not only a tribute to the late Pontiff, but also to his closest adviser, Cardinal Merry del Val. As assistant secretary of state and later as a Cardinal and Archbishop of Bologna, Cardinal Della Chiesa was one of Merry del Val's most ardent supporters, and in return enjoyed the fullest confidence of the secretary of state. Being on the best of terms with the Italian Government, it is considered certain that the new Pope will carry on the policy of Pope Pius looking toward the healing of the long-standing breach between the Quirinal and the Vatican.

### BENEDICTUS XV.

Jacobus Della Chiesa. Born at Pegli, near Genoa, Italy, November 21, 1854. Ordained to the Catholic priesthood, 1878. Appointed Secretary of the Nunciature at Madrid, Spain, by the then Mgr. Rampolla, 1883-1887. Appointed minister in the Secretariate of State by the Cardinal Secretary of State Rampolla, 1887-1901. Appointed substitute of the Secretariate of State and Secretary of the Cypher by Cardinal Rampolla, 1901-1907. Appointed Archbishop of the See of Bologna by Pope Pius X, December 16, 1907.

### CARRANZA IS NOT PRESIDENT.

Regarded in Washington As First Chief Of Constitutionalist.

Washington, D. C.—So far as the United States is concerned Gen. Venustiano Carranza is not Provisional President of Mexico, but "first chief of the Constitutionalist Army," in temporary charge of the executive power of the republic.

President Wilson himself so explained the status of the Mexican executive in discussing Mexican affairs with callers. Mr. Wilson said that so far as he had been informed Carranza did not style himself "Provisional President," retaining the title he has used since Madero was overthrown.

### SIX NEW DESTROYERS.

Designs For Fighters Approved By Secretary Daniels.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary Daniels has approved designs for six new torpedo-boat destroyers authorized by the Naval Appropriation Bill. While the midget fighters will, in general, follow lines of the preceding class, yet triple torpedo tubes will be substituted for twins. The new vessels will be 210 feet long, 29 feet 10 inches beam and draw nine and one-half feet. With a displacement of 1,108 tons, such will have a battery of four 4-inch rapid-fire guns and four triple torpedo tubes.

### WAR RUSHES PAPER MILLS

Brisk Demand From England On Newfoundland Plants.

St. Johns, N. F.—A brisk demand for the product of the paper and pulp mills in the interior of Newfoundland has resulted from conditions growing out of the war in Europe. Steamers are rapidly arriving to take on board cargoes for England.

### HIS GOOD SHIP "INTERNED."

Bryan's "Friendship" Resting Quietly In a Neutral Port.

Washington, D. C.—While not boasting overmuch about the present influence of the dove of peace in the councils of the world, Secretary Bryan is not pessimistic. Asked at the White House concerning the whereabouts of his good ship "Friendship," he quickly replied: "She is at present interned in a neutral port."

### PROSPERITY WAVE SAYS PERKINS.

Chicago.—George W. Perkins, of New York, here on a business trip, forecast an unprecedented wave of prosperity in the United States.

"The present uncertain business conditions will pass as soon as we are able to readjust ourselves to the new conditions caused by the European war," said Perkins.

"Eventually there will be unprecedented prosperity inasmuch as this country will be the only producing nation. Germany has been one of the big steel producing countries. It will undoubtedly look to the United States for steel as well as many other commodities."

## BLOODY RIOT ON STEAMER

Fifty Steerage Passengers Are Killed.

### IN HAND-TO-HAND FIGHT

Three Members Of Crew Killed—Many Rioters Drowned—Cadets From Brazilian Training Ship Helps Quell Disturbance.

New York.—A riot aboard the German steamer Bluecher, at anchor in the harbor of Pernambuco, Brazil, in which three of the Bluecher's crew and 50 of her 800 steerage passengers were killed, was described by passengers aboard the Brazilian steamer Sao Paulo upon her arrival here from Brazilian ports, whence she sailed at the commencement of the European war.

The Bluecher was bound from Buenos Ayres for Hamburg, under the German flag, when Germany and England went to war. Upon learning that war had been declared the Bluecher put back to Pernambuco. She had aboard, the Sao Paulo's passengers asserted, several million dollars for London and 800 Spaniards and Portuguese in the steerage. When Pernambuco was reached the steerage passengers insisted that the ship proceed to her destination and upon the refusal of the Bluecher's officers to do so, a riot was started. The bodies of the steerage passengers who were killed were thrown overboard, according to the Sao Paulo's passengers.

According to the story told by the Sao Paulo's commander, Captain Cyro Della Amico, the trouble began with an anti-German demonstration by Spanish and Portuguese against the Bluecher's crew. This was resented and the ship's butcher, a German, attacked one of the leaders of the demonstration.

The German was killed and other German members of the crew seized arms and began firing. A fearful hand-to-hand fight ensued. The captain of the Bluecher summoned the Pernambuco police, who fired right and left. Many of the rioters jumped overboard and were drowned. The police did not thoroughly quell the trouble until reinforcements arrived in the shape of cadets from the Brazilian training ship, Benjamin Constant, which was lying in the harbor.

The cadets were still in charge of the Bluecher, Captain Amico said, when the Sao Paulo sailed.

### GREGORY ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Succeeds McReynolds, Who Takes Oath As Justice.

Washington, D. C.—Thomas W. Gregory, of Austin, Texas, was sworn in today as Attorney-General of the United States. The oath was administered by Chief Justice White. Later J. C. McReynolds, the retiring Attorney-General, took the oath as an associate justice of the Supreme Court.

### EIGHT DROWNED IN MANILA.

Seven Filipinos and An American Victims Of Flood.

Washington, D. C.—Seven Filipinos and one American were drowned in a flood which swept Manila after a rainfall of more than a week, according to a message from Governor General Harrison. The lower sections of Manila were flooded to a depth of from three to five feet during high tide.

### GETS FINAL INSTRUCTIONS.

New Ambassador To Russia Calls On President Wilson.

Washington, D. C.—The new ambassador to Russia, George T. Marrye, Jr., called on President Wilson to receive his final instructions. Mr. Marrye plans to take the Mauritania and go to Petrograd by way of Stockholm.

Garrett Drovers, the new minister to Greece, also called on the President prior to his departure for his post.

## RECRUIT HAS PITCHED WONDERFUL BALL



Dick Rudolph of Boston Braves.

(By FRANK G. MENKE)

The showing made by Dick Rudolph of the Braves, this year will prove of big help to the recruits that John McGraw has "canned" and may turn loose in the future.

Rudy belonged to John some seasons back, but John placed the "N. G." tag on him and cast him adrift. Rudy, after a season in the minors, felt that he deserved a chance in the big leagues again. He appealed to several managers. His record was good, Rudy was young, but he was branded with the "N. G." McGraw stamp, and most of the managers turned a deaf ear.

"If McGraw says you are not good enough to keep, I guess you aren't," they told Rudy. "Any player that shows any promise is kept on the Giants' payroll. McGraw didn't keep you, so I don't want you."

### PLAYERS COMMON LABORERS?

Georgia State Law Says They Are, While President Tener of National League Says No.

Are ball players common laborers? That is the latest question that is agitating the fans. If you ask the players themselves such a question (you know they all have plenty of artistic temperament) they will probably be insulted, says Detroit Journal. Warrants are now out for a Federal league scout who is said to have tried to entice players of the Valdosta and Waycross teams of the Georgia state league to jump. Pres. James Sinclair, at whose

the strike is settled. However, I don't believe the settlement arrived at will be permanent, owing to the belligerency of some of the baseball magnates.

Funny how Tener in one breath declares the players professional men and won't strike and in the next says that the settlement won't last! Not very consistent, eh?

## BASEBALL NOTES

A mascot shouldn't hold his job long with those Cleveland Naps.

About the only man who doesn't go up in the air at a ball game is the groundskeeper.

The Cardinals are called the hitless wonders, but the Pirates are the runless wonders.

It is reported that Chance wants Lajoie to play first base and help draw crowds in New York.

Otis Clymer, veteran of many seasons, has given away his fielder's glove and has quit baseball.

Buck Freeman, former major league player and home-run swatter, is umpiring in the Canadian league.

Nick Altrock is performing better in his acts before and during the game this year than ever before.

After watching the baseball strife of the season of 1914 one is inclined to remodel the name to "base bull."

The Baltimore Feds may be nicknamed Terrapins, but they haven't been soup for the other teams, as yet.

Most ball players are against war—that is, any kind of a war excepting a baseball war where the salaries are all raised.

It's so easy to mobilize armies in Europe it's a wonder some of our baseball magnates don't try to mobilize an army—of fans.

First Baseman Hoblitzel's bunting and base-running have been a big factor in the sensational climb of the Boston Red Sox up the pennant ladder.

Clarke Griffith puts only one member of his own team on his greatest baseball team of all time, thereby violating a maxim of Walter Camp in selecting his All-American football team.

## DOLLAR HITS BRING RESULTS

Mike Finn, Manager of the Memphis Chicks, Works Unique Cure for Players Left on Bases.

They are telling one on Mike Finn, manager of the Memphis Chicks, that is a good one if true in any degree.

Mike, they say, was very anxious about six weeks ago for some base hits that would drive in runs. His men were getting on bases, all right, but the hits to put them over were always missing. Finn claimed that he had more men left on bases than any team in the league.

So he proposed that every hit that brought in a run would get the hitter one round silver dollar.

The scheme worked pretty well and more runs were the result. The Chicks pulled out of last place.

Mike let the players' account run until Frank P. Coleman sold the Memphis club to Russell Gardner, so the story goes, and by that time it had run up to \$110. The Chick manager carried the bill to Coleman.

Mr. Coleman is not a stingy man, but he has been in baseball for a number of years, and he never had to pay players extra to make base hits. He looked the bill over, then turned it back to Mike with a grunt and a shake of the head, which meant nothing doing.

And—maybe it's all a joke—they say Mike had to dig deep into his own jeans to make good with the players.

## CATCHER G. GIBSON IS SLOW

Fanciful Description of Pirate Backstop Trying to Steal Home in Recent New York Game.

It will be admitted that Catcher George Gibson of the Pittsburgh Pirates is a slow man, but in justice to him this fanciful description of his attempt to steal home in a recent game at the Polo grounds, furnished by Heywood Braun, a New York writer, should not be allowed circulation without explanation that it is a trifle exaggerated. Here's Braun's story:

George Gibson left third base and started to steal home. Chief Meyers



Catcher George Gibson.

was so taken a-back that for a moment he did not know what to do. He walked over to the bench.

"Gibson is trying to steal home. What shall I do?" asked the Indian.

"Wait him out," suggested McGraw. Meyers returned to his station, but he grew impatient when he observed that Gibson had paused to construct a pontoon bridge or something of the sort, so he threw to Stock, who tagged the runner from behind.

### FANS HOPING FOR A CHANGE

Tired of Seeing World's Series Battles Played by Giants and Athletics in October Haze.

The rank and file of fans are hoping that the next world's series combat won't be between the Giants and Athletics. They've grown a bit tired of seeing these two clubs fight it out in the October haze, and they are pulling for some other club to "horn into" the big doings.

If the Cubs and Athletics had another world series duel, or the Giants and Tigers, or Giants and Red Sox, fandom would be somewhat satisfied. But the great mass of fans would rather see the Rex Sox and Cubs, or the Tigers and Cubs, than to see either of the teams that battled last year in action again this year.

The reason for this is that in the case of a series between the Giants and Athletics, the fans take it as a foregone conclusion that the Athletics again will conquer. It's sort of an old story repeated—and they want to hear a new one. They'd rather see two totally different teams in action.

### Segregate Players.

Report has it that American league clubs have been cautioned against putting up their players at the same hotels where Federal league teams stop. It is not feared that any American league players will jump, but the idea is that with Federal league agents and players buzzing about, playing the game on the field becomes a second-ary consideration to money talk.

## DECRIES MODERN WAYS

ENGLISH PREACHER URGES RETURN TO OLD IDEAS.

Sees Evil Days Ahead for the Nation in the Decay of Family Life—Wealthy Homes Included in the Excoriation.

An emphatic protest against what he regarded as the decay of family life in the country, followed by the warning that it would conduce to the fall of England, as it led in great part to the fall of Greece and Rome in ancient times, was made by Canon Rawnsley in the course of a sermon preached at St. Paul's cathedral, London, England.

Beginning his remarks with a description of the home life of Christ as a child, he declared that the nursery of the salvation of the world was home and home life. It was a fact patent on all sides that home and the discipline of home were on the wane, and with this were being lost the best opportunities there were for noble education. There was something about the atmosphere of a Jewish home which was learned by no direct teaching, but which breathed its benison upon the household and unconsciously affected it. That was the duty owed to the parents and the solidarity of the family tie.

Among Christian people, he said, in the homes of the poor it was often the woman who was called upon to drudge till she died to keep the family together. The idea of being responsible for such care of girlhood as would prevent its ruin was a thing unthinkable in many a house. The girl, as soon as she had her evening meal, went out with her friend and came home when she would. Little children of three and four openly defied their parents, and he had seen such parents apparently showing off to a circle of admiring friends on a bank holiday the spirit that is in him when a creature of six kicked his father's shins and cursed his mother to her face.

In the homes of the wealthy the same cancer of lack of parental authority and want of discipline was felt. The parents were tolerated by the rising generation rather than held in reverence. A familiarity which tended to make a father's word of no avail was fostered from early days. The nexus between son and home and the girl grew up to feel that home duties were intolerable. At the first opportunity she would join her friend in a flat and arrange her life without any reference to her father or mother.

"Greece passed away with all its brilliance partly because it had no home life," he continued. "Rome found its belief in home life too weak to withstand the change from city state to empire, and the corroding influence of a decadent orientalism." There is nothing that would prevent our going the way of Greece and Rome unless we will once more make the ideal of home that Christ would have it to be, open the eyes of the fathers and mothers of the land to their sense of opportunity as the makers of the character of the next generation, and recall the children to the duties owed to the home.

### He Decided to Turn Out.

It took 1,200 pounds of dynamite to force a "road hog" descending the Bear Creek hill, in Santa Ana canyon to give the right of way to Henry Shay, of the Bear Valley Transportation company, who was headed for the top. At a narrow stretch in the grade the two machines stopped within a few feet of each other. There was no room to turn out except on some racks.

"I have a heavy truckload, and can't make it," Shay told the driver of the touring car.

"That's not my fault," retorted the other. "I won't turn out."

"Well, all right. Smash into my machine if you want to," yelled Shay. "There's 1,200 pounds of dynamite aboard."

The descending automobile backed up and turned out without further ceremony.—San Bernardino (Cal.) Dispatch Los Angeles Times.

### Quick Wit Balks Robbers.

John Neale and William P. Shepard, cashier and assistant cashier of the Sackett & Wilhelms Lithograph company, carrying a bag containing \$9,500 were held up by three young men as they waited for the elevator in the plant of the company at Grand street and Morgan avenue, Williamsburg, N. Y. Two of the men drew revolvers and the third assailed Neale and Shepard with a blackjack. Neale hung on to the bag as he fell, but dropped it just as the elevator came down. Charles H. Booth, the elevator man, saw what was happening, seized the bag, threw it back into the elevator, and before the astonished highwaymen knew what was happening, he was shooting aloft. The holdup men got away, leaving Neale and Shepard badly bruised.

### Vocational Work in a Building.

An experimental school of vocational education is planned to be opened in the Woolworth building, New York, by the Merchants' association, with the co-operation of the board of education and the employers of more than 100 of the boys and girls who work in the building. The school will be in charge of the association's committee on vocational education.