

RAIL CONTROL IS WILSON'S PLAN President Believed to Favor Unification Into One Big System ALTERNATIVE TOO SLOW

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8. Government control of railroads is persistently reported today to be President Wilson's solution of the transportation crisis. Appointment of a Federal railroad dictator will be the first step toward unification of all lines during the war.

Conflicting priority orders Are Blamed for Present Congestion WASHINGTON, Dec. 8. Government control of railroads is persistently reported today to be President Wilson's solution of the transportation crisis.

WILL OUST PACIFIST 'BOARDERS' AT MEADE 'Conscientious Objectors' Must Get Out or Get to Work Soon

CAMP MEADE, Md., Dec. 8. When the plans of the war chiefs materialize Little Meade will cease to be a health resort for the ninety-three men who insist upon being listed in the National Army as conscientious objectors.

That they must go to work and contribute something toward the success of the army is the opinion of military division officers. Just what status these men will be given or the character of work which will be assigned to them cannot be learned.

Under the present system the quartermasters have been operating under a zone system and purchasing agents were prohibited from going outside their districts to obtain supplies.

PRIESTS TRANSFERRED Rev. J. M. Corrigan Appointed as Inspector of Charities

Archbishop Prendergast has announced the appointment of the Rev. Joseph M. Corrigan, of St. Columba's Church, as Florence, inspector of charities, succeeding the Rev. William A. O'Donnell, who has been ill.

Patriotic Meeting at Lighthouse A patriotic mass-meeting to arouse the people to the present national crisis will be held tonight at the Lighthouse Boy's Club.

FEDERAL AGENTS RAID NEWSPAPER HOLD ALIEN EDITOR ON TREASON CHARGE



RAID ON OFFICE OF LITHUANIAN WEEKLY RESULTS IN ARRESTS Federal officials have unearthed the most serious case of alleged treason in this city since the war began.

Joseph V. Stillson, secretary of the company, was arrested and held in \$10,000 bail on charges of violating the espionage act. The raid was made under the direction of United States Marshal Frank J. Noonan.

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OPEN THREATS CAUSE STIR IN MEANS CASE

Prosecutors Targets of Belligerent Attitude of Friends of Defendant

CONCORD, N. C., Dec. 8. The twelfth day of the trial of Gaston B. Means, charged with the murder of Mrs. Claude A. King, opened today with a decidedly tense atmosphere in the courtroom.

Sons of Delaware at Smoker A war smasher celebrating the 100th anniversary of the ratification of the Constitution by the State of Delaware was held in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce by the Sons of Delaware.

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YAQUIS ON WAR PATH IN SONORA

General Cruz Killed and Four Americans Held as Prisoners

NOGALIES, April, Dec. 8. The State of Sonora, Mexico, today is confronted with the most alarming Yaqui uprising known in forty years, according to word brought here by passengers arriving from Guaymas.

To Lecture on 'Sunny South' J. W. Brown of New York will lecture this afternoon at 8 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce.

J. E. CALDWELL & CO. THE DIAMOND PENDANT WATCH With Black Ribbon Sautoir and Diamond Slide

AN ADORNMENT OF CHARMING DISTINCTION—A LARGE COLLECTION OF EXCLUSIVE AND MOST ATTRACTIVE DESIGNS

BAKER'S COCOA HAS GREAT FOOD VALUE THE food value of cocoa has been proven by centuries of use, and dietitians and physicians the world over are enthusiastic in their endorsements of it.

Advertisement for Baker's Cocoa featuring a woman in a dress and text: 'BAKER'S COCOA HAS GREAT FOOD VALUE'.

Advertisement for Washington-Sunset Route featuring a circular image of a boat and text: 'WASHINGTON-SUNSET ROUTE'.

VANDERLIP EXPLAINS SALE OF WAR STAMPS

Tells County Boards Plan is to Get 30,000,000 People Interested in Savings

Mr. Vanderlip, who voluntarily reduced his yearly income from \$100,000 a year to \$1 a year to handle the campaign for the Government, in addition to explaining the plan to the members of the various county boards who will handle the sale together with the Pennsylvania committee of public safety, suggested several schemes to raise war revenue during the course of his address at Griffith Hall.

WEDNESDAY EVENING DEC. 12, 1917 DANCING ALL THE EVENING IN THE NEW GARDEN OF ROSES

Instant Success of our Pre-Inventory Sale Having been Closed 2 Days Preparing for Sale

Thousands of thrifty and appreciative women took advantage of our sensational bargains offered for this sale.

Coats, Suits, Dresses, Waists, Millinery, Furs, Children's Wear

50% Off Original Ticket Prices Every Price Cut 1/2 and More We Urge Early Shopping

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recovery of America from the war effects in the future. 'Thirty million people will have bought war-saving stamps before this campaign is ended,' he said.

Advertisement for Tuglers Restaurant featuring an image of a waiter and text: 'MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW 12TH ANNIVERSARY GALA-NIGHT'.

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