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Washington, D. C., Jan. 14.—Successful operation of a government-owned railroad, which private interests could not be persuaded to build, is causing much satisfaction to Interior Department officials. The line, extending 25 miles from Yuma, Ariz., to the Mexican boundary line through

the Yuma Valley, has been in operation daily since February and has carried 300,000 tons of rock besides frequent shipments of other freight which are increasing. Passenger traffic has been light, owing to the unpopulated region through which the road runs, but considerable progress has been made in the settlement of the country and a township 18 miles from Yuma has been opened. Construction of the railroad, the second government-owned line, was deemed a necessity by officials of the United States Reclamation Service. They had been unsuccessful in efforts to interest private capital which considered the prospect doubtful for the payment ever of its expenses. As a system of rock reclamation was required by the Yuma Valley reclamation project the engineers decided the material could be placed economically only by use of a track laid upon the levee which protects the Yuma Valley from the overflow of the Colorado River. Work was begun

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**VANISHING IDEALS**

At the beginning of the great war there was one ideal—bright, noble, resolute—which lifted itself like a shining pillar of fire before the eyes of Americans. We would observe toward all nations alike the attitude of a friend, and when the auspicious moment came we would endeavor to win them back to the paths of peace. It was an attitude that gave promise of an opportunity for real service to the world, and to which our people as a whole gave most cordial assent. Peace was the dominant thought in all minds. Then there came a change. In the hour when the traffic in war munitions began, we lost touch with our ideal. There were thousands who had the clearness of vision to perceive this; and when the traffic took on astounding proportions and huge cargoes of war material were crossing the Atlantic at short intervals, they felt the conviction that nothing but bitterness and regret could come of it. And this is the cloud that obscures our high ideal. We plead with God for the world's redemption and that the struggle in Europe may be followed by the dawn of a better day. We sympathize with the nations in their affliction; we send missions of mercy and messengers with words of peace and good-will on their lips. Yet we fan the flame into a greater conflagration. It is a lamentable confession to make that we have lost our ideal. And the saddest part of it is that it is true.—THE CHRISTIAN HERALD.

**Cough and Cold Syrup**  
Made at Home, Touches Spot.

A great big, full pint of laxative cough syrup of the finest quality known to the medical world can readily be made by any woman or even child. To a pint of granulated sugar add a half pint of boiling water; stir and cool. Obtain at drug store 2 1/2 ounces Eucalypti, empty it into a pint bottle and fill up with the syrup. A teaspoonful every hour or two will check a cold in the head, and cure any cough that is curable. It will pay any family to keep it, as it always has proved to be a lifesaver due to colds, such as pneumonia, bronchitis, sore throat, diphtheria and consumption. It is marvelously quick in action and permanent. Contains no opiates or poisons.

**DANGEROUS VARICOSE VEINS CAN BE REDUCED**

If you or any relative or friend is worried because of varicose veins, or bunches, the best advice that anyone in this world can give is to get a prescription that many physicians are now prescribing.

Ask your druggist for an original two-ounce bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength) and apply night and morning to the swollen, enlarged veins; soon you will notice that they are growing smaller and the treatment should be continued until the veins are of normal size. Emerald Oil is a powerful is Emerald Oil that it dissolves gopher and wens and causes them to disappear. It cures wens as secured at all druggists.—Adv.

**CLASSIFY CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH**  
Heart Disease, Tuberculosis and Pneumonia Found to Lead List

Washington, Jan. 14.—According to a preliminary announcement with reference to mortality in 1914, issued by Director Samuel D. Rogers, the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, and compiled by Richard C. Lappin, chief statistician for vital statistics, more than 36 per cent of the 898,000 deaths reported for that year in the "registration area," which contained about two-thirds of the population of the entire United States, were due to three causes—heart diseases, tuberculosis, and pneumonia—and more than 60 per cent to eleven causes—the three just named, together with Bright's disease and nephritis, cancer of the stomach, diabetes, and typhoid fever.

The deaths from heart diseases (organic diseases of the heart and endocarditis) in the registration area in 1914 numbered 99,534, or 15.8 per cent of the population. The death or mortality rate from this cause shows a marked increase as compared with 1,900, when it was only 123.1 per 100,000.

Tuberculosis in its various forms claimed 98,437 deaths in 1914, a number which 84,366 died from tuberculosis of the lungs (including acute miliary tuberculosis). As a result of a more general understanding of the law of tuberculosis, the importance of fresh air, etc., due in part, no doubt, to the efforts of the various societies for the prevention of tuberculosis, there has been a marked decrease in the gratifying decrease during recent years in the mortality from this scourge of civilization. In only a decade—from 1904 to 1914—the death rate from tuberculosis in the registration area fell from 200.7 to 146.8 per 100,000, the decline being continuous from year to year. This is a drop of more than 25 per cent. Prior to 1904 the rate was 200.7, starting at 201.9 in 1900. Even yet, however, tuberculosis has the gruesome distinction of causing more deaths annually than any other form of bodily illness except heart diseases—more than 40 per cent more than all external causes—accidents, homicides, and suicides combined.

**Pneumonia Rate**  
Pneumonia (including bronchopneumonia) was responsible for 83,894 deaths in the registration area in 1914, or 12.7 per 100,000. The lowest rate recorded in the mortality statistics for this disease, like that from tuberculosis, has shown a marked decline since 1900, when it was 136.5 per 100,000. It is believed that this year, however, have been pronounced, whereas the decline in the rate for tuberculosis has been nearly continuous.

The only remaining death rate higher than 100 per 100,000 in 1914 was that for Bright's disease and acute nephritis, 162.4. The total number of deaths due to these maladies in 1914 was 97,544, or more than 11 per cent of those which were caused by Bright's disease, and the remainder by acute nephritis. The mortality from these causes increased from 83 per 100,000 in 1900 to 162.4 in 1905, since which year it has fluctuated somewhat.

Next in order of dealness come cancer and other malignant tumors, which killed 52,420 graves in 1914. Of these deaths, 19,883, or almost 38 per cent, resulted from cancers of the stomach and liver. The death rate from cancer has risen from 63 per 100,000 in 1900 to 107.4 in 1914, an increase which has been almost continuous, there having been but two years—1906 and 1911—which showed a decline as compared with the years immediately preceding. It is possible that a part of this indicated increase is due to more accurate diagnoses and greater care on the part of physicians in making reports to registration officials.

Diarrhea and enteritis caused 52,407 deaths in 1914, or 7.94 per 100,000. This rate shows a marked falling off as compared with the rate for 1900, when it was 109.0 per 100,000. This rate shows a marked decline as compared with that for 1900, which was 133.2. Nearly five-sixths of the total number of deaths charged to these causes in 1914 were of infants under 2 years of age.

**Apoplexy**  
Apoplexy was the cause of 51,272 deaths in 1914. The rate from this malady has increased gradually, with occasional slight declines, since 1900, when it stood at 67.5.

Arterial diseases of various kinds—chiefly aneurism and cerebral aneurism—caused 10,944 deaths, or 22.8 per 100,000, in the registration area.

No epidemic disease produced a death rate as high as 18 per 100,000 in 1914. The fatal cases of diphtheria and group—which are classed together in the statistics, but practically all of which are of diphtheria—numbered 11,786, or 17.2 per 100,000, in that year. The rate has risen from 43.3 in 1900. This decline of nearly 59 per cent, is relatively greater than that shown by any other important cause of death. The rate has not fallen continuously, but has fluctuated somewhat from year to year.

Diabetes was the cause of 10,666 deaths, or 16.2 per 100,000. The rate from this disease has risen almost continuously from year to year since 1900, when it was 9.7 per 100,000.

The mortality rate from typhoid fever has shown a most gratifying decline since 1900, having decreased from 35.9 per 100,000 in that year to 15.4 in 1914, or by 57 per cent. This decline has been almost as great, relatively, as that for diphtheria, and has been greater than that for cholera, the principal cause of death. The total number of deaths due to typhoid fever in 1914 was 10,185. The marked decrease in the mortality from this disease gives emphatic testimony to the effectiveness of present-day methods, not only of cure but of prevention. The efficacy of improved water-supply and sewerage systems, of the campaign against the fly, and of other sanitary precautions is strikingly shown by the reduction of the typhoid mortality rate from the highest of more than five-ninths in 14 years.

**Whooping Cough, Measles and Scarlet Fever**  
The principal epidemic maladies of childhood—measles, whooping cough, diphtheria, and scarlet fever—were responsible for no fewer than 15,617 deaths of both adults and children, or 23.7 per 100,000, in the registration area in 1914, the rates for the three diseases separately being 10.5, 6.8 and 6.6, respectively. In 1913 measles caused a greater mortality than either of the other diseases, but in 1914 it was surpassed by diphtheria. In every year since and including 1910, as well as in several preceding years, measles has caused a greater number of deaths than the much more dreaded diphtheria. The mortality rates for all three of these diseases fluctuate greatly from year to year. The rates for measles and scarlet fever in 1914 were the lowest in 15 years, while that for whooping cough was considerably above the lowest recorded rate for this disease, 5.5 in 1904, although far below the highest, 15.3 in 1903.

Deaths due to street car accidents and



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**KNOX ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY**  
(Continued From First Page.)

him. The Governor's statement contained some interesting bits of political history.

**Governor's Statement**  
The Governor said the former Secretary of State had been told specifically on December 17 last, that the Chief Executive, and his friends were for Mr. Knox to enter the primaries in May.

When asked what he knew of the Knox boom, the Governor said: "Early in December last, a group of gentlemen interested in Pennsylvania and anxious to have her represented worthily in the United States Senate, concurred in the judgment that ex-Senator Knox would be a fitting candidate, worthy to represent this great Commonwealth in its National Senate. Among the gentlemen who were consulted with the situation and participated in its conclusions were Mayor-elect Smith, Attorney General Brown, Commissioner Alney, Commissioner Magee, Congressman Griest, Vane and Kless, and myself."

In answer to the question, "Did Senator Knox know of this?" the Governor said: "This information was conveyed to Mr. Knox on December 17 with the assurance that he, by reason of his honorable career at Washington and his legal training, especially was fitted in this crisis to serve the State in the National Senate."

**Knox Ideal Candidate**  
"Were you personally in favor of the candidacy?" he then was asked. "It was my opinion then and is now that Mr. Knox would represent our people worthily at a time when international treaties, a protective tariff, merchant marine and other great national issues are likely to arise."

"Is it true that you and Senator Knox discussed this last Saturday evening?"

"Yes, at the Terrapin Club dinner. I gave Mr. Knox my personal assurance of sympathy and support when he courteously advised me that he practically had decided to become a candidate. His call here yesterday was a friendly one, deferred to this time owing to the fact that both of us are busy men. The interview was social, pleasant and gave us an opportunity to renew old-time friendship."

"Do you think he will be a popular candidate?"

"It is my belief that the people of Pennsylvania will find in Mr. Knox a most capable and worthy Senator, and I shall co-operate gladly with

my friends in securing his nomination and election."

Secretary of the Commonwealth Cyrus E. Woods, who was in conference with the Governor when he received the newspapermen, said that he cordially concurred in all that the Governor had said about Mr. Knox, who had been his friend of many years' standing.

**Statement of Mr. Knox**  
Patterson, Sterret and Miller, of Pittsburgh, Mr. Knox's attorneys, gave out the following statement last night:

"I appreciate the generous offer of support tendered me by Mr. Babcock in his statement announcing his intention to become a candidate for the United States Senate. I would not be candid did I not say that it is my intention, within the period provided by law, to file the necessary papers announcing my candidacy to succeed United States Senator George T. Oliver, who voluntarily has announced his retirement at the end of eight years of his faithful and efficient service. I have been persuaded to this course by prominent men throughout the State, representing all shades of supposed difference in the party councils, but all believing in the fundamental principles of the Republican party."

The leaders unite in saying that Knox will be the only candidate outside of the Democratic party. Many Washington party leaders, including ex-Senator William Flinn, are for Knox.

**BANK OFFICERS ELECTED**  
Special to the Telegraph

Duncannon, Pa., Jan. 14.—At the regular monthly meeting of the local banks yesterday the following officers were elected:

Duncannon National Bank—President, George Pennell; cashier, P. J. Duncannon; teller, W. Stewart Duncannon; clerk, Frank Pennell.

Peoples National Bank—President, Sylvester S. Sheller; vice-president, Dr. B. F. Beater; cashier, M. N. Lightner; clerk, Rex Ziegler.

**RED MEN TO CELEBRATE**  
Special to the Telegraph

Duncannon, Pa., Jan. 14.—Ven-doto Tribe, No. 305, Improved Order of Red Men, of this place, is preparing for a big pow-wow in their wig-wam on Thursday evening, January 20, in celebration of their prosperity.

**CONKEY SAYS:**  
DON'T WORRY—Don't let canker disfigure your birds or make them blind. Stamp the disease out with CONKEY'S CANKER SPECIAL. Lay in a package to-day. Dealers Everywhere.

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