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VILLA FLEES FAR **BELOW AMERICAN** FORCE: REPORTED PAST CHIHUAHUA

General Funston Admits Bandit Leader Is Far Out of Reach of Cavalry; Campaign Cannot Be Carried **Against Him Much Farther** Unless Railroads Are Made Available

MORE TROOPS ARE SENT TO PROTECT LINES

Reinforcements Will Be Need- line ed by Pursuing Force, Too; 150 U. S. Soldiers on Sick List; Climatic Conditions Cause Considerable Illness; Only Four Wound-SHIPPING LOSSES ed So Far

Where Is Villa? Is He Hurt or Not?

Villa is so elusive that the dispatches about his whereabouts and condition are conflicting.

He has been reported safe in body and limb within the last few days

ays. He has been reported as having broken leg and a wounded hip. He is said to be in a sequestered ut in the Sierra Madres near

Guerrero.

He is reputed to be in the San
Aureas hills heading with a shat-tered knee for Chihuahua with
American troops pursuing ten miles

He is reported by a statesman in

San Antonio, Texas, April 4 .-- Officisco Villa has fled far beyond the American forces and now is operating south of Chihuahua City was made at General Funston's headquarters to-

General Funston's headquarters to-day.

Since yesterday, much information indicating that the bandit was in the neighborhood of Satevo moving towards Parral, has been received but that regarded by General Funston and his staff as most reliable came from Consul Letcher at Chihuahua.

If it is proven that Villa is on his way south, perhaps toward Parral, or Torreon, the campaign against him cannot be carried much further unless the railroads between Chihuahua. City and the border are made available for the moving of troops to strengthen the lines of communication. This was frankly stated at General Funston's headquarters where it was also intimated that representations to this effect would be made to the War Department.

El Paso, Tex., April 4.—With Francisco Villa still in flight and first whereabouts apparently unknown to his pursuers the campaign of the American forces, now scouring northern Chihuahua for the bandit enterd to-day upon a broader phase. New troops have been ordered in Mexico from the military base at Columbus, N. M., to protect the lengthening line of communications.

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NORWAY QUERIES GERMANY
London, April 4.— A Copenhagen
dispatch says that Norway has requested Germany to investigate
whether German submarines were responsible for the torpedoing of the
large number of Norwegian ships destroyed within the past few days. It
it is proved that German submarines
were responsible Norway will demand
full compensation.

By Associated Press
Haverhill, Mass., April 4.— A trail
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by City Council as city forester, pro
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by Commissioner E. Z.
Gross, superintendent of parks and
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PAPER SITUATION

PENBROOK WILL

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and alternates-at-large who will run
office was vacated by Harry J. Mueloffice was vacated b

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Generally cloudy to-night and Wednesday; not much change in temperature; lowest to-night about 49 degrees.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Probably rain to-night; Wednesday cloudy; fresh northeast winds.

River
Rain fell over the entire Susquehanna basin in the last twentyfour hours, but it was generally
light and had no material effect
on the falling waters. The most
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discovered food stage, but will probably fall below that point tonight. The weather is expected
to continue unsettled with generally overcest skies, but there
probably will be little, if any,
r-1- and all streams are expected to continue to fall steadily. A
stage of about 12.7 feet is indicated for Harrisburg, Wednesday
morning.

General Conditions

l'emperature: 8 a. m., 38. 3un: Rises, 5:43 a. m.; sets, 6:32 p. m. Moon: First quarter, April 11, 9:36 a. m. River Stage: 14.9 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 44, Lowest temperature, 40, Mean temperature, 42, Normal temperature, 45,

MEXICAN BANDS MENACE AMERICAN SUPPLY TRAINS



TRUCKS IN MEXICO

(Heavy guards on trucks in Mexico.)

Grave apprehensions were expressed to-day by army officers for the safety of the American invading forces Numerous warnings from confidential and usually reliable sources say that Villa adherents in the Chihuahua desert north and south of Ascension and near the motor truck trail leading

The object, it is reported, is to cut the lines of communication, and, if possible, isolate and surround the stations of American forces in Mexico. Additional troops have been sent into Mexico to prevent this.

SINCE BEGINNING OF WAR ARE 993

199; Total Tonnage Runs in Millions

JUDGE SINKING OF RED CROSS SHIP

Torpedoing of Hospital Vessel by Germany

WORLD ASKED TO WILSON BLAMED FOR DANGEROUS SHIP SITUATION

Belligerents Lose 794; Neutrals, Russia Protests to Neutrals Navy Helpless to Rush Work Because Yards Are Overcrowded

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Now Has More Craft Than in 1915

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Britain Heaviest Sufferer, but Vessel Bore All Signs; Flag- Offers to Co-operate to Assist Demand of Government; Would Rush Armament

By Associated Press

London, April 4. — Admiral Sir Cyprian Bridge, in a report on merchant shipping losses, gives the following statement of total losses to shipping from the beginning if the war to March 23:

Loss to belligerents:

Steamers—British, 379, of 1,320,000 tons; French 41, 140,000 tons; Belgian 10, 30,000 tons; Russian 27, 42,000 tons; Italian 21, 70,000 tons; Japanese 3, 19,000 tons.

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MOB HOLDS TOWN | GIPPLE NAMED IN NEW ENGLAND AT ITS MERCY

During Riot in Haverhill, Mass.; Militia Called Out

Urged; Send Out Posters to

Schools of Nation

CITY FORESTER, **SALARY \$1,000**

Pro Tem. of Harry J.

Make Up Any Possible

Deficiency

BEFORE CONGRESS PAVE THE STREET

CAPITOL HILL IS REGULAR HIVE OF **PREPAREDNESS**

Windows Smashed at Will Council Confirms Successor Men in the State Government Getting Ready For a Political Contest Today

HUGHES LOOM UP

Conservation of Materials Motor Club Raises Fund to Colonel Against Fight Now in His Own Behalf; Justice to Respond to Unanimous Call

Washington, D. C., April 4.—The carcity of paper and of raw material plish the paving of Main street, Pen-Washington. D. C., April 4 .-- Colscarcity of paper and of raw material plish the paving of Main street, Pen-for the making of paper and what has brook now has promise of getting its Charles E. Hughes are now running neck-and-neck as the "deadlock" come to be known as the "paper sit-pation" in the United States has attracted the attention of Congress. Important developments mark the begin- of paying for eight feet of the stretch With the

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ELEVEN HUNDRED QUIET FOLLOWS MEASLES CASES HARD FIGHTING **AROUND VERDUN** SINCE MARCH 1

Caused More Deaths Than German Infantry Rests While Duck Hunter, Fined, Fights Diphtheria; Greatest Epidemic in History of City

Artillery Makes Feeble Response

Sheriff and 14 Deputies Twenty Hours

GRADUALLY ABATING POWDER FACTORY BURNS BLOWS OWN HEAD OFF

in Accidental Explosion

in England

Violation of Quarantine Laws 200 Persons Are Killed or Hurt Whole Village Terror Stricken Largely Responsible Says Dr. Raunick

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Government Has Key to Gasoline Problem Declares Bailey in Development Bill

Special to the Telegraph
Washington, D. C., April 4. —That
there are over six million acres of
oil-bearing lands which the United
States Government might develop on
its own initiative, was asserted by
Representative Warren Worth Bailey,
of Pennsylvania, in connection with
the bill for government entry into the
oil business, introduced in the House
yesterday.
"The gasoline situation is absolutely
in the hands of Congress, 'said Mr.
Balley. "It can solve the problem of
extortionate prices at a stroke if it is
so minded. I hope it will be so minded. Under the terms of my bill, the
Secretary of the Interior is authorized
to proceed with new development of
oil-bearing lands in the public domain.
There are over 6,000,000 acres of such
lands. If the people want cheaper
gasoline Congress can give it to them
right off the reel by putting my bill
lacross. It is as simple as rolling off a
log."

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After disposing of the matter in this manner, Mr. Bailev talked to a number of members of the House and he said he found them "considerably interested in my proposal." He said he helieved the Committee on Public Lands would take kindly to his proposal. Mr. Bailey thinks that the mere prospect of the adoption of his plan will have the effect of "bringing the oll monopoly up with a round turn."

State Wants City's Firehouses in Park Zone Kemoved by Jan. 1

o-day by the Capitol Park Extension

Harrisburg was formally requested

to-day by the Capitol Park Extension. Commission to move the Citizen and the Mount Vernon firehouses from the park extension zone by January 1, 1917, and Council this morning turned the communication over to Commissioner E. Z. Gross, superintendent of parks and public property.

The city released its property, including the streets, in the park zone November 16, 1911. The Mount Vernon frontage of 21 feet and the Citizen frontage of 23 feet in Fourth street are among the buildings which the city gave over to the State.

The request for the razing of the two firehouses, however, aroused considerable conjecture in city quarters as to what will become of the companies that are housed in that district. Commissioner Gross said he couldn't discuss the problem, as the matter hadn't progressed to that point. In certain firemen quarters, however, it is believed the two buildings will eventually lead to the establishment of a central fire station at the Hope and the possible removal of some of the equipment, of the two companies to the Camp Curtin or other houses.

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FUGITIVE CONVICT RETURNS

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FIVE SHOT DOWN BY INSANE MAN **DEFYING TOWN**

by Guide Who Shoots at Everyone in Sight

More than eleven hundred cases of measles—one of the worst epidemic, in the history of the city—have been reported to the City Health Bureau since March 1. Nine deaths were caused by diseases resulting from measles.

Because of the big epidemic, 1,117 cases of contagious ills were recorded during March, this year, making the total for the first three months 1,660—200 more than the total for the entire vear of 1915.

Ninety-three cases of measles have been reported for the first three days of this month, but the epidemic is now abating gradually, according to City Health Officer John M. J. Raunick, the Fobriusy 182 cases were reported and in January, 7, making the total for the year to date 1,313.

Violation of quarantine, according to the spread of the disease, which reached its height the fourth week of March, when 349 cases were recorded. Of the total, 1,021, the Tenth ward led with 182 cases: the Seventh was second with 158; the Ninth, third, with 117. All of these wards are densely populated, however, and have a number of school buildings in the territories.

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Powder Factory Blows Up A British powder factory in Kent [Continued on Page 14.]

Cost Roco Just \$20 to Shoot Robins at Wildwood Shoot Robins Sh

Shooting two robins in Wildwood Park cost Roco Cadirlan \$20 and costs after a hearing before Alderman Charles Emmet Murray. He was arrested on Saturday by State Game Protector C. B. Baum.

A warning has been given that any person caught shooting songbirds will be arrested and prosecuted and every effort will be made to enforce the law. It was reported that a number of young boys had been shooting at robins and other songbirds in Wildwood Park. Officials of the City Park. Department have taken measures to break up the practice.

BOY DROWNED AT MIDDLETOWN

Middletown, April 4.-Claude Holstein, aged 6 years, son of Mrs. Mabel Holstein, of this place, was drowned in the Swatara Creek this afternoon. Young Holstein, with a companion, was playing with an express wagon on the bank of the creek in the rear of the Rescue Hose House. The bank caved in, the boy and wagon tumbling into the creek. The body has not been recovered.

DRAW CHECK FOR \$70,703,600

New York, April 4 .-- A check for slightly more than \$70,703,600, said to be the largest ever drawn, passed through the New York Clearing House to-day. It was made by J. P. Morgan and Company on a local bank to the order of the Canadian government in payment of \$75,000,00 par value 5 per cent, bonds.

ANOTHER ZEPPELIN RAID

Berlin, April 4.—By Wireless.—Another Zeppelin rai on the British coast was made on Monday night, the Admiralty announced to-day. The fortifications near Yarmouth were attacked and the airships returned safely.

28 MILK PLANTS CLOSED

Chicago, April 4.-Twenty-eight milk distributing plants have been closed as a result of the strike of ten thousand farmers and dairymen around Chicago, according to an announcement to-day by the Milk Producers' Association. Three milk plants closed down to-day.

ASKS \$5,000 FOR HAND

Harrisburg .- Charging negligence, Harry Stevens, this afternoon began an action in trespass against the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Works for \$5,000. Stevens right hand was crushed in some machinery.

ALDINE'S ENDORSER SUED

Harrisburg-Suit to recover \$1200 from ex-Selectman Jesse Hedrick, endorser on a note for that amount obtained by Edwin S. Miller, proprietor of the Aldine hotel, was begun this afternoon by the Fink Brewing Company. The Aldine is one of the hotels for which a license was refused

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ira J. Klinger, Lykens, and Eva M. Rothermel, Jordan township,