

CUBANS CHEER AS GOMEZ IS TAKEN

Leader of Rebels and His Entire Staff Held Prisoner by Government

Havana, March 8.—The news that ex-President Jose Miguel Gomez, leader of the rebels and his entire staff were prisoners in the hands of Colonel Colazo, commander of the Government forces operating near the dividing line between Santa Clara and Camaguey provinces, was announced yesterday. It set the crowds about the presidential palace cheering wildly. The men were said to have been captured after a battle lasting several hours, in which many are believed to have been killed or wounded. Machine guns played a prominent part in the rebel defeat. Immediately following the news of Gomez's capture an unconfirmed report spread that Rigo Berto Fernandez in Santiago de Cuba had offered to surrender if allowed to come under the amnesty decree offered by President Menocal a few days ago.

RAILWAY TO CLEAN-UP

New York, March 8.—In an effort to relieve car shortage and freight congestion, a "clean-up" week, during which the railroads of the United States shall make an effort to clear their rails of freight accumulations, has been suggested by the commission on car service of the American Railway Association. It is urged that definite accomplishments be shown not later than March 12. There were 168,496 cars held in accumulation at various places on February 17.

ECZEMA CAUSED YEARS OF INTENSE AGONY

"I have suffered intense agony from eczema on my leg and other parts of my body for years, and received only temporary relief from other preparations. It is only a month since I started to use PETERSON'S OINTMENT, and there is no sign of eczema or itching. You can refer to me."—Geo. C. Talbot, Fenfield St., Buffalo, N. Y. I've got a hundred testimonials, says Peterson, just as sincere and honest as this one. Years ago, when I first started to put out PETERSON'S OINTMENT, I made up my mind to give a big box for 25 cents, and I'm still doing it as every druggist in the country knows. I guarantee PETERSON'S OINTMENT because I know that its mighty healing power is marvelous. I say to every one who buys a box that it will quickly guarantee relief for Salt Rheum, Old Sores, Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles, Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Chafing Burns, Scalder, and Sunburn, and if not satisfactory any druggist will return your money.—Adv.

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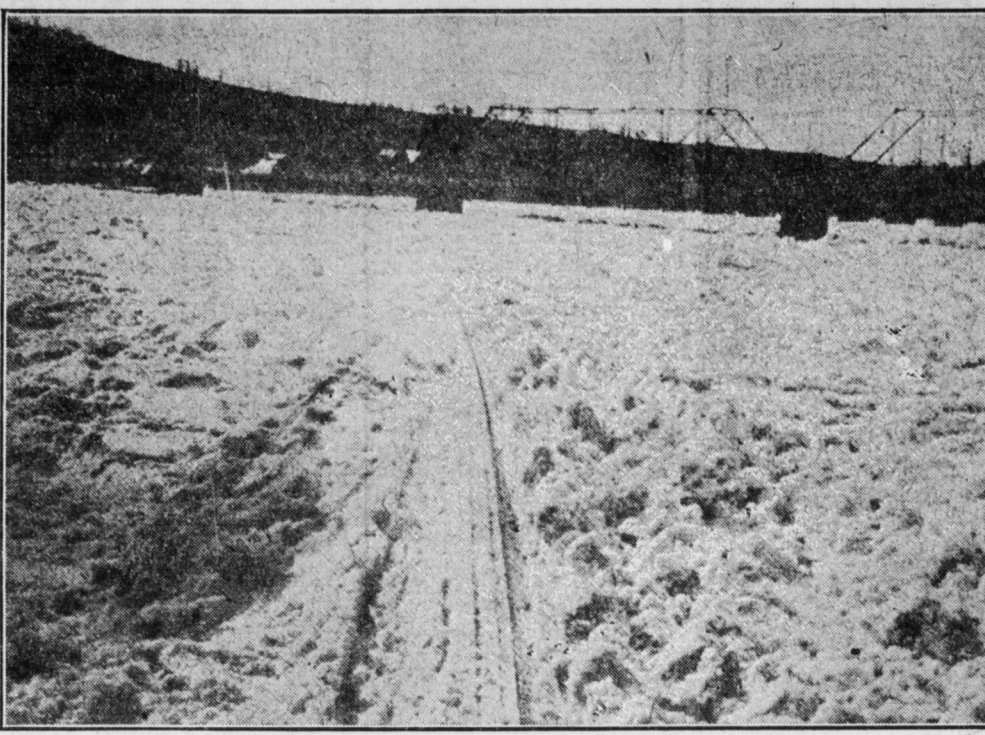
PUT STOMACH IN FINE CONDITION

Says Indigestion Results From An Excess of Hydrochloric Acid

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather, ferments the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that indigestion is caused by Hyper-acidity, meaning, there is an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts fermentation. Thus everything eaten sours in the stomach much like garbage sours in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflame the stomach like a toy balloon. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest, we belch up gas, we eructate sour food or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea. He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink while it is effervescing and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices. Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salt is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.

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VIEW OF THE RIVER HERE JUST PRIOR TO THE DISASTROUS FLOOD IN 1904



BERLIN EXPLAINS MEXICAN PLOT

Says Intrigue Was Only in Line With Government's Duty to German People

Berlin, March 8.—The Overseas News Agency has made public the following official statement concerning Germany's plan to have Mexico engage in war with the United States if the United States should not remain neutral after the declaration of unrestricted submarine warfare by Germany: "The decision to begin the unrestricted submarine war February 18 having been taken, an eventual conflict with America had to be considered by reason of its previous attitude. The facts have proven that the surmise was justified, for the American government, immediately after our notification concerning the barred zone, broke off diplomatic relations, and moreover, requested other neutral powers to join in this course of action. In anticipation of this possibility it was not only the right but also the duty of the government to take measures in time to counterbalance the joining of an additional ally on the side of our enemies. "The Imperial minister to Mexico was therefore instructed about the middle of January to offer an alliance to the Mexican government and to arrange the details, in case that the United States should declare war against us. The minister was expressly charged by instruction to take no steps with the Mexican government before he had obtained the absolute certainty that war had been declared by the United States. "It is not known by what means the American government acquired knowledge of the instructions, transmitted by secret ways to Mexico. It seems that traffic was prohibited until the water had subsided sufficiently to make an investigation.

Harmless Means of Reducing Fat

Many fat people fear ordinary means for reducing their weight. Here is an extraordinary method. Extraordinary because while perfectly harmless no dieting or exercise are necessary. Marmola's Prescription Tablets are made exactly in accordance with the famous Marmola Prescription. A reduction of two, three or four pounds a week is the rule. Procure them from any druggist or if you prefer, write to the Marmola Co., 864 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich., for a large case.

Bathe Internally And Keep Well

Nature has mightily equipped us all, old and young, to resist disease—but she requires that we give her a chance. We give her the chance if we permit the Lower Intestine to be more or less clogged with accumulated waste. Why Man of Today is a Sick Man to-day, as is proven by the number of laxative drugs that are consumed. You can help Nature in Nature's most effectual way by Internal Bathing and in an easy, non-habit-forming way keep the Lower Intestine as clean as Nature demands it to be for perfect health and surer defense against contagion. Over 100,000,000 million men, bright, healthy people testify to its results. Mrs. Roy W. Bisalaki, of Lancaster, Pa., writes: "I have derived much benefit from the use of the 'Cascade' which I purchased last fall, and think the wholehearted advice given in 'The Royal Road to Health' would alone bring a satisfying comfort to many sufferers. Yours truly."

ORRINE SAVED HIM FROM DRINK

"That Orrine really does bring quick relief to those being tortured by the liquor habit, is the testimony of many mothers, wives and daughters. This scientific preparation promptly kills all desire for whiskey, beer and other intoxicants. It can be given in the home secretly without loss of time from work. No sanitarium expense. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Ask us for free booklet telling all about Orrine. Geo. A. Gargas, 16 N. 3rd St., Harrisburg; John A. McCurdy, Steelton; H. F. Brunhouse, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

RIVER CONDITIONS ARE PARALLEL TO 1904

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without enough water to force it down the river. Gorges were formed at various points along the stream and its branches along the solidified by exceptionally cold weather in the following month. When the final break came these gorges were augmented, acting as dams and impounding great quantities of water. At that time big gorges were formed at Highspire and Bainbridge similar to the ones that are now menacing the safety of the down river towns. At Highspire the water has risen sufficiently to close the subway under the railroad and to compel the passengers to cross the tracks. River conditions remain the same at Harrisburg as they have been during the week. The rainfall was insufficient to move the ice in this section. Melting snow and rain have broken the ice at Renovo, but the jam at Williamsport still holds, causing a raise of 7 feet this week. No immediate breakup is expected at Harrisburg. The weather, averaged from Renovo, to-night with to-morrow fair and possibly cold enough to prevent the snow from melting.

Ready to Warn Residents The Water Supply Commission had not been created previous to 1904 and methods of warning the inhabitants of the lowlands were very inadequate. Now every precaution is being taken to warn the people of the lowland counties and enable them to take precautionary methods. The damage of the 1904 flood was estimated by different sources to be anywhere from two to eight millions of dollars. The railroad bridge at Sunbury, three spans of the Catawissa bridge, part of the Danville, Northumberland and Sunbury bridge were swept away.

At Harrisburg traffic from many points was at a standstill. The railroad tracks from Dock street to Middletown were under water for three days. The Steel Mills and Water Works at Steelton were rendered inoperative. Thousands of people in Middletown and Highspire and other nearby points were made homeless. One of the piers of the Market street bridge was damaged to such an extent that traffic was prohibited until the water had subsided sufficiently to make an investigation.

Fish From Pacific Coast Is Rushed to New York New York, March 8.—Four carloads of smelts, 30 pounds, arrived from the Pacific coast to-day and were placed on sale by the Mayor's food supply committee in stores throughout the city. The first carload of smelts, brought here a week ago, was quickly disposed of and the committee said that enough orders had been received from grocers to indicate that the smelt shipment would be exhausted within two days. A review of food conditions published to-day by Commissioner Hartigan of the Bureau of Weights and Measures, says that potatoes can now be sold at retail for five cents a pound, yellow onions at nine cents, and carrots, beets and parsnips at four from five cents. A week ago potatoes were selling at 12 cents a pound. Just before the war began the retail price here was from 1 to 3 cents a pound. The present price, Commissioner Hartigan says, is normal, considering conditions.

Big Demand For U. S. Flags Causes Supply Shortage New York, March 7.—Flag dealers say that the great demand for old glory since the beginning of Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare has caused a temporary shortage of supply and increased prices 25 per cent. Wooden and steel flagpoles also cost from one-third to one-half more than a year ago. The increase in flag prices is ascribed, first, to the tremendous demand; second, to the scarcity of dye-stuffs, and third, to the increased cost of material. The flag factories are working day and night shifts. Calls for more flags, dealers say, are coming from all parts of the country.

GUARD AGAINST VILLA RAID El Paso, Tex., March 8.—A motorized machine gun company of the Thirty-third Michigan Infantry, commanded by Captain Crossman, has been sent to Fort Hancock, Tex., to protect that town from a possible Villa raid. In addition to the motor machine gun company, there is a company of infantry and a troop of cavalry stationed at Fort Hancock. The Villa troops, numbering approximately 400, have been at the San Martin ranch for three days, and forty of the band came to the San Juan mine, nine miles across the border from Fort Hancock yesterday, to buy supplies.

NEW FARM REGULATIONS FOR IRISH FARMERS Dublin, Ireland, March 7.—The new regulations as to the expansion of tillage in Ireland, and the compulsory tillage of one-tenth of the land, are meeting with the labor difficulty. The farmers have secured a minimum price for their crops under the scheme and the laborers, of whom there is a shortage, are claiming their share. The gap between what the farmers offer and the laborers ask is a wide one. The laborers want 25 to 30 shillings, or 12 to 15 shillings a week with board and lodging. The farmers' offers range from 10 to 9 shillings a week with board and lodging for work done all the year round.

PRESIDENT'S GUESTS

Washington, March 6.—New rugs, draperies, furniture, tableware and other furnishings for the White House, said to be badly needed, must await action at another session of Congress, it developed to-day, because the \$50,000 asked for that purpose failed when Congress neglected to pass the sundry civil appropriation bill. Colonel W. W. Harts, superintendent of buildings and grounds in Washington, explained that \$8,000 worth of new china is particularly neglected because when state dinners are held it is necessary to supplement the Wilson china with pieces from two or three other presidential sets.

ONE LOT OF MUSLIN PILLOW TUBING, 45-inch, bleached, at, yard, Star Sale

★ 19c

ONE LOT OF TURKISH TOWELS, good size, 12½c value, at Star Sale

★ 8c

ONE LOT OF ROLLER TOWELING "Red Star," absorbent, bleached, 18-inch, Star Sale, yard

★ 9c

ONE LOT OF NEW PERCALES, all light and dark patterns, Special, Star Sale, yard

★ 13c

ONE LOT OF EMBROIDERIES, 5 inches wide, 10 c value, yard, special, Star Sale only

★ 5½c

NEW MIDDIES—blue and pink striped, collars and cuffs, 98c value, Star Sale at

★ 65c

ONE LOT OF TUB SILK WAISTS—also Jap silk, latest styles, \$2.50 value, Star Sale at

★ 1.98

ONE LOT OF MUSLIN DRAWERS, embroidery trimmed, 99c value, Star Sale only

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LADIES' \$6.00 BOOTS—vici kid, lace, grey, Havana brown, black and white, Star Sale

★ 4.75

MEN'S \$3.00 SHOES—lace and button, solid leather, Star Sale only

★ 2.48

FEEDING STUFF ARRESTS STARTED

State Agents Land Several Men Accused of Having Sold "Loaded" Stuff

Sixteen prosecutions against dealers who were selling feeding stuffs that were falsely guaranteed and adulterated, including some in the Cumberland Valley, have been ordered by Secretary of Agriculture Charles E. Patton. Four samples of turpentine were found to be adulterated with mineral spirits and two samples of linseed oil, representing shipments into the State, were found to be adulterated with mineral oil. Prosecutions were ordered in each case. Under the pure feed and turpentine and linseed oil acts it is the duty of the Department of Agriculture to prevent deception in the sale of these products. Samples are taken by the agents of the Department in all sections of the State and along with samples sent in by purchasers, they are turned over to the Bureau of Chemistry, where they are carefully analyzed to ascertain whether the various ingredients are up to the standard guaranteed and whether there are any adulterations or additions to increase weight or capacity. Six kinds of cottonseed meal were found to be falsely guaranteed for protein and contained excessive amounts of cottonseed hulls. Two samples of refuse middlings were falsely guaranteed and adulterated with ground corn cobs. Two samples of meat meal were low in the protein guaranteed and there were six cases where poultry and dairy feeds were improperly guaranteed. The feeds were sold and the prosecutions brought in the following counties: Adams, Chester, Delaware, Luzerne, Lawrence, Washington, Cumberland, Franklin, Tioga, Cambria, Lackawanna, Northampton and Indiana. The fertilizer bulletin showing the results of the fall inspection work and the ingredients of the principal fertilizers on the Pennsylvania market is now in the printer's hands and will be ready for distribution shortly. The reports of inspection of fertilizer stocks, lime, paint, oil and seeds are now being prepared for the past year.

MAKING IT PLAIN

The Pure Food and Drug Laws aim to protect the public by preventing mis-statements on the labels of preparations but some people continue to accept "extracts" of cod livers thinking they will get the benefits of an emulsion of cod liver oil. The difference is very great. An "emulsion" contains real cod liver oil, which has had the hearty endorsement of the medical profession for many years, while an "extract" is a product which contains no oil and is highly alcoholic. Scott's Emulsion guarantees the highest grade of real Norwegian cod liver oil, skillfully blended with glycerine and hypophosphites. Scott's is free from the false stimulation of alcohol and is endorsed by good physicians everywhere. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 16-18

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