

Pictures of World Events for News Readers

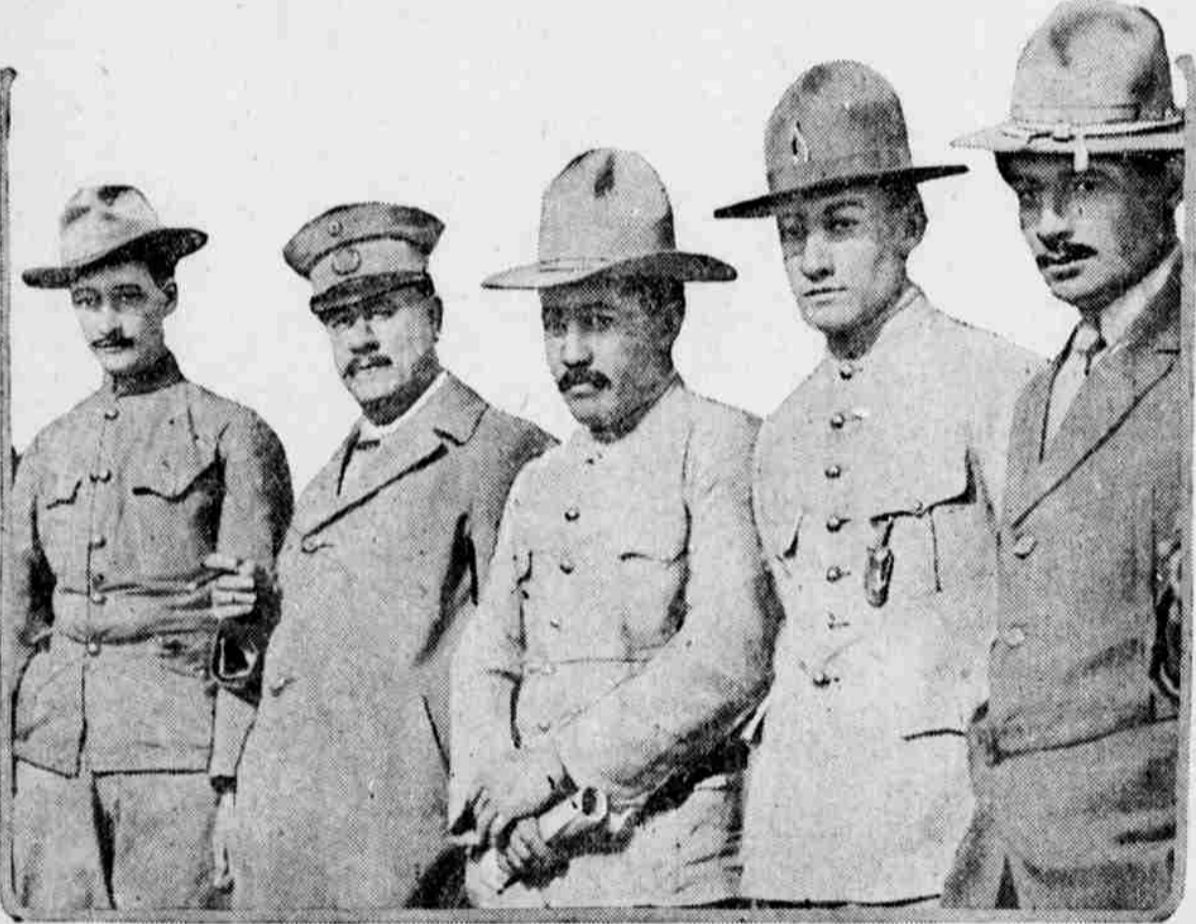
In This Department Our Readers in Fulton County and Elsewhere May Journey Around the World With the Camera on the Trail of History Making Happenings.

SCENES FROM NEW YORK'S SUBWAY DISASTER



The burning of two large electric cables in the New York subway resulted in the partial asphyxiation of hundreds of passengers, and a panic ensued in which scores were injured. One woman was killed. 1. One of the gratings through which many passengers were rescued. 2. Firemen who were dragged to the street after being suffocated. 3. One of the overcome passengers lying on the sidewalk while a pulmonologist is being prepared.

GENERAL HILL AND STAFF OFFICERS



General Hill is in command of the American troops at Naco, Ariz., the border town that has been suffering from the bullets fired across the line by the Mexicans attacking and defending the Mexican town of Naco.

FRENCH SOLDIERS IN NOVEL ROLE



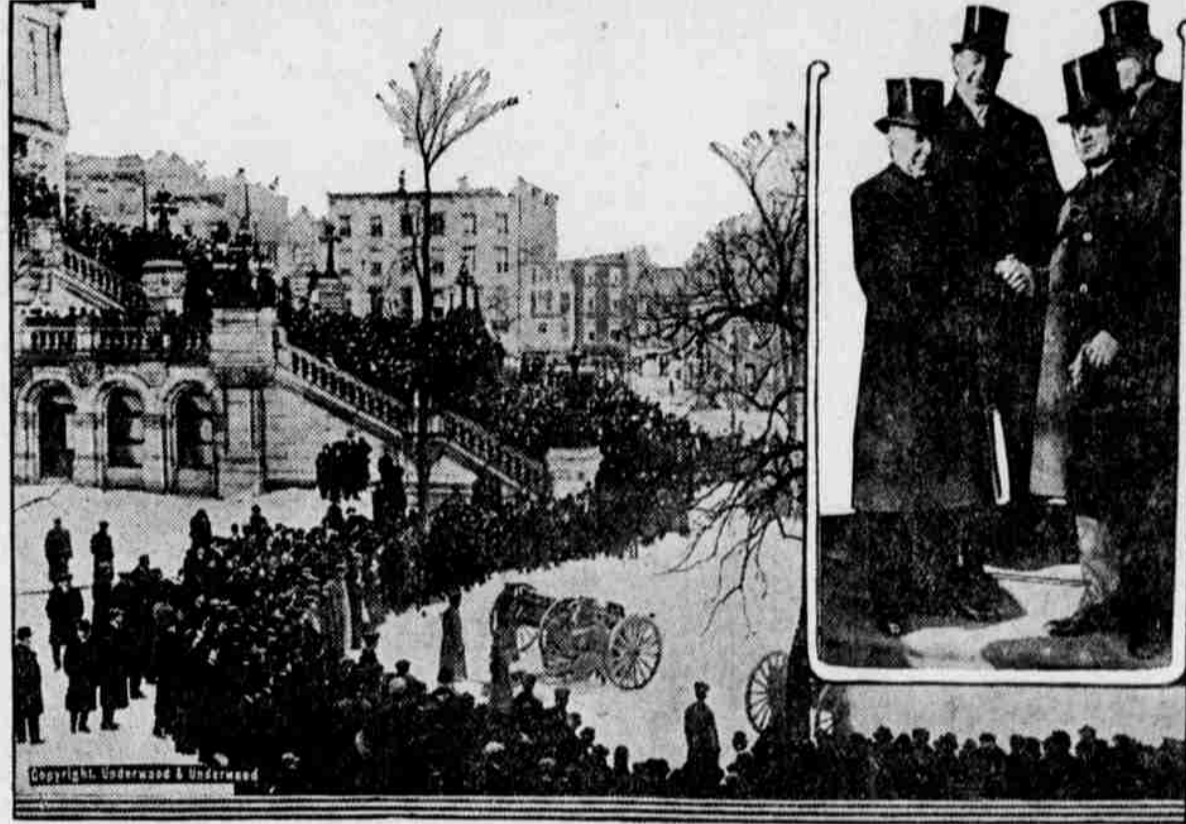
French soldiers near Arras helping the inhabitants repair their ruined homes so that they will be fit to live in. The houses were wrecked by German shells.

WELSHMAN WINS THE V. C.



Lance Corporal Fuller, the first Welshman to win the Victoria cross, was given the coveted decoration for saving the life of his commanding officer under fire. He is holding in his hand the bullet that put him out of action.

GOVERNOR WHITMAN OF NEW YORK INAUGURATED



Thirty-five thousand persons witnessed the great military parade in Albany the other day when Governor Whitman was inaugurated chief executive of New York state. Part of the throng in front of the capital is seen in the photograph, and the inset shows Mr. Whitman shaking hands with Mr. Glynn, the retiring governor.

FOLLOWING MOVEMENTS OF A GERMAN ADVANCE



French officers in the snow-covered fields behind their barbed wire barricade watching the movements of an advance party of the Germans in the Argonne region.

BRAZERS FOR PICKETS



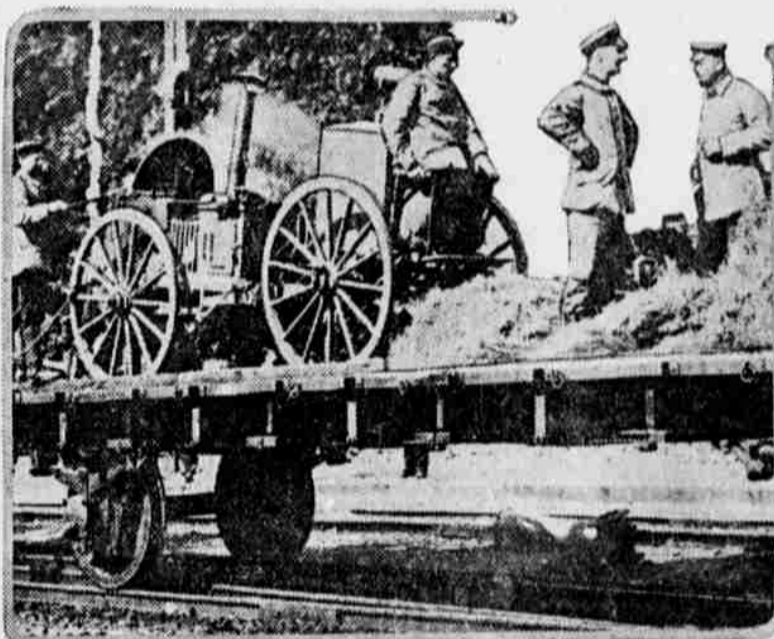
It is so cold on the battle lines in Europe that the French sentries are forced to keep fires burning in braziers, as shown in this photograph.

TARGET FOR GERMAN SHELLS



The coast guard signal station at Whitby, on the English coast, made a good target for the gunners of the raiding German warships and its condition shows their aim was excellent.

COOKING THE FOOD IN TRANSIT



On the movement of the base of supplies of an army depends the rapidity with which the main body of men can be moved. The Germans move their bases of supplies for their various army corps with an almost mathematical precision, timing the arrival of both at about the same time. The photograph shows how the commissary division of the German army works while it is in transit. In the field kitchen mounted on the railroad truck the food for the army which this particular division supplies is being prepared so that on its arrival at the base of operations the food is ready to be distributed among the hungry soldiers.

CIGARETTES WELCOME IN TRENCHES



Mrs. Gwynne distributing cigarettes to the men in the French trenches a few miles beyond Pervyse. To the hard-working soldiers nothing is more welcome than tobacco.

BRITISH REPLY TO AMERICAN NOTE

Claims the Right to Tar to Port if Necess Case

FULL ANSWER

United States Asks S national R "In Fav in Washington, I pointment is felt circles over the cont reply to the Americo, 50c a Box against British Id. KIDNEY American trade. While PILLS text of which was made ALO, N.Y. day night by Secretary of S is not the final statement Britain's position, it presages opinion of high officials here, a mination on the part of the L Government to evade the main tentions of the United States.

Main Contentions Slighted. Admitting as entirely sound and answerable the general principles international law upon which the American note was based, the reply seeks justification for England's actions, first, in statistics tending to show that American trade has not been made to suffer materially, and second, by quoting instances where attempts on the part of American shippers to conceal the real nature or destiny of their shipments have made it necessary to suspect a great many cargoes.

The reply does not, as far as this preliminary statement shows, in the opinion of officials here, sufficiently answer the main contentions of the American Government regarding the right of its shippers to consign cargoes "to order" and the question of "ultimate destination." While, as was anticipated, the reply is conciliatory in tone, one paragraph is calculated to arouse unfavorable comment, in that it questions whether the people of the United States would want the international relations between the two countries to be strained "in favor of private interests."

The note is signed by Sir Edward Grey, the British Minister of Foreign Affairs, and is addressed to Walter H. Page, the United States Ambassador at London. It sets forth that it being necessary for the British Government to have plenty of time in which to make a full reply it has been thought advisable to transmit a preliminary statement for the purpose of clearing the ground.

Awaiting Full Reply. At the White House it was stated that the President would make no comment on the reply.

The only formal comment made was contained in a brief statement by Secretary Bryan, who said:

"This answer being preliminary and not being intended as a complete reply, we will postpone comment until the full answer is received."

It is regarded as obvious, however, from the tone of the note that England desires to have considerable correspondence on the subject. On the other hand, it is stated that the State Department already has under consideration a stronger protest with regard to ship seizures which have more recently occurred.

1,174 BRITISH OFFICERS FALL. London Reports That Many Dead and 2,300 Wounded.

London.—Great Britain has lost since the war began a total of 1,174 officers killed and 2,300 wounded. In addition there are 650 officers reported as missing. These are the figures contained in the officers' casualty list for the last 13 days just given out.

During this period of nearly two weeks the losses were 93 officers killed, 148 wounded and 48 missing. The heaviest casualties were recorded in the Warwickshire Regiment, with 7 killed, 2 wounded and 3 missing; the Munster Fusiliers, 6 killed, 3 wounded and 2 missing; the Rifle Brigade, 3 killed, 6 wounded and 2 missing, and in the Highland Light Horse, 6 officers, killed, 1 wounded and 3 missing.

BANK PRESIDENT ACCUSED. Certified Checks For \$49,000 To Himself, is Charge.

Scranton, Pa.—William L. Watson, president of the First National Bank of Pittston, was held in \$10,000 bail for a further hearing next Friday by United States Commissioner George C. Sheuer, charged with over-certification of checks to his own account. It is alleged that Watson certified checks to himself for \$49,000, when his account was thousands of dollars short of that amount; that the checks were used in the purchase of securities, and that these securities were used as collateral for loans to meet the checks.

PRINCE LEADS TROOPS. King George's Heir Takes Territorials To the Trenches.

London.—Letters received here say that the Prince of Wales led the Hertfordshire territorials to the trenches on December 28. A column of 3,000 men, led by the Hertfordshire Regiment, the Prince at their head, marched 20 miles on New Year's Day.

TO FIGHT DEATH PENALTY. National Society Plans Campaign In Thirty-eight States.

Chicago.—Bills abolishing capital punishment in murder cases will be introduced in the Illinois legislature and 37 other States within the next few weeks by the Anti-Capital Punishment Society of America. It was announced here. The society is planning a nation-wide fight on hanging and electrocution. It seeks to have life imprisonment substituted on the statute books.