

# Pictures of World Events for News Readers

## STATE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

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.

Latest Doings in Various Parts of the State.

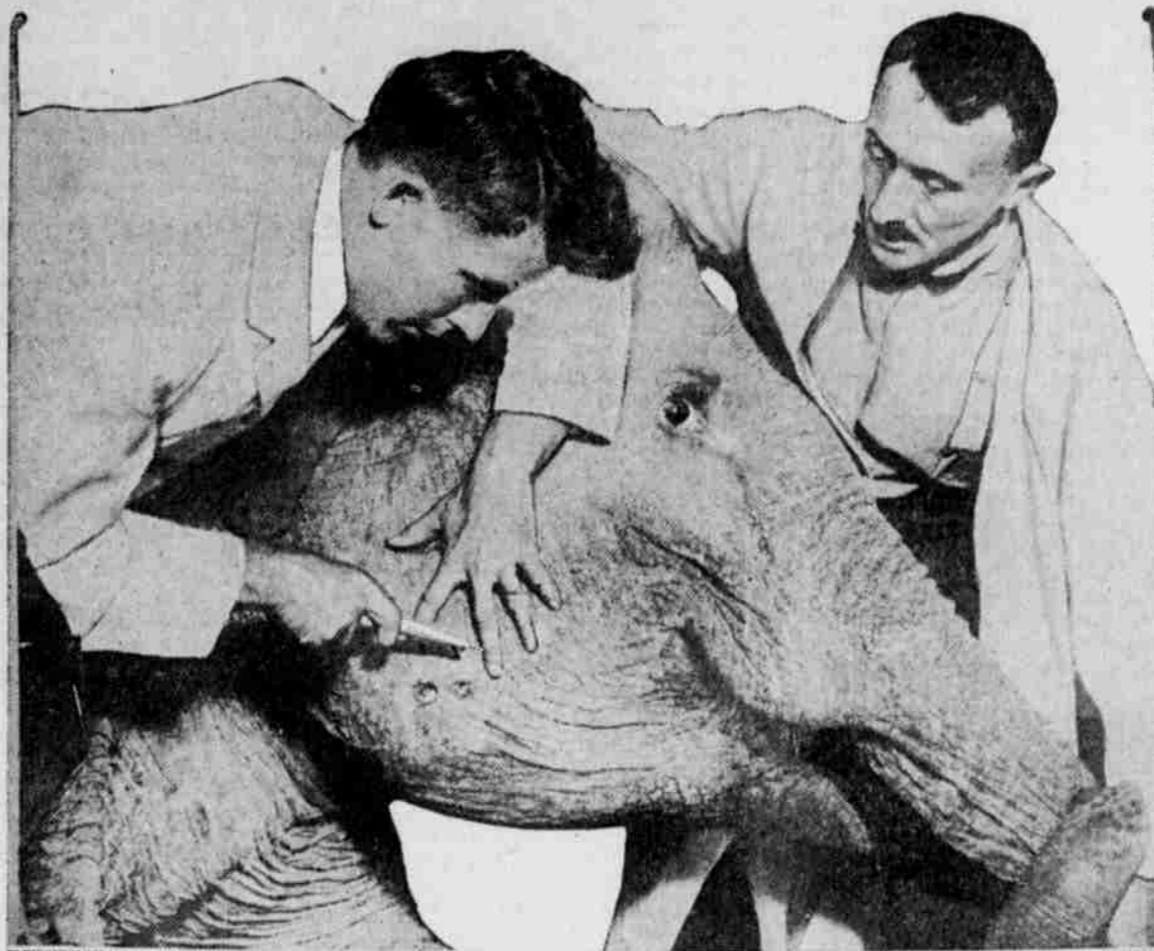
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### WHITE STAR LINER ARABIC SUNK BY GERMANS



Steamer Arabic of the White Star line, torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the South coast of Ireland as she was on her way from Liverpool to Boston. Of the 423 persons aboard about twenty are missing, and two of these are Americans. The map shows where the Arabic lies, in relation to the location of the similar successful attacks on the Lusitania and the Iberian.

### SURGEONS OPERATING ON AN ELEPHANT



A remarkable surgical operation was performed in Los Angeles, Cal., by Dr. Alex Moxley, who lanced two growths on the jaw of Tweedledum, the big elephant of the Bostock jungle. It took the combined strength of half a dozen men, to say nothing of the numerous chains, to keep the patient quiet.

Several thousand grangers of Chester and Delaware Counties, with their families, attended the annual picnic of Pomona Grange at Lenape Park, West Chester.

Ell Logan, a farmer near London Grove, committed suicide by taking poison. He was about forty-five years old and leaves a widow and five children.

Curtis Adams was held under \$500 bail by Alderman P. J. Martin, of Pottsville, charged with sending a scurrilous letter to Miss Mame Coyle, of Cressona.

Quincy A. Kuehner, once principal of the Tamaha Public School, and Miss Kate E. Follweiler, a former teacher, were married in Zion Lutheran Church by Rev. George Gebert.

William Berry, aged eighty-three, tired of life and poor, it is said, hanged himself in a room at a Easton hotel. His wife died two years ago and he had no children living.

Returning from the Panama Exposition, William A. De Cindry, of Washington, died suddenly at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Helen Hokenden, at Plymouth Meeting.

At the Newhard family reunion, Allentown, Major James D. Newhard was elected president, and the 700 present decided to erect a monument over the grave of their common ancestor.

Charles Dwight Sigbee, a son of Admiral Charles D. Sigbee, retired, United States Navy, was married at Lebanon to Miss Agnes Felcner Haddow, daughter of James Haddow.

Wilbur Hughes, thirteen years old, of Shenandoah, while attempting to cross the Lehigh Valley tracks, was run down and killed. His mother witnessed the accident, and is in a critical condition from the shock.

Running into an auto with his motorcycle, George D. Henninger, aged seventeen, son of Oscar L. Henninger, of Allentown, candidate for County Commissioner, is in the hospital with a compound fracture of the right leg.

Harrisburg's first "movie" operators strike has ended and there will be no interruption of amusements. A couple of operators went on strike, demanding more pay and fewer hours. They were mollified.

Walking on the Reading Railway tracks near Allentown in order to take a short cut to his home, William Botta, sixty-five years old, a peddler, was struck by a passenger train from Harrisburg and killed instantly.

George W. Schultz, a former member of the State Legislature, and Miss Beulah Kinobelee, both of Shamokin, were married at the Kinobelee summer home at Manassas, Va., the ceremony being performed by the Episcopal pastor of that place.

Francis Brenneck, aged twelve, a newsboy, of Altoona, was riding his bicycle out Beale Avenue, when he was run down by an automobile driven by Miss Pearl Jones, daughter of Theodore Jones. The boy was injured internally and may die. The car struck a tree and was wrecked.

State Forestry Commissioner Conklin and Bishop Ethelbert Talbot, of South Bethlehem, are protesting against the destroying of the beautiful shade trees along Center street, in case a borough ordinance providing for widening the sidewalks two feet on each side is enforced.

The plant of the Nitrate Products Company, located at Mount Carbon, was sold to the Atlas Powder Company, of Wilmington, a subsidiary of the du Pont Powder Company. The Mount Carbon plant will be continued under the name of the Atlas Nitrate Products Company, and also will be enlarged and its output greatly increased.

The Emanuel furnace of the Reading Iron Company was started up after an idleness of nearly a year. This stack produces about 200 tons of pig iron daily. The market conditions show an improvement, and the demand for iron is becoming greater every day.

Ethel Isobucht, a doll in her arms, sat on the Reading Railway track at Conshohocken and was killed by a train.

At the seventeenth annual reunion of the Lutz clan, at Kempton, the following officers were elected: President, Amandus Lutz; vice-president, Lewis M. Lutz; secretary, Alvin D. Lutz; assistant secretary, Anson Lutz, and treasurer, Wellington Lutz.

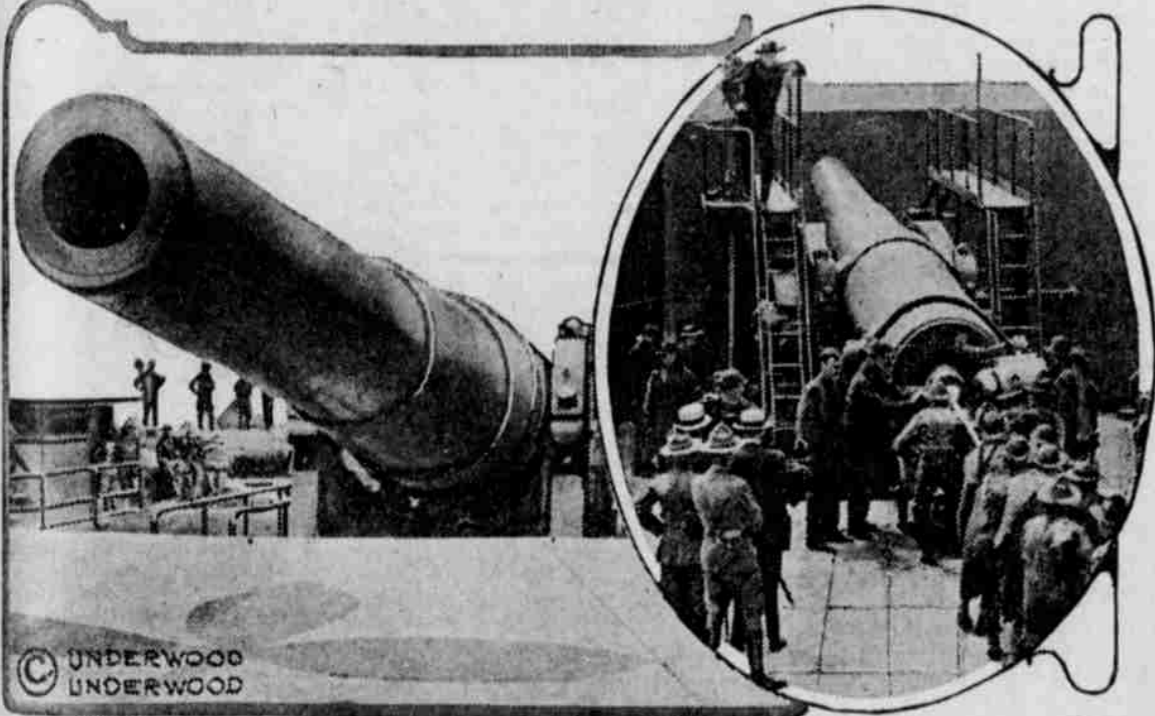
Patrick Sullivan, aged forty-five, arrested while kneeling in prayer at a street corner, in Chester, killed himself by slitting his throat with a penknife in his cell at City Hall. Where he procured the weapon is a mystery to the police.

The Atlas Powder Company, which operates a plant at Reynolds, notified its two hundred employes that in the future they will work eight hours a day with the regular ten-hour pay.

The annual Bushong family reunion of several counties was held at Little Springs Park, and it was the largest ever held by the clan.

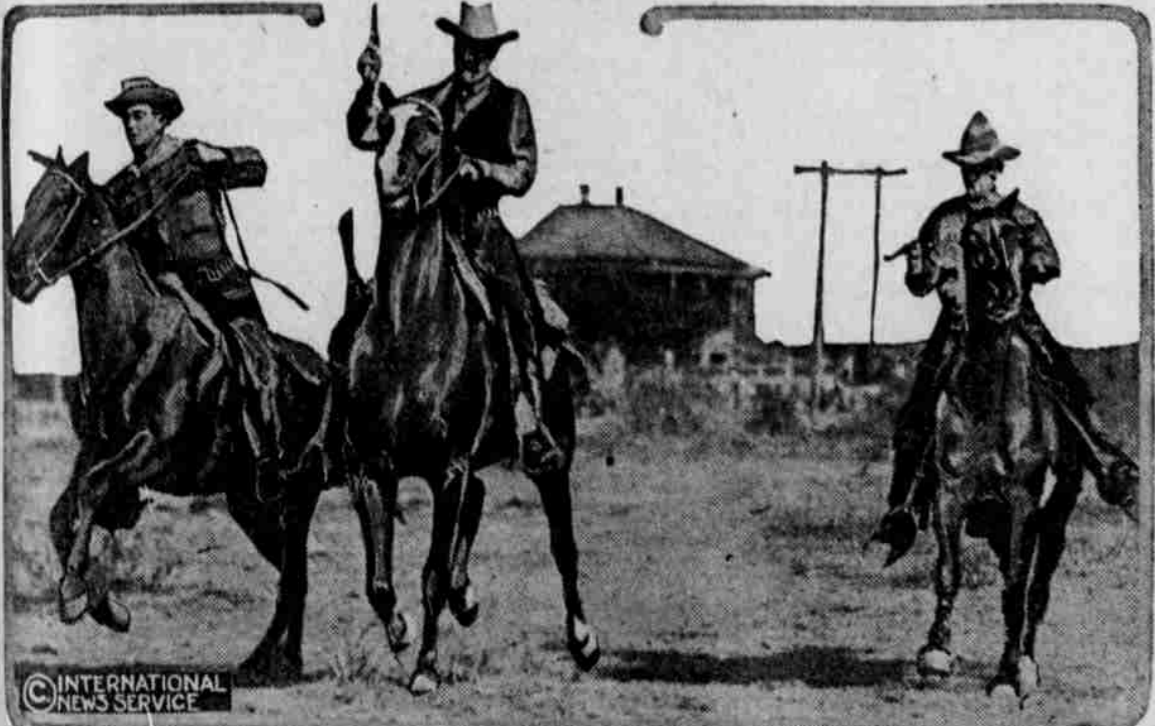
In the last five years Germany, France and Russia have spent \$28,000,000, \$22,500,000 and \$12,000,000 in the order named for aeronautics.

### READY TO DEFEND THE ATLANTIC COAST



This is one of the many 12-inch disappearing coast defense guns in the forts along the Atlantic coast. It is at Fort Wright on Fisher's island, off New London, Conn. At the right the coast defense division of the National Guard is seen at practice with this gun.

### TEXAN RANGERS CHARGING MEXICAN BANDITS



Texan rangers have been very active in the frequent fights with the Mexican bandits, who have been making raids on this side of the Rio Grande. Three of them are here seen in attack on the bandits north of Brownsville, Tex.

### OLD JAIL AT PORT-AU-PRINCE



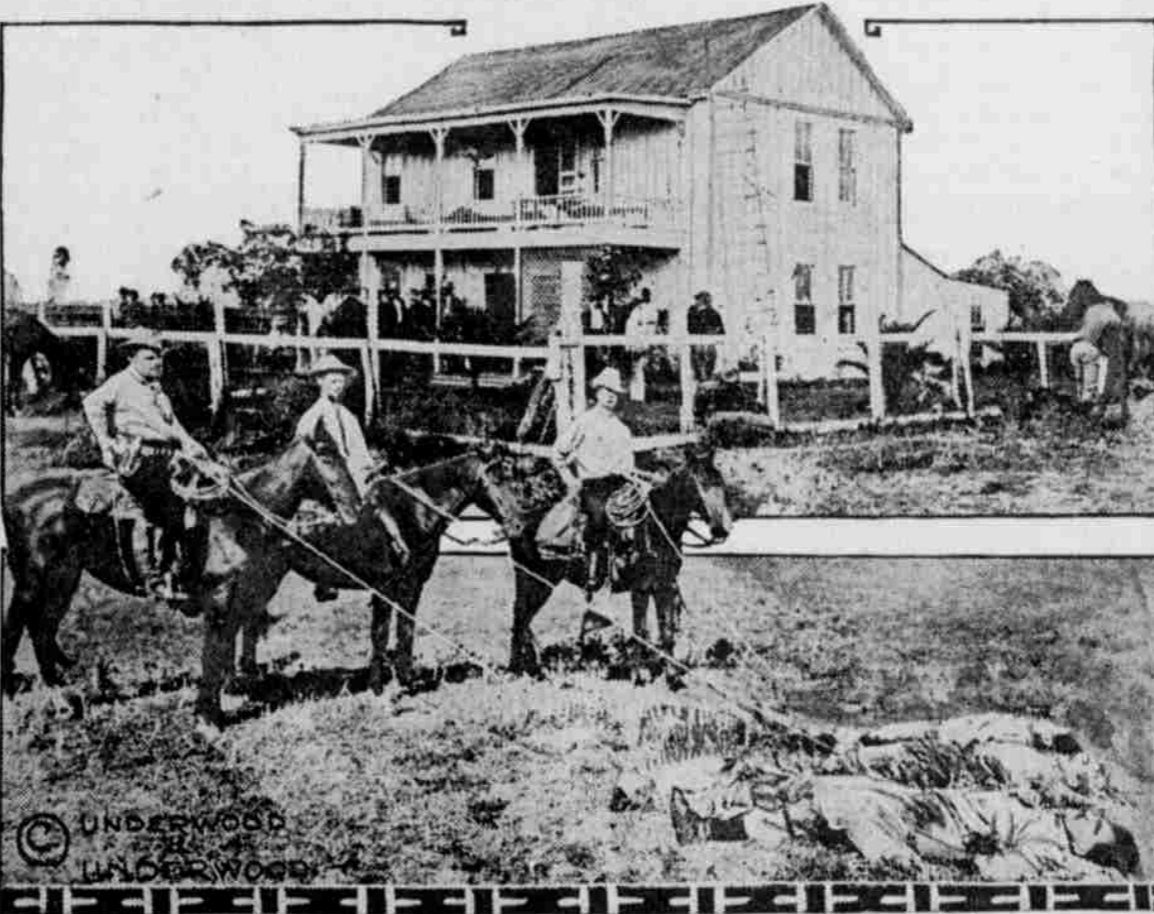
This is the antiquated jail at Port-au-Prince, Haiti, from which a large number of political prisoners were taken, lined up and shot by order of President Guillaume Sam, who was assassinated immediately afterward.

### OLDEST BUDDHIST PRIEST



At the right in the photograph is Rt. Rev. Sri Nazariananda, said to be the oldest living Buddhist priest. With him is the maharajah of Sikkim, India. They are among the Asiatics gathered in San Francisco for a convention of Buddhist priests.

### AMERICAN RANCHERS KILL MEXICAN BANDITS



In an encounter between American ranchers at Las Nocias, Tex., and Mexican bandits, who outnumbered the former four to one, the Americans took refuge in the ranch house shown above in the photograph and held the bandits at bay, killing five of them. Below, three of the cowboys ready to drag the dead Mexicans to the place of burial.

### INDIANA MAN GETS A PLUM

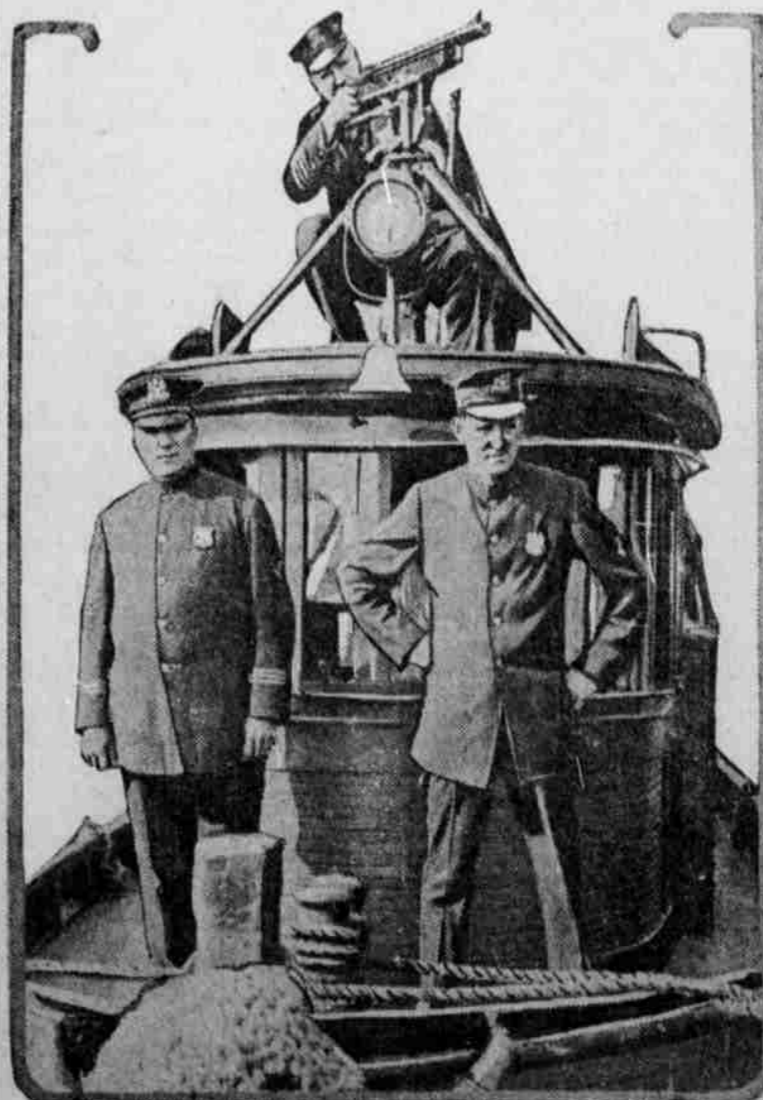


George E. Downey, comptroller of the treasury, who has been chosen to fill the vacancy on the bench of the United States court of claims caused by the retirement of Justice Howry. He comes from Indiana, where for ten years he was a circuit judge.

#### A Money-Maker.

"Is this tonic guaranteed to get results?"  
"Yes, sir," replied the patent medicine magnate, "and it's doing so right along. Our last month's dividend was a corker."

### NEW YORK POLICE BOATS ARMED



In order that the New York harbor police may be prepared for any eventuality, and especially to help the federal government in the enforcement of neutrality, the boats of the force have been armed with machine guns and the crews trained in their use.

#### A Painful Operation.

"Did you hear that our friend Bill had been superseded?"  
"Poor old Bill! Did they give him an anesthetic?"

#### The Real Cause.

"Did your husband suffer much with the humidity?"  
"No'm; the doctor said it was dyspepsy."