

# U. S. MARINES TAKE FIELD AGAINST SANDINO'S ARMY

## QUIT SHIPS FOR BATTLEGROUND WITHOUT DELAY

Twelve Hundred Form Line  
Opposing Forces in  
Stronghold.

## LEADERS LAY PLANS

Rumors Current Nicaraguan  
President Not Pleased,  
May Quit Job.

*UPI* United Press  
MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Jan. 16.—United States marine reinforcements have taken the field against the rebel band led by Gen. Augustino Sandino, it was learned today.

The marines, numbering approximately 1,200, arrived at Corinto from the United States over the week-end, and instead of proceeding here, went directly to field posts.

Meanwhile, Maj. Gen. Le Jeune, commander of the Marine Corps, and Brig. Gen. Logan Feland, who has been placed in charge of the American forces here, proceeded from Corinto to Managua.

**Commanders in Conference**  
General Le Jeune was brought here by airplane from Corinto, while General Feland came by train. They immediately went into conference with Col. Louis Gluck, who has been in command here. The officers spent several hours going over the situation.

The last major engagement with the Sandino rebels was reported Saturday, when an official report said Maj. R. E. Rowell, commanding a marine airplane bombing squadron, attacked a Sandino patrol, killing forty rebels.

The attack was near El Chiquito mountain, where Sandino and his followers are strongly entrenched. The bombing planes swung out of the clouds on the patrol. Some of the planes flew low and strafed the patrol with a vigorous machine gun fire. Hand grenades were used.

The Sandino patrol returned the fire and one of the marine planes was struck twice, but was not downed.

### Diaz May Resign

Meanwhile, Nicaraguan politics was becoming more tangled through the often repeated report that president Adolfo Diaz was considering resigning in the immediate future.

From a source close to the president it was learned Diaz is dissatisfied by what he terms the lack of support expected from the United States. Confirmation of the rumors thus far has been impossible.

Diaz, the reports said, felt that his presidential functions practically have been absorbed by the United States military and civil officials here, until his job has become one of troublesome responsibilities without real authority.

Jealousy between Diaz and General Moncada also was reported. It was said that Diaz feels Moncada has been favored unduly in being given several important missions.

Because of all these factors, it was said that Diaz feels his job "useless if not actually undignified."

## TWO INDIANA CHILDREN DIE BY FIRE IN HOME

Brothers, 5 and 6, Lose Lives at Michigan City.

*UPI* United Press  
MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Jan. 16.—A double funeral was being planned today for two boys, Theodore Kleszowski, 6, and his brother, Theodore, 5, who died Sunday night of burns suffered at the home here of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kleszowski.

The parents were visiting in Chicago at the time a child's prank resulted in fatal burns to the children.

The boys and two older children attempted to start a fire in the furnace in the basement of their home, using kerosene to get it going. The oil exploded in the furnace bowl and flames shot out, engulfing the boys.

The parents returned from Chicago and reached the bedside of the sons in a hospital before they died.

## MAN STABBED AT PARTY

Robert Chandler in Hospital; Woman Held for Quiz.

Robert Chandler, 42, of 906 College Ave., is in city hospital today suffering from a knife wound in the right breast as result, police say, of a liquor party at the home of Miss Maude Osborne, 37, of 709 Massachusetts Ave., Saturday night.

Miss Osborne was held in city prison on a vagrancy charge, while Chandler was ordered held at the hospital on the same charge. Police said both were unable to tell how Chandler was stabbed.

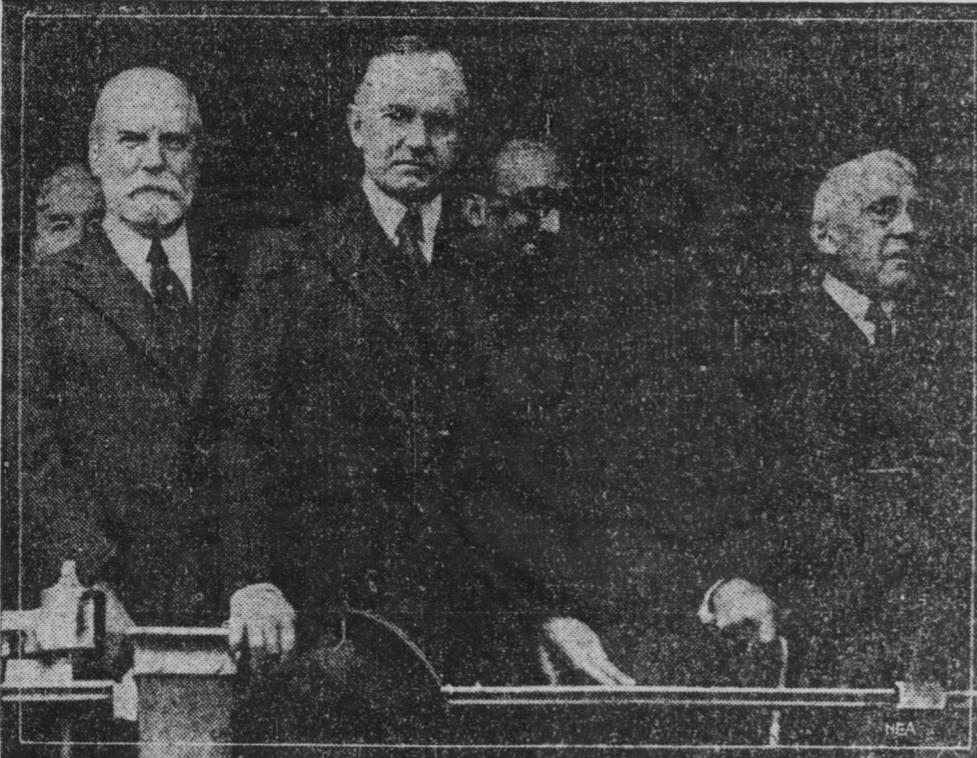
### Church Dedicated

*UPI* United Press  
FT. WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 16.—Devotional services and a musical program this evening will continue dedication ceremonies for the Calvary United Brethren Church, which opened Sunday—continuing through Friday. The church was organized in 1875.

Sues Dentist for \$20,000

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 16.—This is an extraction case. Lou De Weese desires to extract \$20,000 damages from Dr. Clifford Lowe, dentist, in a suit filed here. While extracting a tooth, the dentist broke De Weese's jaw, the suit alleges.

## 'Big Three' as They Started for Cuba



Here are America's "big three" in the Pan-American Congress being held at Havana, Cuba. To the left is former Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes; center, President Coolidge; right, Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg. They are pictured on the observation platform of the presidential special shortly before it left Washington.

## 'Hands Off Americas,' Coolidge Gives Geneva Friendly Hint

### New World Republics to Work Out Own Destiny, Says Havana Speech.

BY CARL D. GROAT,  
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HAVANA, Cuba, Jan. 16.—The American republics must join together to work out "their own destiny in their own way," President Coolidge told the Pan-American conference here today.

In a speech preaching the Golden Rule, peace and democracy for the western world, the President gave what was generally regarded as a new vitality to the Monroe Doctrine.

At the same time, he declared that the policies he outlined involved "no antagonism toward any other section of the world or any other organization."

These passages, largely viewed as a friendly note to the League of Nations and the world at large that the Americans will bind themselves ever more closely together, without outside interference, were linked with assurances that the Americans intend to let justice, equity and respect for each other's sovereignty prevail in all their relations.

### Nicaragua Ignored

"We realize that one of the most important services which we can render humanity, the one for which we are peculiarly responsible, is to maintain the ideals of our western world. That is our obligation," said President Coolidge.

"No one else can discharge it for us."

"If it is to be met, we must meet it ourselves. We must join together in assuring conditions under which our republics will have the freedom and the responsibility of working out their own destiny in their own way."

The President's speech made no reference to the recent United States ordering of more Marines to Nicaragua.

"Consideration, cooperation, friendship and charity," he designated as the "highest law" in international dealings, adding:

"If we are to experience a new era in our affairs, it will be because the world recognizes and lives in accordance with this spirit. Its most complete expression is the Golden Rule."

### Strong Business Ties

The President's message advocated stronger ties of business and communication, and favored development of aviation as a means of strengthening the bonds among the sister republics of the north and south.

Mr. Coolidge's address praised the democracy of these nations and held that "next to our attachment to the principle of self-government has been our attachment to the policy of peace."

The President declared the American republics had always gauged their military establishments to the needs of self-protection but never for the purpose of overawing or subjugating other nations.

"In the spirit of Christopher Columbus all of the Americas have an eternal bond of unity, a common heritage bequeathed to us alone," Coolidge said. "Unless we together redeem the promise which his voyage held for humanity, it must re-

### Highways Are Urged

President Coolidge declared the "republics south of the Rio Grande have produced a most satisfactory record of a resort to mediation, arbitration and other peaceful methods of adjustment and adjudication of their international differences." Maintenance and extension of such principles, he said, underlie the present conference.

Turning to the question of the press as a medium of promoting international goodwill, Mr. Coolidge emphasized that much damage can be done by "misinterpreting facts or by carelessness in presenting them in their true light."

The letter was written to Michael Wirtzfeld, insurance agent, and demanded \$50.

## ONE PINT FOR 12 CENTS—BUT THAT WAS THE PRICE MORE THAN A CENTURY AGO

**H**EAR ye! Hear ye! The commissioners of Marion County, State of Indiana, coming to the rescue of the thirsty citizens of Indianapolis and environs, hereby have proclaimed that no purveyor of intoxicating liquors shall charge more than the following for the same:

Pint of whisky, 12.5 cents; pint of imported rum, brandy, gin or wine, 25 cents; quart of cider or beer, 12.5 cents; quart of porter, ale wine or cider oil, 25 cents; pint of peach brandy, 25 cents;

cordial, country gin, or apple brandy, 19 cents.

But that was 106 years ago!

**T**HE commissioners held their first meeting April 15, 1822, to organize to administer the affairs of Marion County, "bound out of the County of Delaware by an act of the General Assembly approved Dec. 31, 1821."

A yellowed, panned record of the first few meetings of the commissioners just recently was found in the auditor's office.

It didn't take the commission-

ers long to get around to the liquor question. They disposed of that at the second meeting, April 16, by adopting the above schedule of prices for tavern keepers.

They also set these "ferry rates on White River opposite Indianapolis."

Each wagon and four horses or oxen, 62 cents; wagon and two horses or oxen, 37.5 cents; small wagon and one horse or ox, 31 cents; each extra horse or ox, 12.5 cents; extra man, woman and horse, 12.5 cents; each head or "neat" cattle, 3 cents; each head

## ROBBERY WAVE UNABATED; 19 AUTOS STOLEN

### Policeman Captures Bandit Pair; Thugs Operate in Gangs.

Indianapolis criminals continued in the lead in their war with police over the week-end, with nine holdups, seven of them successful. Police, however, gained several important victories.

In addition to the hold-ups, home talent and visiting thieves garnered several hundred dollars in minor burglaries and stole nineteen automobiles, valued at \$12,075.

Police captured two hold-up men in the act, arrested four bandit suspects, and recovered several of the automobiles.

One of the hold-ups was staged shortly after 5 a.m. today. Their faces masked with handkerchiefs, two men entered the "Joe Diner" lunch car, 431 N. Pennsylvania St., forced Attendant Dave Williams, 19, of 811 N. Illinois St., to lie on the floor and took \$30 from the cash register.

**Pedestrians Robbed**

Two pedestrians and a druggist were held up Sunday night. One victim said he was robbed by three men and the other by five.

George Blake, 348 Park Ave., was robbed on Forty-Fourth St., near Park Ave. of \$30 and keys. Blake said five men were in the auto from which one alighted to rob him.

Harry J. O'Leary, 3911 Rockville St., was nearly at the front door of his home when he was robbed of \$8 and a watch by three men.

A previous youthful bandit held up E. H. Hornsby, druggist, 3702 E. Michigan St., and his clerk, Ralph Gentry, 3721 E. Market St., and escaped with \$25.

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Sergt. Clifford Rutherford found another gun in Wright's pocket. Sweeney had \$45 taken from the filling station safe in his pocket.

A third bandit at the wheel of an auto speeded away when Armitage talked the hold-up plan.

Arlie Carter, manager of the Standard grocery at 2618 Speedway Rd., was the biggest loss in Saturday night's hold-ups. Three armed men took \$100 cash and \$25 in checks.

Stephan Banglevius, proprietor of East End Shoe repair shop, 6 N. Dearborn St., was robbed of \$16 by two young men with revolvers in each hand and masked.

Fred Fisher, 306 Creighton Ave., routed an armed man who attempted to hold him up as he was putting his car in a garage in the rear of 1222 N. New Jersey St.

**Victim Is Improved**

Lee Miller, 39, Negro, 2405 Park Ave., driver for the Monon Fuel Company, is improved in condition at the city hospital today. He was taken there late Saturday night after an encounter with bandits.

Two men hid in the coal yard at Michigan St. and Indiana Ave. and attacked Miller with a paving brick and iron bar.

Fire is believed to have put thieves to rout from the oil house at the Tucker & Dorsey Manufacturing Company, 302 S. State Ave., Saturday night.

State doctors have proclaimed Hickman "undoubtedly sane," defense specialists were just as emphatic in assertions that Hickman was "hopelessly unbalanced."

### CAPPER SEES DRY ISSUE

Race Between Smith and Hoover or Lowden Is Kansas's Pick.

*UPI* United Press

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16.—Prohibition will be the paramount issue in the coming presidential campaign, said Senator Arthur Capper (Rep.) of Kansas, who spoke last night at the Republican National Convention.

He predicted the nomination of Governor Al Smith on the Democratic ticket and said the real fight for the Republican nomination would be between Frank O. Lowden and Herbert Hoover.

### THREAT SUSPECT HELD

Note to Insurance Agent Warns "Hickman Case to Be Duplicated."

*UPI* United Press

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 16.—Albert Israel, 33, bill collector, was questioned here today regarding a letter which contained a threat that "the William Edward Hickman case of Los Angeles" would be duplicated.

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## Twins on Honor Roll



Miss Elsie Wells (left) and Miss Delsie Wells, Shortridge High School twins, have been on the school honor roll throughout the year. Both are on the "A" roll in November. Elsie has had no grade below "A." Her sister made three "A's" and one "B" for the last marks.

## STRIKE PARKED AUTO; THREE PERSONS HURT

Two Pinned Under Machine  
—Youth Suffers Broken  
Arm in Crash.

Delbert Warren, 19, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Warren, 1927 W. Vermont St., were injured Sunday when their automobile struck a parked car at New York St. and White River Blvd. and turned over.

C. E. Parr of 2256 Central Ave., owner of the parked automobile, was changing a tire at the time of the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren were pinned under their car and were released by several passers-by.

Delbert Warren suffered a broken right arm, while his parents were bruised.

**Woman, Three Children Hurt**

Mrs. Susan Marshalec of 519 W. Court St., and her three children, Victoria, 5; Mary, 4, and Anna, 3, were painfully injured Sunday night when they were struck by an automobile driven by Harry Weathers, 28, Negro, 427 Muskingum St., who was crossing Avenue at Washington St. Weathers was arrested.

Cleatus L. Taylor, 13, of 1354 Gent Ave., was injured Saturday night when the wagon in which he was riding with Don Hier, 15, of 1836 Gent Ave., was struck and demolished by a hit-and-run motorist at Eighteenth and Montcalm Sts.

Robert Jacobson, 24, R. R. P. Box 65-X, was arrested on a charge of failing to stop at a preferential street this morning when he collided with the police emergency car at Pennsylvania and New York Sts.

**Others Hurt in Accidents**