

## SULZER DEPLORES MEXICAN INVASION

Saying It Would Cost Millions, and Lives of Thousands Before Ended.

(National News Association)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Representative Sulzer, chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, in an interview on the Mexican situation is quoted today as declaring himself to be out of sympathy with those who favor rushing the army of the U. S. across the border.

"The invasion of Mexico by the U. S. troops," declared Mr. Sulzer, "will be equivalent to a declaration of war and it would be one of the most costly wars in our history, entailing loss of life and money beyond the comprehension of the finite mind. People who think the invasion of Mexico would be a picnic are not familiar with the facts, and know not what they say. I am reliably informed by experts that for us to hold Mexico would require an army of 500,000 to half a million soldiers and that the cost to the government of the U. S. would be hundreds and hundreds of millions of dollars."

"The loss of life would be terrible. The Mexicans, on the other hand, would promptly get together as a matter of pure patriotism to repel the invaders, and we would be handicapped and at a great disadvantage. On the other hand, the present situation in Mexico is deplorable but it is not a cause for the declaration upon the part of the United States."

"Mexico is a friendly sister republic. She should be treated as such by the government of the United States. Our policy should be to live up to our treaty obligations, enforce the neutrality laws, and indulge the hope that the patriotic people of Mexico will be unable to settle their own differences without the intervention of any other government on earth."

Here is a message of hope and good cheer from Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va., who is the mother of eighteen children. Mrs. Martin was cured of stomach trouble and constipation by Chamberlain's Tablets after five years of suffering, and now recommends these tablets to the public. Sold by all dealers.

## FINDS NO VERDICT IN RAILWAY WRECK

This afternoon after examining Brakemen Jones and Sweeney, two of the witnesses who were on the scene of the C. & O. accident between this city and Boston last Thursday afternoon, Coroner Pierce stated that it will be about ten days before he will have his verdict prepared on the death of Charles Keever and William Summers the two men who were killed in the accident. The coroner states that in his examination this afternoon he gathered no new information and that he will be obliged to call other witnesses back before he can prepare his verdict.

## CANADIAN FREIGHT RATES ARE PROBED

(National News Association)  
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 13.—Preliminary to a sweeping investigation which it is proposed to make into the freight rates charged by the railroads in the western provinces, the Board of Railway Commissioners met today to map out a line of procedure. The inquiry is expected to be the most important of its kind ever undertaken in Canada and the importance of the results on the commercial and industrial interests of the West can scarcely be overestimated. The railway commissioners were prompted to begin the investigation by the receipt of numerous complaints alleging discrimination against Albert and Saskatchewan in favor of Manitoba and also making general charges of excessive rates throughout the west.

## STOCK BREEDERS MEET

(National News Association)  
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 13.—With an attendance larger than usual, the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' association opened its seventeenth annual meeting at the Coliseum in this city today and everything indicates that the three days' session will be eminently successful and profitable to the attending farmers and stock breeders. The program includes addresses by noted authorities on live stock topics.

## CRUSHED TO DEATH

(National News Association)  
INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—Edwin Jones, 31, driver for a transfer company was crushed to death this noon between a sidewalk elevator and the iron doors above, which failed to open.

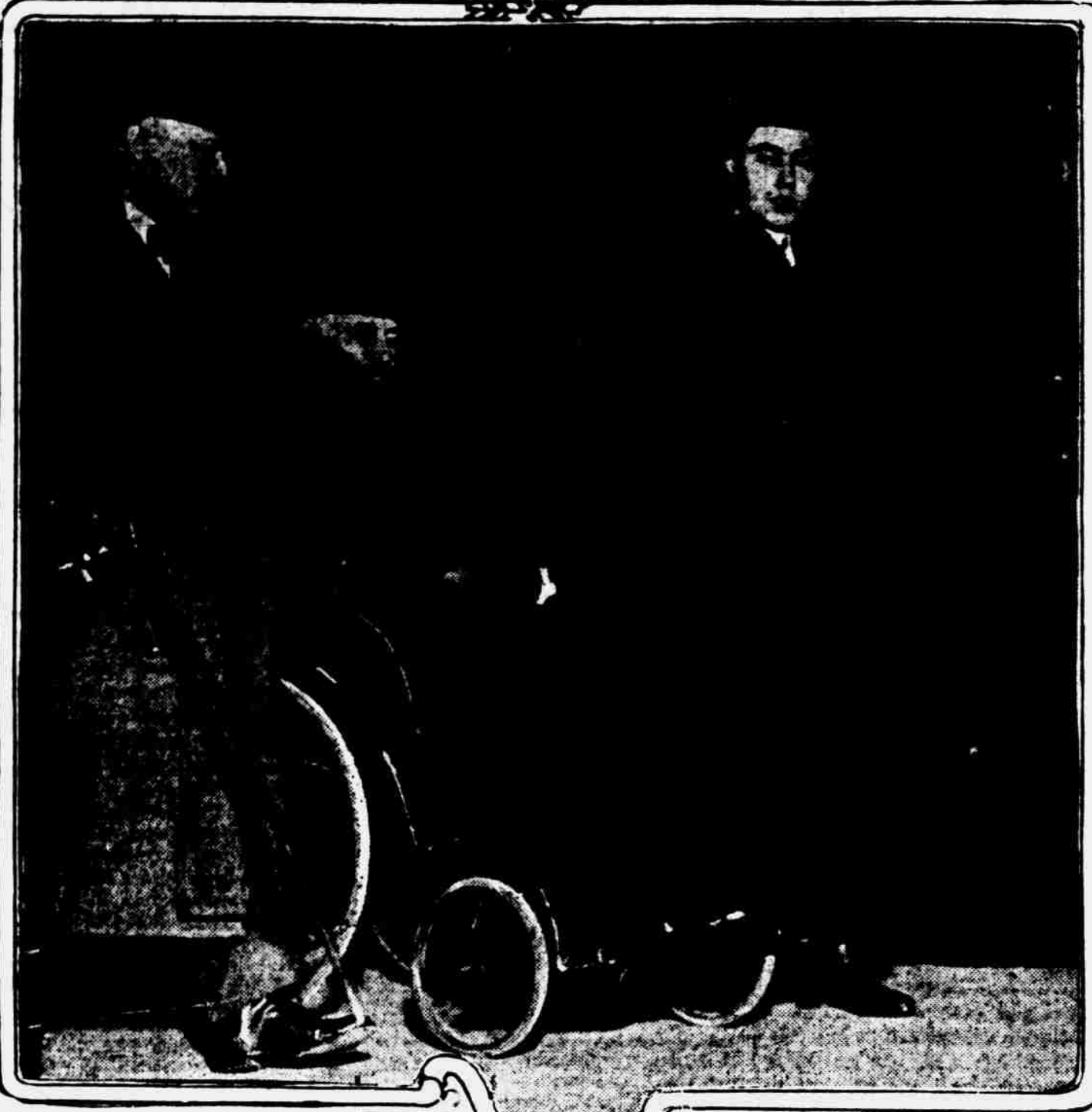
## City Statistics

**Births.**  
To Mr. and Mrs. Ward R. Blum, 190 North 3 street, first child, a son, Howard Frederick Blum.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Carver, 123 North Seventeenth street, first child, Lewis F. Carver.  
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Moss, 104 South Eighth street, second child, a daughter, Florence Moss.

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## Pardoned Convict Returns to Scene of Triumphs



Flashlight photograph of Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker whose sentence was commuted by President Taft, being wheeled from the Pennsylvania railroad station on his arrival in New York City on Thursday from Atlanta. On the convict banker's right is Dr. B. W. Fowler, the physician who accompanied him after his release from the federal prison, and on Morse's left is his son, B. W. Morse.

## PLAN A FAST TEAM NEW EPOCH IS NEAR BIG LEAGUES MEET

To Represent Richmond in K. I. O. League.

Plans for one of the best baseball teams in the history of this city are now under way following the granting of a franchise to Richmond at the meeting of the K. I. O. league at Cincinnati Sunday. At a meeting last evening the Richmond base ball association was organized, the following officers being elected: Frank Crump, president; Perry Zintdorf, vice-president; Roy E. Peck, secretary and business manager; Ralph H. Huxson, treasurer and J. C. Braxton, team manager.

Committees were appointed to formulate rules and regulations of the association and to get other work started.

Today, Messrs. Crump, Huxson and Braxton went to Dayton where they conferred with the manager of the Dayton team in regard to schedule. They also are looking for players.

Secretary Peck declared that one of the best teams will be put in the field and that every member of the association is working toward that end.

Season tickets will be issued immediately and placed on sale at the principal business places in the city. A committee on advertising is also at work.

The association will hold a meeting Thursday evening.

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## INSPECT CAPITOLS

(National News Association)  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.—E. W. Stephens, the chairman, and the other members of the Capitol Building Commission entrusted with the planning and the erection of a new capitol to replace the structure destroyed by fire on Feb. 5, of last year, started today on a tour of inspection to visit the capitols of Arkansas, Mississippi, Kentucky, Indiana, Minnesota and Wisconsin, with a view of gathering valuable information which will guide them in their future work.

**Stamp Needed In That Case.**  
"She stamped her foot."  
"That was all right if her foot was going by mail."—Exchange.

Philadelphia is to have a new convention hall. It is to cost \$4,000,000, and, together with its gardens, will cover four acres of ground.

## Bowels are Basis of Child Health

The careful mother, who watches closely the physical peculiarities of her children, will soon discover that the most important thing in connection with a child's constant good health is to keep the bowels regularly open. Stagnant bowels will be followed by loss of appetite, restlessness during sleep, irritability and a dozen and one similar evidences of physical disorder. At the first sign of such disorder give the child a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and repeat the dose the following night if necessary—more than that will scarcely be needed. You will find that the child will recover its accustomed good spirits at once and will eat and sleep normally. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts, cathartics, laxative waters and similar things, which are altogether too powerful for a child. The homes of Mrs. Belle Hier, 340 W. Market St., Huntington, Ind., and Mrs. Rose Harper, 1534 Second Ave., Terre Haute, Ind., are always supplied with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and with them, as with thousands of others, there is no substitute for this grand laxative. It is really more than a laxative, for it contains superior tonic properties which help to tone and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels so that after a brief use of it all laxative can be dispensed with and nature will do its own work. "Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 465 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Four names and addresses of similar things, which are altogether too powerful for a child, on a postal card will do."

American and National Are to Draft Schedules.

(National News Association)  
NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The club owners of the National league, together with the organization officials and several team managers, were on hand bright and early today for the second session of their annual meeting, the first part of which was held in December. The sessions are held at the Hotel Breslin, in this city, and will probably last until late tomorrow or Thursday. The managers will adopt a schedule of games for the coming season and the rules committee will be kept busy with the consideration of several proposed changes. Open dates and the playing of postponed games are to receive attention and some action may be taken to change the size of the rubber slab on which the pitcher stands and to reduce the size of the spikes worn by the players.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—The baseball magnates of the American league are gathering in Chicago for their annual schedule meeting tomorrow. Outside of business pertaining to the schedule, there is said to be nothing of much importance to receive attention. As the work of the schedule committee has already been inspected and approved by practically all of the club owners the meeting probably will be a very short one.

"There must soon be a reformation of the spirit of righteousness," concluded Dr. Koehne.

This evening, Dr. Koehne will talk on "agnosticism," and promises to "skin the skeptic alive."

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## MACHINERY HEARING

(National News Association)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Of interest alike to shoe manufacturers and makers of shoe machinery throughout the country is the hearing begun before the house judiciary committee today on the two bills introduced by Representative Thayer of Massachusetts intended to prevent discrimination in the sale or lease of machinery used in the manufacture of shoes. The bills are aimed directly against the United Shoe Machinery company, commonly called the "shoe machinery trust" against whose officers criminal action is pending in the Federal courts. The bills make it a criminal offense for any firm or individual to place any restrictions upon the free purchase and use of any tools, appliances or machinery used in the manufacture of shoes.

## NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Suffering a nervous collapse, Miss Bertha Evans, of near Albany, N. Y., was obliged to leave Earlham college this morning for her home. For some time Miss Evans has not been in the best of health and yesterday she suffered a breakdown and her leaving the institution was imperative.

## MENKE OPERATED ON

The condition of Frank Menke, the well known barber who was removed to the Reid Memorial hospital yesterday and operated on for a dropsical affliction, was not reassuring this afternoon, the attending physician stated. This is the second operation that Menke has undergone in the last two weeks for this ailment, the first one being an entire success.

## PROBATE COURT ITEMS

The final report in the settlement of the estate of Priscilla C. Harris has been filed in the Wayne circuit court by William H. Harris, administrator. The total charges and credits were \$324.40.

Inventory of the personal estate of William D. Frauman has been filed with the county clerk. The amount of cash was \$636.07 and the value of household goods was \$565.

## SENT TO INFIRMARY

Being unable to take care of himself, Robert Simpson made appeal to the township trustee for aid and has been sent to the county infirmary. Simpson is sixty-two years old.

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## HOST OF Y. M. C. A.

(National News Association)  
CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 13.—In conjunction with the Men and Religion convention being held here at present, the Young Men's Christian associations of North and South Carolina met here today for their ninth annual convention. Every one of the sixty or more Y. M. C. A. branches in the Carolinas is represented by delegates and in addition to them many ministers and laymen from various parts of the two states, who are interested in the work of the organization, are in attendance. The convention will last two days and according to every indication promises to be one of the most successful gatherings ever held in the Carolinas.

## BOYS LEG CUT OFF

Harry Boggs, one of the expert accountants at work on the books of the officers of the city was called to his home at Terre Haute, Sunday, because of an accident befalling his eleven year old son, Ralph. Young Boggs Sunday morning while trying to jump on a moving freight train with a number of other lads, was thrown between

the cars and his right leg severed. Mr. Boggs received word that afternoon, and left at once for his home. Mrs. Boggs is prostrated from the shock.

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