

## **1900 – April**

**1. April 30, 1900 – Casey Jones:**

**A) Railroad Train Engineer.**

**B) “Cannonball.”**

**C) Dies at throttle saving passengers.**

## **1900 – November**

**1. Presidential Election – Republican, William McKinley – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term.**

**1901**

**1. 256,000 civilians on the Federal payroll.**

**1901 - 1913**  
**\* ( 12 years ) \***  
**The Moro Revolt**

- 1. Primarily in the Southern Philippines.**
- 2. Will continue until World War I - Never totally defeated - Simply tapers off until it is faded out.**
- 3. The proving ground for U.S. anti-guerrilla tactics.**
- 4. Moros:**
  - (1) Malay stock like Filipinos.**
  - (2) Mohammedanism.**
  - (3) Piracy - Slavery - Polygamy.**
  - (4) Suspicious - Superstitious - Prejudiced.**
  - (5) 1900 - 600,000 in numbers.**
- 5. 1900 - The Bates Treaty - Between U.S. and Sultan of Sulu:**
  - (1) In reality is a bribe to not cause trouble.**
  - (2) He only controls 1/3 of the Moros.**
  - (3) On Mindanao the tribal Chieftans and Priests rule - Don't obey him.**
  - (4) American forces start occupying towns on Mindanao.**
  - (5) Moros retreat into the mountains.**
  - (6) Americans issue decree: No more piracy or slavery.**
  - (7) Moros retaliate: Raids stealing cattle and people for slavery.**
- 6. 1901 - Moros murder several Americans.**
- 7. U.S. forces attack the Sultan of Pandatahan near Lake Lanao:**
  - (1) Kill the Sultan and over 200 Moros.**
- 8. 1,000's of Moros defy the occupation law:**
  - (1) Refuse to pay poll taxes.**
  - (2) Finally erupts into open rebellion.**

**9. Battle of Sohoton River - Moros are entrenched on the 200 foot high cliffs on both sides of the river:**

**(1) 1,678 Marines under Major Tony Waller assault and drive them off.**

**10. Lt. John Pershing leads an expedition against the Sultan of Maciu on the South shore of Lake Lanao:**

**(1) Fort of mud walls - 10 feet thick - Surrounded by a moat.**

**(2) Night attack by Americans.**

**(3) 50 Moros killed.**

**(4) Dawn - Attack continues - Fort taken.**

**11. March 7, 1906 - 1<sup>st</sup> Battle of Mt. Bud Dajo - 600 Moros hold a fortified crater on the mountain:**

**(1) Infantry, Marines, and Moro Police fight their way up the mountain.**

**(2) Bloody - Hand-to-hand - Morops fight to the death.**

**(3) All 600 Moros are killed.**

**(4) ¼ of the U.S. force is killed.**

**12. 1909 - Moro weapon - Juramentado:**

**(1) Religion.....frenzy! - Opium - Bound testicles:**

**A) Bolo knife.**

**B) Kill and cut up any christian man, woman, or child.**

**C) If killed fighting.....go directly to the arms of Mohammed.**

**D) .38 won't stop them - .45 is developed!**

**13. The Samar Massacre:**

**(1) Catch an American camp unaware.**

**(2) Kill 49 Americans.**

**14. December 24 & 25, 1911 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Battle of Mt. Bud Dajo:**

**(1) 300 Moros occupy the crater:**

**A) Surrounded and trapped by American forces.**

**B) Surrender on the 25<sup>th</sup>.**

**15. June 11<sup>th</sup> thru 15<sup>th</sup>, 1913 - Battle of Mt. Gagsak:**

**(1) Fortress on top of mountain.**

- (2) American attack on the 11<sup>th</sup> is repulsed.**
- (3) Surrounded by Americans.**
- (4) Won't surrender.**
- (5) Night - 15<sup>th</sup> - Americans attack.**
- (6) Moros caught in crossfire.**
- (7) 2,000 Moro men, women, and children are killed.**
- (8) Americans lose 6 killed and 7 wounded.**

## **1901 - January**

- 1. January 21, 1901 – Carrie Amelia Moore Nation:**
  - A) 54 years old.**
  - B) Hates liquor, saloons, etc.!**
  - C) Wichita, Kansas:**
    - I. Hatchet raids on bars, saloons, and taverns.**
    - II. Kansas...Prohibition state:**
      - (1) Her rationale...Thus, it is “OK” to destroy saloons because they are “illegal!”**
  - D) America’s 1<sup>st</sup> Prohibition Movement!**
  - E) Pays court fines from:**
    - I. Selling souvenir hatchets.**
    - II. Lectures.**
    - III. Stage appearances.**
  - F) Dies – 1911.**

## **1901 - March**

- 1. March 4, 1901 – Inauguration – Republican,  
William McKinley – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term.**



**September 6, 1901**

**\* The Assassination of Pres. William McKinley \***

- 1. September 6, 1901 - Pres. McKinley is attending the Pan/American Exposition in Buffalo, New York:**
  - A) Just finished hearing a music recital in the Temple of Music.**
  - B) 4:00 - Afternoon - Public reception line to shake hand.**
  - C) In line - Hand wrapped in a handkerchief - "Hurt" - Leon Czolgosz:**
    - I. 28 years old - Anarchist - "Propaganda by deed."**
  - D) 4:07 - Afternoon - McKinley smiles at Czolgosz puts hand forward:**
    - I. Czolgosz lunges forward - Slaps McKinley's hand out of the way.**
    - II. Shoves "handkerchiefed" hand against McKinley's body - .32 caliber Iver/Johnson revolver - Fires twice:**
      - \*\*President falls.**
      - \*\*1<sup>st</sup> bullet - Hits breastbone - Not fatal.**
      - \*\*2<sup>nd</sup> bullet - Enters abdomen - Goes through the pancreas - Goes through one kidney - Stops in the muscles of the back just below the skin.**
  - E) Czolgosz - Arrested - Taken away.**
- 2. McKinley - Pan/American Hospital - Treated:**
  - A) Diagnosis - Will recover!**
- 3. GETS WORSE!**
- 4. Blood poison sets in:**
  - A) Saturday morning - 2:15 - September 14, 1901 - Dies!**

5. Same day - 3:00 - Afternoon - Buffalo, New York - Vice President, Theodore Roosevelt is given the oath of office as President of the United States.

6. Czolgosz - Tried - "Guilty":

A) Entire trial lasts 8 hours 26 minutes!

B) Jury out for only 34 minutes.....DEATH!

C) October 29, 1901 - Auburn, New York - Prison - 7:12 - Morning - Electric Chair:

I. Takes 3 charges to kill him!

*— Claims He Did IT:  
"For the Poor!"*

## **1902**

### **1. Dr. Charles Stiles:**

**A) Discovers Hookworm Disease.**

### **2. Articles – “McClure’s” magazine:**

**A) One - Written by Lincoln Steffans:**

**I. “The Shame of the Cities”:**

**(1) Investigation into the Political Graft in St. Louis.**

**B) One – Written by Ida Tarbell:**

**I. “History of the Standard Oil Company”:**

**(1) Discloses crimes of the political and economic elite.**

**C) President Theodore Roosevelt calls these articles “Muckraking” journalism:**

**I. Exposing.**

### **3. Gifford Pinchot – Pres. Theodore Roosevelt’s Chief Forrester:**

**A) Convinces the Pres. that the U.S. should use resources more efficiently.**

### **4. The Newlands Reclamation Act:**

**A) Gives the Agricultural Department authority to build reservoirs and irrigation systems in the West:**

**I. From 1902 to 1906 – 3 million desert acres in the west are turned into Farms.**

**\*1902 - 1903\***  
**The Venezuelan Crisis**

- 1. Caused by Venezuela's indebtedness to European creditors.**
- 2. President Cipriano Castro refuses to pay the debt:**
  - A) England, Germany, and Italy send warships:**
    - I. Shell a coastal fort.**
    - II. Sink a Venezuelan gunboat.**
    - III. Blockade the coast.**
- 3. President Teddy Roosevelt reminds the 3 nations of the Monroe Doctrine:**
  - A) He sends 50 ships under Admiral George Dewey to the eastern Caribbean:**
    - I. U.S. says it will use force unless the countries agree to international arbitration.**
    - II. Agreed!**
- 4. The U.S. makes it clear it will no longer tolerate European military intervention in Latin America!!**

## **1902 – March**

**1. March 6, 1902 – Congress:**

**A) Creates – The Bureau of Census.**

## **1902 – May**

### **1. The Anthracite Coal Strike:**

#### **A) Anthracite Coal:**

##### **I. Soft Coal:**

**(1) For Railroads & Heating Homes.**

#### **B) Eastern Pennsylvania.**

#### **C) 150,000 members of the United Mine Workers strike:**

**I. Are making less than \$6 per week.**

#### **D) Owners refuse to deal with the Union!**

#### **E) October – President Theodore Roosevelt acts:**

**I. Invites both sides to Washington, D.C.**

#### **F) Union accepts.....Owners refuse!!!!!!**

#### **G) Roosevelt threatens to use the Army and take over the mines!**

#### **H) Owners give in!!**

#### **I) 1<sup>st</sup> time...Strike...Settled by Federal Arbitration.**

#### **J) 1<sup>st</sup> Union Strike where workers are NOT denounced as revolutionaries.**

# **1903**

**1. The Ford Motor Company is formed.**

**2. John D. Rockefeller – Donates \$7 million:**

**A) To fight Tuberculosis.**

**3. Edison Studios – “The Great Train Robbery”:**

**A) 1<sup>st</sup> complete motion picture in history.**

**4. International & Domestic beliefs of President Theodore Roosevelt:**

**A) Says: “Global trade and communication separate civilized nations from savage and barbaric nations.”**

**B) Feels it is okay to interfere in the Governments of Asia, Africa, or Latin America if:**

**I. They block the progress of civilization.**

**C) Feels it is the moral duty of the U.S. to:**

**I. Overthrow Governments.**

**II. Seize territory.**

**III. Act in the best interest of the peoples of the world.**

**D) Feels it is the duty of the Federal Government to:**

**I. Intervene in the Economy to protect citizens.**



## **1903 - January**

**1. January 1, 1903 – Pacific Cable is opened:**

**A) Connects San Francisco & Hawaii.**

## **1903 - February**

- 1. February 23, 1903 – Cuba leases Guantanamo Bay to the United States:  
A) As a Naval Station.**

## **1903 - May**

**1. May 23, 1903 – Wisconsin:**

**A) 1<sup>st</sup> State.**

**B) Direct Primary for Party Elections.**

**2. May 23, 1903 to August 1, 1903 – 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Transcontinental Automobile Trip:**

**A) 71 days.**

**B) San Francisco, California to New York City,  
New York.**

**June 1903**

**The Dewey-Berry Feud**

**1. Charles Dewey:**

**A) Known as "C.P."**

**B) 1880's arrives in Kansas.**

**C) Rawlins County – Establishes the Dewey Cattle Company.**

**D) He and his son, Chauncey, control 14,000 head of cattle.**

**E) Are accused of:**

**I. Illegally picking up land mortgages totaling 80,000 acres!**

**II. Illegally fencing land that doesn't belong to them!**

**III. Illegally fencing in water holes that do not belong to them!**

**IV. Illegally foreclosing on Government land.**

**2. Are opposed by the Daniel Berry Family:**

**A) Are located in Cheyenne County – 5 miles from the Dewey Ranch!**

**3. 1902 – Trouble starts:**

**A) The Dewey's try to plant barley on disputed ground:**

**I. Stopped by armed Berry men!**

**II. Burch Berry chases Chauncey Dewey and Will McBride off the disputed land!**

**III. Roy Berry attacks 4 Dewey cowboys:**

**a. He will be arrested for disturbing the peace.**

**4. Most of the settlers side with the Berry's!**

**5. Dewey wells are filled and poisoned!**

**6. Dewey fences are cut!**

**7. Threats are issued!**

**8. 70 armed men ride to the Dewey Ranch:**

**A) Tell Chauncey to "go east!"**

**9. 20 of Dewey's purebred Hereford bulls are shot:**

**A) 11 of them die!**

**10. June 2, 1903 – The Berry's hold an auction:**

**A) Al Winship buys a water tank for Chauncey Dewey.**

**11. June 3, 1903 – Chauncey Dewey and 10 men go to the ranch of Alpheus Berry to get the tank:**

**A) Roy Berry – Beach Berry – and Burch Berry ride up!**

- B) Tell Chauncey and his men they are not going to take the tank!**
- C) Roy Berry pulls his pistol – Fires at Chauncey Dewey – Hits Chauncey’s horse killing it!**
- D) Gunfight:**
  - I. Clyde Wilson shoots and kills Alpheus and Daniel Berry!**
  - II. Will McBride shoots and kills Burch Berry.**
  - III. Chauncey Dewey shoots and wounds Roy and Beach Berry:**
    - a. Blows away part of Roy Berry’s jaw and ear.**
- E) The Dewey man then retreat!**

**12. Chauncey Dewey, Clyde Wilson, and Will McBride are arrested:**

- A) Tried at St. Francis, Kansas:**
  - I. March 19, 1904 – Not guilty!**

**13. Feud ends!**

*November*

\* 1903 \*

**The Panama Intervention**

1. **1903 - The U.S. considers a canal thru Panama to be a strategic necessity:**
  - A) **President Teddy Roosevelt is furious with the Bogota, Colombia government for renegeing on their commitment to allow the canal to be built:**
    - I. **A revolution in Panama is brewing - President Roosevelt and his Secretary of State, John Hay know about it and secretly hope it succeeds!**  
**\*\*\*They encourage the plotters!**
  
2. **November 2, 1903 - The gunboat "Nashville" receives secret orders from the Navy Department:**
  - A) **Are to prevent the landing of any armed force!**
  - B) **When Commander, John Hubbard gets the message the revolution hasn't broken out yet!!**
    - I. **Won't break out until the next day!**
  
3. **November 3, 1903 - Rebels take over Panama City:**
  - A) **Revolution is guaranteed success on November 5<sup>th</sup>:**
    - I. **At Colon - The U.S.S. "Dixie" lands 400 Marines under Major John Lejeune:**  
**\*\*\*The Colombians sail back to Cartegena.**
  - B) **Over the next week - 8 more American warships arrive!**
  
4. **November 6, 1903 - The U.S. officially recognizes the Republic of Panama:**
  - A) **New government signs a treaty giving the U.S. permission to build a canal:**
    - I. **Gives the U.S. the "Canal Zone:**  
**\*\*\*A 10 mile wide strip on either side of the waterway**

**becomes U.S. territory!!**



## **1903 - December**

### **1. Thursday - December 17, 1903 – Wilbur & Orville**

**Wright:**

**A) Kitty Hawk, North Carolina.**

**B) 1<sup>st</sup> successful Airplane Flight.**

**C) Wilbur:**

**I. 59 seconds.**

**II. Over ½ mile.**

**D) Orville:**

**I. 12 seconds.**

**II. Over 500 feet in the air.**

**III. Another 120 feet on the ground.**

### **2. December 30, 1903 – The Iroquois Theatre Fire:**

**A) Chicago, Illinois.**

**B) Holiday Matinee.**

**C) Fire.**

**D) Panic.**

**E) 588 killed – Most are women & children.**

**F) Most are...Trampled!**

**G) Leads...Federal Laws...Number of entrances  
& exits...Public buildings.**

## **1904**

- 1. The National Tuberculosis Association is founded.**
- 2. President Theodore Roosevelt sends an American Fleet to Morocco:**
  - A) Wealthy American – Kidnapped by Bandit Chief, Raisuli:**
    - I. Will be released.**
- 3. 2 million members of the A.F. of L.**
- 4. Journalists uncover political corruption in state after state.**
- 5. Middle & Upper Class Americans create new organizations:**
  - A) Examples:**
    - I. N.A.A.C.P.**
    - II. The Salvation Army.**
    - III. The Sierra Club.**
  - B) Demand:**
    - I. Civil Service reforms.**
    - II. Regulation of Monopolies.**
    - III. End of rule by Party Machines.**
- 6. Attorney General, Philander Knox:**
  - A) Takes on The Northern Securities Holding Company:**

**I. Owned by financial magnate, J.P. Morgan:**

**(1) "The Napoleon of Wall Street."**

**B) Knox wins!!!**

**7. The Panama Canal is started.**

## **1904 – November**

**1. November 8, 1904 – Presidential Election:**

**A) 26<sup>th</sup> President.**

**B) Republican, Theodore “Teddy” Roosevelt.**

# **1905**

## **1. Congress – Creates – The Bureau of Forestry:**

**A) Within the Department of Agriculture.**

## **2. The I.W.W. is formed:**

**A) Industrial Workers of the World.**

**B) Called – “Wobblies.”**

**C) Led by William “Big Bill” Heywood.**

**D) Unskilled workers into 1 big Union.**

**E) Don’t like voting.**

**F) Don’t like negotiations.**

**G) Advocate sabotage.**

**H) Advocate strikes.**

**I) Clash constantly with the Police.**

## **3. The start of “Exposes” by Jouernalists:**

**A) Called “Muckrakers.”**

**B) Like.....:**

**I. Samuel Hopkins Adams:**

**(1) Narcotics in popular medicines.**

**II. Ray Stannard Baker:**

**(1) Railroads & Segregation.**

**III. Upton Sinclair:**

**(1) Meat Packing Industry.**

**(2) “The Jungle.”**

## **1905 - February**

**1. February 23, 1905 – Paul Harris:**

**A) Starts 1<sup>st</sup> Rotary Club.**

## **1905 - March**

**1. March 4, 1905 – Presidential Inauguration – 46 year old, Republican, Theodore “Teddy” Roosevelt – 26<sup>th</sup> President:**

**A) Born – 10/27/1858 – New York City, New York.**

**B) 1880 – Harvard.**

**C) 10/27/1880 – Age 22 – Marries – 19 year old, Alice Lee:**

**I. Few years later...Dies.**

**D) 12/2/1886 – Age 28 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Marriage – 25 year old, Edith Carow.**

**E) 1897 – Asst. Secretary of the Navy.**

**F) Spanish/American War – “The Rough Riders.”**

**G) 1899 – Governor – New York.**

**H) 1900 – McKinley’s Vice President.**

**I) 5 feet 10 inches tall:**

**I. Glasses.**

**II. Bushy eyebrows.**

**III. Prominent teeth.**

**IV. Drooping mustache.**

**V. High-pitched voice.**

**J) Rated...Good.**

**K) Loves to eat breakfast...12 eggs every morning!**

**L) Likes sports...Especially:**

**I. Jujitsu.**

**II. Boxing.**

**M) 1<sup>st</sup> President:**

**I. Nobel Peace Prize.**

**II. Ride in a Submarine.**

**III. Ride in an Automobile.**

**IV. Fly in an Airplane.**

**V. Visit a Foreign Country...Panama.**

**N) Hunting trip...Mercy...Bear Cub:**

**I. Toy Company...Stuffed Play Animal:**

**(1) "Teddy Bear":**

**a. He HATED it!!!**

**O) HATED the name "Teddy."**

**P) 1/6/1919 – Age 60 – Dies – Estate of \$811 thousand.**



## **1905 – July**

### **1. The Niagara Movement:**

**A) Erie Beach Hotel.**

**B) Canadian side of Niagara Falls.**

**C) W.E.B. DuBois & 28 Black Leaders.**

**D) Purpose:**

**I. Oppose racial violence.**

**II. Oppose segregation.**

**III. Oppose the prevention of Blacks from voting.**

# **1906**

## **1. President Theodore Roosevelt:**

**A) Nobel Peace Prize.**

## **2. "Muckraking" Journalist, Upton Sinclair:**

**A) Novel - "The Jungle."**

**B) Exposes foul conditions in Chicago Meat Packing Industry.**

**C) Will lead to the passage of the Pure Food & Drug Act!**

## **3. Lee DeForest:**

**A) Invents the Vacuum Tube Amplifier.**

**B) Makes the Radio possible.**

## **4. Justice Department sues The Standard Oil Company:**

**A) For conspiracy to restrain trade.**

## **5. The Pure Food & Drug Act:**

**A) Crime to:**

**I. Ship or sell contaminated or fraudulently labeled food or drugs.**

## **6. The Hepburn Act:**

- A) Supported by President Theodore Roosevelt.**
- B) Allows the Interstate Commerce Commission:
  - I. To set freight rates.****
- C) Bans “Special Deals” between carriers and favored clients.**

**Wednesday – April 18, 1906**  
**The San Francisco Earthquake**

- 1. 5:13 – Morning – Hits:**
  - A) Lasts for 40 seconds.**
  - B) Pause...2<sup>nd</sup> one hits...Lasts for 25 seconds.**
  - C) Epicenter is 90 miles north of the city.**
  
- 2. Shakes down 497 city blocks.**
  
- 3. Gas mains rupture:**
  - A) Fires break out everywhere.**
  - B) Fire Department runs out of water.**
  - C) Winds fan the fires.**
  - D) Will burn for 4 days!**
  - E) 4.7 square miles of the city are burnt to the ground!**
  
- 4. Martial Law is declared.**
  
- 5. 700 are killed.**
  
- 6. 30,000 buildings are destroyed.**
  
- 7. \$400 million in damage!**

**June 25, 1906**

**The Madison Square Garden Murder**

**1. Stanford White:**

- A) 54 years old.**
- B) National figure.**
- C) America's most distinguished Architect.**
- D) Creates...Madison Square Garden.**
- E) Loves to party.**
- F) Married...BUT, likes beautiful women.**

**2. Harry Kendall Thaw:**

- A) 34 years old.**
- B) Son of a Pittsburgh Steel millionaire.**
- C) At Harvard...Plays more Poker than Classes!**
- D) Life is one notorious escapade after another:
  - I. Tries to ride a horse into one of the fanciest night clubs in New York City.**
  - II. Drives a car thru a display window.**
  - III. Loses \$40 thousand in a single Poker game.**
  - IV. In Paris...Throws a party:
    - (1) Costs \$50 thousand!**
    - (2) The guests??******

**a. Highest paid Whores in Paris!!!**

**E) Father dies:**

**I. Leaves him a \$200 per month allowance!!**

**(1) Why?...Must prove himself responsible  
before he can collect his \$55 million  
inheritance!!**

**F) BUT...His Mother ups his allowance:**

**I. \$80 thousand per year!!!**

**G) Becomes a big user of cocaine.**

**H) 1902 – Affair with Ethel Thomas:**

**I. Sets her up in an Apartment.**

**II. Buys her jewels & flowers.**

**III. Whips her!**

**IV. Rapes her!**

**I) Wife is the former...Evelyn Nesbit.**

**3. Evelyn Nesbit:**

**A) Beautiful.**

**B) Photographers Model.**

**C) Chorus Girl.**

**D) At age 16:**

**I. Summer – 1901 – Meets Stanford White in  
New York.**

**II. He invites her to a party at his lavish  
apartment.**

**III. SHE is the only guest!**

**IV. He gives her a drugged drink.**

**V. She passes out.**

**VI. He rapes her!**

**4. Nesbit & Thaw – Trips to Europe:**

**A) Live together as man & wife.**

**B) Sexual frenzy...Tears her clothes off.**

**C) Sexual frenzy...Rapes her.**

**D) Sexual frenzy...Beats her:**

**I. One time it takes her 7 days to recover.**

**5. Nesbit & Thaw – In New York:**

**A) Big scandal.**

**B) Evicted from their hotel for sexual activities.**

**6. April 4, 1905 – Nesbit & Thaw are married:**

**A) White convinces Thaw to marry her:**

**I. Why??**

**(1) Her family is fixing to file a charge  
against Thaw of corruption of a minor.**

**7. Thaw finds out about White's rape of Nesbit:**

**A) Decides to kill the man who has shamed his  
wife!**

**8. June 25, 1906 – Night – Madison Square Garden:**

**A) New musical opens – “Mamzelle Champagne.”**

**B) White attends...Why??**

**I. Stage Manager has promised to furnish him with a young chorus girl.**

**C) The Thaws attend with other guests.**

**D) Show is boring.**

**E) The Thaws and their guests get up to leave.**

**F) In the lobby...Discover Harry has gone back.**

**G) Inside:**

**I. Thaw walks up to White.**

**II. Pistol.**

**III. Shoots him in the head once and the left shoulder twice!**

**(1) White is dead!**

**H) Harry, calmly, walks back and rejoins his wife!**

**I) In the lobby...He is disarmed.**

**J) Policeman arrives:**

**I. Harry is arrested.**

**9. January 21, 1907 – Trial starts:**

**A) Newspapers publish a slander campaign against White:**

**I. Carried out by...Press Agent, Ben Atwell:**



- (1) Hired by Thaw's mother!**
- B) Harry's Mother: " I'm prepared to pay a million dollars to save his life!"**
- C) April 11. 1907 – Trial ends:**
  - I. Hung jury!!!**
    - (1) Later learned...7-5 for 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder.**

**10. Committed to the New York State Asylum for the Criminally Insane:**

- A) Lawyers try to get him out:**
  - I. Unsuccessful!**

**11. August 17, 1913 – Morning – Harry escapes:**

- A) To a waiting Limousine!**

**12. Takes refuge in Canada.**

**13. September 1913 – Extradited back to the U.S.**

**14. July 16, 1915 – New Trial:**

- A) Found...Sane & Innocent of all charges:**
  - I. Perfect example of a victory of money over justice!**

**15. 18 months later:**

**A) Charged with kidnapping and brutally whipping a 19 year old young man in Kansas City:**

**I. Declared insane!**

**II. Week later...Decision is reversed!**

**16. February 1947 – Age 76 – Dies – Heart Attack.**

# **September 1906 – 1909**

## **The Cuban Intervention of 1906**

- 1. 1905 – Tomas Palma – Re-elected President:  
A) Election is fixed!**
- 2. Opposition, Liberal Party, boycotts the election.**
- 3. 1906 – Liberals revolt:  
A) Have a force of 24,000 men.  
B) Palma begs Theodore Roosevelt for help.  
C) Roosevelt orders U.S. Naval Vessels to Cuban waters.**
- 4. September 28, 1906 – Palma resigns:  
A) Cuba now has no Government.**
- 5. U.S. is forced to intervene.**
- 6. September 29, 1906 – 2,000 Marines land:  
A) Under the Command of Colonel Tony Waller.  
B) Set up camp just outside Havana.**

**7. For the next 29 months:**

**A) 5,000 man Army of Cuban Pacification under the direction of Civilian Governor General, Charlie Magoon:**

**I. Administers the Island.**

**8. 1908 – Presidential Election:**

**A) Winner...Jose Gomez.**

**9. January 1909 – U.S. Troops leave:**

**A) Turn Island back over.**

# **December 1, 1906**

## **Ed Putman**

### **1. Del Rio, Texas:**

**A) Putman murders 2 men over a sheep deal.**

### **2. December 1, 1906 - Takes refuge in the Sharp family home:**

**A) Surrounded by 3 Texas Rangers.**

**B) Order him out.**

**C) Refuses.**

**D) Releases the family:**

**I. They leave.**

**E) Gunfight.**

**F) Over 300 bullets fired into the house.**

**G) He is finally shot in the head and killed.**

# **1907**

## **1. Albert Michelson:**

- A) 1<sup>st</sup> American.**
- B) Nobel Prize for Physics.**
- C) Study of Light.**

## **2. Professional Educators:**

- A) Take control of schools.**
- B) Administrators & Superintendents start running the schools.**

## **3. Indiana – Passes Law:**

- A) Forced sterilization of:
  - I. Criminals.**
  - II. Rapists.**
  - III. Idiots.**
  - IV. Imbeciles.****
- B) 7 other states follow suit and do so.**

## **1907 - March**

**1. March 21, 1907 – The Honduran Intervention:**

**A) “Protect American lives and property.”**

**B) U.S.M.C.**

## **1907 - May**

### **1. 1<sup>st</sup> Taxis to America:**

**A) Imported from France.**

**B) To New York City.**



## **June 1907**

### **The Lamana Kidnapping**

- 1. June 1907 – New Orleans, Louisiana:**
  - A) 7 year old - Walter Lamana - Walks off with a strange man:**
    - I. Ransom note arrives - \$6 thousand.**
    - II. Evidence points to The Black Hand.**
  
- 2. Frank Gendusa is arrested:**
  - A) Admits to being part of it!**
    - I. Says he doesn't know where the boy is!**
  
- 3. Other Black Hand members are arrested:**
  - A) Ignazio Campisciano is threatened with death:**
    - I. He leads them to a swamp!**
    - II. The body of the boy is found wrapped in a blanket:**
      - (1) Has been killed with a hatchet!!**
  
- 3. Four members of The Black Hand – 3 men and 1 woman - Are tried:**
  - A) All deny killing the boy!**
    - I. 1 man is freed.**
    - II. 1 man is sentenced to life in prison.**
    - III. The woman is sentenced to life in prison.**
    - IV. Leonardo Gebbia is hanged.**
  - B) Actual murderer is never found!**

# **1907 - November**

**1. November 16, 1907 – Oklahoma – 46<sup>th</sup> State.**

## **1907 - December**

**1. December 6, 1907 – Monongah, West Virginia:**

**A) Coal Mine Explosion.**

**B) 361 Miners killed.**

# **1908**

**1. The F.B.I. – Federal Bureau of Investigation – Is created:**

**A) A division of the Department of Justice.**

**2. University of Missouri:**

**A) Opens 1<sup>st</sup> Professional School of Journalism.**

**3. Henry Ford's 4 cylinder Model-T Car:**

**A) Sells for: \$850.50!**

**4. 1<sup>st</sup> publication of: "Christian Science Monitor."**

**5. Loewe vs. Lawlor – "The Danbury Hatter's Case":**

**A) Supreme Court Decision.**

**B) Illegal to advertise a Consumers Boycott:**

**I. As per the Sherman Anti-Trust Act.**

## **1908 - January**

**1. January 21, 1908 – The Sullivan Ordinance is passed:**

**A) New York City.**

**B) Illegal for Women to Smoke in a Public Place.**

## **1908 - May**

**1. George Elliott – 10<sup>th</sup> Commandant – U.S.M.C.:**

**A) Born – 11/30/1846 – Eutaw, Alabama.**

**B) Spanish/American War.**

**C) The Philippine Revolt.**

**D) The 1904 Panama Intervention.**

**E) 11/30/1910 – Age 64 – Retires.**

**F) 11/4/1931 – Washington, D.C. – Dies.**

## **1908 - June**

**1. June 30, 1908 – The Meat Inspection Act.**

# **1908 - November**

## **1. Presidential Election:**

**A) 27<sup>th</sup> President.**

**B) Republican, William Howard Taft.**



## **1908 - December**

**1. Christmas Seals – Sold for 1<sup>st</sup> time.**

**2. December 31, 1908 – Wilbur Wright:**

**A) France.**

**B) Wins the Michelin Cup.**

**C) Long Distance Airplane Race.**

**D) 77 Miles...2 hours & 20 minutes.**

# **1909**

- 1. Cure is found for...Syphilis.**
  
- 2. Intervention in Nicaragua:**
  - A) "Protect American lives and property."**
  - B) U.S.M.C.**
  - C) Stay until 1910.**
  
- 3. Berkeley, California:**
  - A) Start of Junior High School system.**
  
- 4. N.A.A.C.P. is formed...National Association for the Advancement of Colored People:**
  - A) By WHITES:**
    - I. Mary White Overton.**
    - II. Ida Wells-Barnett.**
    - III. Jane Addams.**
    - IV. Lillian Wald-Wand.**
  - B) Will later join with The Niagara Movement:**
    - I. Black Organization.**
    - II. Headed by W.E.B. DuBois.**
  - C) DuBois...Editor...Paper: "The Crisis."**
  
- 5. Conservation becomes a National Issue:**
  - A) Theodore Roosevelt.**

**B) Helps create the Modern Environmental Movement.**

## **1909 - March**

**1. March 4, 1909 – President's salary:**

**A) Raised to \$75 thousand per year.**

**2. March 4, 1909 – Presidential Inauguration – 51 year old, Republican, William Howard Taft – 27<sup>th</sup> President:**

**A) Born – 9/15/1857 – Cincinnati, Ohio.**

**B) 1878 – Yale.**

**C) 1880 – Lawyer.**

**D) 1886 – Age 28 – Marries – 25 year old, Helen Herron.**

**E) 1904 – T. Roosevelt's Secretary of War.**

**F) 6 feet 1 inch tall:**

**I. 354 pounds.**

**II. Largest President!**

**G) Doesn't smoke or drink.**

**H) Great Dancer.**

**I) Good Golfer.**

**J) Rated as "Fair."**

**K) Levies the 1<sup>st</sup> Tax on Corporations.**

**L) Increases Anti-Trust enforcement.**

**M) Lazy.**

**N) Unsure of himself.**

**O) Dozes off constantly.**

**P) So fat:**

**I. Can't tie own shoes...Done by servant.**

**II. Gets stuck in White House bathtub!!**

**(1) New one...7 feet long...Weighs 1 ton!!**

**a. 4 average sized men can get into it!**

**Q) 1<sup>st</sup> President...Throw out first pitch to start  
Baseball Season.**

**R) Only President...Supreme Court Chief Justice  
after Presidency.**

**S) 1<sup>st</sup> President...Buried in Arlington.**

**T) 3/8/1929 – Age 72 – Dies - \$475 thousand  
estate.**

## **1909 - April**

**1. April 6, 1909 – Robert Peary & Black, Ed**

**Henson:**

**A) North Pole.**

**B) Peary gets credit.**

**C) Evidence....Was Henson!**

## **1909 - August**

**1. August 2, 1909 – Lincoln Head Penny:**

**A) Issued.**

**B) Replaces...Indian Head Penny.**

# **September 1909**

## **“Willie Boy”**

### **1. Swift Fox:**

- A) Paiute Indian.**
- B) Born...Pahrump, Nevada.**
- C) Very clean.**
- D) Good hunter.**
- E) Excellent shot.**
- F) Respectful to his elders.**
- G) Can be moody.**
- H) Can be sullen.**
- I) Early homes:**
  - I. 29 Palms, California.**
  - II. Banning, California.**
  - III. Coachella, California.**
  - IV. Victorville, California:**
    - (1) Excellent pitcher on the Victorville baseball team.**
- J) Work:**
  - I. Seasonal work.**
  - II. Builds roads.**
  - III. Builds fence.**
  - IV. Cowboy.**
- K) By age 27 he is culturally “white”:**
  - I. Always wears a black felt hat.**
  - II. Feels he is better than other Indians.**
  - III. Known to the white community as “Billy Boy.”**



**2. Spring – 1909:**

**A) His marriage breaks up!**

**3. Enter.....Lolita Boniface:**

**A) 16 years old.**

**B) Chemeuevi Indian.**

**C) Slender.**

**D) Very attractive.**

**E) Billy likes her:**

**I. Asks her father...Mike...to marry her!**

**(1) Answer...NO!**

**4. Billy takes her and attempts to run away:**

**A) Mike Boniface and his 2 sons catch them:**

**I. At rifle point, AND, threat of death!**

**II. Mike warns him to stay away from her!**

**5. July 1909:**

**A) Billy hears that Lolita and Mike are at  
Banning:**

**I. He goes there.**

**6. Saturday – August 28, 1909:**

**A) Banning, California.**

**B) Morongo Indian Reservation.**

**C) Indian Fiesta.**

**D) Billy talks to her:**

**I. Mike gives him one last warning!**

**7. Sunday – September 26, 1909:**

- A) Late afternoon – Billy starts drinking.**
- B) Just before sundown.**
- C) He goes to Mike's camp.**
- D) Lolita is shelling nuts.**
- E) Mike is asleep under a eucalyptus tree.**
- F) Billy walks up to him with his .30-30 rifle:
  - I. Point blank to left eye.**
  - II. BOOM!**
  - III. Blows left eye and brains out the back of his head!****
- G) Takes her:
  - I. The two start out on foot!!****
- H) Head for 29 Palms:
  - I. His people are there.****
- I) Facing them:
  - I. The desert.**
  - II. The heat.**
  - III. No food.**
  - IV. Very little water.**
  - V. He has 15 shells for his rifle left.**
  - VI. They have a 6 hour start on anybody chasing them.****

**8. Posse starts in pursuit.**

**9. Thursday – September 30, 1909:**

- A) Have been running and hiding for 3 days.**

- B) Are exhausted.**
- C) She can't go on.**
- D) She KNOWS what is going to happen.**
- E) As per Indian custom he is not going to give her back alive!**
- F) He walks behind her:**
  - I. Rifle.**
  - II. BOOM...Shoots her in the back!**
  - III. Bullet comes out her left breast:**
    - (1) Totally pulverizes her heart!**
    - (2) She is dead when she hits the ground.**
  - IV. Places her body in the shade:**
    - (1) Covers her face with a scarf he has bought for her.**
- G) He goes on!**

**10. Massive manhunt.**

**11. Massive newspaper coverage.**

**12. Sunday – October 3, 1909:**

- A) Billy reaches 29 Palms.**
- B) His people are gone.**
- C) His .22 rifle and shells have been thrown into the oasis ruining them!**

**13. At this point:**

- A) October 12, 1909 - President William**

**Howard Taft.**

**B) Is due to visit Riverside, California:**

**I. To furniture company that has made the White House furniture.**

**C) Taft's nickname in the newspapers is "Billy Boy"!!!!!!**

**I. SO.....As not to insult the President:**

**(1) Papers change "Billy Boy's" name to "Willie Boy"!!!**

**14. Monday – October 4, 1909:**

**A) Posse finds Willie's footprints.**

**B) Trot...Lope:**

**I. His strides are 5 feet apart.**

**II. After 18 miles...Horses give out!**

**III. No sight of him!**

**15. Thursday – October 7, 1909:**

**A) Ruby Mountain.**

**B) He makes a stand...Sets up an ambush.**

**C) 5 man Posse approaches:**

**I. Horses are about 15 feet apart.**

**D) At 300 yards...Opens fire!**

**E) Kills 4 of the horses.**

**F) Hits Charlie Reche in the waist:**

**I. Bullet hits his handcuffs.**

**II. Splinters into his hip and spine.**

**G) A lot of firing.**

- H) A last shot from Willie.**
- I) Silence.**
- J) Posse retreats back to Banning.**

**16. Saturday – October 9, 1909:**

- A) Reche is operated on.**
- B) 7 large hip and spine splinters are successfully removed:**
  - I. Life is saved.**

**17. Friday – October 15, 1909:**

- A) 8 days after the Ruby Mountain fight.**
- B) Posse returns to the mountain.**
- C) At the top...Find Willie's badly bloated, decomposing body.**
- D) Last shot.....Suicide:**
  - I. Barrel against heart.**
  - II. Pulls trigger with big toe.**
- E) Body is stripped for souvenirs:**
  - I. Burnt.**

**18. He has avoided capture for 11 days:**

- A) Has covered over 500 miles:**
  - I. On foot!**
  - II. In the desert!**
  - III. With little food!**
  - IV. With very little water!**
- B) The last great manhunt - American west.**

## **1910**

- 1. Population – 91,972,266.**
- 2. State of Washington grants Women's Suffrage.**
- 3. Public Schools:**
  - A) Cafeterias start using dieticians.**
  - B) Cafeterias start serving balanced meals.**
- 4. The Elkins Act:**
  - A) Gives the Interstate Commerce Commission authority over telephones, telegraph, and cable communication:**
    - I. Allows the I.C.C. to act on it's own without a complaint.**
- 5. Police Departments:**
  - A) Start using fingerprints.**
  - B) Start using psychology.**
  - C) Start using handwriting analysis.**
- 6. Americans own 43% of all the property in Mexico!!!**
- 7. Glenn Curtis....Flies from Albany, New York to New York City:**
  - A) Takes 2 ½ hours.**
  - B) Breaks the long-distance speed record.**
  - C) Wins...\$10 thousand prize:**

**I. Offered by “The New York World”  
newspaper.**

# **1910**

## **Queho**

- 1. Born in Nevada:**
  - A) Half white and half Cocopah Indian.**
  - B) Raised by the Paiute Indians.**
  
- 2. 1910 – At age 25 - Kills 3 Paiute Indians.**
  
- 3. Near Las Vegas, Nevada – Kills a young German boy.**
  
- 4. Nelson, Nevada – Kills 2 whites.**
  
- 5. Murders an entire Indian family of 7:**
  - A) Many are small children.**
  
- 6. Murders:**
  - A) Prospectors.**
  - B) Travelers.**
  - C) Shepherders.**
  - D) Miners.**
  
- 7. Reward of \$3 thousand is offered for him:**
  - A) Dead or alive.**
  
- 8. Murders 2 miners.**
  
- 9. Murders Mrs. Edward Bacon.**



**10. Murders a family of 4.**

**11. January 21, 1930 – Night:**

**A) Murders Mrs. Maude Douglas.**

**12. Never caught.**

**13. February 20, 1940:**

**A) 5 miles from El Dorado, Nevada.**

**B) Cave.**

**C) Hidden canyon.**

**D) Corpse is found.**

**E) Has killed at least 25 people.**

**1910**

**Albert Fish**

**Child Molester – Kidnapper – Murderer – Cannibal**

- 1. Born – In an orphanage in Washington, D.C. – 1870:**
  - A) Minor public education.**
  - B) Grown: 5 feet 5 inches tall – Blue eyes – Gray hair and mustache – Slender.**
  
- 2. 1910 – Wilmington, Delaware – Murders a man.**
  
- 3. Marries – 6 children – Works as a handyman and painter:**
  - A) January 1917 – Wife leaves him for her lover, John Straube:**
    - I. Takes the children and leaves.**
  
- 4. Starts acting strangely:**
  - A) Hears voices.**
  - B) Hallucinates.**
  - C) Believes himself to be Christ.**
  - D) Will claim to do “God’s work.”**
  - E) Loves everything evil.**
  - F) Loves sacrifice.**
  - G) Loves pain.**
  - H) Has children whip his naked butt until it bleeds.**
  - I) Whips himself with a board studded with 1**

**½ inch nails.**

**J) Inserts 100's of needles into his body.**

**K) Burns himself constantly with hot needles, pokers, and irons.**

**L) Nights of full moon – Eats large quantities of raw meat:**

**I. Will start serving it to children.**

**5. 1919 – New York – Molests, tortures to death, and mutilates a mentally retarded boy!**

**6. Starts picking more victims:**

**A) Most will be from poor black families.**

**B) Kidnap – Torture – Sexually molest some.**

**C) Eats at least 4!**

**D) Also eats excrement.**

**E) Drinks urine and blood.**

**7. 1919 – Georgetown, Washington D.C. – On a houseboat:**

**A) Molests, Murders, and Mutilates a small black boy.**

**8. February 11, 1927 – Molests & Murders – 4 year old, William Gaffney.**

**9. June 3, 1928 – White Plains, New York – Kidnaps 12 year old, Grace Budd:**

- A) Strangles her to death.**
- B) Cuts off her head.**
- C) Cuts her body in half.**
- D) Cuts up her body – Makes a stew – Eats it!**

**10. 1934 – Long Island, New York:**

- A) Catches 5 year old, Francis McDonell, outside his home.**
- B) Kidnaps – Strangles him to death.**

**11. Caught:**

- A) Confesses to murdering at least 15!**
- B) Admits to molesting and torturing at least 100 children he has freed after!**
- C) America's oldest Serial Killer! (60's)**
- D) Tried – Guilty – Death!**
- E) Wants to experience the thrill of being put to death in the Electric Chair.**
- E) January 16, 1936 – Sing Sing Prison – New York:**
  - I. Electric Chair – Sparks from needles in body!**

## **1910 – February**

**1. February 8, 1910 – William Boyce:**

**A) Washington, D.C.**

**B) Boy Scouts of America.**

## **1910 – May**

**1. May 11, 1910 – Congress – Creates:**

**A) Glacier National Park.**

**B) Montana.**

# **October 1, 1910**

## **The L.A. "Times" Dynamiting Case**

- 1. 1910 – "The Los Angeles Times" is very anti-labor.**
  
- 2. Sunday – October 1, 1910:**
  - A) 1:05 – Morning.**
  - B) Explosion....In "Ink Alley"....Between the "Times" Building and the Times Mirror Printing and Binding Company:**
    - I. Ignites flammable ink.**
    - II. 21 people are killed.**
  
- 3. Los Angeles Mayor, George Alexander turns the case over to former Secret Service Agent, now, a Private Detective, William Burns.**
  
- 4. April 1911 – Detroit:**
  - A) 3 men are arrested:**
    - I. John McNamara:**
      - (1) 28 years old.**
      - (2) Secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.**
    - II. James McNamara:**
      - (1) 27 years old.**

**(2) John's brother.**

**III. Ortie McManigal.**

**B) McManigal confesses:**

**I. Agrees to testify for the prosecution  
against the other two.**

**C) The 3 men are returned to Los Angeles for  
trial.**

**5. Men are defended by Clarence Darrow.**

**6. December 1, 1911 – Trial starts:**

**A) Darrow knows his clients are guilty!**

**B) Makes a deal for clemency:**

**I. The 2 McNamara's plead "guilty":**

**(1) John....Life.**

**(2) James....15 years.**

**7. Darrow is indicted and tried for attempted  
bribery of a juror:**

**A) He proves he is not guilty!**

**B) He proves the trumped up charge has come  
from enemies attempting to discredit him.**

**C) Found....Not Guilty!**



## **1910 – November**

### **1. November 8, 1910 – Milwaukee, Wisconsin – Elections:**

#### **A) Emil Seidel:**

**I. Elected...Mayor.**

**II. 1<sup>st</sup> Socialist Mayor in America.**

#### **B) Victor Berger:**

**I. Elected...U.S. House of Rep.'s**

**II. 1<sup>st</sup> Socialist Rep. in America.**

**1911**

**1. Glenn Curtis:**

**A) Invents – Hydroplane.**

**1911**

**The Shoshoni Fight**

**1. Nevada.**

**2. Band of Shoshoni Indians get into a fight with cattlemen:**

**A) Kill several of the cattlemen.**

**3. Posse trails them.**

**4. Fight:**

**A) Indians run out of ammunition.**

**B) Only bows and arrows left.**

**C) Suicide charge.**

**D) All killed except 1 young girl and 2 children.**

## **1911 - February**

**1. February 3, 1911 – Major General William Biddle**

**– 11<sup>th</sup> Commandant – U.S.M.C.:**

**A) Born – 12/15/1853 – Philadelphia,  
Pennsylvania.**

**B) 1923 – Nice, France – Dies.**

## **1911 - March**

### **1. March 25, 1911 – The Triangle Shirtwaist Fire:**

**A) New York City.**

**B) Washington Square.**

**C) 10 story building.**

**D) Fire...Top 3 floors.**

**E) 500 Jewish & Italian women working on those floors.**

**F) Exits are locked.**

**G) Many jump to their deaths.**

**H) 146 are killed.**

## **1911 - September**

### **1. Calbraith Rogers:**

**A) September 17, 1911 to November 5, 1911.**

**B) 1<sup>st</sup> Transcontinental Air Flight.**

**C) New York City to Pasadena, California.**

**D) Actual flying time is 3 ½ days.**

## **1911 - October**

### **1. October 10, 1911 – California:**

**A) State Constitutional Amendment.**

**B) Women's Suffrage.**

# **1912**

## **1. Massachusetts:**

**A) 1<sup>st</sup> State.**

**B) Minimum Wage for Women & Children.**

## **2. Elihu Root:**

**A) Nobel Peace Prize.**



## **1912 - January**

**1. January 6, 1912 – New Mexico – 47<sup>th</sup> State.**

## **1912 - February**

### **1. Intervention in Honduras:**

**A) U.S.M.C.**

**B) Protect American lives and property.**

### **2. February 14, 1912 – Arizona – 48<sup>th</sup> State:**

**A) Completes the Continental United States.**

## **1912 - March**

**1. March 12, 1912 - Juliette Low:**

**A) Founds...Girl Scouts of America.**

## **April 14 & 15, 1912**

### **The "Titanic"**

#### **1. April 10, 1912:**

- A) British – Luxury liner – Royal Mail Line –  
“Titanic” – Starts her maiden voyage:**
  - I. Leaves Southampton, England.**
  - II. Headed for New York City.**
- B) Will stop in Ireland:**
  - I. Some get off.**
  - II. Many get on.**
  - III. She sails with 2,257 people on board.**
- C) She is carrying “The Cream of the Crop” of  
the world’s wealthy:**
  - I. This is “The Gilded Age.”**
  - II. Flaunt wealth.**
  - III. “First” on or do!**
  - IV. Many rich prominent Americans.**
  - V. Wealthy are worth a net of over \$280  
million!!**
- D) Ship is considered “unsinkable”:**
  - I. Most expensive ship of her time.**
  - II. Largest ship of her time.**
  - III. Weighs...46,328 tons!**
  - IV. Is 11 stories high!**
  - V. Is 4 city blocks long!**
  - VI. Has engines that produce 55,000  
horsepower!**
- E) BUT, she only has enough lifeboats for:**

**I. 1,089 passengers!!!!**

**2. Sunday night – April 14, 1912:**

**A) 1,300 miles from New York City.**

**B) Traveling at 22 ½ knots.**

**C) Night:**

**I. Cold.**

**II. Clear.**

**III. No clouds.**

**IV. No moon.**

**D) Has been warned to look out for...Icebergs!**

**E) 11:40...Iceberg is spotted:**

**I. HUGE...100 feet above the water!**

**II. Swerves.....Too late!**

**III. Scrapes down the side of the ship.**

**IV. 20 feet below the water line.**

**F) 12:05 – Captain Smith orders the lifeboats uncovered.**

**G) 12:15 – Start broadcasting new “S.O.S.”:**

**I. The “Carpathia” picks up the signal and heads in that direction.**

**H) Many refuse to get in the lifeboats:**

**I. Some believe it will not sink!**

**II. Some refuse to leave relatives!**

**(1) Mr. and Mrs. Isidor Strauss.**

**I) Those who jump in the water:**

**I. Live only a few moments.**

**II. Water.....COLD!!**

**III. Hypothermia!!**

**IV. Drown.**

**V. Freeze to death.**

**J) Ship's band continues to play:**

**I. Will do so up until the end.**

**K) Many of the lifeboats pull away less than half full!**

**L) 2:20 – Morning:**

**I. Sinks completely!**

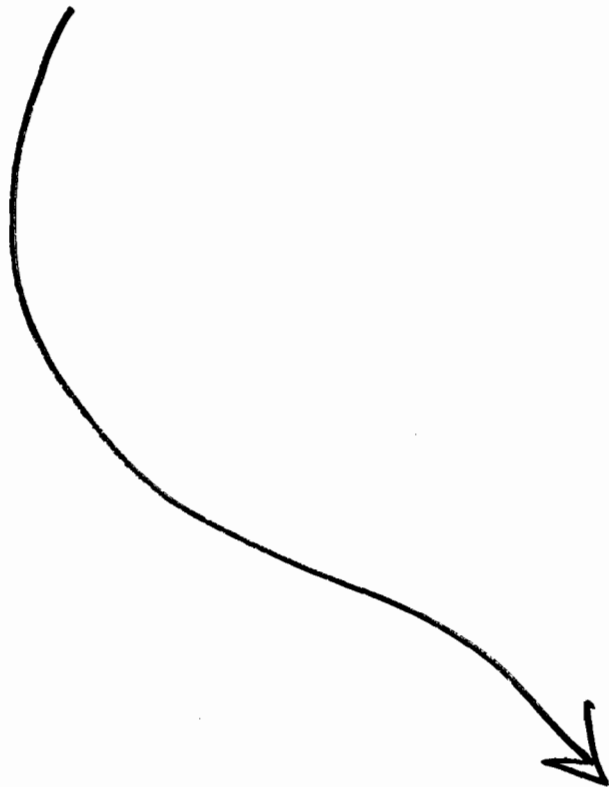
**II. 2 hours and 40 minutes after hitting the iceberg.**

**M) Lifeboats:**

**I. Order.**

**II. The “Unsinkable” Molly Brown.**

**N) Ocean is eerily quiet!!!!**



**3. Monday – April 15, 1912 – 4:45 – Morning:**

**A) “Carpathia” arrives and starts picking up Survivors – 705 will survive:**

**I. 1,535 have died on the “Titanic.”**

**4. Was believed for years.....Huge tear down the side:**

**A) Found in 1985 by Robert Ballard.**

**B) 1997 – Hull is photographed through the mud:**

**I. 6 small tears.**

**II. 12 to 13 square feet in size.....like 2 squares of sidewalk.**

**III. The 6 tears went across 6 watertight compartments 20 feet below the water line.**

**IV. Fill the ship with 39,000 tons of water before sinking!**

**5. May 8, 2006 – Last American survivor of the sinking dies in Boston, Massachusetts:**

**A) Lillian Gertrud Asplund – Age 99:**

**I. 5 years old at the time of the sinking.**

**II. Lost her father and 3 brothers**

**III. She, a 3 year old brother, and her mother survived.**

**MAY**

**1912**

**The Negro Revolt**

**1. Cuba.**

**2. May 20, 1912:**

**A) Revolt against the liberal government of Jose Gomez.**

**B) By:**

**I. The Independent Party of Color:**

**(1) Represent Cuba's dispossessed black population.**

**3. Crushed everywhere except Oriente Province:**

**A) Location of many U.S. owned:**

**I. Sugar Mills.**

**II. Mines.**

**III. Estates.**

**B) Secretary of State, Frank Knox, fears they will be damaged or destroyed:**

**I. Orders in the Marines.**

**4. May 31, 1912 – Daquiri:**

**A) Marines land:**

**I. Under Colonel Lincoln Karmany.**

**5. By mid-July 1912 – Revolt is over:**

**A) Marines are withdrawn.**



**July 16, 1912**

**The Murder of Herman Rosenthal**

**1. Herman Rosenthal:**

- A) Gambler.**
- B) Owns a very prosperous gambling casino.**
- C) Called: "Beansie."**

**2. Charles Becker:**

- A) New York City cop.**
- B) VERY corrupt.**
- C) Heads up a special squad to:
  - I. Wipe out graft.**
  - II. Wipe out corruption.**
  - III. Wipe out prostitution.**
  - IV. Wipe out gambling.****
- D) His group is involved in all of these!!!!
  - I. They extort money from the gambling dens and the prostitutes:  
(1) 25 cents on the dollar!!!****
- E) If a gambling casino refuses.....:
  - I. Raided.**
  - II. Destroyed.**
  - III. Evidence in many cases is faked to get a conviction!****
- F) If a prostitute refuses:
  - I. Beaten.**
  - II. Sometimes disfigured.**
  - III. Sometimes killed!****

**G) Becker.....Literally.....Has “hit men” on the payroll!**

**3. Rosenthal is paying extortion to Becker.**

**4. Becker demands more money:**

**A) Rosenthal refuses.**

**B) Becker orders Rosenthal’s casino raided and destroyed:**

**I. Done!!!**

**C) Becker continues to harass Rosenthal.**

**5. Rosenthal has finally had enough:**

**A) Goes to the young, honest, District Attorney of New York City:**

**I. Charles Whitman.**

**B) Gives him evidence against Becker!**

**6. Whitman moves to indict Becker.**

**7. Becker hires 4 hit-men to kill Rosenthal.**

**8. July 16, 1912:**

**A) Night.**

**B) Café Metropole.**

**C) The 4 hit-men shoot the 38 year old, Rosenthal to death!**

**9. One of the murderers is arrested by Whitman's police:**

**A) Tells all!**

**10. The other 3 killers are arrested:**

**A) All 4 are tried...Guilty:**

**I. Electric chair.**

**11. Becker is arrested and tried:**

**A) Guilty:**

**I. Electric chair.**

**AUGUST**

**1912-1933**

**(21 Years)**

**The Nicaraguan Intervention**

**1. 1896:**

**A) 1<sup>st</sup> time Marines are sent to Nicaragua:**

**I. Revolt.**

**II. To protect American lives and property.**

**2. 1909 – Revolt against Dictator, Zelaya:**

**A) 250 Marines are landed:**

**I. They support the revolt!!!**

**B) Marine Commander...Major Smedley Butler:**

**I. “The Fighting Quaker.”**

**II. Spanish-American War.**

**III. The Philippine Revolt.**

**IV. The Boxer Revolt.**

**V. Captain at age 19.**

**VI. 1908...Nervous breakdown:**

**(1) Home for 8 months.**

**VII. 1909...Major.**

**3. 1911:**

**A) American gunboat – “Yorktown” – Ordered to Nicaraguan waters:**

**I. To protect American interests.**

**4. August 1912:**

**A) 2,500 Marines are landed.**

**5. August 5, 1912:**

**A) The Bryan-Chamorro Treaty is signed:**

**I. With Nicaragua.**

**II. Gives the U.S. the right to build an inter-oceanic canal.**

**III. U.S. gets a 99 year lease on the Little and Great Corn Islands.**

**IV. U.S. pays Nicaragua \$3 million.**

**6. October 1912:**

**A) Revolt ends.**

**B) All but 100 Marines are withdrawn.**

**7. Country is torn by one revolt after another!**

**A) U.S. fears for its economic interests.**

**B) Marines are sent back in.**

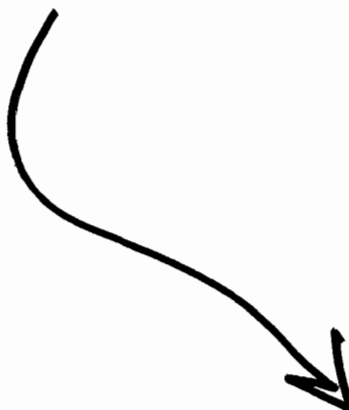
**C) Stay until August 3, 1925:**

**I. Leave.**

**8. December 1926:**

**A) Revolt sweeps the country.**

**B) Leader is General Augusto Sandino:**



**A) Marines are landed on the eastern coast:**

**I. By March 1, 1927 – 6,000 Marines in the country.**

**II. One of those Marines is Lewis “Chesty” Puller:**

**a. Born – June 26, 1898 – West Point, Virginia.**

**b. 1918 – U.S.M.C.**

**c. Haiti.**

**d. Nicaragua:**

**(1) 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Navy Crosses.**

**e. WW II:**

**(1) Guadalcanal – Wounded – 3<sup>rd</sup> Navy Cross.**

**(2) New Britain – 4<sup>th</sup> Navy Cross.**

**(3) Peleliu.**

**f. Korean War:**

**(1) Inchon.**

**(2) Chosin Reservoir.**

**g. 1951 – Brig. General.**

**h. 1953 – Major General.**

**i. 1955 – Lt. General – Retires.**

**j. 5 Navy Crosses.**

**K. October 11, 1972 – Hampton, Virginia  
– Dies – Age 73.**

**B) April 1927 – Arranged for the Marines to stay until 1933.**

**5. May 24, 1927 - @ La Paz Centro:**

**A) A Marine Patrol is attacked by 300**

**Sandanistas:**

**I. 2 ½ hour battle.**

**II. 2 Marines killed.**

**III. 14 Sandanistas killed.**

**6. Late July 1927 - @ Ocotal:**

**A) 87 Marines and some Nicaraguan  
Policemen are attacked by 600**

**Sandanistas:**

**I. Marines are surrounded.**

**II. Marine snipers start killing the  
Sandnistas.**

**III. Sandino sends a surrender demand.**

**IV. "A Marine never surrenders."**

**V. 3:00 - Afternoon - 5 Marine planes arrive:**

**a. Bomb the Sandanistas.**

**b. Sandanistas flee leaving 300 dead and  
100 wounded.**

**7. January 6, 7, & 8, 1928 - The Battle of Quilali:**

**A) Road to Quilali - Column of 200 Marines are  
ambushed by a Sandanista force with  
machine guns:**

**I. 5 Marines are killed or wounded.**

**II. Firefight.**

**III. 16 more Marines are wounded.**

**IV. Sandanistas withdraw.**

**V. Marines reach Quilali.**

**B) Surrounded by the Sandanistas:**

**I. Marines have no doctors.**

**II. Commanding Officers are becoming short.**

**III. No way to get the wounded out.**

**IV. Relief column is days away.**

**C) Marine Pilot, Lt. Christian Schilt, and another pilot fly Biplanes over the village:**

**I. Drop tools and instructions to build an airstrip.**

**II. Marines convert a road into a 300 foot long, 70 feet wide, runway.**

**D) For the next 2 days Schilt makes 10 trips into the village under fire:**

**I. Brings in:**

**a. 1,400 pounds of medical supplies.**

**b. A new Commander.**

**II. Takes out 18 wounded.**

**E) Schilt flies over the relief column:**

**I. Spots a Sandanista ambush set up for them.**

**II. Dives with machine guns firing.**

**III. Kills 9 of the Sandanistas.**

**IV. Scatters the others.**

**F) Schilt – Awarded – Congressional Medal of Honor.**



**8. January 2, 1933 – Last Marines leave**

**Nicaragua:**

**A) 136 Marines have been killed.**

# **October 14, 1912**

## **The Attempted Assassination of Theodore Roosevelt**

### **1. John Schrank:**

**A) 36 years old.**

**B) Loner.**

**C) Deranged.**

**D) Will later claim:**

**I. Has dreams...McKinley appears...Tells  
him to kill Roosevelt!**

### **2. October 14, 1912:**

**A) Milwaukee, Wisconsin.**

**B) Hotel.**

**C) Roosevelt arrives to deliver a speech.**

**D) Stands up in the back of the car.**

**E) Schrank steps forward:**

**I. Pulls a .38 revolver.**

**II. Fires one shot.**

**III. Bullet enters Roosevelt's right chest,  
below the right nipple:**

**(1) Angles up 4 inches.**

**(2) Fractures a rib.**

**F) What is the ONLY thing that saves his life?**

**I. The bullet passes through the case for his  
glasses and a folded 50 page speech!**

**3. Roosevelt – Bleeding – Goes on and gives his speech:**

**A) Speaks for 50 minutes.**

**B) Finally....Has to be treated for blood choice and shock!**

**4. Recovers at Mercy Hospital.**

**5. Schrank...Tried...Guilty:**

**A) Rest of life...Mental hospitals.**

# **1912 - November**

## **1. November 5, 1912 – Presidential Election:**

### **A) 3 candidates:**

**I. Democrat – Woodrow Wilson.**

**II. Republican – William Howard Taft.**

**III. Progressive – Theodore Roosevelt:**

**(1) Republican Party split.**

**(2) “The Bull Moose Party.”**

**(3) Progressive???**

**a. Have refused to recognize Black  
Delegates at their Convention!!**

**B) 3<sup>rd</sup>...Taft & Republicans.**

**C) 2<sup>nd</sup>...Roosevelt & Progressives.**

**D) Winner – Democrat – Woodrow Wilson:**

**I. 28<sup>th</sup> President.**

**II. 1<sup>st</sup> Term.**

**E) First time – U.S. history:**

**I. 3<sup>rd</sup> Party – More votes than 1 of 2 major  
parties!**

# **1913**

## **1. Ford Motor Company:**

**A) Assembly Line Technique.**

## **2. Federal Reserve Act:**

**A) All Banks must have reserves to match deposits.**

**B) Sets up 12 Regional Reserve Banks:**

**I. Different areas of the country.**

**C) Sets up a National Board to supervise.**

## **3. Underwood-Simmons Tariff:**

**A) Cuts tariff rates.**

**B) Permanently changes the revenue base of the Federal Government:**

**I. From taxes on imports to taxes on incomes!**

## **1913 - January**

**1. January 1, 1913 – Congress:**

**A) Creates the Parcel Post system.**

# **1913 - February**

## **1. February 25, 1913 – 16<sup>th</sup> Amendment:**

### **A) Income Tax.**

## **1913 - March**

**1. March 4, 1913 – Presidential Inauguration – 56 year old, Democrat, Woodrow Wilson – 1<sup>st</sup> term – 28<sup>th</sup> President:**

**A) Born – 12/28/1856 – Staunton, Virginia.**

**B) Very sickly...Result...Never learns to read until age 11.**

**C) 1879 – Princeton – 38<sup>th</sup> out of 106.**

**D) 1882 – Lawyer.**

**E) 1890 – Teaches – Princeton.**

**F) 1902 – President – Princeton.**

**G) Age 28 – 1<sup>st</sup> Marriage:**

**I. To 25 year old – Ellen Axson.**

**H) 1911 – Governor of New Jersey.**

**I) 5 feet 11 inches tall:**

**I. Very weak eyes.**

**II. Constant headaches.**

**III. 14 physical breakdowns in his life.**

**J) Presidency is called – “The New Freedom”:**

**I. Lowers tariffs.**

**II. Increases competition.**

**III. Establishes the Federal Trade Commission:**

**(1) To enforce free and fair competition.**

**IV. Strictly enforces Anti-Trust laws.**



**V. Believes that order must be FORCED on those who resist.**

**K) August 6, 1914 – 1<sup>st</sup> wife dies:**

**I. Depressed!!**

**II. Becomes suicidal.**

**L) Most intellectual President.**

**M) 1<sup>st</sup> President – Hold a Press Conference.**

**N) 1<sup>st</sup> President – Doctorate Degree.**

**O) Age 58 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Marriage:**

**I. 43 year old – Edith Galt.**

**P) Rated.....Good.**

**Q) February 3, 1924 – Age 57 – Dies:**

**I. \$600 thousand estate.**

# **April 26, 1913**

## **The Lynching of Leo Frank**

### **1. Leo Frank:**

**A) Jewish.**

**B) Manager – Pencil Factory – Atlanta, Georgia.**

### **2. Saturday – April 26, 1913:**

**A) 14 year old, Mary Phagan.**

**B) Goes to Frank's office:**

**I. Collects her wages.**

**II. Leaves.**

**III. Disappears!!!**

**C) 23 hours later...Body is found in a basement:**

**I. Raped and strangled.**

### **3. Frank is arrested – Charged with murder:**

**A) Trial lasts 30 days.**

**B) Evidence points to Black Janitor, Jim Conley.**

**C) Makes NO difference!!**

**D) Frank is found guilty.**

**E) Sentenced to death!**

### **4. Governor commutes the sentence to life.**

**5. Angry mob – Takes Frank from jail:**

**A) Lynches him!**

**6. Later...Learned...Conley murdered girl!!!**

## **1913 – May**

- 1. May 2, 1913 – U.S. recognizes the Republic of China.**
  
- 2. May 31, 1913 – 17<sup>th</sup> Amendment:**
  - A) Direct Election of United States Senators.**

# **1914**

**1. The Cape Cod Canal is opened.**

**2. Clayton Anti-Trust Act:**

**A) Prohibits Price Fixing.**

**B) Prohibits Interlocking Directorates.**

**C) Prohibits owning stock in a competitor.**

**3. Cincinnati, Ohio – Zoo:**

**A) Last Passenger Pigeon in existence dies!**

**B) Extinct!**

**4. H.G. Wells – Science Fiction Writer:**

**A) Book – “The World Set Free.”**

**B) 1<sup>st</sup> use – Term – “Atomic Bomb.”**

## **1914 - February**

**1. February 23, 1914 – Major General George Barnett – 12<sup>th</sup> Commandant – U.S.M.C.:**

**A) Born – 12/9/1859 – Lancaster, Wisconsin.**

**B) 1<sup>st</sup> Annapolis graduate to become Commandant.**

**C) 4/27/1930 – Washington, D.C. – Dies.**

# **April 1914**

## **The Ludlow, Colorado Strike**

### **1. Summer of 1913:**

- A) Southern Colorado.**
- B) Trinidad, Colorado.**
- C) Coal mines.**
- D) 3 primary private companies own the mines.**
- E) 25,000 employees:**
  - I. Greeks.**
  - II. Italians.**
  - III. Slavs.**
  - IV. Mexicans.**
- F) Only 19% of the employees speak English.**
- G) Many have been strikebreakers:**
  - I. 10 months before.**
- H) Wages:**
  - I. \$3.84 per day.**
  - II. \$2.50 allowance per week for adults and 50 cents allowance per week for children.**

### **2. The United Mine Workers:**

- A) Enter the area.**
- B) Start unionizing the workers.**
- C) Prepares them to strike for:**
  - I. Union recognition.**
  - II. 8 hour workday.**

**III. Right to trade and buy in the store of their own choosing INSTEAD of being forced to buy in a “Company Store.”**

**3. Mine owners refuse all!!!**

**A) Half of the miners join the Union.**

**B) Strike is called for September 27, 1913.**

**4. Mine owners hire guards to protect their property:**

**A) Armed with:**

**I. Rifles.**

**II. Machine guns.**

**III. Search lights.**

**B) Placed in rifle pits:**

**I. High ground.**

**II. Overlooking the miner’s tents and shanty camps.**

**5. Many of the miners are also armed.**

**6. Both sides taunt, insult, and fist fight with each other.**

**7. War breaks out:**

**A) Barbaric!**

**B) Bloody!**

**C) Merciless!**



- D) Many lives lost on both sides!**
- E) Many buildings destroyed!**

**8. October 25, 1913:**

**A) Governor of Colorado:**

- I. Orders the militia to mobilize.**

**9. October 27, 1913:**

**A) 1,200 militia are sent to the area:**

- I. Under General John Chase.**
- II. Have orders to disarm both sides.**
- III. Have orders to prevent the importation of strikebreakers.**

**10. Miners refuse to give up their arms:**

**A) Result:**

- I. Strikebreakers are allowed in and protected.**

**11. The militia prevents the strikers from picketing.**

**12. Enter "Mother Jones":**

- A) Genius for stirring up hatred and trouble!**
- B) Arrested by the militia for inciting a riot!**
- C) Held prisoner in a hospital in Trinidad!**

**13. 1,000 of the militia are withdrawn:**

**A) Only 200 are left to cover a 60 mile area.**

**14. Strikers in Ludlow, Colorado are under the leadership of a Greek...Louis Tikas.**

**15. Ludlow:**

**A) Union headquarters.**

**B) 40 of the militia are stationed here:**

**I. Constant friction between the militia and the strikers.**

**16. Sunday – April 19, 1914:**

**A) Afternoon.**

**B) A young miner is shot and killed.**

**17. Monday – April 20, 1914:**

**A) Morning.**

**B) Volley of rifle fire into a buggy:**

**I. Kills 1 man.**

**C) Starts a battle!!**

**I. 5 strikers killed.**

**II. 1 boy killed.**

**III. 1 soldier killed.**

**D) Militia starts pillaging and burning the miners camp.**

**E) Tikas comes into the camp:**

**I. To rescue some women and children.**

**F) Militia Captain asks for a conference:**

**I. Firing stops.**

**G) Conference:**

**I. Middle...Firing breaks out again.**

**II. Strikers scatter.**

**III. Tikas and 2 of his friends are taken prisoner.**

**H) Tikas:**

**I. Hit over the head by one of the soldiers.**

**II. Shot in the back 3 times by the soldiers and killed.**

**I) Tikas' 2 friends:**

**I. Also shot and killed.**

**J) Militia claims all 3 have been shot while "trying to escape!"**

**K) 12 hour battle:**

**I. Sundown.**

**II. Tent camp is burned to the ground.**

**18. Tuesday – April 21, 1914:**

**A) More troops arrive...100's.**

**B) Fighting continues.**

**C) The bodies of 2 mothers and 11 children:**

**I. Found below a burned tent!**

**II. Have suffocated to death!**

**19. Governor requests help from the Federal Government.**

**20. April 29, 1914:**

**A) President Woodrow Wilson:**

**I. Orders 6 troops of the cavalry to  
Colorado:**

**(1) Orders are to withdraw the militia.**

**21. May 13, 1914:**

**A) 39 of the militia are court martialed:**

**I. For...murder, arson, and larceny at  
Ludlow.**

**B) All...Not guilty!**

**22. Federal Government mediates between both  
sides:**

**A) Both sides accept the settlement.**

## **The Occupation of Veracruz** **(April 1914 – 7 Months & 2 Days)**

- 1. 1914 – A very few wealthy Americans have huge oil interests in Mexico:**
  - A) Especially along the Gulf Coast.**
  
- 2. The U.S. does not recognize the Government of Victoriano Huerta, or, him as President:**
  - A) President Woodrow Wilson says he is a “De Facto” ..... Illegal Government.**
  
- 3. This is the age of “Gunboat Diplomacy”:**
  - A) The U.S. Navy maintains a number of warships along the Gulf Coast to protect the interests of those wealthy Americans with investments there:**
    - I. Tampico – The 4<sup>th</sup> Division of the Atlantic Fleet – Under Rear Admiral Henry Mayo.**
    - II. Veracruz – The 5<sup>th</sup> Division of the Atlantic Fleet – Under Rear Admiral Frank Fletcher.**
  
- 4. Tampico – 1914:**
  - A) Large city.**
  - B) Population of 32,000.**
  - C) Has a large American colony.**
  - D) General Ignacio Zaragoza is in charge of the city:**
    - I. Courteous.**
    - II. Reasonable.**
    - III. Military Governor of Tamaulipas.**
    - IV. Has 3,000 men to guard the city.**

**V. Has no restricted areas.**

**VI. He declares NO martial law.**

**5. At Tampico – In the middle of one of the world's richest oilfields – Mayo's gunboat, "The Dolphin". Starts to run short of fuel.**

**6. Wednesday – April 8, 1914:**

**A) Tampico:**

**I. A Marine is carrying a message from the American Embassy to the docks.**

**II. He gets lost.**

**III. He wanders to the Iturbide Bridge, which is a combat area.**

**IV. He is stopped for a few minutes and then released.**

**7. Thursday – April 9, 1914:**

**A) Tampico:**

**I. Lt. Commander Ralph Earle – Captain of "The Dolphin" – Goes ashore to arrange for the purchase of fuel.**

**II. He is put in touch with German, Max Tyron.**

**III. The 2 men meet at the American Embassy.**

**IV. Tyron offers to sell the Americans some oil he has stored in his warehouse along the Tampico Canal.**

**V. Problem....the canal is the 1<sup>st</sup> line of defense against the Constitutionalist forces.**

**VI. Earle returns to the ship.**

- B) Earle sends a detail to get the oil:**
- I. Led by Assistant Paymaster, 23 year-old, inexperienced, On his 1<sup>st</sup> tour of sea duty, Charles Copp.**
- C) 11:45 – Morning – Copp and his 8 men head for the Canal.**
- D) Copp’s whaleboat heads up the canal:**
- I. Flags flying in front and back.**
  - II. No one is armed.**
  - III. Reach the warehouse.**
  - IV. Start loading the fuel.**
- E) Squad of 10 Federales appears:**
- I. Have orders to keep everyone out of the combat area.**
  - II. Leader speaks sharply to Copp.**
  - III. Tells Copp they are all to go with him.**
  - IV. Two of the Americans ignore him.**
  - V. The Mexican officer yells an order.**
  - VI. The Federales lower their rifles at the two men.**
  - VII. Copp orders the 2 men out of the boat.**
  - VIII. Copp and all of his men are led away.**
- F) Max Tyron goes to the “Dolphin”:**
- I. Reports what has happened to Earle.**
  - II. Earle informs Mayo.**
  - III. Mayo orders Earle ashore to demand the release of the men.**
- G) Meanwhile – Copp and his men have been marched through Tampico to the Federale Regimental Headquarters:**
- I. Colonel Ramon Hinojosa informs Copp that the area around the warehouse is a combat zone.**
  - II. The Americans are then taken back to**

**their boat:**

**a. The Federale soldiers HELP them finish loading!**

**H) Copp and his men head back for the "Dolphin."**

**I) The entire episode has lasted 90 minutes.**

**J) Earle meets with Zaragoza:**

**I. Zaragoza has ordered the men released.**

**II. He tells Earle to give his regrets to Mayo over the entire episode.**

**K) Mayo: 57 years old – Inflexible – Stern – Aggressive – Overly forceful:**

**I. He strongly reprimands Copp:**

**a. FOR ORDERING THE 2 MEN OUT OF THE BOAT!!!!**

**L) Mayo orders Commander W.A. Mofett to meet with Zaragoza:**

**I. Mofett is sent in full dress military uniform.....sword, gloves, and all!**

**M) Mofett delivers a written message from Mayo to Zaragoza:**

**I. Demands a formal apology.**

**II. Demands an assurance that the Federale officer in charge will be punished.**

**III. Demands that the American Flag be raised and given a 21 gun salute, which, the American ship would return.**

**IV. Demands that all this be done within 24 hours!**

**N) Mayo has made these demands without consulting Fletcher, the Navy Department, or the President!**



- O) Zaragoza requests a 24 hour extension:**
  - I. He lacks the authority to grant the demands.**
  - II. He has to refer the matter to Mexico City.**

**P) Late in the day:**

- I. Mayo informs Fletcher at Veracruz BRIEFLY of his actions:**
  - a. Fletcher backs him up!!**
  - b. Fletcher forwards the news to Washington, D.C.:**
    - (1) BUT, he says the men were “paraded” through the streets!**
    - (2) President Woodrow Wilson is at White Sulphur Springs in West Virginia when he is informed of the incident.**

**8. Friday – April 10, 1914:**

- A) President Wilson cables his Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan:**
  - I. Says Mayo could not have done anything else!**
  - II. Wants Mexico informed that this incident is of the most extreme seriousness!**
    - a. He then prepares for his Saturday golf game!**

**9. Saturday – April 11, 1914:**

- A) Veracruz:**
  - I. U.S. Naval mail orderly, F.C. LaRue, is arrested in the post office by a Federale soldier:**
    - a. The soldier has seen an American reward poster offering a reward for an**

**AWOL sailor:**

**(1) He thinks he has the man!**

**(2) Is mistaken in identity.**

**II. LaRue is released and the arresting soldier punished.**

**III. William Canada, American Consul to Veracruz, is informed of the incident:**

**a. Cables a garbled message to the State Department saying:**

**(1) The sailor was taken to Jail.**

**(2) DOES NOT explain that the Police Station is at the Jail!**

**(3) DOES NOT explain that the sailor was taken there to clear the matter up.**

**IV. Short time later – A diplomatic message from Washington, D.C. is delayed in the Mexico City censor's office for 55 minutes.**

**10. Sunday – April 12, 1914:**

**A) Huerta makes his 1<sup>st</sup> formal reply to the United States:**

**I. He considers Zaragoza's apology sufficient!**

**II. Colonel Hinojosa has been relieved of his command and arrested.**

**III. BUT, he refuses to salute the American flag!!!**

**a. Adding a very thought provoking question:**

**(1) Why is the U.S. demanding an apology from a Government that it does not even recognize???**

**B) At Tampico:**

- I. Mayo cannot shell Tampico:**
  - a. It has no shore defenses!**
  - b. International law forbids the shelling of unfortified cities!**

**11. Monday – April 13, 1914:**

**A) President Wilson returns to Washington, D.C.:**

**I. Train station - Tells newsmen:**

- a. “The flag will be saluted!!”**

**12. Tuesday – April 14, 1914:**

**A) 11:00 – Morning – Wilson holds a Cabinet meeting:**

- I. Unanimous decision – The Flag must be saluted!**

**B) Afternoon:**

- I. Wilson orders the Atlantic Fleet to concentrate on the east coast of Mexico.**

**C) Late afternoon:**

- I. The U.S. warships leave Hampton Roads.**

**D) Huerta issues a statement:**

- I. Says he will order the flag salute at Tampico IF, the American ships will return the salute round for round:**

- a. This is exactly what Mayo originally demanded!**

- b. Wilson says this is no longer acceptable:**

- (1) The salute must be given unconditionally!**

- II. Huerta says Wilson can go to hell!!!**

**E) Night:**

- I. Robert Lansing searches the Archives for a precedent to use if Wilson orders troops to**

**land:**

- a. Finally finds one – 1854 – Graytown, Nicaragua was shelled by American warships for an insult to the American Consul:  
(1) This will make Wilson “legal.”**

**13. Wednesday – April 15, 1914:**

- A) Wilson meets with members of the Congressional Foreign Relations Committee:
  - I. Tells them “intolerable insults” have been suffered by the U.S., AND, apologies are no longer sufficient!!
    - a. They agree with him!****
  - II. He outlines plans to seize Veracruz and Tampico if the Flag is not saluted:
    - a. They support him!******
- B) Huerta refuses to budge!**

**14. Saturday – April 18, 1914:**

- A) Wilson sends a deadline for the Flag salute:
  - I. Must be given by 6:00 – Evening – Sunday – April 19<sup>th</sup>!****

**15. Sunday – April 19, 1914:**

- A) Tampico – Transport with 800 Marines under Colonel John Lejuene arrives:
  - I. Outside the harbor are 7 other American ships.****
- B) At Veracruz are 3 American warships.**
- C) 12:30 – Afternoon – Secretary of State Bryan receives a cable from American Consul Canada in Veracruz:**

- I. A German steamer, the “Ypiranga”, is due to dock at Veracruz on Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup>:**
  - a. She is carrying 200 machine guns and 15 million rounds of ammunition for Huerta.**
- II. Wilson is NOT going to allow the delivery!**
- III. Suddenly forgotten are:**
  - a. Tampico!**
  - b. The Flag salute!!**

**16. Monday – April 20, 1914:**

- A) Wilson calls a Cabinet meeting:**
  - I. Outlines a speech he intends to make to Congress in the afternoon.**
- B) 2:00 – Afternoon – Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels sends orders to Mayo at Tampico:**
  - I. Leave 1 warship at Tampico.**
  - II. Take the other ships and proceed to Veracruz.**
- C) Daniels also sends orders to the Atlantic Fleet headed for Tampico:**
  - I. Make full speed for Veracruz!**
- D) BUT.....ENTER the faulty new radio communication:**
  - I. Messages to Mayo at Tampico have to be relayed through Veracruz.**
  - II. Will be 10 hours and 15 minutes after it is sent that Fletcher gets the message to forward to Mayo at Tampico to come to Veracruz!!**
    - a. 1:36 – Morning – April 21<sup>st</sup>!!!**
- E) 3:00 – Afternoon – Wilson addresses a joint session of Congress:**

- I. If necessary he will use armed intervention in Mexico.**
- II. American honor must be restored, even if it takes armed force:**
  - a. He requests the approval of Congress:**
    - (1) EVEN though he doesn't need it!**
    - (2) Thanks to Lansing and the 1854 precedent!!!!**
- F) The House of Representatives quickly approves Wilson's request:**
  - I. 337 to 37.**
- G) The Senate debates his proposal:**
  - I. Opposing Wilson are:**
    - a. Republican Senator, Henry Cabot Lodge.**
    - b. Former Secretary of State, Elihu Root.**
  - II. Lodge and Root add an amendment to Wilson's proposal:**
    - a. The use of Troops against ANY Mexican group that opposes the Americans:**
      - (1) Federal or Constitutionalist!**
  - III. Will debate until the wee hours of April 21<sup>st</sup>:**
    - a. Adjourn taking no action!**
    - b. Wilson has gone to bed not waiting for the results.**
- H) 10:00 – Night – Fletcher sends an American warship out to intercept the “Ypiranga.**
- I) Translation of the situation:**
  - I. The entire American Atlantic Fleet is being sent to Veracruz to stop ONE German merchant ship!!!**

**17. Tuesday – April 21, 1914:**

**A) 2:00 – Morning:**

**I. Secretary of State, Bryan, receives a wire from Consul Canada in Veracruz:**

**a. The “Ypiranga” is due to dock at 10:30 in the morning:**

**(1) Trains are waiting to take the cargo to the Federal Troops in the interior.**

**B) Bryan informs Secretary of the Navy, Daniels:**

**I. 2:30 – Morning – Daniels telephones Wilson:**

**a. Wilson says there is no alternative but to land:**

**(1) Tells Daniels to send the orders!**

**\*\*Sieze the customs house!**

**\*\*Preserve order in the city!**

**\*\*Prevent supplies from reaching Huerta or any other party!**

**\*\*Do not interfere with the municipal government unless necessary!**

**C) 8:00 – Morning – Veracruz – Message reaches Fletcher:**

**I. Tampico and the Flag are now totally forgotten!**

**D) Later in the day – Washington, D.C. – A democratic majority forces Wilson’s proposal through the Senate on a straight party vote:**

**I. Doesn’t matter:**

**a. Wilson has already acted!!**

**E) Veracruz – Military commander is General Gustavo Maas:**

**I. Has 600 Troops.**

**II. He knows the city and it’s surroundings.**

**III. He releases and arms the convicts from the prison to oppose the Americans.**

**IV. Has his officers arm civilians to oppose the Americans:**

**a. Lt. Colonel Manuel Contreras at the armory, hands out 450 rifles, Mausers, Winchesters, and 2,000 rounds of ammunition to the civilians and released convicts:**

**(1) He positions them along Avenida Cinco de Mayo.**

**F) Day is windy, overcast, and a storm is brewing!**

**I. 9:00 – Morning – Fletcher decides to land.**

**II. Target is Pier #4.**

**III. Whaleboats towed by motor launches will be used for the landings.**

**IV. 502 Marines, 285 Navy Bluejackets – 787 total – Under William Rush will land.**

**G) 11:12 – Morning – The Landing Party heads for shore!**

**H) 11:25 – Morning – Americans start landing unopposed:**

**I. Disperse a watchful crowd.**

**II. Occupy the Customs House.**

**III. Occupy the Terminal Station.**

**IV. Occupy the Cable Station.**

**V. Occupy the Post Office.**

**VI. Occupy the Telegraph Office.**

**VII. Occupy the Railroad Station.**

**I) Orders from Wilson have been to occupy ONLY the Customs House!!!!**



- J) Mexican troops and civilians start taking up positions from which to fight.**
- K) 11:57 – Morning:**
- I. Company of Marines are crossing Calle Emparan.**
  - II. 1<sup>st</sup> shot is fired at them by Aurelio Monffort.**
  - III. Americans return the fire.**
  - IV. Monffort is killed:**
    - a. Becomes the 1<sup>st</sup> Mexican to die in the defense of Veracruz.**
- L) Heaviest Mexican fire comes from 4 points:**
- I. The pink stucco building at the foot of the Juarez Monument.**
  - II. The iron shed across the street from the customs house.**
  - III. A machine gun position in the Oriente Hotel at the intersection of Zamora and Landero y Cos.**
  - IV. Machine gun position in the east yard of the Mexican Naval Academy:**
    - a. Position is commanded by Lt. Jose Azueta, the Commodore's son.**
- M) Azueta is shot and killed:**
- I. His men retreat into the Naval Academy.**
- N) Few minutes later:**
- I. Snipers in the pink stucco building are shot and killed.**
- O) 12:30 – Afternoon:**
- I. The “Ypiranga” comes into the harbor:**
    - a. She anchors 500 yards west of the U.S.S. “Utah.”**
  - II. Lt. Lamar Leahy boards her:**
    - a. Tells the captain that the Americans**

**have taken control of the customs house to prevent the cargo from being unloaded!**

**III. Bills of lading are produced:**

- a. The ammunition has been purchased in the U.S. from the Remington Arms Company!!!**
- b. It has been re-routed through Hamburg, Germany to escape the embargo!!!**

**IV. Leahy tells the Captain he cannot leave Veracruz without unloading the cargo:**

- a. THIS order is in direct violation of maritime law.....PIRACY!!!**

**V. Washington, D.C. – Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan hears the news:**

- a. Rushes to see German Ambassador, Johan von Bernstorff.**
- b. Tells him it is a mistake.**
- c. Tells him Fletcher has exceeded his orders.**
- d. Tells him the ship is free to carry it's cargo wherever it wants!**

**P) Meanwhile – Mexican Naval Academy:**

- I. The cadets start preparing defenses.**
- II. Pile mattresses and furniture against the walls and doors.**
- III. Soldiers from the artillery barracks join them:**
  - a. Bring several small pieces of artillery.**
  - b. Start shelling Pier #4.**
- IV. Americans in Launches, along the waterfront, each with a 1 pound piece of artillery fire a volley into the Academy:**

- a. **Cadets return the fire at the Launches killing 1 American sailor and wounding 2.**
- V. **The U.S. warship "Prairie" opens fire on the Academy with it's 3 inch guns:**
  - a. **16 year old Cadet, Virgilio Uribe, is hit in the head with shrapnel and killed.**
  - b. **Artillery fire from the Academy stops!**
- Q) **Throughout the city:**
  - I. **Small group fighting.**
  - II. **Americans are hampered in their movements by a lack of communication.**
- R) **8:00 – Night:**
  - I. **General Maas orders Commodore Azueta to abandon Veracruz.**
  - II. **The Federales have already withdrawn.**
  - III. **Azueta relays the message to Colonel Contreras.**
  - IV. **Most of the Naval Academy is evacuated.**
- S) **Rest of the night:**
  - I. **Quiet.**
  - II. **American fleet from Tampico arrives.**
  - III. **Americans have suffered 5 killed and 20 wounded for the day.**

**18. Wednesday – April 22, 1914:**

- A) **Dawn:**
  - I. **Snipers resume fire on the Americans.**
  - II. **One of the snipers killed by the Americans is Cadet, Alasio Perez, at the intersection of Lerdo and Cortes.**
- B) **3,000 more Marines and Bluejackets are landed throughout the day.**
- C) **1,400 Americans approach the Academy:**

- I. 2 story structure surrounded by stone walls.**
- II. The Americans are in close formation and advancing over open ground.**
- III. Defending the Academy are 70 Cadets under the command of Commodore Manuel Azueta.**
- IV. At 100 yards – The Cadets open fire on the Americans forcing them to retreat.**
- V. The Americans request covering fire from the warships, 800 yards away.**
- VI. For 5 minutes – Three American warships fire 3 and 5 inch shells at the Academy:
  - a. 40 rounds hit the school.**
  - b. 1 round misses blowing the roof off a Whore House.....ruins business!!****
- VII. Academy is reduced to rubble:
  - a. 12 year old Cadet, Colin, is killed at his post.**
  - b. Fire from within the Academy ceases.****
- VIII. The Academy is taken!**
- D) Two American warships pound selected targets in the city with 5 inch shells.**
- E) 5:00 – Afternoon – City is secured:
  - I. Americans have lost 11 more killed.****
- F) 11:00 – Night – Mexico City:
  - I. Huerta visits the American Embassy:
    - a. Tells American Ambassador, Nelson O’Shaughnessy, to leave Mexico.******

## **19. Reactions in Mexico:**

### **A) Mazatlan:**

- I. American Consulate is stoned.**
- II. American houses are pillaged.**

**B) Monterrey:**

- I. American Consulate is ransacked.**
- II. American flags are burnt.**
- III. The American Consul is kidnapped.**

**C) Venustiano Carranza:**

- I. Wants the U.S. out of Mexico!**

**D) Alvaro Obregon:**

- I. Wants the U.S. out of Mexico!**

**E) Pancho Villa:**

- I. WANTS THE AMERICANS TO STAY!!**
  - a. "It is Huerta's bull that is being gored!"**

**20. Woodrow Wilson – Orders shipments of arms to the Constitutionalist forces suspended:**

**A) Makes no difference:**

- I. They smuggle them across the border anyway!**

**21. Thursday – April 23, 1914:**

**A) Occasional sniping.**

**B) Captain of the "Ypiranga" is told he can unload his cargo at Veracruz if he wishes:**

- I. Says he will take them back to Germany.**

**C) Americans lose 1 more killed.**

**D) Just before midnight – Mexico City:**

- I. American Embassy train pulls out of the city:**
  - a. Will safely reach Veracruz.**

**22. American reaction to the occupation:**

**A) Topeka, Kansas:**

- I. High school boys force 12 Mexican railroad workers to salute the flag.**

**B) Teddy Roosevelt:**

**I. Offers to raise a force of Rough Riders and invade Mexico!**

**C) "The Chicago Tribune" newspaper:**

**I. Advocates the U.S. annexing Mexico.**

**23. Friday – April 24, 1914:**

**A) Snipings cease.**

**B) Washington, D.C. – Ambassadors of Argentina, Brazil, and Chile – Offer to mediate the troubles between the U.S. and Mexico:**

**I. Wilson accepts the offer.**

**C) After dark – Veracruz:**

**I. Firing breaks out again.**

**II. 2 Mexican snipers are killed, 1 is wounded, and 1 is captured.**

**24. Saturday – April 25, 1914:**

**A) Fletcher issues orders to all citizens of Veracruz:**

**I. Are to surrender all arms and munitions:**

**a. 11,000 guns are turned in!**

**b. 133,000 rounds of ammunition are turned in!**

**25. Sunday – April 26, 1914:**

**A) Fletcher proclaims Martial Law:**

**I. Civilians are not allowed on the streets after 7:30 at night without a pass:**

**a. Will be lifted on the 28<sup>th</sup>!!**

**26. Monday – April 27, 1914:**

**A) 2:00 – Afternoon – Veracruz:**

**I. American flag is raised.**

**II. Band plays "The Star Spangled Banner."**

**III. American warship fires a 21 gun salute:**

**a. Will NEVER be saluted by the  
Mexicans!**

**B) "Ypiranga" is joined by another German  
cargo ship, the "Bavaria":**

**I. She is carrying 8,000 rolls of barbed wire  
and 2 million rounds of ammunition!**

**27. May 3, 1914 - The 2 German ships leave  
Veracruz:**

**A) Will later unload their cargos at Puerto  
Mexico!!**

**I. Translation:**

**a. 18 Americans have been killed and 57  
wounded!**

**b. 163 Mexicans have been killed and 248  
wounded!**

**(1) ALL FOR NOTHING!!!!**

**28. American positives of the Occupation of  
Veracruz:**

**A) Markets are cleaned up!**

**B) Fly screens are set up over concessions!**

**C) Roads are resurfaced!**

**D) Population is vaccinated against smallpox!**

**E) Waste disposal facilities are built:**

**I. Still in use today!**

**F) Malaria is wiped out!**

**G) Public works are built:**

**I. Still in use today!**

**H) Prostitution and V.D. is controlled:**

**I. Medical exams are required twice per  
week!**

**29. May 21, 1914 – Clifton House – Canadian  
Niagara Falls:**

**A) “The A-B-C Meetings”:**

**I. “Alphabet Soup Meetings.”**

**II. June – Adjourn.**

**III. Never reconvene.**

**IV. Only accomplishment:**

**a. Prevent a war between the U.S. and  
Mexico!**

**30. November 23, 1914 – 2:00 afternoon – All  
American troops are loaded:**

**A) After 7 months and 2 days.**

**B) Veracruz is evacuated.**



## **1914 - May**

**1. May 7, 1914 – Congress:**

**A) Creates – “Mother’s Day.”**

## 1914 - August

1. World War I starts in Europe.

2. August 15, 1914 – The Panama Canal opens:

A) George Goethals – Engineer.

B) Colonel William Gorgas – Engineer.

C) 50 miles long.

D) Cost...\$352 million!!!

E) Over 5,600 have died in the construction.

June 1914

GAVKilo Principal  
Assistant Archduke  
Franz Ferdinand  
of Austria

# **1915**

## **1. War prosperity in America:**

- A) Will last until 1918.**
- B) Economy booms.**
- C) Farm prices reach all-time high.**
- D) U. S. exports food, textiles, steel, fuel, chemicals, etc.**

## **2. D.W. Griffith – Movie – “Birth of a Nation”:**

- A) VERY racist!**
- B) Romanticizes the KKK!!!**

## **3. Black households:**

- A) Urban...1/4 are headed by a woman.**
- B) Rural...3/4 are headed by a woman.**

## **4. Margaret Sanger:**

- A) 1 of 11 children.**
- B) Mother dies early from:
  - I. Physical, emotional, mental stress of child bearing and rearing.****
- C) Public Nurse – New York City.**
- D) Writes – “The Woman Rebel”:
  - I. America’s 1<sup>st</sup> Birth Control publication.**
  - II. In it:****

- (1) The 1<sup>st</sup> use of the term "Birth Control."**  
**E) Charged with publishing obscenity.**  
**F) Father - Release - Laws changed - Lives saved.**

1915 = Margaret Sanger  
→ "Birth Control"  
→ Flee country to avoid  
prosecution in New York

**1915**

**America's Last Indian Fight**

- 1. Young Ute brave...Tis-Ne-Gat:**
  - A) Charged with murdering a Mexican sheepherder:**
    - I. Conflicting evidence.**
  
- 2. Father refuses to surrender his son for trial.**
  
- 3. Drunken cowboy mob:**
  - A) Surround the Indian camp:**
    - I. Open fire.**
    - II. Kill 3 Indians.**
  - B) Indians counter-attack:**
    - I. Kill several of the cowboys.**
    - II. Rest flee.**
  
- 4. General Hugh Scott is called out of retirement:**
  - A) Convinces the brave to surrender:**
    - I. Tried...Not guilty.**
    - II. Years later...Dies of TB!**

## **1915 - January**

**1. January 25, 1915 – 1<sup>st</sup> Transcontinental**

**Telephone Service:**

**A) New York City and San Francisco, California.**

**2. January 26, 1915 – Congress:**

**A) Creates – Rocky Mountain National Park.**

**3. January 28, 1915 – Coast Guard is created.**

**AUGUST**

**1915 - 1935**

**(20 Years)**

**The Occupation of Haiti**

**1. Haiti:**

**A) Influenced by the French:**

**I. Tradition.**

**II. Language.**

**III. Religion.**

**IV. Culture.**

**B) Loans and bonds of the National Railroad:**

**I. Held in France.**

**C) The Cable Monopoly:**

**I. Held in France.**

**D) Country becomes "free":**

**I. In actuality...Dictators gain power backed by the army.**

**E) A Presidential term is 7 years:**

**I. President is chosen by the army.**

**II. Comes to power through revolution or rigged elections.**

**III. His goal...Raise money to pay the army.**

**F) Country falls deeply into debt!**

**2. 1899:**

**A) Americans owners in Haiti begin exporting:**

**I. Copper.**

**II. Wood products.**

**B) Americans come to control the entire railway system of Haiti.**

**3. This is the peak period of U.S. “Dollar Diplomacy”:**

**A) It is hoped that financial rehabilitation of Haiti will result in:**

**I. Economic improvement.**

**II. Political stability.**

**B) Goal of the U.S.:**

**I. Switch Haiti’s debt from Europe to New York.**

**C) Haiti will accept President Taft’s plan!**

**4. Revolts in the country:**

**A) American investors fear for their investments!**

**I. They ask the U.S. government for help.**

**II. Woodrow Wilson is now President:**

**(1) Believes the Caribbean should be “made safe for democracy.”**

**5. American investors push hard for U.S. action:**

**A) Wilson gets a promise from the Haitian government:**

**I. NO other nation will gain economic control of the country!**



**6. The Marines are landed!**

**7. Vilburn Sam starts a revolt!**

**8. March 4, 1915:**

**A) Vilburn Sam becomes President:**

**I. Makes a pledge to the United States:**

**(1) Arbitrate all foreign claims.**

**II. U.S. makes a pledge to Haiti:**

**(1) Protect the country from revolts.**

**(2) Protect the country from external attacks.**

**9. July 27, 1915:**

**A) Revolt against Vilburn Sam breaks out!**

**B) Fighting at the National Palace.**

**C) 167 political prisoners are massacred!**

**D) Vilburn Sam flees to the French Legation.**

**10. July 28, 1915:**

**A) Morning.**

**B) Mob...Drags Vilburn Sam from the French Embassy:**

**I. Lynched.**

**II. Body is torn to pieces.**

**11. The U.S., England, and France declare Port-Au-Prince to be under mob rule!**

**12. Marines under Colonel Tony Waller are landed:**

- A) French also land troops.**
- B) Order is restored.**

**13. Cacos:**

- A) Rebels.**
- B) Bandits.**
- C) Use terrorist activities.**
- D) Control certain areas of the country.**
- E) Interrupt the railroads.**
- F) Interrupt communications.**
- G) Disrupt and destroy food supplies.**
- H) Disrupt and destroy water supplies.**

**14. The U.S. will eventually have 2,000 Marines fighting them!**

**15. August 1915:**

- A) Marines carry out the informal occupation of Haiti.**

**16. September 1915:**

- A) U.S. declares martial law.**
- B) A new constitution for Haiti is written:
  - I. By Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Franklin D. Roosevelt.****

**17. October 24 & 25, 1915:**

**A) Battle of Fort Liberte.**

**B) October 24<sup>th</sup> – Dark:**

**I. Marines are crossing the river.**

**II. Ambushed from 3 sides by Cacos.**

**III. Hold their ground all night.**

**C) October 25<sup>th</sup>:**

**I. Marines split into thirds and attack the Cacos in 3 directions.**

**II. Cacos retreat.**

**18. November 17, 1915 – Battle of Fort Riviere:**

**A) Three companies of Marines.**

**B) Under Major Smedley Butler.**

**C) Marines surround the Cacos in the fort and Attack:**

**I. Hand-to-hand fighting.**

**II. Bloody.**

**III. Every single Caco is killed.**

**19. After 1915 – Period of relative peace:**

**A) Road construction increases.**

**B) Public works are improved.**

**C) Country experiences overall general improvement.**

**20. 1918:**

**A) Caco leader is Charlemagne Peralte:**

- I. Organizes a bandit resistance.**
- II. Launches a series of attacks.**
- III. Launches a series of raids.**
- IV. Launches a series of terrorist activities.**
- B) He HAS to be stopped!**
- C) Reward of \$2 thousand is offered for him:**
  - I. Dead or alive.**

**21. Enter...Two Marines:**

- A) Sergeant Herman Hanneken and Corporal William Button:**
  - I. Come up with a plan to get Peralte.**
- B) A “show” is staged:**
  - I. Hanneken publicly insults and slaps 2 Haitian policemen.**
  - II. They pretend to quit!**
  - III. They “join” the Cacos.**
  - IV. Become part of Peralte’s group.**
  - V. Convince Peralte to attack the town held by Hanneken’s Marines.**
  - VI. They do so!**
  - VII. Marines stage a phony retreat.**
- C) Peralte decides to attack Hanneken in force:**
  - I. Word is smuggled to Hanneken where Peralte is camped.**
- D) Hanneken and Button dress as Cacos:**
  - I. Smear burnt cork on their faces.**

**II. 10 Haitian policemen dress as Cacos also.**

**III. The group heads for Peralte's camp.**

**IV. Passed by all the guards into Peralte's camp.**

**22. November 1, 1919:**

**A) Wee minutes after midnight.**

**B) Walk up to his campfire.**

**C) Hanneken walks right up to him:**

**I. Shoots him directly in the heart killing him!**

**D) Button opens fire on the guards with an automatic rifle!**

**E) All "hell" breaks loose:**

**I. They stay with the body all night.**

**II. Beating off attacks.**

**F) Dawn Cacos retreat:**

**I. The body is exhibited.**

**G) Hanneken and Button are awarded Congressional Medals of Honor.**

**23. Herman Hanneken:**

**A) Born...June 23, 1893...St. Louis, Missouri.**

**B) Haiti:**

**I. Medal of Honor.**

**II. Navy Cross.**

**C) Nicaragua...2<sup>nd</sup> Navy Cross.**

**D) WW II – Guadalcanal:**

**I. Silver Star.**

**E) WW II – New Britain.**

**F) WWII – Peleliu.**

**G) 1948 – Retires – Brig. General.**

**H) Death:**

**I. August 23, 1986 – La Jolla, California – Dies.**

**24. January 1920:**

**A) Port Au Prince:**

**I. 66 Cacos are killed.**

**25. April 1920:**

**A) Hanneken:**

**I. Navy Cross for:**

**(1) Tracking down and helping kill Caco leader, Osiris Joseph.**

**26. Benoit Batrville:**

**A) Becomes the Caco leader.**

**27. May 19, 1920:**

**A) Batrville's group is ambushed by the Marines:**

**I. Marine Captain, Cy Perkins, kills Batrville.**

**28. June 1920 – Armistice:**

- A) 11,600 Cacos surrender.**
- B) Turn in their weapons.**
- C) Each is given \$10 and new clothing.**
- D) 2,450 Cacos have been killed.**

**29. August 7, 1933:**

- A) Agreement between the U.S. and Haiti:  
I. Marines are to be withdrawn by October 1, 1934.**

**30. August 15, 1934:**

- A) Last Marines leave.**

**31. 1935:**

- A) Official American occupation ends:  
I. 16 Marines have been killed and 18 wounded.**

**32. Haiti has benefited from the U.S. occupation:**

- A) Financial problems are eliminated.**
- B) Currency is stabilized.**
- C) Budget is balanced.**
- D) Debts are paid.**
- E) Taxes are readjusted.**
- F) Public works are improved.**
- G) Sanitation is improved.**
- H) Education is improved.**

**I) Agriculture is improved.**



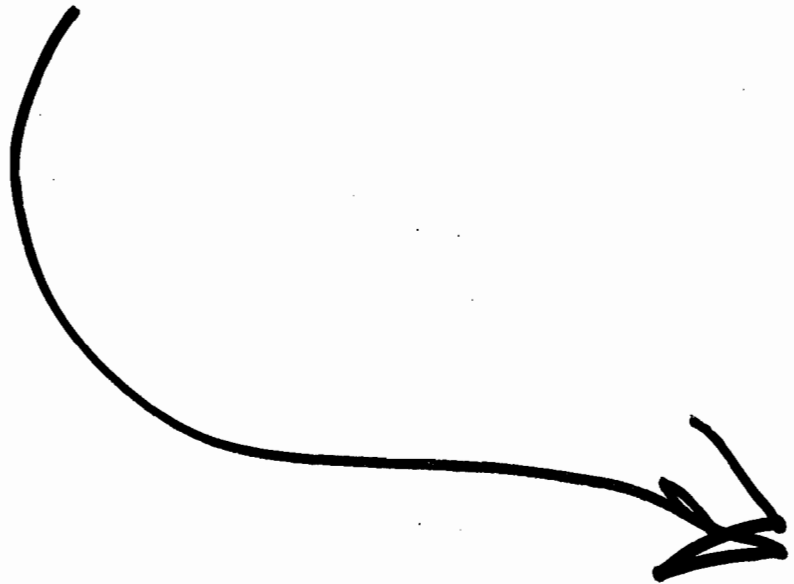
## **1915 - November**

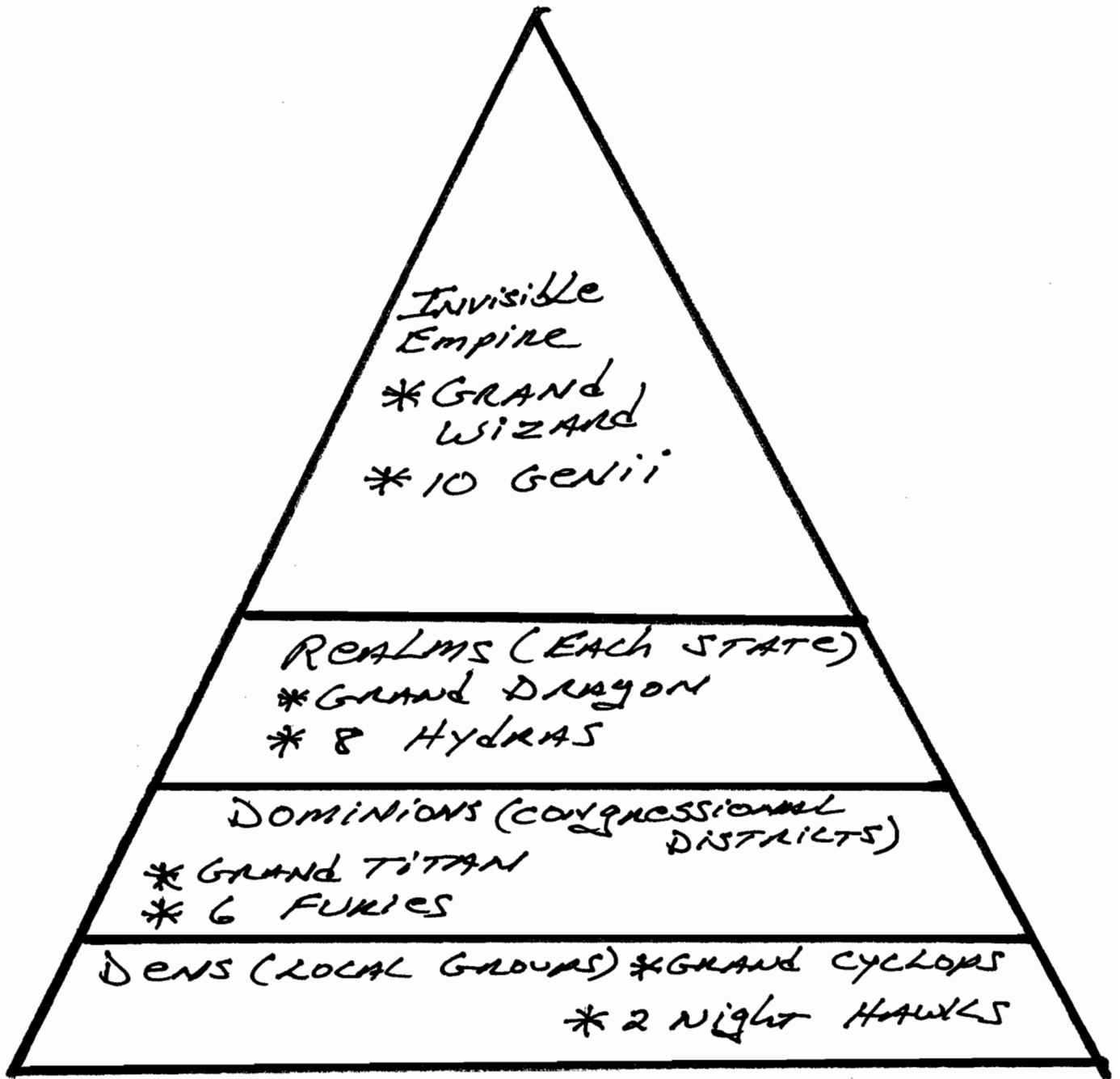
**1. November 25, 1915 – Colonel William Simmons:**

**A) Atlanta, Georgia.**

**B) revives the Ku Klux Klan...KKK!**

**C) Greek – “Kyklos” – Means, “circle.”**





# **1916**

**1. 1<sup>st</sup> – National Workmen's Compensation laws.**

**2. 1<sup>st</sup> – National Child Labor laws.**

**3. Railroad Workers...8 hour workday.**

**4. Warehouse Act:**

**A) Extends credit to farmers in need of cash.**

*1917 to 1919 = Chicago = 26  
Bombings of Black residences*

# MARCH

## **The Punitive Expedition 1916-1917 (10 Months & 20 Days)**

- 1. 1916 – Columbus, New Mexico:**
  - A) 75 miles west of El Paso, Texas.**
  - B) South of Deming, New Mexico.**
  - C) 3 miles north of the Mexican border.**
  - D) Town has 300 civilians.**
  - E) Is a collection of adobe and frame houses:**
    - I. 2 hotels.**
    - II. 1 bank.**
    - III. A post office.**
    - IV. Several stores.**
  - F) No electricity.**
  - G) Kerosene for lamps and lanterns is running low.**
  - H) Next to the town is Camp Furlong:**
    - I. Home of the 13<sup>th</sup> Cavalry.**
    - II. 7 rifle troops – 1 machine gun troop – and 1 headquarters troop:**
      - a. Total of 348 men.**
      - b. Commander is Colonel Herbert Slocum.**
- 2. Tuesday – March 7, 1916 – Slocum gets news from 2 Mexican cowboys – Juan Favela and**

**Antonio Munoz – Who have barely escaped with their lives:**

**A) Villa and his men have captured 4 American cowboys on the American side of the border:**

**I. William Corbett – Arthur McKinney – James O’Neil – and black cowboy, Edwin “Buck” Spencer:**

**a. Villa orders Corbett and McKinney lynched!**

**b. Villa orders O’Neil shot!**

**3. Thursday – March 9, 1916 – 1:00 – Morning:**

**A) 500 Villistas cut the border wire fence 3 miles west of the border gate at Palomas:**

**I. Head for Columbus, New Mexico.**

**II. 3 miles away!**

**B) 4:30 – Morning – 1 mile from town – Villa divides his 500 man force:**

**I. Half will hit Camp Furlong:**

**a. Targets are the Cavalry horses, guns, and ammunition!**

**II. Half will hit the town:**

**a. Targets are the bank, the hotels, and the stores!**

**C) At Camp Furlong – In his quarters – 1<sup>st</sup> Lt.**

**John Lucas:**

**I. Hears horses and noises.**

**II. Looks out the window.**

**III. Sees mounted Mexican horsemen going by.**

**D) Same time – Guard, Pvt. Fred Griffin, near the Headquarters Building – Hears footsteps:**

**I. Yells a challenge.**

**II. Answer is a rifle shot that hits him in the stomach:**

**a. Falls.**

**b. Manages to shoot and kill 3 of the Villistas before collapsing and dying!**

**(1) Griffin becomes the 1<sup>st</sup> American killed in the raid!**

**E) Lucas runs from his hut with a .45 in his hand:**

**I. Runs for the barracks housing his machine gun troop.**

**F) Officer of the Day, 39 year old, Lt. James Castleman runs out of his hut with a .45 in his hand:**

**I. Collides with one of the Villistas.**

**II. Shoots and kills him with the .45!**

**III. Finds Sgt. Michael Fody and some members of F Troop.**

**IV. They head for town.**

**V. Encounter heavy fire.**

**VI. Pvt. Jesse Taylor is wounded in the leg.**

**VII. Pvt. Thomas Butler is hit 4 times within 500 yards:**

- a. Refuses to quit fighting.**
- b. Keeps firing.**
- c. Hit a 5<sup>th</sup> time and killed.**

**VIII. Group reaches Main Street – Takes cover – Opens fire on the Villistas.**

**G) Meanwhile:**

**I. Lucas rouses his men.**

**II. They head for the Guard Shack – 200 yards away.**

**III. Villista rushes out – Fires at Lucas and misses – Lucas fires back with his .45 killing the Villista.**

**IV. Lucas and his men grab the machine guns.**

**V. Head for the railroad tracks to set them up!**

**VI. 30 riflemen under the command of Lt. Horace Stringfellow Jr. join them!**

**VII. For the next 90 minutes – Lucas and his machine gun crews will fire 20,000 rounds at the Villistas!**

**H) The Benet-Mercie Machine Gun:**

**I. French made.**

**II. Called “The Ben-A.”**

**III. Adopted by the Army in 1910.**

**IV. Weighs 27 pounds.**

**V. Tray fed ammunition.**

**VI. Loading it is “the pits!”**

**VII. Can fire 700 rounds per minute.**

**VIII. Because of light weight, the weapon  
“bounces” off target.**

**I) In town – People are trying to get to safety  
and hide:**

**I. Sgt. John Nivergelt is killed getting his  
family to safety!**

**J) At the Commercial Hotel:**

**I. Walton Walker is yanked away from his  
wife and shot to death on the stairs!**

**II. Vetrenarien, Dr. H.M. Hart and Engineer,  
Charles DeWitt Miller, are taken into the  
street – Robbed – Shot to death!**

**III. Hotel Owner, William Ritchie, is jerked  
away from his wife and three daughters  
– Taken to the lobby – Shot to death!**

**K) Any house that shows light is fired upon by  
the Villistas!**

**L) Druggist, C.C. Miller, is shot and killed!**

**M) Grocer, James Dean, is shot and killed!**

**N) A railroad worker is shot and killed!**

**O) Harry Davis and W.A. Davidson, are shot  
and killed:**

**I. Both men arrived in Columbus the day  
before!**



- P) Mrs. Milton James is shot and killed:**
- I. Her husband is shot and wounded.**
- Q) The Lemmons & Romney Grocery Store is doused with kerosene and set afire by the Villistas:**
- I. It spreads and catches the hotel on fire.**
  - II. The fire illuminates the Villistas making them targets.**
- R) Most athletic event of the raid:**
- I. Black servant, Carson Jackson, squeezes under a bathtub:**
    - a. When the raid ends, he can't get out!**
- S) At Camp Furlong – The Villistas attack the cook shack:**
- I. Cooks throw hot, boiling, coffee on them!**
  - II. Cooks attack them with baseball bats, axes, and shotguns!**
    - a. Villistas retreat!!!!**
    - b. Afterwards – Chunks of brains and skull found everywhere!**
- T) Lucas and his men are still firing away:**
- I. Corporal Barmazel has a large portion of his jawbone blown away:**
    - a. Wraps it up and keeps firing!**
  - II. Sgt. Mark Dobbs is shot through the liver:**
    - a. Keeps firing until he dies!**
- U) Dawn – The Villistas start retreating**

**towards the border:**

**I. Major Frank Tompkins and 32 men go in pursuit:**

**a. They are joined by 27 more men under Castleman:**

**(1) They cross the border.**

**(2) Engage Villa's rear guard.**

**(3) Americans – Pistol charge – Route the Villistas killing 32 of them!**

**(4) Chase goes 15 miles into Mexico.**

**(5) Americans are outnumbered –  
Horses and men are exhausted –  
Ammunition is low.**

**(6) Head back for Columbus.**

**(7) Arrive at 12:45 in the afternoon.**

**4. Columbus:**

**A) Over 100 dead Villistas:**

**I. 67 of the bodies are stacked, doused with kerosene, and burnt!**

**B) 9 civilians and 8 soldiers are dead.....17.**

**C) 2 civilians and 6 soldiers are wounded.....8.**

**D) 8 wounded Villistas have been taken prisoner.**

**E) Villa has gotten away with:**

**I. 80 horses.**

**II. 30 mules.**

**III. 300 rifles.**

#### **IV. Numerous supplies.**

**5. Late morning – Thursday – March 9, 1916 – President Woodrow Wilson is informed of the raid:**

**A) Calls for a Cabinet meeting early the next morning – March 10<sup>th</sup>:**

**I. BUT, his mind is already made up!**

**a. The U.S. Army is going into Mexico to get Villa!**

**6. President Venustiano Carranza is informed of the raid:**

**A) Says he will hunt Villa down and punish him for the raid:**

**I. Issues orders to the Federal Troops to resist American troops crossing into Mexico:**

**a. He wants NO American troops in Mexico!**

**(1) He considers any Americans coming into Mexico to be an act of war!**

**7. Doesn't matter to Wilson – He is going to send in troops because:**

**A) The raid on Columbus!**

**B) Other raids on American soil by Villa!**

**C) The lack of action in stopping these raids by the Carrancista Government!**

**D) Public opinion is screaming for intervention!**

**E) AND, 1916 is an election year!**

**8. Friday – March 10, 1916 – Secretary of War, Newton Baker, and General Hugh Scott, plan the expedition:**

**A) Leader – 55 year old, Brig. General John J. Pershing.**

**B) Pershing's force:**

**I. 4 Cavalry regiments.**

**II. 2 Infantry regiments.**

**III. 2 companies of Army Engineers.**

**IV. 1 Ambulance company and Field Hospital.**

**V. 2 Wagon companies:**

**a. 27 wagons.**

**b. 36 men.**

**c. 6 horses.**

**d. 112 mules.**

**VI. 1 Signal Corps detachment.**

**VII. 2 Batteries of Field Artillery:**

**a. 8 Mountain-type Howitzers:**

**(1) Effective range is 5,500 yards.**

**(2) Each can fire 8 rounds per minute.**

**\*\*Total U.S. artillery  
ammunition in 1916  
is.....5,800 rounds:  
@@ OR, 3 minutes of  
combat!**

**VIII. 54 Trucks:**

- a. Government has to advertise to buy them!**
- b. They cost the Government \$500 thousand!**
- c. Government has to hire civilian drivers.....nobody in the military knows how to drive them!**
- d. Government has to hire civilian mechanics.....nobody in the military knows how to work on them!**

**IX. The 1<sup>st</sup> Aero Squadron:**

- a. All 8 planes!!!!**
- C) Total of 4,800 men and 4,175 animals!**

**9. The American Soldier in 1916:**

**A) Primarily immigrants:**

**I. German – Irish – Polish – Italian –  
Scandinavian.**

**B) Average height is 5-9.**

**C) Equipment:**

**I. Food:**

**a. Hardtack.**

**b. Bacon.**

**c. Coffee.**

**II. 1903, .30-06, 9 pound, Springfield, bolt action rifle.**

**III. Web belt holding:**

**a. 5 round clips of rifle ammunition.**

**b. Bayonet and scabbard.**

**c. Canteen.**

**d. Colt, .45, semi-automatic, pistol and holster.**

**IV. Back pack containing:**

**a. Spoon.**

**b. Eating knife.**

**c. Blanket.**

**d. Soap.**

**e. Water repellent poncho.**

**f. 2 pairs of socks.**

**g. 1 pair of shorts (underwear).**

**h. A towel.**

**i. Spare t-shirt.**

**j. Toothbrush.**

**k. Rifle cleaning gear.**

**l. Needle and thread.**

**m. Spare buttons.**

**n. Dice.**

**o. Cards.**

**p. Company Orders #1.**

- q. Pencil.**
- r. Post cards.**
- s. Tobacco, rolling paper, and matches.**
- t. Condoms.**

**10. Major problems facing Pershing and the American Army going into Mexico:**

- A) How the Carrancista Government will react!**
- B) How the Carrancista troops will react!**
- C) An ill-prepared American Army!**
- D) Americans are not allowed to use Mexican railroads!**
- E) Americans are not allowed to use Mexican towns as bases!**
- F) Americans are not allowed to use Mexican towns as:
  - I. Camps.**
  - II. Stopping places.**
  - III. Recreational places.****
- G) 94,000 square miles of the state of Chihuahua which:
  - I. Is rugged!**
  - II. Has a scarcity of water!**
  - III. Has hardly any roads!**
  - IV. The hostile attitude of the people!**
  - V. Is Villa's "home turf!"****

**11. Wednesday – March 15, 1916 – 12:15 –  
Afternoon:**

**A) Major Frank Tompkins and the first  
American troops cross into Mexico.**

**12. Thursday – March 16, 1916 – 12:30 – Morning:**

**A) 40 miles south of Hachita.**

**B) 2<sup>nd</sup> American column – Under Pershing –  
Enters Mexico.**

**13. Villa after the raid:**

**A) Leads his 400 survivors to El Valle:  
I. Gains 40 “volunteers!”**

**14. Saturday – March 18, 1916 – Villa reaches  
Namaquipa:**

**A) Battle against 200 Carrancistas:  
I. Routes the Carrancistas!**

**15. Monday – March 20, 1916:**

**A) The American 1<sup>st</sup> Column finds the body of  
a dead American:**

**I. Has been dead for a week!**

**II. Is wearing only shorts and a shirt.**

**III. Is blindfolded.**

**IV. Has been shot in the head.**

**B) Same day – Carranza issues a statement:**

**I. Does not want the American troops in**



**Mexico.**

**II. Does not like the American troops in Mexico.**

**C) Same day – Villa leaves Namaquipa.**

**16. Friday & Saturday – March 24 & 25, 1916 – Villa rests in Rubio:**

**A) Prepares to attack Guerrero.**

**17. Sunday – March 26, 1916 – Night – Villa leaves Rubio:**

**A) Heads for Guerrero.**

**18. Tuesday – March 28, 1916 – 4:00 – Morning – Villa attacks Guerrero:**

**A) Vicious fight.**

**B) Carrancistas flee.**

**C) Villa is shot by one of his “volunteers”:**

**I. Bullet enters the back of the right knee.**

**II. Travels down 4 inches and exits**

**through the shin bone, shattering it:**

**a. Small bone splinters are removed.**

**b. Wound is dressed.**

**19. Wednesday – March 29, 1916:**

**A) Villa is loaded in a wagon:**

**I. 150 man escort.**

**II. Heads for Parral.**

- B) Same day – At Guerrero – 8:00 – Morning:**
- I. Colonel George Dodd and 370 men of the 7<sup>th</sup> Cavalry.**
  - II. Attack the remaining Villistas.**
  - III. Dodd opens fire with machine guns at 1,000 yards.**
  - IV. Cavalry charges.**
  - V. Villistas retreat.**
  - VI. Losses:**
    - a. Villistas – 56 killed and 35 wounded.**
    - b. Americans – 5 wounded.**

**(1) Dodd is made a Brig. General and awarded the Silver Star.**

**20. Pershing's headquarters is a rented Dodge touring car:**

- A) He is constantly followed by reporters in Fords, Hudsons, and Dodges they have rented in El Paso.**

**21. April 1916 – The American Aero Squadron receives “bombs”:**

- A) Are actually 3 inch artillery shells!**
- B) Nobody knows how to use them!**
- C) Have been sent purely for publicity and propaganda!**

**22. Throughout the campaign the Planes will be**

**used primarily as couriers:**

**A) All 8 crash or are abandoned in Mexico:**

**I. 1 crashes and starts one of the largest forest fires in the history of Mexico!**

**23. Town of Agua Caliente is held by Villistas under General Francisco Beltran:**

**A) Squad of the all black, 10<sup>th</sup> Cavalry, led by black Major, Charles Young, attacks:**

**I. At 300 yards the Villistas open fire.**

**II. Americans dismount and return the fire.**

**III. American machine guns are set up and open fire.**

**IV. Cavalry remounts and charges.**

**V. Villistas retreat.**

**VI. Losses:**

**a. Villistas – 4 killed – Wounded unknown.**

**b. Americans.....zero!**

**24. April 11, 1916 – Town of Santa Cruz de Herrero:**

**A) Held by the Villistas.**

**B) Before dawn – Major Robert Howze and the 11<sup>th</sup> Cavalry attacks:**

**I. Villistas retreat.**

**II. Howze orders a halt.**

**III. Daylight – Town is searched.**

**IV. Camp is made south of the town.**

**V. 14 Yaqui Indians enter the camp:**

**a. Tell Howze that Villa is 1 mile away  
in a ranch house wounded.**

**b. Howze doesn't believe them!**

**c. Refuses to go and search the house!**

**d. Next morning – The Americans head  
on south:**

**(1) Later learned – Villa WAS in the  
house!**

**25. April 12, 1916 – Battle of Parral:**

**A) Just before noon:**

**I. Squad of the 13<sup>th</sup> Cavalry under Major  
Frank Tompkins enters Parral.**

**B) Carrancista commander of the town,  
General Ismael Lozano, orders the  
Americans out of the town immediately:**

**I. Tompkins agrees.**

**II. Americans start retreating.**

**III. Are following Lozano who is acting as a  
guide and escort.**

**IV. Angry crowd of people gathers around  
and starts cursing the Americans.**

**V. Lozano leads them a few hundred yards  
north of the town, across the railroad  
tracks, into an ambush!!**

- C) Civilians start shooting at the American rear guard.**
  - D) Carrancista troops on a hill to the American right open fire:
    - I. Sgt. Jay Richley is shot and killed.****
  - E) 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Clarence Lininger and 8 hand-picked riflemen go to the rear of the American column:
    - I. Open fire on the Carrancistas pinning them down!**
    - II. Tompkins starts leading the column out of the ambush towards Santa Cruz de Villegas.**
    - III. 100 Carrancistas ride forward trying to outflank the Americans:
      - a. Lininger and his 8 men open fire on them:
        - (1) Kill 25 and wound 25 forcing the Carrancistas to retreat.********
- F) Americans reach the Santa Cruz road:
  - I. Carrancistas charge again firing.**
  - II. 4 Americans are hit – 1 killed and 3 wounded.**
  - III. Running fight all afternoon.****
- G) Reach Santa Cruz de Villegas:
  - I. Captain Frederick Turner and 20 men fight a rear guard action.**
  - II. Carrancistas charge them.****

**III. At 200 yards the Americans open fire.**

**IV. Kill 42 Carrancistas – Rest retreat.**

**H) Americans take refuge in the town:**

**I. Have lost 2 killed – 6 wounded – 1 missing – 7 horses killed – 16 horses wounded.**

**II. Are short of food, water, and ammunition.**

**III. Tompkins sends 3 men for help.**

**I) Lozano halts his men ½ mile from the town:**

**I. Is deciding what action to take.**

**II. Captain Lippincott is laying on the roof of one of the adobe houses.**

**III. Spots the Carrancistas starting forward.**

**IV. Adjusts the sights, uses the sling, lays prone, takes careful aim at one of the Carrancistas, fires:**

**a. Kills the man at 800 yards.....2,400 feet!**

**(1) Carrancistas retreat.**

**J) The 3 men Tompkins has sent for help reach Colonel Brown's 10<sup>th</sup> Cavalry:**

**I. Major Charles Young and a squad of the 10<sup>th</sup> Cavalry are sent to relieve**

**Tompkins:**

**a. Reach him later in the day rescuing the Americans.**

**26. Pershing's headquarters now is in a cornfield near Satevo:**

**A) He is cut off from his base at Columbus.**

**B) He does not intend to withdraw from Chihuahua.**

**C) His front is 100 miles wide :**

**I. From Santa Cruz de Villegas westward to the Sierra Madre Occidental.**

**D) He is 400 miles deep in Mexico.**

**E) He has 6,000 horses to feed:**

**I. They need 60,000 pounds of grain and 84,000 pounds of hay daily!**

**F) His troops have not been paid since leaving Columbus.**

**G) The U.S. is very close to war with the Carrancista Government.**

**27. Carranza issues orders:**

**A) All trains destined for the American forces are to be stopped and searched:**

**I. Certain items are to be confiscated!**

**a. Results.....only 60% of the rations and supplies reach the American forces.**

**28. Pershing issues 5 objectives to make the Expedition successful:**

- A) Occupy as much of Chihuahua as possible.**
- B) Hire reliable Mexicans as informants.**
- C) Scout the search areas.**
- D) Expand and stabilize the supply lines.**
- E) Keep enough men and animals to:
  - I. Occupy territory.**
  - II. Keep up the pursuit.****

**29. Saturday – April 22, 1916 – Battle of Tomochic:**

- A) Late afternoon -Colonel George Dodd and 190 men of the 7<sup>th</sup> Cavalry approach the Village of Tomochic:
  - I. Defended by 200 Villistas under Candelario Cervantes.****
- B) Dodd sets up his machine guns 800 yards from the town:
  - I. 4:30 – Cavalry charge!**
  - II. Supported by the machine guns.****
- C) Enter the town:
  - I. Firing everywhere.**
  - II. Americans are split in two – Fighting the Villistas north and south of the river.**
  - III. Villistas take cover on the high ground and open fire on the Americans:
    - a. Ralph Ray is shot through the head and killed.**
    - b. Pvt. Oliver Bonshea is shot in the******



**stomach and killed.**

**D) Americans finally take the high ground:**

**I. Fighting continues until dark.**

**E) Dawn – Easter Sunday – April 23, 1916:**

**I. Villistas are gone:**

**a. Have left 30 dead and 25 wounded:**

**(1) Indians of the village strip the  
dead and wounded.**

**(2) Pile both together and burn  
them!!!**

**30. Wilson asks Carranza to send a  
representative to El Paso, Texas to meet  
with Generals Hugh Scott and Frederick  
Funston:**

**A) Carranza sends Secretary of War, Alvaro  
Obregon.**

**31. Sunday – April 30, 1916 – Customs House in  
Juarez:**

**A) The 3 men meet:**

**I. Obregon demands to know when the U.S.  
is going to withdraw it's forces from  
Mexico.**

**II. Talks result in.....nothing!**

**32. U.S. intercepts a message from Carranza to  
General Arnulfo Gomez:**

**A) Orders him to be prepared to cut off the American forces in Mexico!!**

**33. Tuesday – May 2, 1916 – El Paso, Texas:**

**A) Paseo del Norte Hotel.**

**B) Secret meeting between Obregon and Scott:**

**I. Lasts for 12 hours.**

**II. Agreement is reached:**

**a. Gradual and undated withdrawal of American troops.**

**b. Mexican Government is to step up it's efforts to wipe out Villa.**

**C) The agreement only needs Carranza's signature!**

**34. Friday – May 5, 1916 – Battle of Ojos Azules**

**(Blue Eyes):**

**A) 20 miles southwest of Cusi.**

**B) A ranch:**

**I. Is a cuartel – Virtual fortress.**

**II. Defended by Villistas under Cruz**

**Dominguez, Julio Acosta, and Antonio Angel.**

**C) Morning – Major Robert Howze and 333 men of the 11<sup>th</sup> Cavalry approach:**

**I. With drawn pistols the Americans charge.**

- II. Supported by machine gun fire.**
- D) Battle is over in 20 minutes:**
  - I. Villistas retreat – Leave 61 dead.**
  - II. American casualties.....zero!**
- E) Villista, Pablo Lopez, is wounded and captured:**
  - I. He is the leader of the Santa Ysabel Massacre.**
  - II. Is turned over to the Carrancistas.**
  - III. June 1916 – Chihuahua City – On crutches – Shot!**

**35. Same day – Glenn Springs, Texas:**

- A) Consists of:**
  - I. Wax factory.**
  - II. Store.**
  - III. Few farm houses.**
  - IV. Few adobe houses.**
  - V. 1 corral.**
  - VI. Few tin sheds.**
  - VII. The Compton Family home.**
- B) Town is guarded by Sgt. Smythe and 8 men of the 14<sup>th</sup> Cavalry.**
- C) 11:00 – Night:**
  - I. Carrancistas hit the town.**
  - II. Smythe and 6 of the soldiers take refuge in an adobe hut and open fire:**
    - a. Beat back several Carrancista**

**attacks.**

**III. Carrancistas set fire to the roof of the hut:**

- a. Soldiers rush out firing.**
- b. Trooper Cohen, has his face blown off and killed.**
- c. Trooper Coloe, is shot and killed 10 feet out the door.**
- d. Trooper Rogers, is totally on fire, he is shot and killed.**

**IV. Rest of the soldiers make it to safety.**

**D) Dawn – Carrancistas are gone:**

**I. Americans have lost 3 soldiers and 1 civilian killed (4) and 2 soldiers wounded.**

**II. Body of only 1 raider is found – Rodriguez Ramirez, a confirmed Carrancista!**

**36. Saturday – May 6, 1916:**

**A) Boquillas, Texas – 12 miles from Glenn Springs:**

**I. Dawn – Carrancista raiders hit:**

- a. Sieze Deemer's General Store.**
- b. Steal supplies.**
- c. 10:15 – Morning – Head back into Mexico.**

**B) Same day – Carranza issues a statement:**

**I. Refuses to sign the Scott-Obregon Agreement:**

**a. UNTIL, a specific date is set for U.S. withdrawal!**

**C) Same day – German Ambassador in Washington, D.C., Count von Bernstorff, wires Berlin:**

**I. That the Expedition will lead to full scale war between the United States and Mexico.**

**37. Sunday – May 7, 1916 – Carranza issues statements and orders:**

**A) Says the raids have been carried out by lawless groups from the American side of the border!!!????!!**

**B) Wires Obregon to resume talks with Scott:**

**I. AND, to tell Scott that any American troops crossing the border in pursuit of any Mexican “raiders” will be considered invaders and dealt with accordingly!**

**38. Meanwhile – General Funston gets permission from President Wilson and Secretary of War, Newton Baker, to:**

**A) Strengthen border patrols.**

**B) To send Cavalry units into Mexico in pursuit of “raiders.”**

**39. Tuesday – May 9, 1916:**

**A) National Guard Units of Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas are called out and placed on alert:**

**I. Turnout is pathetic!!!!**

**a. Arizona.....990 men.**

**b. New Mexico.....1,128 men.**

**c. Texas.....3,003 men:**

**(1) 5,121 men total for 3 states!!!**

**B) Same day – Talks resume between Scott and Obregon:**

**I. Neither side budges!**

**II. Talks end.....NO RESULTS!**

**40. Wednesday – May 10, 1916:**

**A) Late morning – American force under Captain James Rhea arrives at Boquillas, Texas:**

**I. Late afternoon – Cross the river into Mexico:**

**a. Release some American captives held there.**

**41. Thursday – May 11, 1916 – 11:40 – Night – 8<sup>th</sup>**

**Cavalry crosses into Mexico:**

**A) Consists of:**

**I. 100 mounted men.**

- II. 1 forage truck.**
- III. 2 Ford sedans with newspaper reporters.**
- IV. 2 motion picture cameramen.**
- V. Chauffeur driven, 8 cylinder, Cadillac, belonging to Major George Langhorne.**
- B) For 2 weeks they chase the “raiders”:**
  - I. Cover 200 miles.**
  - II. Kill a few.**
  - III. Capture 5.**
  - IV. “The Cadillac Episode.”**
- C) After 2 weeks – Recalled.**

**42. Sunday – May 14, 1916 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. George Patton Jr. and 8 men in 3 cars are foraging for corn near the San Miguelito Ranch:**

- A) George S. Patton Jr.:**
  - I. Family is from Virginia – Dating back to throughout the 18<sup>th</sup> century.**
  - II. Grandfather is George S. Patton:**
    - a. Confederate General – Civil war.**
    - b. September 1864 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Battle of Winchester – Wounded in the stomach – Dies of gangrene.**
  - III. December 1866 – Family moves to California:**
    - a. Settle in the Los Angeles area.**
  - IV. His father, George Patton – Attends the**

**Virginia Military Institute.**

**V. Moves back to California:**

**a. Buys an 1,800 acre estate in the San Merino-Pasadena area.**

**VI. His father is a Progressive:**

**a. BUT, George grows up to admire the “Robber Barons” his father hated!**

**VII. George S. Patton Jr. – Born –**

**November 11, 1885 – San Gabriel, California.**

**VIII. Comes to be called “Georgie.”**

**IX. By age 4 – Good rider.**

**X. By his teens he is an excellent rider.**

**XI. Age 5 has his own pistol.**

**XII. To age 12 – His education is READ to him by his father:**

**a. He cannot read or write!**

**(1) This is a major reason he is a poor speller all of his life!**

**XIII. September 29, 1897 – Age 12 – Starts attending Dr. S.C. Clark’s School for Boys in Pasadena:**

**a. Learns to read and write.**

**XIV. Age 17 – Enters the Virginia Military Institute.**

**XV. February 15, 1904 – Is appointed to the West Point Military Academy:**

**a. July 15, 1904 – Starts.**



- b. 148 in his class.**
- c. Is NOT popular!**
- d. Forced to repeat his plebe year because of poor math grades.**
- e. Superb horseman.**
- f. Plays polo.**
- g. Expert shot.**
- h. Very good at track.**
- i. Best swordsman in the Academy.**
- j. June 11, 1909 – Graduates as a 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt.**
- k. Stationed at Ft. Sheridan in Illinois.**

**XVI. May 26, 1910 – Beverly Farms, Massachusetts – Marries Beatrice Banning Ayer:**

- a. Called “Bea.”**

**XVII. The two will have plenty of money to play the social game, AND, THEY DO!!!**

- a. Entertain a lot.**
- b. SHE HAS LOTS OF MONEY!!!**
- c. He will never understand finances, SHE DOES!!**

**XVIII. March 19, 1911 – Daughter, Beatrice Smith Patton is born.**

**XIX. Physically:**

- a. 6-1 tall – 170 pounds – High squeaky voice – Smokes cigarettes.**

**XX. 1912 – Olympics – Stockholm, Sweden:**

**a. Represents the U.S. Army in the Pentathlon.**

**b. 5 events:**

**(1) 25 meter pistol shooting.**

**(2) 300 meter swimming.**

**(3) Fencing.**

**(4) 3 mile cross country steeplechase.**

**(5) 2 ½ mile cross country race.**

**c. Finishes 5<sup>th</sup> out of 47 participants.**

**XXI. 1915 – Stationed at Ft. Bliss, Texas.**

**XXII. February 28, 1915 – 2<sup>nd</sup> child –**

**Daughter – Ruth Ellen Patton is born.**

**XXIII. Fall of 1915 – Meets Brig. General**

**John J. Pershing:**

**a. Becomes a “favorite” of Pershing.**

**XXIV. Mexico:**

**a. Carries 2 Ivory handled .45's in holsters.**

**B) It is known that there are Villistas in the area.**

**C) Patton notices that the ranch house doors are tall enough for a man on horseback to ride in and out of!**

**D) Patton and 2 men start walking toward the house to check it out:**

**I. 6 men go around back.**

**E) 20 yards from the gate – Doors burst open:**

**I. 3 mounted men come galloping out.**

**II. Patton fires 5 times with a .45:**

**a. Kills two of the men and wounds the 3<sup>rd</sup> who ducks back into the ranch:**

**(1) Tries to run for it.**

**(2) Shot thru the head and killed by one of Patton's men:**

**\*\*Turns out to be.....Julio Cardenas.....head of Villa's Dorados!**

**F) Bodies are taken to Rubio for identification:**

**I. General Julio Cardenas.**

**II. Pvt. Juan Garza.**

**III. Unknown.**

**G) Patton will be promoted to 1<sup>st</sup> Lt.**

**H) That night – Writes wife – Feelings about killing his 1<sup>st</sup> man:**

**I. Like 1<sup>st</sup> swordfish – Surprised at his luck!**

**I) Later – Patton – Kerosene lamp explodes:**

**I. Face badly burnt.**

**II. Back across the border for treatment.**

**III. He will be accident prone his entire life!**

**43. Thursday – May 25, 1916:**

**A) 7:00 - Morning:**

- I. Mapping detail of 11 men under Sgt. James Mayson heads out.**
- II. Enter Namaquipa Canyon.**
- III. Men scatter in all directions.**
- B) Attacked by 30 Villistas:**
  - I. Battle.**
  - II. Villistas retreat – Leaving 2 dead:**
    - a. General Candelario Cervantes and Captain Jose Vencomo:**
      - (1) Both are leaders of the Dorados.**
- C) Americans suffer 1 killed and 2 wounded.**

**44. Saturday - June 10, 1916 – 45 miles north of Laredo, Texas:**

- A) Night – Carrancistas cross the border:**
  - I. Steal 80 horses.**

**45. Sunday - June 11, 1916 – Near Webb, Texas:**

- A) Night – Carrancistas cross the border:**
  - I. Attempt to burn the railroad bridge.**
  - II. Discovered by a 9<sup>th</sup> Cavalry patrol.**
  - III. Battle.**
  - IV. Retreat back across the border leaving 3 dead and 6 captured:**
    - a. One of the dead is Lt. Colonel Villareal of the Carrancista Army!**

**46. Thursday - June 15, 1916 – San Ygnacio,**

**Texas:**

**A) 2:00 – Morning – 100 Carrancistas attack:**

**I. 30 minute battle against 146 American troops:**

**a. Retreat back across the border leaving 8 dead:**

**(1) 2 of the dead are Carrancista officers.**

**B) Americans suffer 3 killed.**

**47. Sunday – June 18, 1916 – Mazatlan, Mexico:**

**A) Morning – Ensign D.W. Kessing, Assistant Paymaster Andrew Mowatt, and 3 armed Navy Bluejackets from the U.S.S.**

**Annapolis approach shore in a boat:**

**I. Assignment is to evacuate any Americans wishing to leave.**

**B) Kessing and Mowatt step ashore:**

**I. Arrested by Carrancistas.**

**II. Bluejackets shove off.**

**III. Fired at by the Carrancistas:**

**a. Boatswains Mate I.M. Laughter is killed.**

**IV. Bluejackets return fire:**

**a. Wound 3 of the Carrancistas.**

**C) Later – After diplomatic talks:**

**I. Kessing and Mowatt are released and returned to the ship.**

**48. Wednesday – June 21, 1916 – Battle of Carrizal:**

**A) Captain Charles Boyd and Captain Lewis Morey of the 10<sup>th</sup> Cavalry, with 89 men have been sent on a scouting mission by Pershing:**

**I. Orders are:**

- a. Avoid any fight if possible.**
- b. Do not get surprised.**
- c. If attacked, use your own judgement.**
- d. Keep the safety of the command in mind.**

**B) At the Santo Domingo Ranch:**

**I. Boyd is informed that there are 400 Carrancistas in the town of Carrizal.**

**II. He is advised to bypass the town.**

**III. Says his orders direct him to go through the town:**

**a. THEY DO NOT!!!**

**IV. Boyd makes a comment about “making history.”**

**C) 4:00 – Morning – Americans head out:**

**I. Stop 1 mile southwest of Carrizal.**

**II. Between them and the town is 600 yards of open ground.**

**III. The Carrancistas take cover in trees and an irrigation ditch next to the**

**town.**

- D) Boyd sends a messenger forward:**
  - I. Requests permission to pass thru the town:**
    - a. Refused!**
- E) Boyd orders his men to advance!!!!**
  - I. Halt – Messenger from the Carrancista commander, General Felix Gomez:**
    - a. Asks Boyd to enter the town for a conference:**
      - (1) Boyd refuses.**
      - (2) Orders his 79 men forward in battle formation.**
- F) Boyd halts again:**
  - I. Gomez rides up and forbids Boyd to attempt to ride through the town or a fight will take place.**
- G) Boyd orders his men to dismount and advance:**
  - I. Orders his men to charge over the remaining 300 yards of open ground.**
  - II. Rifle and machine gun fire erupts.**
  - III. Heavy casualties on both sides.**
  - IV. Hand to hand fighting.**
  - V. Boyd is killed.**
  - VI. Gomez is killed.**
- H) Dark – Fighting ends:**
  - I. Americans have suffered their worst**

**defeat of the Expedition:**

**a. 12 killed – 10 wounded – 24 captured.**

**II. Carrancistas have lost:**

**a. 30 killed and 40 wounded.**

**49. 8 hours after the battle – President Wilson learns of the defeat:**

**A) Pershing is stunned at Boyd's actions!**

**50. Relationships between the United States and Mexico are at the breaking point!**

**51. Thursday – June 29, 1916:**

**A) Afternoon – Carranza orders the Americans taken prisoner at Carrizal to be released:**

**I. Will be safely returned at El Paso, Texas.**

**52. July 4, 1916 – Ft. Hancock, Texas – 40 miles below El Paso:**

**A) Carrancistas attack:**

**I. Kill the U.S. Customs Inspector and an American soldier.**

**II. Carrancistas lose 3 killed and 3 captured.**

**53. Situation in July of 1916:**

**A) Wilson is not going to recall the American troops:**



- I. Election is only months away.**
- II. A recall would spell defeat for him!**

**54. Pershing's troops are centered at Colonia  
Dublan and Casas Grandes:**

- A) Rains hit!**
- B) Duststorms hit!**
- C) Boredom sets in!**
- D) He sets up elaborate training exercises!**
- E) He sets up elaborate drills!**
- F) He opens a liquor store!**
- G) He opens a WHORE HOUSE:**
  - I. Girls are Mexican.**
  - II. Madam is American.**
  - III. Doctor is U.S. Army.**
  - IV. Fee is \$2.00 American monry.**
  - V. V.D. rate drops.**
- H) Letter home to "Brother" – Last night  
became "a man" – Mom – Congressman:**
  - I. Pershing called on the carpet.**
  - II. Shuts down – 1 week – Censors mail –  
Back open – Men happy!**

**55. September 6, 1916 – New London,  
Connecticut – Joint High Commission meets:**

- A) To solve the U.S./Mexico problem.**
- B) Carranza claims Villa is dead!**
- C) Days drag by – No solutions!**

- 56. September 16, 1916 – News – Villa has recuperated:**
- A) With 1,000 men he has taken Chihuahua City.**
  - B) Result:**
    - I. New London meeting is adjourned:**
      - a. Carranza's claim is false!**
  - C) Villa will hold Chihuahua City until December 7, 1916.**
- 57. October 2, 1916 – Atlantic City, New Jersey – The High Commission reconvenes:**
- A) Will accomplish nothing!**
  - B) Will adjourn!**
- 58. January 12, 1917 – President Wilson informs Secretary of War, Newton Baker, he wants the Expedition withdrawn:**
- A) One week later – Pershing gets the orders.**
- 59. January 27, 1917 – The Americans start withdrawing:**
- A) 10,690 men.**
  - B) 9,307 horses.**
  - C) 2,030 Mexican refugees.**
  - D) 533 Chinese refugees.**
  - E) 197 American refugees.**

**60. February 4, 1917 – Palomas, Mexico:**

**A) The American force assembles.**

**61. February 5, 1917 – The Americans start leaving Mexico.**

**62. Summary:**

**A) 17 actions fought:**

**I. 9 vs. the Carrancistas.**

**II. 8 vs. the Villistas.**

**B) Deepest penetration into Mexico:**

**I. Parral – 516 miles.**

**C) Killed:**

**I. 381 Carrancistas and Villistas.**

**II. 34 American soldiers and 12 civilians:**

**a. Total.....46!**

**D) Wounded:**

**I. 111 Carrancistas and Villistas.**

**II. 33 American soldiers and 2 civilians:**

**a. Total.....35!**

**E) Length of time:**

**I. 10 months and 20 days.**

**F) Cost to U.S. - \$140 million!**

## **1916 - August**

- 1. August 25, 1916 – National Park Service is created:**
  - A) Part of the Department of the Interior.**

# September

**1916-1925**

**(9 Years)**

## **The Dominican Intervention**

**1. March 28, 1905 – President Theodore Roosevelt makes an informal agreement with Santo Domingo:**

**A) Will be called “The Roosevelt Corollary”:**

**I. Allows the U.S. to supervise customs in the interest of Santo Domingo and her creditors.**

**II. Extends the Monroe Doctrine to cover what Roosevelt thinks it should.**

**2. February 8, 1907 – A Treaty is arranged with Santo Domingo:**

**A) U.S. takes control of the country’s finances.**

**B) U.S. supervises the collection of customs:**

**I. A percentage of the customs collected is used to pay on the country’s debts.**

**C) Foreign debts are transferred from European banks to American banks.**

**D) U.S. is in charge of adjusting claims to foreign creditors.**

**3. September 1912 – Revolt breaks out:**

**A) Marines are landed to restore order and**

**protect the customs service!**

**B) Bloody fighting:**

**I. U.S. Ambassador requests more troops.**

**II. May 4, 1916 – Reinforcements are landed.**

**4. September 18, 1924 – Last Marines leave Santo Domingo.**

**5. December 27, 1924 – Treaty is signed between the U.S. and Santo Domingo:**

**A) Ends the U.S. Military Government in the country.**

**B) Santo Domingo can now borrow money, BUT, not to exceed \$25 million.**

**C) January 21, 1925 – Senate consents to the Treaty:**

**I. Intervention is ended:**

**a. 1,137 Rebels have been killed.**

**b. 20 Marines killed and 67 wounded.**

## **1916 - November**

### **1. November 7, 1916 – Presidential Election:**

**A) 2<sup>nd</sup> Term.**

**B) Democrat, Woodrow Wilson.**

### **2. November 7, 1916 – Jeanette Rankin:**

**A) Montana.**

**B) U.S. House of Representatives.**

**C) 1<sup>st</sup> elected Congresswoman.**

# **1917**

## **1. Jones-Shaforth Act:**

**A) U.S. citizenship to Puerto Ricans.**

**B) Allowed locally elected Senate & House of Representatives.**



**1917 - 1922**  
**(5 Years)**  
**The Cuban Revolt**

- 1. 1916 - General Mario Menocal wins re-election by fraud:**
  - A) He is a U.S. “stooge”!**
  
- 2. 1917 - Liberal uprising against him!**
  
- 3. U.S. needs Cuban sugar - Wilson backs Menocal:**
  - A) At Menocal’s request 2,600 Marines are landed:**
    - I. Will fight no battles and leave in 1922.**

## **1917 - March**

**1. March 5, 1917 – Presidential Inauguration:**

**A) Democrat, Woodrow Wilson – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term.**