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SUMMON MEXICAN MINISTER HOME

President to Confer in Person With Representative.

Return of Ambassador Doubtful—Step Long Contemplated, Says Secretary Bryan.

Washington, D. C.—The announcement was made formally at the White House that Ambassador Wilson had been summoned from Mexico City for a conference with the President on the Mexican situation.

Commenting on this, Secretary Bryan said that this step had been in contemplation for some time. He refused to discuss a suggestion that this statement indicated the ambassador's recall was not brought about by the action of the diplomatic body in Mexico City in formulating a joint complaint against the attitude of the United States toward the Huerta government.

The secretary would not confirm or deny the report of the meeting of foreign representatives in Mexico. There is much speculation in official circles regarding Ambassador Wilson's future, but it is believed generally that his return to the Mexican capital is by no means certain.

President Wilson has received recently reports from individual Americans not connected with the State department on Mexican conditions, so that he will be prepared to take up the discussion with the ambassador with considerable personal knowledge on the subject.

If the President should conclude that it is not necessary to return Mr. Wilson to Mexico, the embassy there would be left in charge of Secretary O'Shaughnessy. Thus its status would correspond to that of the Mexican embassy in Washington, which is under the care of Secretary Algeria. Recognition of the Huerta regime would be involved in the dispatch to that country of a new ambassador.

BRYAN REPLIES TO JAPAN

Diplomatic Victory Is Complete—Now Up to Courts.

Washington, D. C.—The American reply to the last two Japanese notes on the California anti-alien land law has been delivered by Secretary Bryan to Ambassador Chinda, who at once cabled it to Tokyo. As in the case of the preceding notes, the contents of the latest one were withheld from publication.

There is some expectation in official circles that the delivery of this last note will conclude the negotiations on this subject between the two countries for the present at least, if not altogether.

It is declared that the American reply to the various points of objection to the California legislation has been made so complete as to remove most of them from the field of discussion. Even in cases where the Japanese contentions have not been manifestly completely negative, the expert diplomats are said to have framed their responses as to reduce the points to clear issues, which probably can be adjusted only on the basis of judicial decisions.

Unless the Japanese foreign office concludes that there is something in the American note delivered last requiring immediate attention and reply probably there will be no further diplomatic exchange for at least another month. At the expiration of that time the Webb alien land-owning act will become effective and the way will be opened for a judicial test of its constitutionality.

Mrs. Smith's Body Found.

Woodland, Wash.—Word was received here that the body of Mrs. Clinton Smith, of Portland, who, with her husband, was lost on Mount St. Helens, has been found. It was about 1000 feet from the place that Mr. Smith's body was discovered.

It is supposed that Mrs. Smith met her death in much the same way as did her husband, whose body was found at the bottom of a 300-foot precipice of ice and lava above Toulton canyon, on the southwest slope of Mount St. Helens. It is apparent that Mr. and Mrs. Smith became separated while trying to make their way down the mountain in the blizzard of Sunday, July 6.

California Potato Hit.

Olympia, Wash.—Declaration of quarantine against all California-grown potatoes is threatened by the new department of agriculture, on account of the prevalence of tuber moth, a new and dangerous pest, on potato shipments from the South. T. O. Morrison, deputy commissioner of agriculture, has asked the attorney general for a formal ruling as to his powers in the matter. The tuber moth is a new pest, which lays its eggs in the eyes of the potato. The worms burrow in the root and destroy its food value.

\$625,000 Pearls Stolen.

London.—The theft of a pearl necklace valued at \$625,000 was reported to the Scotland Yard authorities Friday. The pearls are alleged to have been stolen during transit by post from Paris to a dealer in London. The robbery was discovered in London when the registered packet was opened. The case contained only pieces of sugar.

FRIEDMANN CURE DERIDED

New York Doctor Declares "Discovery" Absolute Failure.

Tacoma, Wash.—With physicians of national prominence attending, the Washington Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis opened its annual convention here. Dr. C. Quevil, president of the association, in his address, spoke of the Friedmann cure, which he investigated on a recent trip to New York. Although he had had many of Friedmann's patients under observation, he was unable to find a single case in which any benefit from the treatment was apparent.

Dr. Livingston Ferrand, of New York, secretary of the National Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis, placed Friedmann's "cure" on an equality with Colonel Mulberry Sellers' eyewater for the "millions of India."

"Not only has it been demonstrated as an absolute failure," said Dr. Ferrand, "but an immense amount of harm has been done throughout the country by Dr. Friedmann. Many spent all they had to get to New York, mortgaging their homes, and, worst of all, a great many dropped the safe-and-sane method of treatment when they were doing well. Dr. Friedmann has used the cruelest kind of exploitation in our country."

"The segregation of tubercular patients, rest, plenty of fresh air, proper food and treatment by competent physicians are the elements of the only remedy known today for consumption. There is no absolute cure, but if the disease is taken early enough and the proper treatment is followed one may be reasonably sure of regaining health."

Dr. Quevil spoke of the great decrease in the death rate from tuberculosis in the state of Washington. In 1911, he declared, there were 1240 deaths, while in 1912 there were 1115, a decrease of over 100.

ARMOR PLATE MILL IS ASKED

Government Would Save \$140 Ton, or \$1,000,000 a Year.

Washington, D. C.—Naval experts' figures, showing that a government armor plate factory costing \$8,466,000 would save \$140 a ton on armor, or more than \$1,000,000 net a year, were submitted to congress by Secretary Daniels. The secretary's report was sent in response to a senate resolution and supplemented a previous statement issued by him advocating a government-owned armor plant.

Mr. Daniels asked instructions to make a full, thorough and early investigation of the cost of an armor plate factory and the cost of manufacturing armor plate in factories owned by concerns dependent on government patronage.

Reviewing the situation in his report, the secretary said the accepted plan had been that the Bethlehem, Carnegie and Midvale plants should get the armor work at practically their own prices.

"This step having been taken," he said, "it clearly followed that the manufacturers themselves conceded that, one-third of the work coming to them without much reference to the price, they have not overlooked the advantage of putting in bids practically at the same figure and at the same rate. They have argued that if one of them put in a bid much lower than the others the only result would be that the other two firms would have to come down in their price to that of the bidder in the eventual distribution of the work."

He explained that the European countries, France, Italy and Russia, have sought relief from the high cost of armor plate by the operation of government-owned plants, while Japan has built two government factories.

Tariff Board Is Discussed.

San Francisco—Plans to bring about the appointment of a permanent non-partisan tariff commission by the government were discussed at the meeting of the 16 directors of the chambers of commerce of the United States who are visiting San Francisco on their 10,000-mile tour of 11 states. The 360 commercial bodies, national and municipal, that compose the organization have voted in a referendum in favor of the appointment of such a commission.

The directors voted to empower the president of their organization and the executive committee to appoint a special committee to confer with President Wilson, Secretary of Commerce Redfield and Chairman Underwood, of the ways and means committee of congress.

In this manner the views of the chambers of commerce of the United States upon the appointment of the tariff commission will be submitted formally to the government.

Woodmen Rates Subject.

St. Paul, Minn.—At a conference in the office of State Insurance Commissioner Preus, Assistant Attorney General Weeks held that the bill passed by the recent legislature, authorizing the incorporation of the insurgent faction of the Modern Woodmen of America, provides that the rates to be charged must be 50 per cent above those now charged by the present organization. The subject of increased rates was one of the causes of trouble between the parent organization and the insurgents.

German Aviator Killed.

Muelhausen, Germany—A young German aviator named Dietrich was killed here Wednesday. While landing he brought his aeroplane too abruptly to earth, it overturned, and he was crushed beneath the motor.

BOYS' PRANKS KILL TWELVE

Los Angeles Interurban Trains Crash Together.

Injured Probably 200, Many of Whom Will Die—Crowds Mob Photographers.

Los Angeles—To "horse play" by youths who played with the train whistle is attributed the loss of about 12 lives and the injuring of some 200 persons near here Sunday night. Two Pacific Electric trains collided, telescoping two cars and wrecking another at Vineyard station, in the city limits.

Three trains loaded with excursionists from the beaches at Venice had stopped at a curve where a switch is turned. The last train began moving forward while the foremost trains remained at a standstill.

Carroll Bartholomae, the conductor of the last car on the center train, jumped to the track with his light to "flag" down the approaching car. Some youths on his train, say some passengers who escaped death, pulled the whistle in jest. This, it was explained by railroad men, was interpreted by the motorman of the moving train, as the signal to come ahead.

With a crash of breaking glass, splintering timbers, men's groans and women's screams, the motor car of the last train plunged into the rear of the center train. The youths who had played with the whistle were crushed in the debris.

The two colliding cars were nearly telescoped. The second car of the stationary train was almost demolished. The motorman of the moving train, hearing the whistle, had given full speed ahead. The curves evidently had prevented his seeing the standing cars of the next train. The three trains were said to have been running at three-minute intervals.

Most of the killed were cut into pieces. Their identification was slow. Special trains rushed the injured to Los Angeles hospitals and the dead to morgues here.

The cries of the wounded could be heard above the din of the crowd, which became frantic and which mobbed the newspaper photographers who tried to take pictures of the wreck.

HUSBAND AND WIFE PERISH

Portland Couple Lost in Blizzard On Mt. St. Helens.

North Fork Logging Camp, Wash.—Giving up all hope of recovering, for at least four or five days, the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith, of Portland, who were lost in a blizzard on Mount St. Helens Sunday, July 6, 26 mountaineers returned here.

They were completely exhausted from hardships and exposure encountered in the week they have been searching the snow fields.

Settlers of the North Fork of Lewis river and mountaineers and trappers of the Mount St. Helens country, who have been scouring the snowfields for a week, have narrowed the search down to one particular place on the mountain which cannot be reached until the weather is good and the snow has melted.

The tracks of the missing couple were found near the top of the mountain on Friday, and were followed to a point where they went down a steep slope with a rock formation on one side and a snow field on the other. It is believed the couple went down over this slope and perished. Because of the storms on the mountain it has not been possible for the searchers to make their way down this slope.

Mysterious Power Guides.

Tacoma, Wash.—Directed by some mysterious power to the spot where her son, E. B. Mygatt, on June 20, leaped from Lincoln bridge, Mrs. C. P. Mygatt, of Independence, Mo., accompanied by W. H. Mygatt, her other son, went straight from the depot to the scene of the tragedy and announced to the young man that they were on the spot where his brother died.

Mrs. Mygatt had no guide, she only knew Edward Mygatt met his death by leaping from Lincoln bridge. She did not know the location of the bridge, and asked no questions, but found the exact spot.

Banana Finds Advocate.

New York—President Wilson may be deluged with hundreds of letters in defense of the banana as the "poor man's fruit," it was said by some of those present Saturday night at a meeting in Cooper Union, at which speakers advised protest against the proposed tax of one-tenth of 1 per cent a pound on bananas imported into this country. Mrs. Julia Heath, president of the Housewives' League, and other women speakers urged that all present send to President Wilson a personal letter of protest.

Aviator to Attack Ship.

Nogales, Ariz.—Didier Masson has invented an apparatus to carry 12 bombs on each flight, together with a sighting system for dropping bombs from his aeroplane. The French aviator declares that within a few days he will attempt again to sink the Federal gunboats lying in Guaymas harbor.

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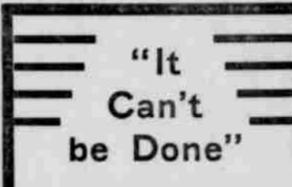
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