

PACIFIC MILITIA FORCES MAY BE SENT SOUTH

IF FIRST DIVISION ENTERS MEXICO NORTHWEST MUST PRODUCE MILITIA.

NAVAL RECRUITS WANTED

Secret Orders Said to Have Gone Forth Asking for Preparation for Active Service by Militia in the Northwest and Southwest Should the Divisions Now Mobilized Enter the Mexican Territory.

Olympia, March 11.—On orders received from Washington, the national guard in the principal cities are re-equipping and bringing companies up to war standard, and also increasing the drilling hours to three times weekly.

Los Angeles, March 11.—Special orders have been issued to all recruiting officers on the Pacific coast urging them to increase the naval enlistment.

Washington, March 11.—The war department has usurped the functions of the state department in the Mexican situation. It was seen today, in the fact that Secretary of State Philander C. Knox has not been consulted previous to the orders for mobilization.

More Divisions Coming.

Army officers predict now that the Second and Third divisions of the army will be called into service upon dispatch of the First into Mexico. The war department is proceeding as though trouble is certain. Occupation of the border has been planned for a year and should the troops now en route borderward advance into Mexico and Lower California, the second division of 15,000 regulars will be mobilized on the frontier and if that division is sent into Mexico, the Third division will take its frontier.

Militia Included.

The Third division includes the militia of the Pacific coast and the southwestern states. In that event, the Oregon, Washington and California militia will take active part and it is said that secret orders have been issued to the commanders of these various regiments to keep the men through the state intact as much as possible, in the event help is needed.

Uncle Sam Starts Inquiry.

Washington, March 11.—Authoritative information says the United States will soon begin an investigation of a number of Japanese employed in Mexico, a greater number of whom are in the mines. The determination to inquire was reached after it was learned overtures for the establishment of a naval base at Magdalena bay had been made to Japan by Diaz. It is said Japan received a suggestion but did not act on it. The report of the secret treaty for offense and defense between Japan and Mexico is not credited.

MAY HAVE BRYCE.

Suspect Nabbed by Constable That May Be Los Angeles Dynamiter.

Callixico, March 11.—Suspected of being J. A. Bryce, one of the three men charged with dynamiting the Los Angeles Times, a man giving his name as James Smith Jackson, is under arrest at El Centro. Constable Crane arrested him while trying to cross the border.

Lucius Tuttle Congratulated.

Boston, Mass., March 11.—Lucius Tuttle, who recently retired from the presidency of the Boston and Maine railway when that road was taken over by the New York, New Haven and Hartford system, received many congratulations at his home in Brookline today on the occasion of his 64th birthday anniversary. The greetings possessed a double significance for Mr. Tuttle, who recently underwent a successful operation in which one of his legs was amputated.

Stop Mine Devastation.

San Francisco, March 11.—Any losses sustained by American ranch or mine owners in Mexico through revolutionary activities will be met by the Mexican government, according to private advices received here.

Expressmen Strike.

New York, March 11.—Fifteen hundred drivers and helpers on the Adams Express company struck this afternoon. They claim the company has not fulfilled the terms which settled the last strike. No wagons are moving here, or at Hoboken, or Jersey City. The company is recruiting strikebreakers.

Lieutenant Commander Palmer. Naval Officer Chosen as One of the Aids to the President.



This aid has been called in into service in the present naval and military maneuvers and has charge of navigation, one of the most important posts in connection with the navy.

CASA GRANDES IS RE-CAPTURED

MADERO NOT ONLY TAKES TOWN BUT REGULAR FORCES, TOO.

Courier Brings Word From Interior That Enthusies Insurrectos.

El Paso, March 11.—Arrival of a second courier from Casa Grandes with the word that the federals were reversed, was announced at the insurgents' junta here today. It is reported that Madero recaptured Casa Grandes Wednesday night and that Colonel Cuellar, with his entire force, surrendered.

Junta leaders declare 7,000 insurgents are in the field and that a large force is assembling under Madero for an attack on Chihuahua.

News of the recapture of Casa Grandes could not be telegraphed on account of government censorship of telegraph wires and the only method of conveying the news was by courier.

The news has spread rapidly and has enthused the insurgents.

Oldest of European Rulers.

Munich, March 11.—The nineteenth birthday anniversary of Prince Luitpold, regent of Bavaria and the dean of European rulers, will be celebrated tomorrow with national rejoicings upon an unusually extensive scale. Already the venerable regent is in receipt of telegraphic congratulations from Emperor William and the heads of the reigning houses of the empire. Tomorrow he deems will be chanted throughout the kingdom in honor of the aged ruler, military reviews will be held and the people will indulge in many forms of festivity.

No German prince now living has played a more important role in the history of Germany and the end of central Europe, throughout the last 50 or 60 years. Although he was never proclaimed as king, he was virtually ruler of the kingdom of Bavaria for more than 60 years. During the lifetime of his father, King Louis I, who forfeited his throne for the sake of Lola Montez, the famous adventuress, Prince Luitpold was to a great extent intrusted with the executive duties of royalty, the entire time and attention of his more or less mentally unbalanced father being monopolized by his love affair, which eventually led to the revolution of 1848.

Maximilian II, who then succeeded to the throne, was in such a chronic state of ill health that he surrendered most of his responsibilities as a monarch into the hands of his younger brother, Luitpold. The late King Louis II, who came to the throne at the death of his father, Maximilian, although in excellent physical health, was so eccentric and so full of his fantastic devotion to music and the arts, that he gladly left the task of governing the kingdom to his uncle, Luitpold. During all these years Prince Luitpold, although actually regent, was not officially recognized as such. This official recognition did not come to him until after the death of King Louis in 1886, when the formal appointment of a regent became necessary owing to the fact that the successor to the throne, his nephew Otto, was incurably insane and utterly unfit to assume the duties of his position.

MEXICO WILL BLOCK ANY MOVE BY UNITED STATES TO CROSS THE BOUNDARY LINE WITH TROOPS

Mexico City, March 11.—Mexican troops will be rushed to the border and encamped opposite the American troops, prepared to resist an invasion. This is in accordance with a decision of leaders in the Mexican congress which will convene in extraordinary session again tomorrow. The leaders say the Mexican troops will have their headquarters at Juarez, just opposite the river from El Paso.

Evidence of a Bluff.

From Washington and from northern Mexico, too, come reports from revolutionary leaders saying that despite the official denials that Mexico would countenance the intervention by the United States, President Diaz would really welcome it.

Can Cross Rio Grande Any Time.

San Antonio, March 11.—Two companies of engineers with pontoon equipment, sufficient to throw the entire First division across the Rio Grande, arrived today from Leavenworth. Officers admit that such unwieldy equipment precludes its use for ordinary maneuvers. Thirty flat cars are necessary to transport the pontoons.

Men Hate Delay.

San Diego, March 11.—The torpedo boat destroyer Lawrence arrived from Mare Island today and the expectation is that smaller boats will soon receive some orders to move. Ten companies of the Tenth infantry arrived today and also the transport Buffalo with 500 marines aboard. The gunboat Yorktown is already here. General Tasker Bliss, commanding here, says he knows nothing of why the troops are mobilized, and would like to know. He said the men are chafing at the delay. Practically 4,500 troops, marines and sailors are here.

Japanese Scare Scooped at.

New York, March 11.—Insisting that his government had not formed any alliance with Japan, and that there

could not be any cause for possible American invasion, Limantour, the Mexican minister of finance issued a statement saying the report that Japan was financing an insurrection is absurd.

Limantour said in part: "As set forth in my statement yesterday, my government does not for a moment consider an invasion. I think the United States has no intention of intervening. Naturally, Mexico desires the United States to prevent the smuggling of arms and recruits from the United States. That is what American troops are expected to do."

Three Transports Loaded.

Fortress Monroe, March 11.—Twenty-four companies of coast artillery sailed for Galveston today on board the transports Sumner, Kinnear and McClellan.

Railroads Criticized.

San Antonio, March 11.—Army officers here criticize the railroads today and say alertness of troops quitting garrisons was retarded materially by slowness of the railroads. Only the 11th cavalry, and the 17th infantry arrived here 108 hours after the orders were issued. The 11th arrived this morning, and also the tenth regiment. Troops will continue arriving until Tuesday when the division will be mobilized.

May Depose Diaz.

Washington, March 11.—The report that Wall Street financial interests have decided that Diaz must retire in order to prevent anarchy in Mexico, is given strength today by the simultaneous appearance of Ambassador De La Barra and Attorney General Wickesham here. It is stated that a conference of financiers has been called in the hope of settling the Mexican troubles, selecting Yves Limantour, the Mexican minister of finance, as Diaz's successor.

JAMES C. GILLMORE, U. S. N.
He is Captain in Command of the Battleship Maryland.



CITY IN LINGER

Some Would Kill City Hall Bonds and Then Call Sewer Election.

Elgin, March 11.—(Special)—Dire danger of defeat being meted out to the new city hall bond issue question next Monday by the voters of this city, and a proposition to bring a bonding issue for sewer purposes before the voters at a special election a month hence, are indicated by antielection discussion here. The city already is bonded for \$15,000 and the city hall would cost \$10,000. With the new charter which will undoubtedly be adopted Monday will come provisions to bond the city for \$30,000 only and that will leave \$5,000 available for other purposes, should the city hall issue be granted. The crying need in Elgin, say many business men, is a sewer project and \$5,000 would not build the system. Hence the plan now afoot is to kill the city hall bonds and bring a special election for the sewer project which it is said could be completed with \$15,000.

This issue is forming a warm side fight to the regular election and people who are versed in the situation say the kill-the-hall and build-sewers movement has taken a firm root.

MORMON MISSIONARIES TABOOED

London Takes Steps to Drive Missionaries from England.

London, March 11.—The home office will soon issue an order expelling Mormon missionaries from the United Kingdom, according to the Daily News. The paper today asserts that Hans Freese, representing the women's interdenominational council, has convinced the secretary, Churchill, that Mormons constituted a menace.

To Share Profits with Tollers.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 11.—According to a report in circulation here the stockholders of the Union Switch and Signal company at their annual meeting next week will take steps to establish a profit-sharing plan for the benefit of their workmen. The company is one of the Westinghouse corporations and it is said that eventually the plan to share profits will be extended to all of the Westinghouse interests, which employ a total of over 30,000 men.

Dallas Man for Grand Exalted Ruler.

Waco, Tex., March 11.—At a big rally held here today by the Texas State Association of Elks, it was decided to boom Charles A. Rasbury of Dallas for the office of grand exalted ruler at the next national convention of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. John H. Kirby of Houston, president of the Texas association, presided at the meeting.

Test Out Torpedo Boat.

Washington, March 11.—The torpedo boat destroyers Roe, Paulding and Terry, recent additions to the navy, will be given their final acceptance trial off the Virginia capes during the latter part of March or early in April.

ITALIAN TRIAL IS GUARDED BY TROOPS

OLD SECRET ORDER SCANDAL AND MURDER OF SEVERAL YEARS SINCE REVIVED.

SEVERAL HAVE CONFESSED

Enrico Alfano on Trial for Killing His Enemy After Being Slapped in the Face and Thirty-Eight Members of the Secret Order Are Also Defendants in the Trial—Police Guard the Witnesses' Lives.

Viterbo, Italy, March 11.—The trial of Enrico Alfano and 38 members of the Camorra, the most sensational criminal trial in Italian history, began today. They are charged with the murder of Gennaro Cuocoli and his wife in 1906 after Cuocoli slapped Alfano's face and published secrets of the order.

Viterbo is guarded by 500 troops to prevent assassination of the witnesses, a threat to that effect having been made several times.

Prisoners in Confinement.

Several prisoners are reported to have confessed to the priest and partaken of the communion. Gennaro Abatemaggio, who turned Crown's evidence, has been placed in solitary confinement, to prevent attempts at assassination.

The jury was selected this afternoon and evidence will be presented at once.

MRS. EDDY WEALTHY.

Millions Found by Appraisers, Principal Items Being Copyrights.

Concord, March 11.—The estate of Mrs. Eddy in New Hampshire is valued at \$2,512,146 according to an appraisers' report today. Henry Baker, the executor of the Christian Science founder, estimated her Massachusetts property worth \$250,000 additional. Copyrights are the largest items appraised at \$1,400,000.

BRAKEMAN KILLED BY ROBBER

Box Car Pried Open and Brakeman's Head Crushed.

St. Louis, March 11.—The third train robbery with murder as an adjunct within recent months, was discovered early today when an M. K. & T. train reached Lorimer station. Brakeman T. J. Cahill was found with his skull crushed and dead in a box car, the door pried open and goods missing.

RELIEF IN CALIFORNIA.

Storm Subsiding and Traffic Will Soon Be Resumed on Railroads.

San Francisco, March 11.—With the weather clearing today it is expected that traffic will be resumed soon and floods which heavily damaged parts of the state will subside.

To Visit Several Texas Cities.

Houston, Texas, March 11.—Col. Cecil Lyon leader of the republican party in Texas, has completed the arrangements for the visit of Col. Theodore Roosevelt to Texas during the first half of the coming week. The Roosevelt itinerary in Texas will include brief visits in Houston, San Antonio, Dallas, Fort Worth and El Paso. In Austin he will deliver an address before the Texas legislature.

Roosevelt in Mississippi Capital.

Jackson, Miss., March 11.—Citizens of Jackson regardless of political affiliations joined in the hearty welcome given to Col. Theodore Roosevelt today. The former president reached the city at an early hour this morning and departed for New Orleans immediately after luncheon. Governor Noel and Senator John Sharp Williams assisted in his entertainment during the forenoon. Col. Roosevelt was taken for a ride about the city and later delivered an address before the commercial club.

Wappenstein Pleads Not Guilty.

Seattle, March 11.—Former Chief of Police Wappenstein, indicted for accepting a bribe of \$25,000 was arraigned today and entered a plea of not guilty.

Assembly Likes Primary.

Sacramento, March 11.—The assembly today unanimously passed an amendment to the primary law providing for nomination of United States senators on the Oregon plan. The measure has not passed the senate.

WOMAN CRAWLS SHOOTS SISTERS MILES FOR AID FOR MONEY

TWO MEN KILLED AND WOMAN IS HURT BY ITALIAN MURDERER.

Help Reached by Crawling to Road and Then on to Neighbor's House.

San Rafael, Cal., March 11.—John La Franchi, his nephew Augustine Albertino were shot and killed and Mrs. La Franchi was seriously wounded in the legs by an Italian who visited the ranch late last night. The murderer escaped and a posse is searching Lucas valley for him this afternoon.

Woman Crawls Two Miles.

Unable to walk, the wounded woman crawled two miles to get help and announce the death of her husband and relative. She says there is no motive as the family never had any trouble in Italy.

The woman reached the roadway where she lay four hours before she regained consciousness and strength to drag herself to the house of County Surveyor Pacheco. Sheriff Keating found a soft felt hat left by the murderer which has a good start on the pursuers. La Franchi rose to milk the cows. As the two men entered the house the assassin killed them in the doorway and shot at the woman as she leaped from a window. By feigning death she was able to escape further wounds.

CALIFORNIA YOUTH SHOOTING HIS RELATIVES IN QUARREL.

Division of Forty Thousand Said to Have Instituted the Crime.

Healdsburg, Cal., March 11.—Temporary insanity causes are assigned by some today as an explanation why Fred Schwarda, a wealthy young rancher, killed two sisters at their home with a shot gun. The authorities say that trouble with the women occurred over the division of \$40,000 as an estate left by the parents.

The man had just completed his heinous crime and was reloading his shotgun when his brother entered and a desperate struggle followed in which the murderer was disarmed and turned over to the authorities. The fellow collapsed when he realized the enormity of his crime.

Manitoba Winter Fair.

Brandon, Man., March 11.—The Manitoba Winter fair and Pat Stock show opened today, to continue until March 17. The exhibition of horses, cattle, sheep and swine is the finest ever shown in Manitoba, and is typical of the wonderful growth of the live stock industry in this section. The exhibition also includes a large display of poultry and seed grain.

Retirement of Col. Hamilton.

Washington, March 11.—The active career in the army of Col. William R. Hamilton of the coast artillery corps closed today by reason of the fact that tomorrow he will reach the age of statutory retirement. Col. Hamilton is a native of Wisconsin. He graduated from the West Point academy in 1876 and from the artillery school in 1894.

Ambassador Hill Coming Home.

Berlin, March 11.—Dr. Hill, American ambassador to Germany, sailed for the United States today to deliver the Carpenter lectures at Columbia university next month. The ambassador is accompanied by his wife and daughter. He expects to return to Berlin about the middle of May.

Taft Receives News.

Augusta, Ga., March 11.—President Taft is settled temporarily in headquarters here today. He received dispatches from the Mexican frontier by a private telegraph operator.

Flour Rates Cut.

Victoria, B. C., March 11.—The anticipated rate war on the North Pacific is under way. Communications are being sent shippers by the Blue Funnel line announcing that the rate on flour from Puget Sound to the Orient has been cut from \$3 to \$2 per ton. It is expected by shipping men that the rate will go lower. Shippers declare that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha is responsible for the war because the company, it is said, has been granting rebates.

Lawmakers After Hobbles.

Springfield, Ill., March 11.—Harem and hobble skirts are subject of a bill presented in the house by Representative Murphy of Chicago. Hobbles measuring less than one and one-half yards are prohibited. An absolute ban is placed on the harem skirt by the bill which prohibits any woman appearing in public in such a garb. The penalty for violating the proposed law is a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$50 for each and every offense.