# CORRAL GIVES UP: ILL-HEALTH PLEA!

Mexican Vice-President Will Take Long Leave of Absence Abroad.

REFORMS TO GO AHEAD

Capital Confident That Peace Negotiations Will Soon Begin and Reforms Will Cut Away Support of Rebellion.

MEXICO CITY, April 3 .- Ramon Corral, Vice-President of Mexico, this af-ternoon petitioned Congress for an in-definite leave of absence. As a rea-son he said he considered it advisable for him to leave the country for a time because of his III-health.

Germany was named as his destina-tion. It is known that he expects to spend some time at Carlsbad. The pe-

spend some time at Carisbad. The petition will come up for its second reading tomorrow. That Cengress will grant the request is almost certain.

By asking Congress for a leave of absence the Vice-President quieted the rumors that he intends to resign soon. If he resigns at all it will not be for many months, and on good authority. many months, and on good authority it is said he has no intention of doing so. He and a portion of his family will sail from Vera Cruz April 12.

### Reform Measures Probable

That the present Congress will take action on a few, if not all, of the reform measures is believed probable and It is not unlikely that the revision of the electoral laws and the "no re-election" feature will come up early in the

A note of confidence was more than ever noticeable in official circles here that an early termination of the revolution was in sight. While no definite basis for such belief was obtainable, it was said unofficially that it was probable that within a short time grounds upon which peace conditions could be built would be found.

built would be found.

The idea that the promises of reforms will cause Francisco I. Madero to give up the fight is not gaining ground. So far it has been impossible to confirm reports that the federal government purposes to treat formally with the rebels and the public is beginning to believe statements made by Dr. Vasquez Gomez and Francisco I. Madero, that they will continue the rebellion unless the President resigns and another materials. President resigns and another na-al election is held.

### Disapproval Is Predicted.

But the idea is growing rapidly that the rebel leaders soon are to become the yietims of a disapproval so general that it will extend to the followers of Ma-dero. On the part of the government there is no attempt to deny that the reforms were proposed because of popula

The demand comes not only from the rebela but from many who never have believed Madero was justified in plunging his country into civil war to alter the conditions. The latter element, however, always offered the possibility of furnishing rebel recruits and it is now pointed out that support from this source is rendered improbable.

Many of the more conservative citizens of the capital believe a large percentage of those actually fighting in the

centage of those actually fighting in the rebel army will be satisfied with the initiative taken by the President and soon will refuse to follow their leader further in a movement, the success of which is regarded as doubtful.

There is now no reason to think that President Diaz contemplates doing any-thing more than he has done.

MADEROS ARE SOON TO MEET

Diaz to Facilitate Conference of

Rebel Leaders. EL PASO, Tex., April 3 .- On the sur face peace negotiations did not appear to make much progress today between the insurrectos and the Mexican fed-

erals, but developments came to light that promise much in the next few All efforts are now being bent to wards arranging for a meeting in this city of Francisco Madero and representatives of the Mexican government. To do this permission of the United States will first have to be secured for Madero to come here without being ar-rested, as a warrant is out for his ar-rest on a charge of violating the neu-

trality laws.

The next step will be to secure safe transport for Madero to El Paso from transport for Madero to El Paso from
the Mexican federal government, and
it is known that such a proposition has
been made. The father and brother
of the insurrectos' chieftain declared
today that they had nothing as yet to
add to what they have already said.
Gonzales Garza, insurrecto Secretary
of State, called several times during
the day on the Maderos and their relations appeared perfectly cordial, although Garza declared some days ago
that "these men have no right to speak that "these men have no right to speak

REBEL ARMY IS SCATTERED

for the insurrecto party."

### Federal Version of Battle Near Ures Proclaims Victory.

AGUA PRIETA, Senora, Mex. April 3.
—An official report by General Luis
Torres, military commander of the first
zone, including all of the State of So-

mone, including all of the State of So-nora, has been received here, giving details of the fighting at Ures and San Rafael, following the first encounter on March 28 and up to today. After the rebels escaped from the trap laid by Colonel Ogeda and Luis Medina Barron, chief of rurales, they continued in the direction of Ures. A short time later the insurrectos re-ceived reinforcements numbering 200, nearly all mounted. With this augceived reinforcements numbering 200, nearly all mounted. With this augmented force they attempted to turn the right flank of the federal forces, where was stationed Chief Barron and his rurales. With Barron also were detachments from the 13th, 14th and 28th battalions of infantry. The fighting which ensued was severe, with heavy losses on both sides.

On the night of March 30 the battle was renewed. Colonel Openia assuming

was renewed, Colonel Ogeda assuming the offensive and attempting to dis-lodge the rebel forces from the surrounding ambush. The federals came across many dead insurrectos and small bands fleeing in the direction of Ures.

A long fight followed.

At Ures the rebels made a stand, fortifying themselves strongly in several
houses at the entrance to the city, on
the road to Buena Vista. They occupied the house of correction, where
they took advantage of the portholes
above and below. They also made a
stand in the plaza, but in the fighting
which followed they were scattered
into small groups and went off in different directions. The federal commanders believe that the rebel bands A long fight followed.

YOUNG SOCIETY BELLE TO WHOM COLONEL JOHN JACOB ASTOR IS SAID TO BE PAYING ATTENTION.



MISS MADELEINE T. FORCE.

Society Belle, Report.

SMART SET INTERESTED

Recurring Rumor That Million-

aire and First Wife Are

to Have Reconciliation.

NEW YORK, April 3.—(Special.)— New York and London society is much

interested in the report that Colonel

tention to Miss Madeline T. Force, a

beautiful young woman well known in

Colonel Astor's first wife was Miss Ava Willing, of Philadelphia, and, like her ex-husband, is as well known in

European society as in New York and

tributed \$19,000 to the fund for the celebration of the centennial of Astoria, Or., and promised to come West

in August to personally wave his hat

CUT-RATE DRUGS LEGAL

Supreme Court Denies Manufactur-

ers May Fix Prices.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The attempt to put the ban on "cut rates" in proprie-tary medicines in this country received

today the unqualified disapproval of the Supreme Court of the United States. That tribunal declined, in an opinion

by Justice Hughes, to give its aid to such

The question of the right of a manu-facturer to control the price of his ar-

cinnati firm from inducing dealers who had procured medicines from the manufacturer to sell it in violation of a con-

tract with the manufacturer, and from selling medicines procured in this was at "cut rates."

IDAHO WOMAN STRICKEN

denly at Santa Monica.

Turks Summoned to Aid Village of

Scutari Kill Many of Rebels.

Democrat Wins Russian Election. MOSCOW, Russia, April 3 .- The Con-

stitutional Democratic candidate, Niko-lai V. Teslinko, won in the bye-election

for the seat in the Duma made vacant by the retirement of Feodor A. Gele-vino, a Constitutional Democrat and a

former President of the body.

unlawful monopoly.

with the citizens of that place

Jacob Astor recently con-

with him.

John Jacob Astor is paying marked at-

under Juan Cabral and Antonio Gar-cia have joined and gone in the direc-tion of Arizpe. A federal force was put in the field at once to follow them

A report reached Agua Prieta today that Barron was among those killed at Ures, but it has not been confirmed.

FIRING IS UNINTENTIONAL Colonel Paying Attention to

Mexicans Did Not Mean to Scatter

Shots Toward American Troops. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 3 .- Full reports on the firing on the American roops at Presidio by the Moxicans were received here today by General Juncan. The investigation proved onclusively that the shooting was un

The garrison at Ojinaga is besieged by the insurrect's and shots are con-stantly being exchanged. stantly being exchanged.

A patrol was sent out from the garrison to reconnoiter and, while so engaged, it was thought rebels were perceived on an island in the Rio Grande. The shots carried across the river and landed near several American soldiers.

DEMOCRATS TALK WITH TAFT President Takes Them Into Confi-

dence Regarding Troops.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—President Taft began today to take the Demo-eratic members of the House committee on foreign affairs into his confidence WASHINGTON, April 3.—President Taft began today to take the Democratic members of the House committee on foreign sfiairs into his confidence regarding the movement of troops to the Mexican border. The President taiked over the matter with Representatives Sulzer, of New York, who is to be chairman of the committee; Flood of Virginia, and Garner of Kansas.

Mr. Sulzer carried away a portfolio containing a mass of papers relating mantly denied it. She gave incompatato the situation. bility as her reason for securing a di-vorce from her husband and declared that she could never return to a life He refused to discuss their contents.

Salvatore Madero Released. LAREDO, Tex., April 3.—Salvatore Madero, who was arrested in Nuevo La-

redo, Mex., Sunday morning, was re-leased today on an order from Mexico City. Madero was held because a re-volver was found in his baggage. Madero, it developed today was en route to Monterey to visit his father, Evariste

STORMY PETREL" OF KLAM-ATH FALLS GOES ON STAGE.

Oregon Man Assists in "Strong Man's" Act in Theater at National Capital.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, April 3 .- Abel Ady, the "stormy petrel" of Klamath Falls, Ur., made his appearance in vaudeville in the National Capital a few nights ago. It was a bona-fide vaudeville theater, one of

a bona-fide vaudeville theater, one of the 5 and 18-cent variety, but vaudeville, just the same, and during his initial performance Mr. Ady, according to friends who saw him, showed not the silghtest trace of stage fright. He stalked on the stage like a veteran, did his stunt, then stalked off, and all with the same dignity that marks his daily entrance and exit at the office of the Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. Ady has been in Washington for two months or more looking after various Klumath land matters before Congress and the Interior Department. He finds time lagging heavily on his hands at night and has fallen into the moving-picture habit, stroiling down Pennsylvania avenue after dark, taking in one show after another. Some of the moving-picture houses mingle vaudeville with the pictures and it was in one of these that Mr. Ady came into the public eye.

On the bill was a strong man, of the Sandow type. After he had performed several feats, he brought forth a long. several feats, he brought forth a long, reinforced plank, and announced that he would get down on all fours, place the plank across his chest and raise any ten men in the audience. When he called for volunteers, Mr. Ady, who is inclined to be skeptical and who, by the way, is no featherweight, walked up onto the stage and onto the plank. Nine others followed. Un they went into the air, followed. Up they went into the air, teetered in see-saw fashion for a minteetered in sec-saw fashion for a min-ute or two, and then they came down. Ady led the procession and with as much dignity and pomp as if he were leading the coronation procession in

Mr. Ady is now busy denying the rumor that he is going to give up irrigation for vaudeville. He thought nobody who knew him would see him 3000 miles from home, but he had another guess coming.

Denman Thompson Improves.

WEST SWANSEY, N. H. April 3 .- A continued improvement was reported today in the condition of Denman Thompson, the veteran actor, who is ill

# SUPREME COURT REVERSES ORDER

Commodities Clause of Hepburn Law Given New Life by Decision.

SUITS WILL BE RENEWED

Highest Court Holds Unanimously That Railroads Must Not Carry Products of Companies Which They Fully Control.

WASHINGTON, April 3 .- The "com modities clause" of the Hepburn rate law, interpreted two years ago by the Supreme Court of the United States, was given new life today by that tribunal in a second interpretation. So effective was the reconsideration of the subject that Government officials predict that the evil will now be remedied and railroads divorced from the coal business.

Chief Justice White announced the decision of the court. The entire bench agreed with him, although on the previous consideration Justice Harlan dissented.

The Chief Justice took the position that the lower court had erred in refusing to allow the Government to amend

While that decision expressly held, said the Chief Justice in referring to the previous holding of the court, "that stock ownership by a railroad company in a bona-fide corporation, irrespective of the extent of such ownership, did not preclude a railroad company from transporting the commodity manufactured, mined, produced or owned by such corporation nothing in that conclusion mined, produced or owned by such corporation, nothing in that conclusion
foreclosed the right of the Government
to question the power of the railroad
company to transport in interstate commerce a commodity manufactured,
mined, owned or produced by a corporation in which the railroad held stock
and where the power of the railroad
company as a stockholder was used to
obliterate all distinctions between the
two corporations.

Affairs Must Not Be Mingled.

"That is to say, where the power was exerted in such manner as to com-mingle affairs of both and by necessary effect to make such affairs practically undistinguishable and therefore to cause corporations to be one for all pur-The decision was summed up in thes

"It must be held that, while the right

"It must be held that, while the right of a railroad company as a stockholder to use its stock ownership for the purpose of a bona-fide separate administration of the affairs of a corporation in which it has a stock interest may not be denied, the use of such stock ownership in substance for the purpose of destroying the entirety of a producing, etc. corporation and of comminging its affairs in administration with the affairs of the railroad company, so as to make of the railroad company, so as to make the two corporations virtually one, brings the railroad company within the prohibition of the commodities clause. "In other words, that by operation and effect of the commodities clause, there is a duty cast upon a railroad company purposing to carry in interstate com-merce a product of the producing, etc. corporation, in which it has a stock interest, not to abuse such power so virtually to do by indirection that wh the commodities clause prohibits, a duty which plainly would be violated by the unnecessary comminging of the affairs of the producing company with its own so as to cause them to be one and in-

### separable. Suits Will Be Revived.

As a result of the decision, the lower ourt will now allow the Government to amend its petition in the Lehigh Val-ley Railroad case. A different situation arises in regard to the Erle, the Central Railroad of New Jersey and the Penn-sylvania. In these cases the Government did not ask for leave to amend, considering the Lehigh Valley suit a test case The Government did ask the court to dismiss the Erie, Central and Pennsyl-vania cases, without prejudice, but this was refused and the Circuit Court dis-

missed the cases. This dismissal was to-day approved by the Supreme Court. Ordinarily this would preclude the Gov-ernment from bringing new suits against these railroads. Government officials tonight expressed doubt as to whether further proceedings could be taken against the Erle, the Central of New Jersey and the Pennsylvania, but an investigation will be made with a view

an attempt, on the ground that 't would afford the manufacturers of medicine an interstate commerce the coal of a sub-sidiary company which belongs to the ticle to the consumer arose in a suit begun by the Dr. Miles' Medical Com-pany, of Elkins, Ind., against a whole-sale dealer in medicine in Cincinnati, John D. Park & Sons Company. The manufacturer sought to enjoin the Cinsalary company which belongs to the railroad and which is managed so as to make it not in good faith an independent corporation," said Special Counsel Wade H. Ellis for the Government. "This will correct the real evil at which the commodities clause was aimed. It will di-vorce the railroad from the coal busi-ness and compel interstate carriers to attend strictly to functions for which they were organized."

## PORTLAND READY FOR T. R.

(Continued From First Page.) which has been erected and from which Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson Dies Sud-Colonel Roosevelt will speak will have seats for 100 and tickets will be mailed this morning for those who have been LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 1-(Special.)-Mrs. Elizabeth M. Jackson, who recently came here from Idaho for the invited to occupy these seats of honor. Besides the committee of 49, which has charge of all arrangements, the judges benefit of her health, died suddenly this of the Federal and state courts and morning at the Santa Monica Hospital. the state officials will be located upon She was 25 years of age, and at the beach had been making her home at 25 the platform. Ushers were appointed Navy street.

She was the daughter of H. T. Mahan, of Grand Forks, B. C. Her body will be sent to Spokane, Wash., for burlal. and those who will act as a guard were indicated by name.

Arrangements were perfected yesterday for the police detail. The second night relief, which ordinarily reports at 11:15 P. M., will go on duty at 1:30 in the afternoon and will be distributed ALBANIANS ARE ROUTED the afternoon and will be distributed as needed. The mounted police under Sergeant Crate will report to head the parade at 1:45. The police band has been ordered to make its appearance at 7:35 at night. Captain Baty will make the detail to handle the crowd. Upon leaving Portland tomorrow night, Colonel Roosevelt will take the train at 11:15 P. M. It will arrive in Tacoma at 5:30 A. M. April 8. He will remain there until 1:10 o'clock in the afternoon. During that time he will take breakfast at the Tacoma Hotel and from 2 to 10 a public reception will be held in the pariors of the hotel, which will be followed by an automobile ride and at 10:45 he will deliver an address from a platform in the Stadium, weather permitting. He will CETTINJE, Montenegro, April 3.— Turkish bashi bazonks summoned to the aid of the beleaguered garrison of Tusi in the vilayet of Scutari. Albania, routed the rebellious Albanians with great slaughter all along the line.

Tuzi was relieved and the Albanians Stadium, weather permitting. He will arrive in Seattle at 2:40 P. M. and be escorted to Dreamland Rink, where he will deliver an address. vill deliver an address.
At 7:15, the morning of April 7, he stitute. S. Olms

will leave Seattle for Spokane, where he will arrive at 9:35 P. M. and spend all of April 8 and 9 in Spokane and vicinity. It is possible that he will take a trip to Couer d'Alene. He will deliver an address in Spokane on April 8 and on April 9 he will speak at Moscow, Idaho, upon the campus of the University of Idaho.

The citizens have provided a unique

the University of Idaho.

The citizens have provided a unique platform, 50,000 bushels of wheat in sacks, and from this improvised stand he will deliver his address. He will leave Sand Point, Idaho, at 11:57 A. M. April 10, and will arrive at Missoula at 7:03 A. M., leaving at 7:13 on the morning of April 13. He speaks in Helena on April 12, departing at 1:15 A. M. This is the only stop provided on the Northern Pacific schedule.

T. R. TO SPEAK FROM SACK PILE

Platform for Roosevelt at Moscow Will Be Unique.

MOSCOW, Idaho, April 3 .- (Special.) The Roosevelt arrangement committe has invited Governor Hawley, ex-Governor McConnell, President MacLean, of the University of Idaho; Chief Justice Allshie, ex-United States Senator Heltfelt, Federal Judge Deitrich and State Senator Day as the honorary committee who are to occupy the platform which is to be on the big pier of wheat sacks built on the university campus by the Farmers' Union of Moscow from which the ex-President is to speak Monday morning, April 10, at 9 o'clock. The distinguished individuals have each accepted the invitation.

President Markenn of the university.

President MacLean, of the university will introduce Governor Hawley, who in turn will introduce Theodore Roosevelt. Two large committees of 190 each have been selected from Moscow and neigh-boring towns. One will meet Roosevelt in Spokane and accompany him to Mos cow Sunday evening and the other will accompany him on the return trip Mon-day noon to Spekane.

PRESS CLUB READY FOR T. R.

Entertainment Committee Is Augmented in Guest's Honor.

To assist in seeing that the orchestra does not attempt a Wagnerian symphony while Colonel Roosevelt is trying to make a speech and that the refreshments are properly seasoned, the entertainment committee of the Portland Press Club will boast an augmented cast Wednesday evening, when the ex-President will be the club's guest for a few minutes. The regular members of the commit-tee, Fred W. Vincent, Charles N. Ryan and George C. Cowing, know enough about incidental music and dishes of German extraction to do the work, but to guard against the everlooking of any "bets," they desired to have a few more entertainment committeemen strey about the rooms. Therefore, Sydney Vincent, president of the club, has named Herbert J. Campbell, James Mc-Cool, Monroe Goldstein and Scott Stev-ens as temporary members of the com-

ROSEBURG TO GREET COLONEL

Citizens Will Seek to Get Short

Speech From Roosevelt. ROSEBURG, Or., April 2.—(Special.)
—Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt will arrive in Roseburg Wednesday morning at 7:25 o'clock, on the Shasta Limited. He will be met at the depot by a delegation of prominent Roseburg citizens and welcomed to the city by Mayor Fred Haynes. The Roseburg band has been engaged to furnish music.

Although Mr. Roosevelt's visit here is

limited to 10 minutes, an effort will be made to have him deliver a few re-marks. The Ladies' Auxiliary expect to resent him with a quantity of the sea son's flowers.

MILLIONS ASKED IN SUITS

Failure of Cotton Dealers Results in Action Against Two Lines.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., April 3 .- Twenty-four suits aggregating almost \$2,-500,000, and 13 suits amounting to almost \$1,500,000, were filed against the Louisville & Nashville and the South-ern Railways, respectively, here today. They are the outcome of the failure of Knight, Yancey & Co., cotton deal-ers, and were filed by complainants in an effort to obtain money lost through alleged forged bills of lading.

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etite and makes sleep sound and refreshing by huilding up the whole sys-tem. It purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, aids and perfects the di-gestion. Take it this Spring. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolated tablets called Sarsatabs.





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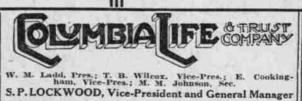
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