## ARMISTICE MADE FOR ALL MEXICO

Peace Conference at Juarez Agrees to Suspend Hostilities Five Days.

#### TREATY SOON TO FOLLOW

Terms Are Arranged in General and Diaz Offer to Resign Removes Last Obstacle--Madero Picks Men for Cabinet.

JUAREZ, Mexico, May 17 .- Judge Carbajal, representing the Mexican federal government, and Dr. Vasquez Gomez, Jose Pino Coarez and Francisco Madero, Sr., representing the provi-sional government, agreed at 8 o'clock tonight to declare a five days' armis-tice throughout Mexico, to take effect immediately upon receipt by Judge Carbajal of formal authorization from Mexico City, which came at 11 o'clock

The signing of an armistice is a military prerogative and was not in-cluded in Judge Carbajal's diplomatic instructions. There is no federal mil-itary commander here, General Navar-ro having been deposed by the taking of Juarea. Hence the need of authority from Mexico City. War, in Spite of Leader.

are operating in the interior and inti-mations that they might begin a cam-paign apart from Madero were brought to insurrecto headquarters today,

HOOD RIVER MILLIONAIRE IS SUED BY EX-WIFE.

Mrs. Montgomery, Seeking Custody

of Children, Says Oregon Man

Changed Wording of Decree.

OAKLAND, Cal., May 17 -- (Special.)

BURNS BRINGING FORCE WEST

FOR DYNAMITING CASE.

Because They Are Not Known in

California They Are Expected to

Make Effective Investigations.

express purpose of consulting with Mills in reference to the dynamiting

JUAREZ, Mex., May 17.-Indications of unrest among the insurrectos who

#### Armistice First Complete One.

The armistics will be the first general cessation of hostilities since the erai reseation of nonthines since the revolution began last November and was decided upon by Provisional Presi-dent Madero this afternoon immediate-ly after the receipt of an Associated Press dispatch from Mexico City stat-ing that President Dias had offered to resign before the end of the present month.

News of vigorous warfare in Central and Southern Mexico, which Madero considers unnecessary in view of the progress made toward a peaceable settlement of the revolt, also induced the rebel chief to act quickly and prevent further loss of life or suffering.

Both Madero and Judge Carbajal expressed the belief tonight that the five-day armistice would be superseeded by the signing of a definite peace agreecalculated to restore in Mexico an era of complete tranquillity within

It is expected that Minister of Foreign Relations Senor De la Barra, by constitutional authority, will assume the provisional Presidency of the re-public upon the resignation of Presi-

The armistice terms include the neuralization of railway and telegraph ines and the cessation of heatile troop

When Madero was shown an Asso-When Madero was shown an Asso-ciated Fress dispatch from Mexico City concerning Diar intention of resigning before the month ended, he asked: "What day is it?" "The 17th," was the answer. "Bueno" (good), commented the reh-el leader, as he begged to be excused to continue his work of drafting the

peace treaty.

#### Cabinet Members Chosen.

Earlier today Madero confirmed the ent of the Associated Press announcement of the Associated Press last night that General Gonzales Salaz, Senor Vasquez Tagle and Dr. Vasquez Gomes have been named by him for the portfolios of war, justice and gobernacion, respectively.

He conferred today with his Cabinet about the guhernatorial appointments of the 14 states to be controlled by the revolutionists, and it may be

by the revolutionists, and it may be several days before all the Governors ted, as the rebel chiefs wish touch with public opinion in

to get in touch with public opinion in distant states.

Some of the leaders have raised a technicality which tonight is somewhat of a dilemma to those who are trying to bring about peace. It is that no peace agreement can render binding the appointment of provisional Governors, as such officials are elected by the State Legislatures and that these bodies might not feel disposed to follow the dictates of the compact. Madero, however, believes that the State Legislatures are by this time of strong Maderita tendencies.

#### Madero Proclaims Armistice.

immediately after Judge Carbajal aned the armistics, the following immediately after Judge Carbajal signed the armistice, the following proclamation to the military chiefs of the revolution, which contains the terms of the armistice, was made public by provisional President F. I. Madero, Jr.:

"I heroby make known to all the chiefs of the army of liberation in the whole republic that, General Porfirio Diaz, having announced his intention of resigning from power this month, the representatives of my government and the representatives of the government of General Dist have signed a general armistice for five days which will ter-minate on the 22d of this month at 11 P. M. In substance, I have agreed to M. In substance, I have agreed to spend all kinds of hostilities respectg which the armistice contains the showing clauses:

These men, it is said, because of the fact that they are unknown to any one connected with either the defense or the District Attorney's office, will be

suspend any advance of troops.

"Second—Each one of the contending parties shall reserve the right to direct the mobilination of its forces within the territory under its control with the object of seeking good quar-

Third—The safe conduct which the various conferences of both armies may ask shall be respected and facilities for the free use of the telegraph

ries for the free use of the telegraph and mall shall be given.

"Hoth parties are obliged to com-musicate immediately by telegraph or otherwise this armistice to the mili-tary officers to whom they look for nediate fulfillment of these con-

#### AMERICANS ARE DRIVEN OUT

#### Mexicans at Ensenada Sald to Have

Shot Two Foreigners. SAN DIEGO, May 17.—Refugees arriving by steamer from Ensenada today bring reports of chactic conditions in the Lower California capital and of the execution yeaterday of an American and a man supposed to be a Norwegian. None of the refugees witnessed the execution and their information was drawn from reports current in Ensenada the day they left.

Work on the big pier being built at Ensenada was stopped yesterday, it is stated, by a mob of Mexican soldiers, who fer a time threatened to attack

who fer a time threatened to attack the American workmen. Charles Moore, the American workings. Charles Moore, one of the refugees, said today that the result was an order of the Governor for all American workings to return to the United States. Moore also declared that an American and a Norwegian were compelled yesterday morning to dig their own graves in the burial ground near Ensenada and were afterward shot by a squad of Mexican soldiers.

All the books and records of a British PEACE CONFEREES IN SESSION NEAR JUARE Z, AND INSURRECTO LEADER'S BODYGUAED.



-Photos copyright by American Press Association. ABOVE—JOSE MAIRE TUARY, DR. VASQUEZ GOMEZ, PRANCISCO MA-DERO AND LIEUTENANT CARBAJAL. BELOW—CAPTAIN OF GUARD ON DUTY AT MADERO'S "WHITE HOUSE."

Terms of Peace in Mexico Almost Total Surrender.

# OAKLAND, Cal., May 17.—(Special.) —Suit has been filed in the Superior Court here by Mrs. A. E. Montgomery, formerly Miss Ethel Mock, against her former husband, Albert Sutton, the millionaire Hood River, Or., apple grower, for the custody of her two children, who were taken from the jurisdiction of the California courts at the time of the divorce decree and taken to Oregon. Mrs. Montgomery, whose present husband is a prominent realty owner, is a resident of the Claremont district and is the daughter of the late William Meek, the Hayward millionaire land-owner. Sutton secured a divorce from her two years ago on the simple plea of desertion, the custody of the two daughters, Alberta, 14, and Anna, 18, being swarded to the father. In granting the interlocutory decree the following words were inserted:

In granting the interiocutory decree the following words were inserted: "The defendant shall have the right to visit her children at any reasonable time at the home of their father in the city and county of San Francisco." This gave the mother the right to visit her children and also prohibited Sutton from removing the children from the state without her consent.

But when the final decree was granted, Sutton, according to Attorney. Charence Reed, had the words "in the city and county of San Francisco" omitted, leaving only the sentence "at the home of their father." This omission was not noticed by either the judge or the attorneys for the defense, and the order was signed.

Sutton immediately moved to Oregon with the two girls and obtained letters of guardianship for the two children through the Oregon courts. He later married and has one child by his last wife.

AGED PRESIDENT IS ILL

Armistice Ordered and Diaz Will Resign Before June 1—De la Barra and Madero to Rule Jointly Pending Election.

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telegraphed to Judge Carbajal this afternoon, with instructions to submit them to General Madero. If they are accepted, which is regarded as certain, an armistice covering entire Mexico will be agreed upon. Inasmuch as will be agreed upon. Inasmuch as the government believes it has made every concession that the revolution-ists have requested, it is firmly believed a treaty of peace will follow.

#### Public Rejoices in Capital.

The public received the announcement of Diar intention to resign with profound satisfaction. Since the battle of Juarez they have realized that the President's renunciation of his high office alone could bring about peace. Business throughout the republic has suffered severely and the people generally were eager for an honorable

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 17.—(Special.)—After a consultation today between W. F. Thayer, manager of the Seattle branch of the Burns Detective Agency, and E. R. Mills, local manager for the Burns agency, it was given out that William J. Burns would probably arrive here Saturday from the East. It was also said he would bring with him or be followed by several of his best operatives, men who so far, have not figured in the limelight of publicity in connection with the arrest of the One point upon which there may be dispute is the selection of Minister of War. The selection is left entirely to De la Barra, but the new man must be "a general who has good will and respect of the army." It is intimated that General Bernardino Reyes will be the choice, but Madero has been in open opposition to him. General Jose Gonzales Salaz has been suggested for the office, but he might not be accept able to the government.

#### Rebels Trust De la Barra.

The reservation made regarding the foreign office probably will be acable to work on California ends of the case without hindrance and have been selected for the very reason that they were unknown in this locality. Thayer came here from Seattle for the ceptable to the revolutionists. At no ime has De la Barra incurred the personal antagonism of the revolutionists, but he has done everything in his power to bring the two factions together. It is almost entirely through his efforts that an understanding is so mear.

The proposition that the affairs of his AVALANCHE KILLS FOUR

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no noise or crashing was hear duntil the avalanche was right upon the permitted regardless of the stipuworkmen.

The men were in the employ of the Mount Hood Construction Company and were grading the roadbed preparatory to laying track. Had they been able to work another day they would have

completed the grading ready for the tracklayers. Under normal weather conditions it is likely that their task would have been finished earlier in the sation of hostilities. Without doubt week, as incessant rains of the last few week, as incessant rains of the last few days have made the ground so heavy that it is difficult to handle.

The rain along the line of the railroads has been much heavier than in Fortland and has caused small slides at several places. At the very point where yeaterday's faial accident occurred a large quantity of earth and gravel had been carried down upon the roadbed only a short time before and

roadbed only a short time before and the shovel was engaged in removing this when the silde struck it.

The shovel itself was not badly damaged. It was turned over on its side many years would have been pathetic but no important part was broken. Plans were perfected last night for conveying it hank to the roadway where it. Plans were perfected last night for conveying it back to the roadway where it will be placed in service.

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Activity on the Mount Hood Railway with difficulty, recumbent on his bed, relinquishing his power—he was still the dominant figure of the council.

"Not once did he think of himself,"

said Limantour. "Every thought he ex-pressed was for the future of his coun-try. He has an honest pride, but no vanity. I venture to predict that in a year or two, when the new order of things has been established, Mexico will

things has been established, Mexico will regard him as the greatest hero.

"This resignation must forever silence those who could find no other criticism than that he lusted for power. He has ruled with the single-hearted aim of his country's welfare, and he resigns for the same reason. Throughout his long administration he has never failed to listen to the best advice he could oblisten to the best advice he could ob-

"In this crisis, where he was most vitally concerned, next to the Republic itself, he listened impartially to his advisers and acted with judicial fairness, although the decision went against himself."

Cabinet Meets Near Sick Room. The president was too ill to sit among the councillors. These, constituting the entire cabinet, gathered around a table in the parior of the president's

Silken tapestries covered the walls and over these hung paintings of his-toric characters of Mexico-Iturbide, Hidalgo, Juarez and others honored by their country. In a chamber off this room the president reclined, while in an ante-room a physician waited, ready on the instant for any summons from the sick room.

Senor Limantour, whenever possible,

render it necessary for the president to answer only with "yes" or "no." After the meeting today Senor Liman-

tour said that, while the president was in great pain, his fever had subsided and the physicians in consultation on the case do not fear serious consequences. It will be some days at least, however, before the president can leave his hed.

#### Complications to Be Feared.

A physician not connected with the case, but to whom the symptoms were described by a reporter, declined to take issue with official optimism, but said that complications always are to be feared in such cases and especially if the patient is advanced in years.

It is said on authority that President Diaz has no wish or intention to leave Mexico after his resignation. He is an old man, and new scenes and faces have no attraction. He has no fear of remaining among his countrymen. There is no enmity to him personally. His integrity never has been
questioned. Political differences have
arisen, but he feels that the people
over whom he has ruled are his friends.
Among them he wishes to end his days.
While the present ministry is not
completely convinced that tranquillity
could not be more speedly restored
with Dias in power for a few months
after the signing of a peace agreefear of remaining among his country

after the signing of a peace agree-ment, the public at large feels little apprehension on that point. It may

#### Rebels Keep Good Order.

As already reported, a mob looted at will for several hours. Meanwhile, however, the better element formed a vigilance committee, which within six hours and without bloodshed rid the town of the disorderly element and maintained order until the coming of maintained order until the coming of a rebel detachment in the morning. The latter handled the situation with discretion, tact and firmness that could not have been exceeded had the federals been in control. Recently, too, the government has delegated to the robel leaders in the south the task of maintaining order in their respective districts and has found the insurpretor fully sound to the task.

rectos fully equal to the task.

Minister Limantour said the government has paid its own war expenses out of the contingent funds and that no new bond Issues will be necessary. The revolutionary debt is estimated at 6,000,000 pesos (\$3,000,000), which it is said the government can pay without

#### Lightning Strikes Automobile.

MINOT, N. D., May 17.—The path-finding automobile of the Minnesota Automobile Association, en route to Helena, Mont., near Tunbridge yesterday was struck by lightning and Driver Overshine and C. E. Babcock, a telegraph operator, were atunued, but soon recovered. The wiring of the car was burned out, but no other injury was done.

Day's Wrangle Over Henry's Nomination Ends With No Dissension.

INQUIRY TO BE STARTED

Representative Olmstead Resigns From Group Which Is to Inves-Because of District.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—After a day's fight over the proposal to elect the sugar investigating committee nominated by Chairman Henry, of the rules committee, the Democrats of the House came together and elected the committee practically without dissent. It consists of these members

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Hardwick, Georgia, chairman; Gar-rett, Tennessee; Sulzer, New York; Jacoway, Arkansas; Raker, California; Maltby, New York; Fordney, Michigan; Madlson, Kansas; Hinds, Maine. The Union of Democratic forces came after conciliating words by those who attacked Henry and his resolution yes-terday.

terday.

Republican Leader Mann said the committee incident had shown the de-sirability of leaving committee appoint-ments to the Speaker.

The resolution for an investigation of the American Sugar Refining Company was adopted last week.

#### Olmstend Onits Committee.

Representative Olmstead, of Pennsyl-Representative Olimstead, of Pennsylvania, who was elected to the special committee to investigate the United States Steel Corporation, resigned today, saying one of the companies whose affairs were to be investigated was located in his district, and he preferred not to serve on the committee.

Mr. Henry yesterday attempted to

cated in his district, and he preserved not to serve on the committee.

Mr. Henry yesterday attempted to designate the personel of the sugar trust committee. He declared today that he had not nominated the committee as chairman of the rules committee, but as a private individual.

"There is no disposition to rob the Democratic caucus of any powers," he said. "If I have to be subjected to such criticism, I give warning that I shall not hesitate to discuss things as plainly as I see them. Gentiemen who are opposing this action must come out with their motives."

This provoked sharp queries from Richardson of Alabama as to what Mr. Henry meant by such statements.

Method Objected To.

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Representative Martin, of Colorado, objected to the method of selecting the committee, and Representative Fitzgerald declared the entire principle of Democratic management of the House

Prolonged cheers and applause fol-lowed a statement in the House today by Republican Leader Mann that Speaker Clark was being considered by the Democratic party for the Presidency in 1912.

The demonstration started on the floor, but the galleries joined in. The Speaker, his face red from embarrassment, pounded vigorously with his

#### Rules Issued for Siletz Settlers.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash ington, May 17.—The general Land Office has issued instructions governing the re-entry of Siletz homesteads under the act of March 4. The Portland office is directed to notify all entrymen to present their applications

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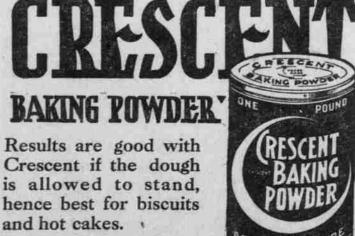
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