



GARRANZA LIMITS MEDIATION SCOPE

Internal Affairs Will Not Be Discussed.

ARMISTICE, TOO, IS REFUSED

Designation of Provisional President Excluded.

FORMAL REPLY IS MADE

Settling of Such Questions by Mediation or Even Arbitration Declared to Be Unacceptable to Constitutionalists.

EL PASO, Tex., June 21.—General Carranza has forwarded his reply to the two notes of June 2 and 5 sent him by the mediation commissioners, at Niagara Falls. It was learned here tonight. According to reports his reply to the A B C mediators was sent to the constitutionalist headquarters at Washington to be forwarded to the Brazilian, Argentine, Chile and American Ambassadors at the Niagara conference.

Carranza's note, it is understood, reiterated his willingness to participate in the conference, whose sole object he recognized to be the pacification of Mexico and whose good offices he tentatively recognized.

Local Discussion Futile.

The futility of the discussion of Mexican internal affairs, however, is pointed out.

While thanking the mediators for their efforts, the "last chief" made plain, according to word reaching here, that among the subjects he considered it impossible to discuss was the proposed armistice, military movements of the rebels, the agrarian question and the designation of a provisional President of Mexico.

Carranza said he believed that he only complied with his duty as first chief of the constitutionalist forces when he declared that a grave error had been committed in attempting to solve such a question of transcendental importance to the Mexican people. It devolves on the rebels themselves, he held, to decide what is best for the interests of their country.

Definite Result Not Expected.

The settling of such questions as the result of mediation, arbitration, or even intervention, would be unacceptable to the insurgents, he says, and he is therefore convinced that the conference at Niagara Falls will be without the definite result expected by the interested parties and foreign nations.

The feeling in Saltillo, where Carranza has established his capital, according to word reaching this city, is that the first chief's reply has ended the diplomatic incident connected with the interchange of notes between the mediation commission and Carranza. The lack of conformity on Carranza's part with the request of the mediators does not necessarily preclude a further interchange of notes, but it is not believed an attempt will be made to renew the correspondence.

Villa's Recognition Urged.

At the time of the breach between Carranza and Villa there was an interesting exchange of telegrams between Robert V. Pesquiera, Carranza's agent, and Villa. Pesquiera in his message expressed regret over the differences which had arisen between the two leaders, and declared nothing could be more desirable to the revolution and the country than such a split which had been the object of the enemies of the constitutionalists.

Declaring Villa's triumphs had brought him honor from all Mexicans, he urged the General to again place himself at the service of the revolutionary cause in the same quality that had made him an idol of the people, and to do everything possible to bring about a solution of existing difficulties.

This telegram was sent on June 17 and Villa's reply was received the following day. In this message Villa denied that any difference existed between himself and Carranza, and said he proposed to prevent such a crisis because of the needs of the country.

Return of 1,000,000 Pesos Sought.

Efforts were made today by Carranza agents to secure the return to Juarez of national officials elected by Villa's military agents from their offices and the return to the national treasury offices at Juarez of the 1,000,000 pesos in constitutionalist paper confiscated by the troops. Roberto Pesquiera, rebel field agent, and Lazaro de la Garza, Villa's agent, held a long conference today, at which this subject was discussed.

The Carranza element expressed the belief that only by the reinstatement of Serapio Aguirre, the National Treasurer, and other of Carranza's appointees could the matter be adjusted satisfactorily, although those arrested were supposed to have received their liberty at Chihuahua.

MAZATLAN ATTACK WITHHELD

Rebel Troops Surrounding Cities Ordered to Remain Inactive.

ON BOARD U. S. S. CALIFORNIA, June 20.—(By wireless via San Diego, June 21.)—Constitutionalist officers of the force besieging Mazatlan said today that orders had been received to

NEW TITLES GIVEN BY BRITISH KING

EARLDOM FOR LORD KITCHENER AMONG BIRTHDAY HONORS.

Premier of Canada and Others Made Knights of Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George.

LONDON, June 21.—The King's birthday honors were announced today. The list includes a large number of barons and baronets. Lord Kitchener, of Khartoum, His Majesty's agent and Consul General in Egypt, is made an Earl. Sir Herbert Cozens Hardy, Sir Edgar Vincent, Major General John Fielden Brocklehurst and Sir Leonard Lyell are raised to Barons. Among the baronets is Albert H. Stanley, manager of the London Underground Railway, who is English born, but was reared in the United States.

Other baronets named are Sir Joseph Beecham, the manufacturer and philanthropist; George Henschel, the composer, and Sir T. Van Sittart Bowster, Lord Mayor of London. Rt. Hon. Robert L. Borden, Premier of Canada; George E. Foster, Minister of Trade in Canada, and Walter E. Davidson, Governor of New Foundland, are made Knights of the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George. Among the Knights Bachelor named is Douglas Mawson, the explorer.

LAWYER WILSON FAILURE

President Tells of Quitting Practice After Indifferent Success.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 21.—(Special.)—President Wilson admits that "only indifferent success" crowned his efforts to practice law in Atlanta when he came to the city in 1882. His confession is included in a letter to P. G. McDuffie, an Atlanta lawyer, which the latter read before the Georgia Bar Association.

"I went to Atlanta in May, 1882," wrote the President, "and was very soon thereafter admitted to the bar of Georgia. I formed a law partnership with Edward Ireland Renick, and we struggled with indifferent success to attract attention and gain a little law practice.

"This is practically all there is to tell, because I made up my mind during the year I was in Atlanta that I could best accomplish the objects I had in view in life by returning to the teaching of law and politics."

ROSE REACHES FAR ALASKA

Queen of the Midnight Sun Receives Thelma's Gift.

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, June 21.—(Special.)—Planting of an Oregon rose bush sent here by Queen Thelma, of the Portland Festival, was the opening feature at midnight of the annual festival of the midnight sun.

The celebration will continue over tomorrow, with masked parade, public entertainment and dance. Tomorrow night Miss Anita Nodale, queen, will receive the rose bush.

BIG LONDON DEAL PENDS

Duke of Bedford's Estate, Worth \$15,000,000, May Be Sold Again.

LONDON, June 21.—(Special.)—Sir Joseph Beecham and others whose names are not mentioned are conducting negotiations with a view of buying from Harry Mullaby-Bevelly, M. P., the Covent Garden estate of the Duke of Bedford, which he bought last December for about \$15,000,000.

LICENSE TO WED DENIED

Girl Must Show She Is Hawaiian Before She Can Be Married to Sailor.

STOCKTON, Cal., June 21.—(Special.)—Before Miss Bullina Wandolike, 19 years old, and Frank Henry Johnson, a sailor, will be permitted to marry in this country, it will be necessary for the young woman to adduce proof that she is of Hawaiian birth, according to a ruling by the district attorney.

WEATHER FAIR IN WEST

Prediction Made for Rising Temperature by Tuesday.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—Unsettled, showery weather will prevail Monday over the northern districts of the Rocky Mountains, the Weather Bureau predicted tonight, with generally fair weather following.

49 DECISIONS EXPECTED

Supreme Court Scheduled to Make Way Clear for Vacation.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—When the Supreme Court meets tomorrow it is expected to decide all of the 49 cases now before it, then take a recess until next October.

Cases for decision include the International rate proposition, the constitutionality of the oil pipe line law, several important oil land cases and appeals involving state laws.

SECEDING MINERS LAUNCH NEW UNION

I. W. W. Faction Prevails at Butte.

FEDERATION CHIEF IS IGNORED

Action Taken at Great Mass Meeting of 5000 Men.

COMPROMISE IS REFUSED

Parent Organization, Which Holds Contracts With Mining Companies, May Import Men to Fill Jobs in Mines.

BUTTE, Mont., June 21.—Seceders from the Western Federation of Miners today launched an independent miners' union, rejecting peace overtures of President Meyer and associates and electing as temporary president M. McDonald.

There is little hope of compromising the two factions and with the issues sharply drawn an open breach is expected within a few days. Federation officials threaten to import miners to fulfill the contracts with the operating mining companies.

Speeches Made by Megaphones.

The mass meeting today was attended by 5000 miners. All voting was done by acclamation, the officers addressing the assembly through megaphones.

National Organization Opposed, Too.

Unofficially it was declared that the seceders' reasons for not accepting advances from the federation officials was determined opposition to the National Federation. President Meyer had no representatives present to offer compromise and his apparent advances in asking for the resignation of all local miners' union officials did not win even consideration from the insurgents.

The future policy of the Federation will be announced at two meetings on Tuesday. Persons interested in a compromise had hoped that the insurgents would not take any definite action un-

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"HEALTH SUNDAY" IS KEPT

Prominent Medical Men Speak in Philadelphia Churches.

PHILADELPHIA, June 21.—"Health Sunday" was observed in more than 50 churches in this city today when prominent medical men from all sections of the country addressed the congregations on the fundamental principles of public health.

Dr. W. C. Rucker, assistant surgeon-general of the United States Public Health Service, declared the church should "take an active part in demanding governmental regulation of factories, so that the race may not become weak and deformed."

OLD MAN IS ASSAILANT

Milk Dealer, Driven Out of Business, Says He Shot Dr. de Rothschild.

PARIS, June 21.—An old man, Francois Prudhon, was the assailant of Dr. Henry de Rothschild, the writer and philanthropist, who was shot last night. Prudhon declares that Dr. de Rothschild's scheme for supplying pure milk to the poor drove him out of business.

Dr. de Rothschild's wound is slight.

ALMOST A REFUGE



'PORK BARREL' BILL NEAR \$100,000,000

Appropriation Largest in Recent Years.

WORTHLESS PROJECTS LISTED

New Jersey and South Are Favorites for Projects.

REALTY SCHEMES BRISTLE

Representative Rucker's Anti-Election "Barrel" Measure Against Nationally-Gathered Slush Funds Now in House.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—(Special.)—The river and harbor bill, carrying one of the largest appropriations in recent years, will meet determined opposition in the Senate this week.

The bill on the face of it, as endorsed by the Senate committee on commerce, carries about \$53,000,000. Actually, however, the sum authorized approaches \$100,000,000. Representative Frear, of Wisconsin, who has made a minute study of it, calculates that it represents an actual total of \$93,529,475.

Bill is "Vote Catcher."

Examination of the bill shows that the "pork barrel" has been generously distributed to nearly every section of the country. It is charged that it has been framed to catch votes and thus make it practically impossible to block its passage. The South has been awarded large sums for projects which are alleged to be, in many cases, of little or no value for navigation purposes. New Jersey is one of the favorites. It is alleged, among other things, that the bill fairly bristles with real estate projects.

While anti-administration forces are massing their strength in the Senate for an attack on the river and harbor bill, as the chief "pork-barrel" measure of the year, a bill introduced in the House by Representative Rucker, of Missouri, strikes at the use of a "barrel" in National elections.

Bill Now Unfinished Business.

The Rucker measure is before the House as unfinished business and may be passed Wednesday. The bill limiting the use of the "barrel" provides for the control of campaign contributions and expenditures.

It is a codification of the three existing Federal laws with regards to campaign expenditures. It also contains several new sections.

The most significant of these is the one which provides that no "political committee" may use in any state a

CART HORSE WINS TROPHY IN RACE

BUTCHER CARRIES OFF HONOR SOUGHT BY ARISTOCRATS.

Trotter Trained at His Work Finishes Ahead of Contenders at Club's Free-for-All.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—(Special.)—Birdseye, a horse that during the week draws a butcher cart around San Francisco, won the honors of the feature free-for-all trot of the San Francisco Driving Club's mainline today and in so doing encompassed the defeat of such aristocratic and famous performers as Expedito, Melrose, J. C. Simpson, Silver Hunter and Nutwood Lou.

Frank Ruhstajler, of Sacramento, and H. S. Cowell, of Santa Cruz, weakly light harness enthusiasts, shipped their favorites, Expedito and Melrose, here expressly to carry away the silver trophy.

A Combatalde bought Birdseye recently for \$100. The new owner trained Birdseye in his butcher cart, in which the horse has been in the trotting all season.

The noteworthy victory was won under club rules. Birdseye finished second in the first, third in the second and first in the third and final heat. Melrose and Expedito, the figured contenders, each landed a winning heat, but finished back in the other frames behind Birdseye.

THRIFT CONGRESS URGED

Senate Asked to Make Appropriation to Encourage Meeting.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—(Special.)—The American Society for Thrift has requested a hearing before the Senate committee on appropriations for the purpose of explaining the need of an appropriation of \$50,000 for the holding of an international congress for thrift at San Francisco during the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

S. W. Straus, of Chicago, president of the society, will present the argument in behalf of the proposition. Great Britain already has expressed its determination to be represented at the meeting.

ROCKS ARE SOLD AS LAVA

Red Bluff Boys Get Mount Lassen Samples From Right of Way.

RED BLUFF, Cal., June 21.—Young boys of Red Bluff have commercialized the keen interest in the volcanic disturbances at Mount Lassen on the part of travelers passing through here by train. Today they sold small rocks from the southern Pacific roadbed marked "lava" as samples from the crater for 10 cents each.

A woman bought one boy's whole stock and asked for more. The lad scampered down the track, filled his pockets, told the woman they had just been obtained and received \$1.50.

CROWDS THREATEN WOMEN

Suffragette Baiting Popular in London and Police Keep Busy.

LONDON, June 21.—Suffragette baiting has become the regular Sunday amusement of London crowds. The police were kept busy today in Hyde Park protecting the women and escorting them to places of safety.

Various suffragette meetings were broken up and the speakers hunted down simultaneously at threats of ducking in the Serpentine. Several women spectators were subjected to rough treatment. The police were obliged to use their clubs to disperse the rioters.

LETTERS TO BE PRINTED

Japan and United States to Give Out Correspondence Over Land.

TOKIO, June 21.—Japan and the United States have arranged to publish simultaneously at Tokio and Washington some time this week the text of the correspondence bearing on the California anti-alien land act, according to announcement here today.

Foreign Minister Kato probably will speak on this subject at the special session of the diet, which will open tomorrow. The diet will also take under discussion naval construction credits.

FLAME VEIL IN FASHION

Orange Darts, Red and Yellow Dots Give Fiery Appearance.

ATLANTIC CITY, June 21.—(Special.)—There is no doubt now that the flame veil is one of the latest fashion novelties. Hundreds were worn in the boardwalk fashion parade today.

The new veil is fashioned with a black border around the bottom, with orange-colored darts shooting upward about half its width in semblance of flames. Above the darts and about on a level with the eyes are hundreds of little red and yellow dots, like sparks.

STORMS DAMAGE HARVEST

Relief From High Temperatures Is Given in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, June 21.—Thunderstorms at many places in the Southwest late today brought relief from the heat, and in some sections of Kansas temporarily checked the wheat harvest.

Prior to the coming of the cooling breezes and rains high temperatures continued. In some places the storms did much damage.

MAN FEEDING LIONS IS TORN TO PIECES

Animal Resents Command to Lie Down.

FIVE FIGHT TO REND BODY

Victim Virtually Eaten Alive by Maddened Charges.

KEEPER UNABLE TO HELP

Treachorous Spring From Behind Starts Saturnalia of Killing.

CHICAGO, June 21.—(Special.)—Emerson D. Dietrich, 24 years old, a graduate of Cornell University, was torn to shreds today by five lions, whom he had intended to feed them. They virtually ate him alive.

There were ten lions in the freight car on a sidetrack at Sixteenth street and Indian avenue, in the heart of the city. In the excitement, thousands of persons returning from a day's outing were thrown into panic by information that some of the lions had escaped and were being pursued by rifle squads from the nearby police stations and the Union Stockyards.

Crowds Driven to Safety.

Notwithstanding the danger, immense crowds surrounded the scene of the tragedy until driven to safety by the police, who had been hastily summoned from every direction.

While Dietrich was making his brief and losing fight for life in the teeth and claws of the ferocious beasts, five lion cubs each about the size of a young wolf hound, leaped from the car and tried to slip away. George McCord, keeper of the animals, realizing the peril to the crowds on every side, devoted all his energies to returning them to the car. This he accomplished.

Lion Leaps From Behind.

The ten lions are the property of Max Adler Castillo, who is to open an engagement in a Chicago theater in July. Dietrich, who was connected with the show, went into the car in which the animals had been brought to Chicago to feed them. Keeper McCord, who saw the tragedy, said:

"Dietrich went into the den where the six big lions are kept and I followed him. Today, the leader in the attack on Dietrich, started to play with him and he ordered the beast to lie down. Four of the lions were facing him at the time, including Teddy. Almost immediately Teddy slunk around behind Dietrich and in a second was on his back, tearing and clawing him frightfully. The others—Brutus, Nellie, Jeff and Mutt—then joined in, and what followed was awful—a war!"

McCord screamed, with ears streaming down his face, as he came to this part of his story.

"My God, I'm gone," screamed Dietrich, "get the fork; they are killing me."

Those were his last words. His dying moans were lost in the snarl and roar of the lions as they tore his quivering body to rags, pulling it from one to the other.

McCord, sick at heart, kept his head as he saw the five lion cubs, excited by what had happened, slip out of the door and drop in the railway tracks. He knew Dietrich was beyond assistance and his first thought was to prevent another tragedy. He slammed and bolted the door of the den and called help to imprison the cubs.

The car was in a labyrinth of tracks, but the escaping cubs were caught slinking back to nearby cars, lassoed and returned to their car.

It required an hour's time and constant battling with the lions to recover the remnants of Dietrich's body. Great quantities of formaldehyde were shot into the cage and the lions were forced into a corner. Dietrich's head, one arm and a leg had been eaten. A leather belt was the only article of clothing left. Even the shoes had been torn off.

WIFE POSTMASTER'S RIVAL

Silver Creek Office Run by Family 50 Years; Couple Take Tests.

CHEHALIS, Wash., June 21.—(Special.)—George H. Tucker, postmaster at Silver Creek, and his wife were among the 14 applicants examined at the civil service examination here yesterday for fourth-class postmasters. This post-office has been conducted by some member of the Tucker family for more than 50 years.

Mrs. Julia E. Brown, wife of the incumbent in the office at Litch, also took the examination. For some of the offices there was only one applicant.

DARING RESCUE IS MADE

Wound-Be Suicide Handcuffed in Water, Towed Struggling to Shore.

SEATTLE, June 21.—Patrolman Guller diverged from a trawler 15 feet high into Elliott Bay late last night and in a death struggle with a man believed to be insane, he handcuffed the man, Alexander McLennan, and swam 50 feet with him to shore. McLennan had attempted to commit suicide.