### BRYAN REMAINS; NO FRICTION IN CABINET

Secretary Denies Subject of Resignation Has Been Discussed or Broached.

"NO WAR" VIEWS BLAMED

Rumor of Retirement Said to Have Been Due to Speech Declaring Conflict Impossible While

He Was in Office.

WASHINGTON, April 25 .- Secretary Bryan today denied rumors that he intended to resign from the Cabinet. These rumors, persistent and widespread, were attributed largely to sentiments uttered by the Secretary in the ments uttered by the Secretary in the early days of his incumbency. He has spoken often of the subject of universal peace and has expressed the altruistic sentiments, and among other things, has declared in a speech delivered in the West, that there would be no war while he was Secretary of State.

Mr. Bryan said today:
"The subject of my resignation has
never been discussed with anybody nor
thought of by me."

The Secretary's purpose, it is explained, was to emphasize his general conviction that the growing feeling of disapproval of warfare could be relied upon to prevent the country from drifting into war under any set of conditions that could be conceived of by those to whom he addressed him-

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It is further declared on the authority of members of the Cabinet that nothing has occurred in any Cabinet meeting to develop any dissatisfaction whatever on the part of any individual. It is true they say, that various Cabinet members have viewed certain subjects from different angles, but that invariably has applied to the preliminary phases of subjects.

President Wilson has encouraged expressions of individual opinion. This, a naval programme carefully arranged

pressions of individual opinion. This, a naval programme carefully arranged by Secretary Daniels has been criticized by a fellow Cabinet officer, or some projected disposition of the American military forces has resulted in suggestion to Secretary Garrison of alteration based on consideration that perhaps had never occurred to him.

In every case, however, according to this authoritative view, when the discussion of the subject was concluded and the views of the Cabinet had crystallized, the ensuing line of action has received the support of every member of the Cabinet.

Final Action Unanimous.

is that the press owes it as a patriotic fore the Society of Naval Engineers at duty not to spread such reports." the Army and Navy Club.

The Sheriff at Duquesne called for help and at 3 o'clock two automobiles loaded with armed American civilians and a Lieutenant of the United States Army started from Nogales over the 20-mile mountain road to the border.

west of here have been terrorized by REFUGEE RATES ASKED FOR

fic department of that road tonight by Secretary of State Bryan.

connecting lines to join the Missouri Pacific in granting reduced rates for President Bush telegraphed also that similar concessions would be granted by the Western Pacific and the Denver & Rio Grande, of which he is president,

REBELS CAPTURE CEMETERY porting United States troops.

General Caballero Announces He Went to Aid of Americans.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., April 25.—The following report from General Caballero, rebel commander near Tampico, Constitutionalist headquarters Matamoros, under date of April 24, was given out there today: Having come to my notice that the

Federals in Tampico were offering fur-ther insults to Americans, I immediately reopened my attack at 4 o'clock this morning and already have captured the cemetery, where a strong Federal force Expect triumph by night."

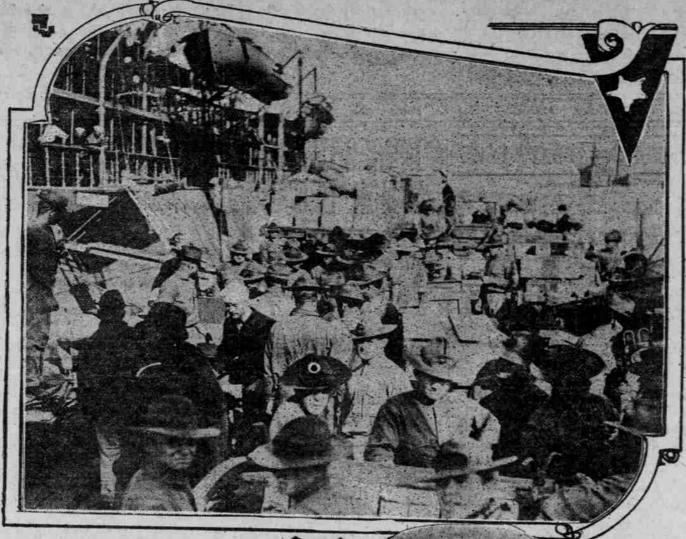
### CONGRESS NOW WARLIKE

(Continued From First Page.) ceedingly clear. They said that war should be declared; that the United States should send the Army into Mexice and "go through with what it had started," that in this way only can peace be established on a sound and permanent basis. They represented the sentiment of the House on their side and they prepared to tell the President that since the House took this position they believed it to be the position of the country.

Although the news of proffered mediation put a new aspect on the situation, 't was the general understanding that the House leaders expect to make their representations to the President as soon as the Army

has been concentrated at Vera Cruz. In the Senate there was no such concerted action as was evident in the House, but there were reports of dissatisfaction from individual Senators and evidence that the bond of silence which many Senators have observed for months will be broken on Monday and that war talk will be heard again.

LOADING TRANSPORT BOUND FOR SCENE OF HOSTILITIES IN MEXICO



# TRIBUTE PAID DEAD

Daniels Say 17 Marines Are First on Honor Roll.

ing and Patriotism So Splendid Would Not Need to Rally Soon to Nation's Call.

WASHINGTON, April 25 .- The fight-Secretary Daniels, discussing newspaper reports of Cabinet friction, said:
"There is not now and has not been
the least scintilla of friction in the
Cabinet. At a time like this, my
private judgment as a newspaper man
is that the press owes it as a patricial
is that the press owes it as a patricial. the Army and Navy Club.

MINERS DEFEND THEMSELVES
Automobiles Loaded With Armed
Civilians Start to Rescue.

After repeating his tribute to the officers and men of the Navy delivered
at the Navy League banquet in New
York last week, Secretary Daniels continued:

"I did not say it then, but I felt the

NOGALES, Ariz. April 25.—A long-distance telephone message from Duquesne said the Americans in that mining camp and at Patagonia had armed themselves and were prepared to fire on the Mexicans. Only eight armed Mexicans started from Patagonia, but they were said to have gathered recruits and were headed for the border at Lochiel.

"I did not say it then, but I felt the hope in my heart that fate would not decree that these men should soon be called upon to rally, with their splendid powers and training and patriotism, to the call of their country in crisis, but it has been even so. The studied insuit of Victoriano Huerts, who calls himself the provisional President of Mexico, in refusing to salute the smerican flag, has made necessary the smerican flag, has made necessary the sacrifice of human life and this is the sacrince of human life and this is the honor roll of the first dead in the fighting at Vera Cruz."

Mr. Daniels then read the names of the 17 bluejackets and marines killed

The orders of the Americans are to shoot if the Mexicans show fight. Americans in the copper mining region RAILROAD CORPS FORMED

California Men Familiar With Mexican Lines Volunteer.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25 .- (Spe-Secretary Bryan Urges Concessions

From Gulf Ports.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—A request for half-fare rates on the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain system for the Mexican refugees now being brought to Gulf of the proposed company have been enports was made on the passenger traffic department of that road tonight by railroad routes and surrounding cou

Secretary of State Bryan.

President Bush telegraphed back that, while the Missouri Pacific-Iron Stipulation that all members of the gulf, he would ask the head of the gulf, he would ask the head of the gulf will be taken from all branches of company must be railroad men. They will be taken from all branches of company must be railroad men.

business are included.

The idea of the members of the railroad company of volunteers is to be in
the field when the country needs experienced men to handle trains transrienced men to handle trains transtilned States troops.

Will become
General Villa reiterated today his
statements with reference to the American occupation of Vera Cruz.

"I hope they hold it for a while untill I can get down and take Mexico

PORTLAND MAN IN FIGHT AT



Corporal Thomas L. McCullough. Corporal Thomas L. McCull-ough, a musician in the marines on the cruiser Prairie, which on the cruiser Prairie, which took a prominent part in the shelling of Vera Cruz, is a Portland man and the son of F. D. McCullough, 571 East Twenty-sixth street. He served for a time in the Oregon National Guard before enlisting in the marines. Mr. McCullough is 25 years old. He has served in the marines nearly four years. He marines nearly four years. He enlisted as a private.



ARMY STEAMER HANCOCK PREPARING TO SAIL FROM KEW ORLEANS.
BELOW-NEW PHOTOGRAPH OF GENERAL LEONARD, WHO WILL
COMMAND ACTIVITIES ON BORDER.

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Rebel Hopes Americans Will Hold Vera Cruz for While.

CARRANZA JUNTA EXPLAINS

Seizure Still Resented as Affront to Mexicans - Refugees Flocking Into El Paso Present Problem.

EL PASO, Tex., April 25 .- A hundred more refugees came out of Mexico tothe work. Engineers, firemen, brake-men, conductors, despatchers, telegraph operators and others familiar with the

"ity," he declared.
While the military leader of the revolution was giving expression to such utterances to visitors from time to time, the Carranza junta here was busy explaining that Carranza, while not hostile, was correct in resenting the seizure as an affront to the Mex-

ican nation.

General Villa, when told tonight of the acceptance by the United States of the proposition made by Argentina, Brazil and Chile to arbitrate the differences between the United States and Mexico, said he hoped Huerta also would accept this, clearing up the international feature of the embrogilo, leaving the people of Mexico to settle their own troubles.

"The revolution may then be prose-cuted without fear o international entanglements," he said.

NEW REGIMENT IS POPULAR Governor Issues Statement Regarding Oregon Troops.

SALEM, Or., April 25 .- (Special.)-Governor West today announced that applications for membership in the applications for memoership in the cavalry regiment which Lieutenant P. J. Hennessey, U. S. A., and himself were organizing were being received in large numbers. He has mailed blank applications to the Mayors of all cities, and it is probable that enough responses will be received part week to begin will be received next week to begin getting the troops into shape. The Governor gave out the following state-

ment in regard to state troops today: "While the organization of the proposed cavalry regiment is progressing nicely, nothing is being done which will interfere with the recruiting to full strength of the other arms of the

gon National Guard, as now organized, will be the first to go. This is as it should be, as those who have been as

faithful in their work as the officeral

"When the call is made for troops earnestly hope all of the officers and men may be able to qualify and the guard go to the front as now organized, except that it is my earnest desire to see the Coast Artillery Corps sent as another regiment of infantry, and I am putting forth my best efforts to bring

"Captain Welch's battery, owing to its splendid efficiency, is bound to make a name for itself should it get to the

COMPANY I GROWING FAST Colonel Says It Would Require but

Few Hours for Full Strength. That Company 1. Third Oregon Infantry, is fast recruiting to war strength was the word brought to Portland yesterday by Colonel John M. Poorman, from Woodburn.

"The company is so nearly fully re-cruited now," said Colonel Poorman, "that a call for service would mean that it would be filled within a few

with the Second Oregon in the Philip-pines, retired as Colonel of the Third last Spring, being succeeded by Colonel \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

NORTH PORTLAND BABIES TO ENTER EUGENICS CONTEST.



-Peterson Photo. Glenn Alven Henry Nolta. During the first two days of During the first two days of the Rose Festival a baby contest will be held in the Recreation building. Peninsula Park. The contest is for North Portland babies only, but this is the first of a series of eugenics tests that will be held in various parts of the city prior to the State Fair. Opportunity will be given for parents in all districts to have parents in all districts to have their babies scored before that event. Entries are registered with Dr. Mary V. Madigan, and parents will receive a card which will entitle their babies to ad-

Fact That United States Has Accept-

ed Offices of Latin American Neighbors, However, Regarded as Good Omen.

WASHINGTON, April 25 .- Those officials in Washington who have studied Huerta's personality as it has been revealed to them and his stubborn indifference to any plan which would eliminate him from the head of the Mexico City government, were skep-tical of the success of the peace plan tonight. Also those officials who know of Carranza's unwillingness in any way to compromise with Huerta

THIRD REGIMENT PUSHES RE-CRUTTING

cruiting the Third Oregon Infantry to a full war basis it was decided last night by Colonel C. H. Martin to keep open the Armory recruiting office today. A recruiting detail and surgeons to examine all recruits will be on duty continuously from 10 A.

M. until 5 P. M. Full information will be provided to all applicants.

pointed to the undertaking as extreme ly difficult, should it extend beyond an adjustment of the Tampico incident and the present critical relations be-tween the United States and the Huerta authorities.

On the other hand, the belief we expressed in diplomatic circles that Huerta might be willing to yield on being convinced by the principal nations of South America of the true situation—the possibility of a foreign war and international complications generally, not only with the United States, but with South American countries who might support the Wash-

gton Government.
While Administration officials discussed the peace offer freely and many did not believe it would produce results, the fact that the United States Government had favorably received the good offices of three Latin nations was regarded as of great importance in the future to the relations of the Pan-American republics to each other. Some officials expressed the view also that even if armed intervention on an extensive scale became necessary the United States would have completed its record for a settlement of the Mexican difficulty through peaceful means

BORDER EXTRA SUPPRESSED Laredo Mayor and District Judge

Suppress Huerta Paper. LAREDO. Tex., April 25.—El Guada lo take away all foreigners at Mazat-Del Bravo, a Mexican paper published lan.

He reports a demonstration in front ernment, was suspended today by order of the American Consulate at that place For months Prisciliano Aldama, pub-

lisher, has been printing veiled at-tacks on the American Government, which have been disregarded, but towhich have been disregarded, but to- Bear, San Francisco for San Pedro, 32 day he published a bitter attack on miles south of Point Sur.

the American Government as responsible for Mexico's troubles.

A committee informed the authorities that if the latter did not put a stop to the continued attacks, the citizens of Laredo would. MUCH DOUBT FELT

3000 REFUGEES ARE ON WAY

Those Who Know Huerta Think Impression Mexicans Are Restrained Peace Plan Will Fail. at Vera Cruz Corrected.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Secretary Daniels tonight estimated that be-tween 3000 and 3500 refugees either are on their way from Mexico or under protection awaiting departure for the United States. This statement was is-sued by the Navy Department: "In view of the erroneous impression reported to exist in Mexico City that non-combaiants are not allowed to CARRANZA ALSO FACTOR

non-combatants are not allowed to leave Vera Cruz, Secretary Daniels has cabled Admiral Badger to make every possible effort to spread broadcast information that such is not the case, but, on the contrary, every possible thing will be done to assist them in leaving Vera Cruz for Mexico City or elsewhere if they so desire."

COLQUITT'S OFFER DECLINED

Government Has No Funds Out of Which to Pay Guardsmen.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Governor Colquitt, of Texas, telegraphed Representative Garner that if the War Department would stand the expense of defense of the Mexican border by the Texas National Guard he would be glad to put the entire Guard on duty there. Acting upon the Governor's recommendations, Mr. Garner conferred with Secretary Garrison and telegraphed this reply to Governor Colquitt: "Secretary Garrison says he has no

money out of which he can pay the Texas Guards. He contends that suf-ficient troops have been ordered to the border, including Brownsville, to give every necessary protection. I shall in-sist that Congress pay the expense of the Guards you already have ordered

to the border." Urged by more conservative speakers, the mob about the American consulate at Cananea finally dispersed. Consul Montague then put all his papers in an automobile and started tonight overland for the border which he expected to reach about midnight.

FEELING IN CHILE BITTER

Crisis Arouses People Against United States.

VALPARAISO, Chile, April 24.—Public feeling here is bitter against the United States as a result of the Mexican crisis. In an editorial today the Union asks if there is any international morality and continues:

"The war in Mexico is the result of a want of common sense and of the revolutions in Mexico. The proceed-ings of the United States are not justi-The Mercurio says it is astonished at the excessive importance attached

the Monroe doctrine in Europe. It adds that the Latin-American republics are in the same condition of perfect equali-ty as other nations and are not subject to and never will accept foreign inter-GERMAN CONSUL GIVES HELP

Friendly Offices Extended to Foreigners at Mazatlan.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Admiral Howard reports from the West Coast of Mexico that the German Consul at Mazatlan is extending his friendly fices to get the steamer City of Syd

District Judge Mullaly and Mayor last night and that the Governor has made all possible reparation and that he guard of federal soldiers is now protes, has been printing velled attecting the Consulate.

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