

CARRANZA'S FLIGHT TOLD BY AMERICAN

Four Fugitive Trains Held by Rebel Forces.

STUDENT BEGINS FIRING

President Seems to Throw Off Age and Jumps Into Fry With Greatest Spirit.

(Copyright by the New York World. Published by Arranzano.) HAVANA, Cuba, May 22.—(Special Cable.)—A graphic story of the flight of Carranza and his followers from Mexico and of how the president fearlessly fought his way through the government troops in their last stand prior to fleeing into the mountains is told here by Mr. Durrell of the National City bank of New York, an eye-witness.

Mr. Durrell, who is the bank's representative in Mexico City, was on the 23d and last of the fugitive trains to get out the capital after Carranza advised his followers it would be fatal to attempt to hold the city against the revolutionists. After a tempestuous day during which his life and those of three Americans and one Englishman with him were constantly in danger, he arrived here yesterday.

In this party were W. A. Body, British vice-consul at Vera Cruz, and J. C. Pickering, J. A. McKee and M. M. Black, Americans. This is the story told by Mr. Durrell:

Mexico City in Panic. "With the approach of the rebel armies, Mexico City was in a panic. It was with difficulty that the government troops were able to round up Carranza's followers and get them to the trains, of which there were 27. Four of these, on which were 2000 Carranza soldiers and nearly all the federal artillery and airplanes, were caught by the rebels and did not get out of the city.

"Our train, the 22d, was the last to get away and at that the rebels were on our heels. We had been on the train all night and it was not until nearly noon of May 22 that we got away.

"We had no more than passed through the suburbs when the rebel forces came upon us and we were forced to stop. We were unable to proceed. Just when things were at their worst we saw a student of the military school, who was in our car, which was occupied mostly by women, children and civilians, on the train. He shot one in the neck. As the man fell from his horse, he and his comrades returned the fire seven bullets splintering the woodwork and smashing the windows.

"During the excitement the fireman, who was being held at bay beside the engine, jumped into the cab and before the rebels could prevent, the train was able to start. A shower of bullets accompanied us and one hit the military student who was leaning out of the car window still firing.

Rebels Cut Across Country. "The rebels did not give up the fight, however. At this point the tracks curve around a mountain and by cutting across the mountain the rebels were able to fire upon us again. This time all the passengers crouched upon the floor of the cars and there were no fatalities.

OLCOTT MAY RESIGN SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Appointment of Kozer to Position Predicted.

COCHRAN MAY BE DEPUTY

WRITER VISITS PORTLAND

TOUR OF COAST BEING MADE BY EDWARD HUNGERFORD.

PROMINENT MAGAZINE WRITER AS HE APPEARED YESTERDAY JUST BEFORE TOURING PORTLAND BY AIRPLANE.



At left—Edward Hungerford, who is writing a series of industrial articles of the Pacific coast. Right—Pilot Harding, who drove the plane in which Hungerford was a passenger.

Edward Hungerford, widely known writer and railroad authority, arrived in Portland yesterday and spent the day as the guest of A. D. Chatterton, general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific railroad.

SWEENEY GIVES UP RACE

McARTHUR CONGRATULATED ON VICTORY AT POLLS.

Rumor of Intention to Run as Independent Candidate Is Denied in Statement.

Thomas A. Sweeney, who was a candidate for the republican nomination against C. N. McArthur in conceding his defeat at the polls Friday has telegraphed Representative McArthur stating that he will vote for support him at the November election. At the same time, Mr. Sweeney issued a statement in which he spoked the rumor that he was to run as an independent candidate.

THEFT OF HIDES CHARGED

Chauffeur and Foreman of Company Are Arrested.

Charles Cullinan, a chauffeur, was arrested last night by Detectives Hyde and Abbott and charged with the larceny of \$2000 worth of hides from the Martin company. His bail was fixed at \$2500.

CHILDREN GET DIPLOMAS

Prizes in Thrift Stamps Given to Essay Contest Winners.

Children of the county schools—175 students—received their eighth-grade diplomas yesterday morning at library hall at the fourth annual county graduation exercises. All but five of the graduates were present.

NEW PARACHUTE TESTED

JUMPER DROPPED INTO SPACE FROM AIRPLANE WING.

Leap Wins First Leg in Contest for American Trophy of Aerial League.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 22.—(Special.)—To be dropped from an airplane wing while the ship was going at 110 miles an hour, 2000 feet above the crowds at Atlantic City, was the stunt performed here this afternoon by Sergeant-Major Brokaw, track ballroom jumper from McCook field, Dayton. The leap won him the first leg in the Aerial League of America trophy.

WINE SUPPER LASTS DAYS

SUCCESSFUL OIL PROMOTER FEASTS CHORUS GIRLS.

Wife Starts Suit for Separate Maintenance and Has Remnant of Fortune Tied Up.

CHICAGO.—H. W. Shephard, dealer in oil land leases, awoke this morning in Louisiana to find that he was really wealthy—a "flyer had panned." Since the death of Governor Withycombe in March, 1919, Mr. Olcott has held the offices of both governor and secretary of state. For the latter office, however, he has claimed no compensation.

STREET CAR IS HELD UP

Robber Secures \$7 and Motor-man's Watch.

One unmasked robber held up a one-man Thirteenth-street car at Sixteenth and Montgomery streets last night and robbed J. M. Foster, the motorman, of his watch and about \$7 from his money-changer. The robbery was made before police arrived.

Railways Sustain Loss.

TIENTSIN, China.—As the cars had to convey more troops than passengers and goods, the railways in north China, suffered a great loss in 1918. However, the Peking-Mukden and Tientsin-Pukow railways have obtained more returns than before. On account of floods and for fear of warfare, the commodities in transit on the Tientsin-Pukow railway decreased by 50 per cent. In general, 65 per cent of the total amount of goods are hauled over the railways, 25 per cent are carried on the waterway, while 2 per cent are transported on land.

Athletes Race in Mud Sea.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 22.—The athletes of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology splashed through rain and tracks running with water to win the annual championship of the New England Intercollegiate Athletic association today. With 33 points they had a margin of only 3 points over Brown university.

RUGS from the Far East



FROM THE LAND of the Arabian nights; land of mystery and tragic loves, of poetry and passion, come these rare and beautiful weavings, as lustrous as brocades, as soft as the fingers and as durable as the patience that created them.

The Oriental Rug is as representative of the genius of a people as the Gothic cathedral or a Flemish canvas. Into its warp and weft are woven the religion and aspirations of a people, the legends and customs of a locality and the fancies and romances of the weaver.

All lovers of beautiful furnishings are welcome to inspect at their leisure the wonderful creations in our collection.

U. S. ACCEPTS CHARGE

ARMENIAN BOUNDARIES WILL BE FIXED BY NATION.

All War Material Destroyed by Germany Held to Be Property of Allies.

PARIS, May 22.—Ambassador Wallace informed the council of ambassadors today that President Wilson had announced that the United States would accept the role of arbitrator in fixing the boundaries of Armenia. The council of ambassadors today discussed the contention of the Germans that war material destroyed by them remained their property. It was decided that armaments, whether destroyed or delivered to the allies, according to the terms of the treaty, must be considered allied property.

FIREMEN ASK FOR RAISE

New Railway Rate Would Give \$208 Monthly Minimum.

Marine Bill Conference Starts.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Asserting that wage demands of railroad firemen were "unjust and exorbitant," E. T. Whiter, representative of the Association of Railway Executives, told the railway labor board today that the increase would add from \$7 to \$217 a month to firemen's pay.

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Railways and Producers Confer on Methods of Preventing Further Restriction.

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CAR FARE MAY BE DIME

Butte City Council Favors High-Ride Rate.

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AUSTRALIA WANTS OIL

Commonwealth to Back Refining Company in Work.

MELBOURNE, Australia, May 22.—The Senate today passed the bill authorizing the Anglo-Persian Oil company to form a refining enterprise in conjunction with the government of the commonwealth. Oil fuel, under the bill, will be supplied by the company at Australian ports.

STATE MEASURES.

Table with columns for bill number, title, and status. Includes: Successor to Governor, Higher Educational Tax Act, Soldiers' Aid Revenue Bill, Elementary School Fund Tax, Blind School Tax, Street Railway Bridge Tolls Relief.

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