

EVEN THE BRIGHTEST PEOPLE DON'T ALWAYS SET THE WORLD ON FIRE

Coos Bay Times

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

YOU CAN FIND
any thing you want in The Times
want columns. If it isn't there ad-
vertise for it. The cost is small and
the results will surprise you.

DON'T GET EXCITED
If you've lost something—a three or
four line want adv. in The Times
will bring it back. The Times want
ads get results.

VOL XXXVII. Established 1878 MARSHFIELD, OREGON, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1913—EVENING EDITION—SIX PAGES. A Consolidation of Times, Coast Mail and Coos Bay Advertiser. No. 99.

CRISIS FAST APPROACHING IN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

Huerta Reported to Have Fled
from Capital—Friends Can
Not Locate Him.

MEXICAN CONGRESS
ORDERED CONVENED

General Exodus of Americans
Expected from Mexico City
—100 Leave Today.

REPORT STATES HUERTA
HAS FLED FROM CAPITAL
(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 13.—Re-
ports that Huerta had fled from
the capital were revived this af-
ternoon, owing to the inability
of those interested in his actions
to find any definite trace of him.
The banks here announced
that silver would be supplied the
business men on Friday, only.
Depositors must apply in writing
to the banks two days in ad-
vance, stating the amount of
money required.

MORE THAN 100 AMERICANS
FLEE FROM MEXICO CITY

VERA CRUZ, Nov. 13.—More than
100 American refugees from Mexico
City, arrived here today, embarking
for Havana. Asked if a general ex-
odus of Americans from the Mexi-
can capital might be taking place,
John Lind said such might be the
case. He would not discuss the sit-
uation.

GERMAN LEGATION WARNS
RESIDENTS IN MEXICO

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—The German
legation in Mexico City again ur-
gently advised Germans residing in
Torreón and Durango to leave, on ac-
count of expected hostilities there.
Diplomatic representatives have
made financial arrangements to aid
them to depart. All previous warn-
ings proved fruitless and only four
left Torreón.

CONGRESS ORDERED CONVENED
DESPITE WILSON'S PROTEST

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 13.—Official
notification was published here to-
day under yesterday's date, order-
ing those Mexican Senators and Deputies
who were elected October 26 to as-
semble during the afternoon of No-
vember 15, in their respective houses
to effect their organization. The
American Embassy is in a state of
suspense, not knowing what to ex-
pect next. An early caller on Charge
d'Affaires O'Shaughnessy was the Ger-
man Minister, Admiral Paul von
Hintze, who arrived before O'Shaugh-
nessy had breakfasted. It developed
today that answering the demand for
the dissolution of Congress, presented
by Envoy John Lind, Huerta had ad-
vanced the plea that he could not dis-
solve it, because it had been legally
elected. Lind's reply was that what
Huerta had been able to do with a
former Congress he must do with this
one of his own creating.

NO INDICATIONS THAT HUERTA
WILL ACCEDE TO DEMANDS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 13.—The
morning has passed with no indica-
tion from Huerta that he intends to
accede to the American demand that
he prevent the newly-elected Congress
from convening. When John Lind
sent notification to Huerta yesterday
that the United States would have no
further parley with the Mexican gov-
ernment unless the Provisional Presi-
dent replied to the American de-
mands by six o'clock last evening, he
also indicated that the Mexican gov-
ernment must inform members of the
diplomatic corps of its action in re-
spect to Congress by midnight. Lind
is now in Vera Cruz. Charge d'Aff-
aires Nelson O'Shaughnessy awaits in-
structions from Washington.
It is generally believed that Wash-
ington will instruct O'Shaughnessy to
close the Embassy, or turn it over to
the legation of some friendly power.
Representations were made late yester-
day to both Lind and O'Shaugh-

THROWS OPEN 200,000 ACRES

Large Tract of Land in Mon-
tana Now Open for
Settlement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 13.—
More than 200,000 acres of public
land that had been withdrawn from
entry was restored during October,
according to an announcement of the
secretary of the Public Land Board.
The President has approved the res-
toration, which throws the land open
to settlement. The largest portion was
in Montana, where a vast tract has
been held up by the government pend-
ing an investigation as to coal de-
posits.

WILSON MAKES APPOINTMENTS

Three Men Named for Govern-
ment Jobs—Oregon Man
Goes to Siam.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 13.—
President Wilson sent the following
nominations to the Senate today:
Minister to Siam, Alexander Sweet,
Portland, Oregon; Secretary of the
Embassy at Rome, Peter A. Jay, of
Rhode Island; Associate Justice of
the Philippine Supreme Court, Man-
uel Araullo, of the Philippine Islands.

NEW YORK FIRM IS BANKRUPT

Firm Represented Many Mexi-
can Institutions and Finan-
cially Interested There.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The sus-
pension of the banking and broker-
age firm of H. B. Collins & Company,
one of the largest in New York, was
announced on the stock exchange
this afternoon. The firm was orga-
nized more than twenty years ago.
They had large interests in Mexico,
and represented several of the large
Mexican financial institutions.
Harry B. Collins, senior member of
the firm, was for many years a close
social and business friend of the late
J. P. Morgan. An involuntary peti-
tion in bankruptcy was filed against
the firm shortly after the suspension
was announced, by three creditors
with claims aggregating the nominal
sum of \$661. The petition sets forth
that the firm's liabilities are \$5,000,
000 and assets \$50,000.

nessy that in reality Huerta had not
been apprised of the demands from
Washington. It was declared that
Adolfo de la Loma, Minister of Fi-
nance, had searched for Huerta, but
had not found him at a late hour
either at the National Palace, his
home or at any of the places he is ac-
customed to go.

Friends and political associates of
Huerta appeared earnest in their as-
sertions that they could not find him.
It is assumed here that the only
course to be pursued by the United
States will be to recall O'Shaughnessy
today unless Huerta appears and
frankly yields to all the demands of
Washington. It is believed that should
this occur, it would be followed by
some act which would be tantamount
to a recognition of the belligerency
of the rebels.

Have your job printing done at
The Times office.

167 LIVES LOST IN GREAT STORM

Ten Vessels Completely Lost
and 21 Others Partial Loss
—\$3,000,000 Loss.

DETROIT, Nov. 13.—A total of at
least ten vessels and 167 lives were
lost in the great blizzard that envel-
oped the Great Lakes from Sunday
until Tuesday, according to a compila-
tion of the reports. In addition, twen-
ty-one other vessels were partly or
wholly destroyed, their crews escap-
ing. The loss to owners of vessels is
probably \$3,000,000. Three large
vessels still unaccounted for are Hy-
drus, Aegus and Isaac M. Scott.

WRECK KILLS 8; INJURES 100

Passenger Train Takes Plunge
Through Trestle—Clayton's
Brother Injured.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 13.—
Eight were killed outright and 100
hurt when a Georgia Central passen-
ger train fell through a trestle near
Clayton. Among the most seriously
injured was Jeff Clayton, a brother
of Congressman H. D. Clayton. The
train was carrying 300 persons to a
street fair at Eufala. Relief trains
are hurrying to the scene.
The train was behind time and run-
ning rapidly. The engine and two
coaches passed over the trestle safe-
ly, but the remaining three cars went
through the framework. Information
received here at 1 o'clock, five hours
after the wreck occurred, was that
four bodies had been recovered.

NEW BEDFORD LOTS TROUBLE

MRS. STUTSMAN OBJECTS TO
PROPOSED CEDING OF LOTS
WHICH THEY OPTIONED IN
SETTLEMENT OF DAVIS SUIT.

Mrs. A. H. Stutsman has served
notice on representatives of the
Southern Oregon company that they
cannot cede a part of New Bedford
Addition outright to the Davis heirs
to settle a suit involving Perham
Park and the New Bedford Addi-
tion. She claims that they have a
prior right through an agreement for
the sale of the property and that
they have optioned considerable of
it to Marshfield people.

This is the latest development in
the suit of the heirs of A. J. Davis
to secure a half interest in the 115
acres in Perham Park and New Bed-
ford Addition. Recently a verbal
offer is said to have been made by
the Southern Oregon Company to
cede the Davis heirs 111 lots on the
north side of New Bedford addition
in settlement of their claim. This
group of lots is claimed to be worth
upwards of \$30,000, which is a little
less than one-half of the \$75,000 or
more which the Davis heirs claim is
coming to them. It is figured that
after allowing their share for the
payment of taxes, etc., which the
Southern Oregon Company and its
predecessors have paid, the heirs
have at least \$75,000.

The proposition is said to have
been put up to the agent of the Davis
heirs at Missoula, Mont. If he con-
siders it at all, he will probably come
here soon. If he does not, the case
may continue to drag through the
courts for many years, keeping the
tracts tied up.

FEDERATION OF LABOR IN SESSION ONE HOUR

SEATTLE, Nov. 13.—The Ameri-
can Federation of Labor was in ses-
sion less than an hour today, none
of the committees being ready to re-

APPLE CASE TO GRAND JURY

C. J. Van Zile Charges North
Bend Men with Robbing
O. C. Sether Orchard.

Who got the apples?
That may be a question that the
Coos County grand jury will attempt
to find the answer for next month.
C. J. Van Zile of North Bend re-
cently bought the apples on the
O. C. Sether ranch on Kentuck In-
let. He was to pick them and ex-
pected to have several hundred
boxes of fruit.

While Van Zile was getting ready
to harvest his crop, a party of North
Bend folks visited the orchard. He
says that they took between fifty and
one hundred boxes of the choicest
apples. He has found out who
some of the leaders of the party
were and is trying to find out the
others. He consulted County At-
torney L. A. Liljeqvist about it the
other day and it is understood that
the matter may be brought before
the grand jury.

LEATON IS NOT OUT OF DANGER

Abscess Discharging Outward-
ly, But Another Operation
May Be Necessary.

W. J. Leaton, the accused City Re-
corder of Eastside, who is confined
in the county jail at Coquille, is con-
siderably improved, but is not out
of danger from the abscess in his side,
according to Dr. A. L. Houseworth,
who has just returned from Coquille,
where he examined Leaton. He was
called there by Mr. Leaton and his
father.

Dr. Houseworth stated that the ab-
scess had broken and was discharging
outwardly, which was a very good de-
velopment in the case. Dr. Richmond,
the county physician, who was caring
for Leaton stated that about a pint
of pus had been discharged when
it broke and that it was still dis-
charging. The abscess formed in the
incision made when Leaton was op-
erated on for appendicitis.

Dr. Houseworth said that there was
a probability that another operation
might be necessary. He said that
Leaton was looking bad. If Leaton's
temperature rises again, he will be
taken from the county jail to the
hospital.

CHAS. O. KING TO WED SOON

Auto Line Owner and Mrs.
Matson of North Bend to
Wed at Vancouver, B. C.

Announcement is made that Chas.
O. King of the Gorst & King auto
line, will leave Saturday on the
Breakwater for Vancouver, B. C.,
where he and Mrs. Matson of North
Bend will be married next week.
Mrs. Matson has lived on the Bay for
some time and is a sister of Mrs.
George Murphy of North Bend.

Their marriage follows a little
romance starting with the autos.
Mrs. Matson formerly attended busi-
ness college and rode back and forth
on the Gorst & King cars. Whether
by accident or Cupid's doings,
she generally got the car that Mr.
King was driving and it wasn't long
before she always got it and the re-
sult will be the nuptials in Vancou-
ver, B. C., next week.

Their wooing has not been without
trials and tribulations but these have
been swept away on both sides and
their friends will wish them all the
joys that time can bring.

port and the convention adjourned
until tomorrow. Secretary of Labor
Wilson left for Portland on his way
to San Francisco.

MEXICAN REBELS CLAIM THEY CAN OVERTHROW HUERTA NOW

FRANK MORRIS IS BADLY HURT

Well Known Logger on South
Fork of Coquille Severe-
ly Injured.

(Special to The Times.)
MYRTLE POINT, Or., Nov. 13.—
Frank Morris, of Morris Bros., log-
gers on South Fork, met with a sad
accident while acting in his capacity
of superintendent. The line struck
him, breaking his leg in two places
below the knee. Dr. Stemmler was
called. It is thought best to bring
Mr. Morris to Myrtle Point on a
stretcher.

Ed Fensler, who came in answer to
a telegram that his sister was about
to pass away and reached here in time
for her to recognize and speak to him,
returned to his place of business in
Spokane, Wash. He is a nephew of
Charles Fensler of Marshfield.

Frank Strong and wife went to
Bend Saturday to visit for a few
days with their children, Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Strong.

W. S. Cooley, late of Cooley & Far-
leigh, who sold to Albert Barklow and
sons and has since built one of the
best houses in Myrtle Point, has gone
to his old home to close up some busi-
ness and return here for his perman-
ent home. He comes from Beulah,
Malheur County, Oregon.

COOS BAY MAN'S NARROW ESCAPE

Former Lineman With Oregon
Power Meets Accident in
Hood River.

The following press dispatch in a
Portland paper gives news that will
be of much interest on Coos Bay,
as the victim of the accident, Charles
Sonnicksen, was for some time a resi-
dent of this city, where he was em-
ployed as a lineman for the Oregon
Power Co., and was well known.
While here he made his home at the
J. C. Swinford residence. The ar-
ticle is as follows:

HOOD RIVER, Or., Nov. 11.—
But for the fact that the linemen
of the Hood River Gas & Elec-
tric Company, before they are allow-
ed to go to work, are instructed in
first aid to the injured who have
been hurt by electric shock, Charles
Sonnicksen, a young man who was
fearfully burned when he came in
contact with a high voltage wire,
while working on the company's
lines in the valley, would now proba-
bly be dead.

Sonnicksen had his left foot on a
guy wire, when his left elbow
struck the high power wire, carry-
ing 6600 volts. He was thrown to
the earth, 35 feet below, and a
large hole burned in his foot, while
his left arm was seared to the bone.

His fellow workmen rushed to his
aid immediately and began to apply
the remedies they knew. They
worked for 25 minutes before the
lifeless form showed the least signs
of resuscitation. The injured man
is now at a local hospital. He
will probably lose both his left foot
and left arm.

CAN FILL SOUTH OF HALL AVENUE

Computations made yesterday
show that the dredge Seattle
will be able to fill the district
south of Hall avenue as was
proposed but additional pipe
line may be required so that
property owners may have to
pay extra for it. This will be
in addition to the Mill Slough
fill.

The Times want ads get what
they go after.

Declare Only Requirement Is
Ability to Import Arms from
United States.

OPPOSED TO MEDIATION
BY ANY FOREIGN POWER

General Carranza Holds Con-
ference with Special Agent
of President Wilson.

NOGALES, Mex., Nov. 13.—All
that the Constitutionalists desire of
the United States is permission to
import arms freely. General Carranza,
Constitutionalist chief, said today
he would not accept mediation in any
form by the United States or any
other foreign power. There was no
question today but that the confer-
ence yesterday had been satisfactory
to both sides.

Carranza showed no sign of an-
xiety over further developments, but
his lieutenants could not conceal
their agitation over the possible
overtures entered into with the Ameri-
can government yesterday. Carranza
declined to discuss the subject matter
of his conference with William Bay-
ard Hale, President Wilson's agent,
when questioned as to the suggestion
that the Constitutionalists might get
into communication with Mexico City
through Hale here and Lind at Vera
Cruz, and thus possibly select a pro-
visional president acceptable to all
factions. The rebel leader declared
flatly he would have no intercourse
with President Huerta. Carranza
was an ardent supporter of Madero
and as governor of Coahuila was one
of the first to repudiate Huerta.

DEVELOPMENTS DELAY ISSUING
PRESIDENT'S NEW STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 13.—
President Wilson prepared a formal
statement on the Mexican situation
with a purpose of issuing it today,
but just before noon Secretary Tum-
ulty announced it would be withheld
"for the present." No reason was
given for the change in the Presi-
dent's plan.

Just before the statement was to
be issued Secretary of State Bryan
received long dispatches from Wil-
liam Bayard Hale, who has been con-
fering with the Constitutionalists at
Nogales, and from Charge d'Affaires
O'Shaughnessy at Mexico City.

The statement was said at the
White House to be information in
character and was understood it
might outline the future policy of
the government.

Fifteen American refugees, in-
cluding American Consular Agent
Paynes and daughter, two other wo-
men and four children, have been
taken aboard the battleship Louisiana
at Tuxpan, according to a dispatch
to the Navy Department. The gun-
boat Wheeling is en route from Vera
Cruz to Tampico to join the battle-
ships Nebraska and Michigan.

WILSON NOW DECLINES TO
DISCUSS THE SITUATION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 13.—
The President told newspaper men he
did not contemplate issuing a state-
ment on the Mexican situation.

"New developments in the case,"
he said, "which I cannot now discuss,
make it look to me very much more
favorable." Asked what he meant
by the word "favorable," he replied
he used it in relating to the demand
for the elimination of Huerta.

WIRELESS MESSAGE PREDICTS
REBEL VICTORY AT TUXPAM

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Nov. 13.—
Capture of the Mexican city of Tux-
pam by rebels under General Can-
dido Aguilar, was predicted in a ra-
diogram from the battleship Louisi-
ana, picked up by the wireless sta-
tion here today. The message said
the Federal troops were about to
abandon the city.

What has become of the old-
fashioned girl who used to have
her waistband filled with pins.

The Times want ads are the keys
to the door of opportunity.