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MEXICAN REBELS REFUSE TO MAKE PEACE WITH HUERTA

Head of Carranza Agents in Washington Says They Will Never Mediate With Him

DEAL WITH HIM ONLY AT POINT OF SWORD

United States Will Not Permit Cargo of Ammunition to Proceed to Mexico

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—Rafael Zubaran, head of the Carranza agents here, commented today upon Mexico City dispatches representing Huerta as desiring that the Constitutionalists enter the mediation proceedings so Mexico's affairs might be settled by Mexicans.

AMMUNITION IS HELD

United States Will Not Permit Shipments to Rebels.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Five hundred tons of ammunition ordered by the Constitutionalists, which arrived here from Bridgeport, Conn., will not be allowed to leave this port.

REBELS WIN BATTLES

Claim to Have Defeated Federals in Three Engagements

DURANGO, Mex., June 1.—Three pressing engagements with the Federals between Zapatecos and San Luis Petros were won by the Constitutionalists May 30 and 31 according to reports received by General Carranza.

AMMUNITION NOT LANDED

Japanese Steamer Refused to Carry Arms, is Report.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—A report from the cruiser Albany says that the Japanese steamer Selyo Maru arrived a Salina Cruz Sunday and left for Peru without landing arms or ammunition.

FOOD SUPPLY FALLING OFF

United States Now Importing More Than Ever—Decline in Exports

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—With the home demand for domestic food stuffs almost equaling the production, the United States is not only reducing exports, but is increasing its imports of certain foodstuffs.

KING GEORGE CABLES

Expresses Appreciation of President Wilson's Sympathy

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—President Wilson received from King George the following reply to his message of yesterday concerning the wreck of the Empress of Ireland.

VOTE IN FLORIDA

Statewide Primary Being Held in Southern State Today

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 2.—In the statewide primary today ballots were cast for the nomination of a Democratic candidate for Senator.

Times Want Ads get what they are after.

NINE OF CREW TO BE BURIED

First Public Funeral of Victims of Collision of Steamers Is Arranged

QUEBEC, June 2.—The first public funeral of the victims of the collision between the Empress of Ireland and the collier Storstad is to be held Wednesday when the bodies of nine of the crew will be buried.

RESTRICTIONS ON INJUNCTIONS

Clayton Trust Bill Has Clause Bearing on the Settlement of Labor Disputes

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—Close restrictions on the use of the injunction in labor disputes are a feature of a section of the Clayton trust bill reached today in the House.

SMALL-POX IS KILLING MANY

Grim Reaper Appears Within Ranks of Constitutionalists in Western Mexico

MAZATLAN (By Wireless) June 2.—The grim reaper of warfare, sickness, has appeared within the ranks of the Constitutionalists in western Mexico.

SUPREME COURT HAS THAW CASE

Record of Extradition Proceedings Before New Hampshire Court Passed Today

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—The record of extradition proceedings for Harry K. Thaw before the Federal District Court in New Hampshire today reached the United States Supreme Court.

RESIGNATION TENDERED

Premier Doumergue and Members of French Cabinet Quit.

PARIS, June 2.—Premier Doumergue and members of the cabinet handed in their collective resignation today to President Poincare.

CUMMINS HAS A BIG LEAD

Iowa Senator Given 50,000 Majority—Other Primary Election Results

DES MOINES, Ia., June 2.—Overnight returns from yesterday's statewide primary have not materially changed the situation.

CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES ON

Governor Lister to Address Seventh Annual Meeting at Centralia Tonight.

CENTRALIA, Wash., June 2.—The seventh annual meeting of the State Conference of Charities and Corrections opened today with a big attendance.

YACHTS CROSS STARTING LINE

Resolute and Vanitie in First Preliminary Race—Rig of Defiance Altered

ASSOCIATED PRESS BOAT, June 2. (By Wireless)—On a 15-mile triangular course, the cup yachts Vanitie and Resolute crossed the starting line this afternoon in the first preliminary race on Long Island Sound.

The Resolute, owned by the Flag Officers' Syndicate of the New York Yacht Club, slipped over the line 34 seconds ahead of the Vanitie, built for A. S. Cochran.

The Defiance, the third of the claimants for the cup-defending honors, was unable to start because her rig is being changed.

MYRTLE POINT ROBBERY CASE

The trials of Grove H. Miller for the Myrtle Point bank robbery and Bravine and Dempsey for the Henryville riot may be postponed again.

The cases were set for June 15, but District Attorney Liljeqvist will have to go to Salem to attend to Supreme Court matters.

It is said that the officers have secured a new clue in the Miller case that may result in a sensational finish.

ENGINEERS TO PLACE DYNAMITE UNDER OFFICE OF SEC. HOUSTON TO GET RAISE

NO DAMAGE HAS BEEN REPORTED

Further Activity of Old Volcano Would Endanger Millions of Feet of Lumber

REDDING, Cal., June 2.—Thus far no damage has been reported as a result of the eruption of Mount Lassen in Shasta County.

Further activity of the old volcano, forest rangers said, would endanger millions of feet of lumber in the forest to the east and northwest of the peak.

On the North there is no danger as the slope is covered with barren lava beds.

FIVE ROB BANK AND GET AWAY

Invade Village of Mahomet, Illinois in Electric Auto—\$2500 Taken

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., June 2.—Five robbers invaded the village of Mahomet in an electric auto and while several of the band stood on guard in front of Busey's bank, others blew open the safe early today and escaped with \$2500.

THREAD TRUST KNOCKED OUT

Big Combine Dissolved by Order of Court—Score of Companies Involved.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—Dissolution of the so-called thread trust, organized under the name of the American Thread Company, was ordered by the Federal Court at Trenton, N. J.

The decree states that nearly a score of corporations and individuals entered into a combination to restrain the interstate and foreign commerce of the United States in thread, and are enjoined from carrying out any agreement under such a combination.

ROAD TAX LAW NOW ATTACKED

Special District Levies in Coos County Hanging in Balance—Question Raised

The constitutionality of practically all the special road tax levies in Coos County will be passed upon by the Oregon Supreme Court at Salem June 16.

Last year, the 1909 road tax law was knocked out and a number of special road tax levies in Coos County held illegal.

PERHAM IS HURT
E. G. Perham has been laid up at his home in West Marshfield the last few days from injuries to his back sustained while at work on his contract in North Bend.

WATCHMAN TRIED TO MAKE HIMSELF HERO BY ALLEGED DISCOVERY IN WASHINGTON

POLICE THINK THAT HE IS MENTALLY WEAK

Report That He Has Confessed to It as Scheme to Get Promotion

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—Four sticks of dynamite with fuses partly burned were found late today in the Department of Agriculture under the office of Secretary Houston.

LEPER FOUND IN FINE HOTEL

John R. Early, Who Escaped From Quarantine Station Calls for Interviewer

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—John R. Early, who for the last five years has made many enforced journeys about the country in box cars and had been under quarantine in many cities while medical experts disagreed on whether he is a leper, turned up in Washington again today and before his identity was discovered, took quarters at a fashionable uptown hotel.

The printer, who had been in the capital, Early was not discovered until he telephoned to a newspaper asking for a reporter to interview him.

EPIDEMIC OF ILLS ON BAY

Measles, Whooping Cough, Mumps and Pneumonia General Affliction

An epidemic of illis, principally measles, whooping cough, mumps and pneumonia, is apparently getting quite a start here.

Several are sick. Rev. and Mrs. G. LeRoy Hall are having quite a siege at their home, one of the children having measles, another mumps and a third whooping cough.

Other Afflicted. Guy C. Barnum, who recently returned to the Bay, underwent an operation at his apartments in the Rogers building yesterday and is reported to be doing nicely.

Hurt by Axe. Ray Martin, an auto driver, is laid up with a bad wound near the knee joint, sustained while cutting kindling yesterday.

TUG IN WITH DREDGE OREGON

Printer Brings Government Dredge Here From Yaquina After Good Trip

The dredge Oregon, which has been operating at Yaquina Bay the past year, was towed in here today by the tug Printer and will resume operations in Coos Bay.

The Printer had an easy trip down with the Oregon, encountering good weather all the way.

It is also probable that Major Morrow may order her to work on the Pony Inlet and North Inlet shoals, which have been causing the most bother lately and which the bar dredge was supposed to work on when it was too rough on the bar.

It is expected that the Oregon will work here for about four or five months before being taken to the Columbia River or some other northern port.

Old Crew With Her. Capt. Robert Shook, chief engineer, E. R. Throby and a number of the old employees who were on the Oregon when she left here a year ago last August, are still on her at Yaquina, the Oregon made her best record.

WIFE DEAD, HUSBAND ILL
Clarence Pulley in Quarantine in North Bend When He Heard of Wife's Illness

SHERWOOD, Or., June 2.—Mrs. Ivy Pulley, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. F. M. Fitch, died at the home of her parents. She had been ill for some time.

When hope for her recovery was given up word was telegraphed to her husband at North Bend, and it was learned that he was confined to the house with measles.

The quarantine was raised and he left North Bend for Portland before learning his wife had passed away.