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VENEZUELA MUST SETTLE AT ONCE WITH ASPHALT COMPANY OR CONGRESS WILL ACT

PORT OF LA GUAYRA MAY BE BLOCKADED BY NAVY

Report of Special Commissioner Calhoun on Castro Submitted to Secretary Root Who Transmits Findings to Capital. Americans Never Had an Honest Hearing.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, March 31.—Secretary of State Root today transmitted to congress all the correspondence of an official nature bearing on the American claim against the Venezuelan government in the famous asphalt claims. Drastic action, and possibly the dispatching of a punitive expedition against President Castro and his government is expected to follow.

able improvements made on them by the company and using the company's machinery, installed a force and is now working them for the government's own benefit, that is, Castro's benefit.

Meaning of Root's Message

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Washington, March 31.—The meaning of Secretary Root's correspondence transmitted to congress today, bearing on the Venezuelan situation, is that the United States will take action against Castro by blockading La Guayra, the entry port to Caracas. The commerce of Venezuela will be levied upon until the amount due the asphalt corporation for damages is collected.

HILL NEXT TO GERMANY

Tower Resigns Post at Kaiser's Court and President Sends Name of Doctor to Senate for Its Official Approval.

Diplomat Forced to Leave Foreign Post Because of Letter Purporting to Express Emperor's Dislike for Successor.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 31.—The nomination of Dr. David Jayne Hill to be United States ambassador to Germany was sent to the senate by President Roosevelt this afternoon.

WITNESS PHILIP BACK FROM EXILE RELATES STORY OF HIS ESCAPE



Recent Pictures of Steve Adams, on Left, and Jack Simpkins, on Right.

Three times threatened with death if he did not leave the country, hounded by members of the same gang that blew Governor Steunenberg of Idaho and Sheriff Harvey Brown of Baker City into eternity and forced to flee from the state to save his own life and those of his wife and children, Archie Philip, one of the principal witnesses against Steve Adams, charged with the murder of Fred Tyler, has returned to Portland from British Columbia, where he has been a fugitive for over a year.

FULTON IN REPLY SAYS "MALICIOUS"

Powell Affidavit to Refute J. S. Smith's Charges Read Before Medford Gathering. Heney Grilled by the Senator.

"No Man Could Wear Heney's Clothes Without Looking Crooked," States Speaker. "Uses Machinery of Government to Find Flaws."

Medford, Or., March 31.—Accusing Francis J. Heney of falsehood and of lying vilification, charging him with being the mouthpiece of the Eckles conspiracy organized by his enemies to accomplish his defeat by a campaign based on falsehood and misrepresentation, Senator Fulton, before an audience that completely filled the Medford opera house, last night replied to the many accusations made by the famous land fraud prosecutor accusing him of corruption and bribery.

CHURCH GIVES TRADING STAMPS

Presbyterians at Golden, Col., Have Scheme to Attract Children.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Denver, Colo., March 31.—The Presbyterian church at Golden, Colorado, is giving trading stamps. Every boy who gets a stamp for one attendance at the church is given a book and when enough have accumulated, the scholar can exchange them for a prize of some sort.

SACRIFICES LIFE TO SAVE CHILD

Father Stands Under Water Holding Babe Up to Be Rescued.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Omaha, Neb., March 31.—Standing in water over his head in a cistern into which he had fallen with his 2-year-old son in his arms, Morris Christiansen held the child at arm's length above the water until it was rescued.

NARROW GAUGE ROAD INTO SEVEN DEVILS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Boise, Ida., March 31.—The Copper Butte Mining company, which has large interests in the Seven Devils mining district, has announced that it intends to build a narrow gauge railroad into that district, to connect with the Pacific & Idaho Northern near Council. It stated that work on the line will commence soon and the road will be rapidly pushed to completion.

GOULD PARLEYS WITH MEN

Boilermakers, Machinists and Blacksmiths for Railroad Will Strike Unless Magnate Agrees to Sign Closed Shop Agreement Today.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Denver, March 31.—Upon the result of a conference being held in New York today between union officials and George Gould depends the question whether every boilermaker, machinist and blacksmith employed by the Gould roads will go out on a general strike or remain at work.

ALLEGED DEMAND MADE BY JACKSON

Grand Jury Said to Have Filed Presentment Against Attorney General.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, March 31.—The grand jury filed a presentment in Judge Foster's court today, which is alleged to reflect upon the official conduct of Attorney General Jackson.

MISSOURI'S GUNNERS DID NOT KNOW HOW TO USE NEW POWDER

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 31.—Lack of familiarity with the new powder in use in the navy is held responsible, in a great measure for the explosion of a six-inch gun, on the Missouri, while that fighting vessel was in target practice at Magdalena bay.

MADAME GOULD LEAVES HOME

Former Countess Quarrels With Sister Over Prince De Sagan.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, March 31.—Following a quarrel with members of her family over Prince De Sagan, whom she will soon marry, according to gossip, Madame Anna Gould has made arrangements to leave the home of her sister, Helen Gould, and take apartments at the St. Regis hotel.

What is said to have been the final conference of the Gould family to discuss the relations of Anna Gould and the cousin of her former husband, Count De Castellane, was held last night, and ended in a disagreement, with George and Edwin and Helen all arrayed against Anna. The conference is said to have ended when they told the former countess that they would never sanction her marriage to the prince.

Madame Anna Gould is on the verge of a nervous breakdown. The former countess had evidently anticipated the action her brothers, George and Edwin, and sister, Helen Gould, would take in the matter, for before she entered into the conference with them she made arrangements to engage a suite of rooms at the St. Regis. She had been residing with her sister since she returned from France, but as soon as the other members of her family issued their ultimatum in the De Sagan affair she immediately went to the hotel.

Physicians under whose care she has placed herself are today denying all her friends admittance to the apartments.

ASKS FOR FUND TO FIGHT ANARCHY

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, March 31.—The bomb outrage in Union Square Saturday, and the prevalence of "black hand" crimes, led Police Commissioner Bingham today to appeal to the board of aldermen for an appropriation of \$100,000 with which to employ a secret service force.

PRESIDENT TO FRAME MESSAGE

Far-Reaching Legislation Recommended That Reds May Be Dealt With.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, March 31.—Police and government war on anarchy will receive a great impetus if the present program of President Roosevelt goes through, and there is little room for doubt that it will. The president will send a message to congress urging far reaching legislation.

ROY REMAINS IN FRANCE

Foreign Office at Paris Refuses to Allow American Authorities to Bring Husband of Glacia Calla Here for Trial on Murder Charge.

Paris, March 31.—The foreign office today virtually turned down the request of the Washington officials for the return to America of Paul Roy, charged by his wife, Glacia Calla, with the murder of her brother.

JAPAN WARNS CHINA BOYCOTT ON GOODS MUST BE SUPPRESSED

(United Press Leased Wire.) Tokio, March 31.—The foreign office today notified the Chinese government that the "bloody boycott" of Japanese goods now being carried on in many Chinese ports—a boycott attended by bloodshed where there are violations—must be stopped at once.

PRIVATE CAR FOR ADMIRAL

Evans Will Be Taken to San Luis Obispo Hot Springs for Treatment.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Diego, Cal., March 31.—The information recently given out exclusively in dispatches of the United Press association to the effect that Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, commander of the American battleship fleet, is seriously ill, appears to be fully borne out by the fact that the private car belonging to the Southern Pacific arrived here today, presumably to take the admiral to the springs.