

# AMERICAN WOMEN SHOWED METTLE IN MEXICAN TRIAL

All Through Ten Days' Battle Foreigners Were Brave and Kept Up Spirits of Refugees

(By a Staff Correspondent of the United Press.)  
(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Mexico City, Feb. 21.—The part played by Americans in general and American women in particular in the 10 days' battle recently ended here, was heroic. The most prominent women workers were: Mrs. Henry Lane Wilson, wife of the American ambassador, who tirelessly attended to the needs of the women who sought refuge at the United States embassy; Mrs. Paul Hudson of Kansas, wife of the editor of the Mexican Herald, who remained with her husband in his office in the heart of the battle zone throughout the fighting; Mrs. Burge McFall, wife of an American newspaper man, who, with her children, lived for a week in the basement of their home with machine guns planted on the front porch and sharpshooters stationed on the roof; Victoria Hastings, an English girl, who acted as a volunteer correspondent and braved frightful danger.

"Hello Girls" Brave.  
Other heroines included Mexican telephone girls, who remained at their posts until shells cut the wires and partially demolished the telephone building.  
Mrs. Wilson, although realizing the danger of a massacre of Americans, preserved the gaiety and spirits of the refugees and succeeded in making them forget their position. Mrs. Hudson refused to leave her husband's office throughout the week and entertained and fed the newspaper men and citizen refugees. Not until last Sunday would she consent to go to her home in the outskirts of the city.

McFall, busy with his duties in the battle zone, was unable to get home any time during the first seven days of fighting, but frequently telephoned to Mrs. McFall. She bravely maintained a cheerful attitude and did not let him that machine guns and sharpshooters were stationed at their house.

Speaking six languages, Miss Hastings circulated about the foreign quarter, chatting with all and getting the news. She frequently passed through the lines during the fiercest of the fighting. She is referring to her experiences now as "jolly good sport." Countless instances of female heroism could be told, chiefly by women visiting the homes of the poor to aid and cheer them.

Only the American newspaper correspondents and Mexican officials knew how the reports of imminent American intervention circulated here aroused the populace. One Mexican senator drove through the streets haranguing the people and saying that American troops had landed. An American newspaper man followed this senator and, speaking to the people, told them the senator had not spoken the truth. He finally forced the senator to quit.

# BRANCH LIBRARY IS THROWN OPEN

North Portland Residents Now Have Modern Structure in New Institution.

The people of North Portland formally received their new branch library on Killingsworth avenue at Congress street last night with ceremonies strongly reminiscent of the struggle they had to secure it.

The growth of the community, demanding first a reading room, then a larger one and finally the handsome modern building opened yesterday, was recounted to an audience of 250 by Mrs. David McGuire and S. L. Osborne. Mrs. C. F. Nichols, president of the ladies' auxiliary, predicted that the library will have great value to club women and Hopkin Jenkins, principal of Jefferson high school, said the building would have great value to the students.

North Portland branch library was built by a union of interests. The people of the district started the campaign for it. They interested the library board. The building costing \$25,000 was furnished by Andrew Carnegie. W. R. Ayer and William Killingsworth furnished the ground. Mr. Ayer's contribution for this purpose being \$7500. Street improvement costs were raised in the neighborhood. G. C. Carl and H. A. Noble made a house to house canvass and then, when apparently defeated, gave their personal notes as security for the \$1500 remaining. Nearly all who had helped in the campaign for the

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# GAVE CHEER TO U. S. REFUGEES



United States Ambassador to Mexico Henry Lane Wilson and his wife.

building were present to share in the pleasure because of its completion last night.

Miss Mary Frances Isom, librarian of Portland, named the lower reading room of the new library the "Cathedral room," because of the form given it by the architect, Joseph Jacobberger. The auditorium is on the second floor. The building is fitted with a view to serving the pleasure and study needs of every class. It is a mental workshop, in fact.

The ground belonging to Jefferson

high school is just back of the library. Immediately to the west is a block which the people were urged in an address by Marshall N. Dana last night, to acquire, that a community center in North Portland might be established and disruption of the present architectural harmony prevented. W. L. Brewster, member of the library board, presided. After the program there was music in the main reading room.

Valuable Coupons Free.  
See Greenfields Shoes advertisement on page five in today's Journal.

# BELL PHONE ALMOST LOSING MONEY, SAYS

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Feb. 21.—President Scott of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company stated today that the net profit of the company over all expenses for last year was only \$12,000 and that in view of the threatened cut in telephone rates in San Francisco, the company would be unable to meet the wage increase demanded. He stated that the corporation is on the best of terms with the electrical workers and that he still hopes the controversy will be settled without a strike.

# LENTS WILL SOON HAVE REAL BOARD OF TRADE

Lents will soon have an organized board of trade if it is within the power of Claude Lent, editor of the Lents Optimist, to bring it about.  
Mr. Lent is now working among the many business men, in an effort to arouse sufficient enthusiasm to warrant a meeting, and he predicts that within a short time Lents will have organized a board of trade, to work in harmony with the affiliated east side clubs.

Since poultry raising was given such impetus among the Lents school children, the Lents branch library has received an overwhelming demand for books of that nature. The librarian states that books pertaining to "government" and poultry raising are always in great demand in that suburb, while at all of the lectures on "Economics" given thus far they have been forced to turn people away on account of crowded quarters.

## Proven Profitable.

That the Journal's poultry columns give results is manifested in the volume of "want ads" carried in this classification. If you have eggs or stock for sale, the quickest and cheapest way to find buyers is to insert a "want ad" in the Journal's Saturday and Sunday poultry columns. Read the Saturday poultry feature.

# FORMER PORTLAND MAN FLEES MEXICAN JAIL



John Kenneth Turner.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Mexico City, Feb. 21.—John Kenneth Turner, author of "Barbarous Mexico," imprisoned for two days at the Citadelle here under orders of General Felix Diaz, yesterday persuaded his guards to liberate him. He immediately fled to the American embassy, where he begged for protection.  
"Error-stricken," Turner said he ardently desired to leave the country. He declared he had been threatened with death several times as a spy.

Turner formerly lived in Portland and

# 'MUTUALISM' WILL BE DISCUSSED IN SELLWOOD

A public meeting for the discussion of "Mutualism" will be held this evening at the Sellwood Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock. Professor Arthur Allen Woods, Councilman Will H. Daly and E. H. Rosenthal will address the citizens on "How to Get Rich by Spending." All are extended a hearty invitation to be present.

The Sellwood Y. M. C. A. reports a phenomenal growth in membership for the last few days. During the week 15 new members were added to the institution, bringing the total number to 350. Many of the car boys who live in Sellwood, because of the close proximity to the car barns, are taking advantage of the Y. M. C. A. for social purposes, and are helping to swell its membership.

W. A. Golding, Sellwood business man, is a true optimist; he believes in President-elect Wilson, he believes in Portland and is an enthusiastic booster for Sellwood. Mr. Golding believes that the coming four years, under the regime of President Wilson, will be the most prosperous in the history of the country.

was well known here as a member of the staff of The Oregon Journal. More recently he has been connected with the editorial staff of McClure's Magazine.

# MONTESSORI TEACHING METHOD CONSIDERED

The Parent-Teachers' circle of the Irvington district met Wednesday afternoon in the Irvington school. Mrs. O. H. Farrington gave a very interesting demonstration of the Montessori method of instruction to children. The matter of ventilation in the school building was also taken up. It was decided that the windows should remain open for a short time each morning, so that plenty of good fresh air may have a chance of filling the rooms.

# EXPERTS ARRIVE TO DEMONSTRATE Value of the New Remedy, Plant Juice—All Are Invited to Call and Investigate.

Make it a point to visit The Owl Drug Co. today and see the Plant Juice exhibit there, an expert demonstrator is in charge. There are few people to whom this interesting exhibit will not appeal and there are practically none who will not gain information that will be of benefit to them some time or other.

We want every person in Portland to know about Plant Juice. It has come among you to stay and in all the cities that it has been introduced it has leaped into immediate favor and the same will be true of Portland. It stands for the most modern and best there is in a health giving tonic. It is particularly adapted to the ill so common to city life which may be summed up as general debility, stomach, kidney, liver and blood troubles. Plant Juice instills new life and vigor, it vitalizes and rejuvenates the entire system and from the first dose the good effects may be noted. Plant Juice is purely vegetable, made from the fresh juices of plants gathered from all over the earth combined with the greatest skill of modern science. If you suffer from indigestion, gas, bloating, poor circulation, headaches, dizzy spells, pains in the back or joints, or have a tired and run-down feeling, with coated tongue and foul breath, try Plant Juice, the results will please and gratify you. The special Plant Juice man is at The Owl Drug Co. Seventh and Washington, call and have a talk with him today; he will tell you all about this wonderful, new remedy. Try a bottle and if it does not do all that is claimed for it your money will be returned.

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## Sale of Dresses For Children

Children's Dresses, Special \$2.29  
In Sizes From 2 to 6 Years.

—Of fine serge in navy blue or brown. Made in Buster style, with box pleats, standing collar and long sleeves. Belt at the waist. The brown dresses are finished with tan pipings and embroidered designs. The blue frocks are piped and embroidered in red.

Children's \$7.00 Dresses \$4.95  
Sizes From 6 to 14 Years.

—Made of all wool sponged and shrunk serge in navy blue, brown or black. One and two-piece sailor styles. Large collar and long sleeves trimmed with red or black sotchache braid.

85c Wash Dresses 45c  
Sizes 2 to 6 Years

—Dainty little dresses of percale in light blue checks. Round or square-neck styles, gathered skirt and finished at the waist with a belt. Trimmings of plain bandings and embroidery insertion to form a yoke. Kimono sleeves. Piped with plain color.

\$1.75 Wash Dresses \$1.25  
Sizes 2 to 6 Years

—Dresses of tan linene in long-waisted style with pleated skirt, set-in sleeves, round neck, yoke of self material with eyelets worked in red; the sleeves, yoke and waist piped in red. Finished at the waist and neck with red velvet bow.  
—Dresses at the same price, but for girls from 6 to 14 years, of striped galatea, in high or low-neck effects. Trimmings of wide bandings of a contrasting color. Pleated skirts.

\$2.00 to \$3.00 Wash Dresses \$1.49  
In Sizes From 6 to 14 Years

—Dresses of fancy muslin, striped and checked gingham. Also a few linen. Made with three-quarter or short set-in sleeves, round or Dutch necks. Trimmed with embroidered designs, embroidery and plain materials. Pleated or plain skirts.

Children's or Misses' Norfolk Middy Blouses  
Regular \$1.75, Special \$1.25

—Made of fine white galatea, with box pleats, round collar, laced in front, slip-over style, colors white with red, navy or cadet collars, also striped galatea collars; belt and cuffs to match collars.  
—Size 14 to 20.

ALSO MIDDY NORFOLK BLOUSES  
Regular \$2.00, Special at \$1.50

—A very pretty, attractive style in plain white with cadet red, navy and white collars, turnback cuffs, pockets and belt to match. Box pleats back and front, coat style finished at neck with black satin bow.  
—Sizes 10 to 20.

## We Invite All Mothers to See Our Spring Showing of Boys' Clothing

—It is with the greatest pleasure, indeed, that we are able to make this special announcement. Having placed our boys' clothing order with an exclusive tailoring establishment, we were not affected by the strike now on in the East, so we are enabled to offer our customers Custom-Made and Custom-Tailored Suits and Coats for Boys, of the highest quality.

—Most of the boys' clothing displayed about town cannot possibly be new 1913 garments, as this great strike has affected all the large wholesale houses and must necessarily be clothing left from last spring and summer.

As this is the first season we have carried boys' clothing, every suit, coat and reefer is new and are duplicates of what are now being shown by the best specialty stores on Fifth Avenue, New York.

## Dependable Stockings At Prices That Defy Comparison

Cotton, Lisle and Silk in all Weights  
\$1.25 Thread Silk Stockings, Special 89c

—Black, tan and bronze colored stockings of thread silk with cotton tops and soles.

Black Cotton Stockings for 15c  
Thread Silk Stockings \$1.00

—Fast black cotton stockings in medium weight. Made seamless, with spliced heels and toes and elastic ribbed tops.

25c "Wearwell" Hosiery at 19c  
Thread Silk Stockings for \$1.50

—Black cotton stockings in medium weight. Made seamless with linen splicing and elastic garter tops.

35c Black Silk Lisle Hose 25c  
CHILDREN'S HOSE

—Full fashioned stockings in a medium light weight. Extra heavy spliced soles, heels and toes, double tops. Full in length and very elastic.

Black Silk Lisle Hose at 35c  
25c Children's Stockings at 19c

—Fine gauze black silk lisle stockings in various weights, full fashioned, with double elastic garter tops and extra spliced toes. Also various weights in cotton, all heavily spliced throughout where exposed to the hardest wear.

75c Silk Boot Stockings 50c  
CHILDREN'S HOSE

—Thread silk boot stockings in black and tan. Full fashioned, made with double cotton tops and soles, high spliced heels.

35c "Wearwell" Stockings 25c  
—The "Wearwell" brand of fine black cotton stockings. Narrow ribbed, suitable for boys or girls. Made with fashioned feet, linen spliced throughout.

## ALL POPULAR 25c SHEET MUSIC Special 10c

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UNION SUITS FOR 75c  
—Of fine ribbed lisle in low-neck sleeveless style, with tight knee with reinforced crochet. Silk trimmed and finished throughout.

—Also vests of fine lisle or mercerized in low-neck sleeveless style with band tops, shell edge or crochet at the neck.

UNION SUITS FOR \$1.00  
—Of fine lisle or cotton. Made with reinforced crochet. In low-neck style without sleeves. Some have pretty crochet finish at the neck; others with plain or band tops.

UNION SUITS, SPECIAL FOR 35c  
—Of fine cotton with low necks and sleeveless and tight knee. Also vest of Swiss ribbed lisle in low-neck sleeveless style in pretty crochet patterns.

VESTS FOR 50c EACH  
—Of fine cotton or lisle thread. Made with plain band top or crochet at the neck. Also union suits of fine lisle low-neck, sleeveless, tight knee. Well made and finished throughout.

VESTS AT 25c EACH  
—Fine ribbed white cotton, in light, medium or heavy weights. High neck, long or short sleeves. Tights to match in knee or ankle length. Also vests of Swiss ribbed cotton, low neck, sleeveless and the "Comfy-Cut" style.

UNION SUITS FOR \$1.75  
—Swiss ribbed cotton in high-neck, long-sleeve style and ankle length. A weight that can be worn all the year around. Well made, silk trimmed and finished. Fourth Floor

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