



BARRACKS ARE DYNAMITED

Insurrectos Enter City of Juarez and Explode Destructive Blast

MINISTER LIMANTOUR IS CALLED HOME.

Columbus, Ohio, March 16.—Limantour, the finance minister of Mexico, passed through here en route to Mexico in response to secret messages of importance. He declined an interview.

DOZEN FEDERAL SOLDIERS ARE SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Only Two of the Rebels Are Wounded and Captured—Citizens Thrown Into Panic—Revolutionists May Still Be Concealed Within City Held by Mexicans.

El Paso, Tex., March 16.—No one was killed at midnight, when the federal barracks at Juarez were dynamited, apparently by insurrectos. A portion of the barracks was demolished and 12 soldiers injured. The rebels entered the city easily and all escaped after the explosion save two who were captured. It is believed the dynamiters are still in Juarez.

The rebel Junta announced today that a general uprising would take place in interior Mexico within the next week.

A battle near Douglas between Blanco's insurgents and the federals is reported in progress.

Following the explosion, Navarro posted heavy guards at the international bridge to prevent the panic-stricken inhabitants leaving the city. The populace is still nervous today.

Trains in Readiness.

San Antonio, Tex., March 16.—Though 14,000 troops have arrived here, the government still holds nearly every car used to transport them and their equipment. The ammunition was left aboard the trains.

The first "maneuvers" were held today. Several regiments were ordered to conceal themselves in the near-by country and Lieutenant Fouleis and aviator Parmelee were ordered out in an aeroplane to ascertain the number of men, guns and positions.

The troops are being recruited to the strength of 20,000.

Tourist sleepers, day coaches, 400 gondolas, stock cars and locomotives are being held here. The railroad won't say whether demurrage is being paid on them. It is intended that the aeroplanes be given the most severe tests.

Naval Vessels Mysterious.

San Diego, Calif., March 16.—Mystery as to the whereabouts of some of the navy vessels marked the progress of the war game here today. Otherwise the brigade camp routine was not relieved by war's alarm.

The gunboat Yorktown is missing. Some reports say she has gone to Magdalena bay while others have her near San Diego. The torpedo boat destroyer Truxton is still at sea. The rest of the torpedo boats and fleet is in the harbor. Submarine boats are practicing daily.

Destroying Railroads.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—Because the Mexican railways refused to comply with Madero's order to cease transporting federal troops the rebels today began a campaign of bridge destruction according to a revolutionary junta here, which predicted that rail communication into the interior of Mexico will be cut within two days. They deny that Madero is suing for peace as reported.

Rebels to Be Reinforced.

Mexico, Mex., March 16.—The significance of the departure of Generals Berthold and Leyva was apparent today when couriers returned and reported that the rebels were well on their way to Tecarte to reinforce the rebels there.

Protecting Livestock.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—Steps to protect the livestock of Mexican ranchers from the insurrectos were taken this afternoon. The war department issued a special order allowing cattle to be brought across the border under bond, duty free. The department declared the tariff laws were stretched a trifle owing to the unsettled condition in Mexico.

SENATOR TILLMAN EXPECTS TO DIE ANY MOMENT

Augusta, March 16.—That he considered the stroke of paralysis he sustained recently as the beginning of his end, was admitted today by Senator Tillman. He is certain he will never recover.

"I find my old strength gone," said he, "and I expect the end at any time."

VIOLENT SCENES MARK TRIAL OF BANDITS.

Viterbo, Italy, March 16.—Violent scenes marked the first day's progress of the Camorrista trial. The jury demanded more pay and was refused. The defendants frequently interrupted the trial and Alfano, the ringleader, spat in the faces of the spectators and denounced the court.

SIGNS THAT SPRING IS HERE ARE NUMEROUS

Again is coming the day when Irishmen deck out in green; in many windows a glad array of Easter hats may now be seen; from out the South comes wondrous words of mighty sluggers with eagle eye; we hear the twitter of dicky birds and old King Winter's dying sigh; garden "sassa" odors from market stall—this, too, 's a sign that spring is near; but the sign that is surest of them all is the welcome sign that reads, "back beer." And, faith, that same gentle spring will be given the glad hand.

ENGLAND SEES PURPOSE IN JAPAN'S RICE BUYING

It is believed in England that there is a deeper reason behind Japan's recent purchase of one hundred thousand tons of rice from China than has been given out by that government. It has been stated that the purchase was made necessary by Japan's selling her own rice abroad at a better price, the reason for the plying from China being enforced this year by the necessity of feeding the thousands of sufferers from the devastating floods of last year. This sounds fairly plausible, but there are those who say that Japan is preparing to send her entire fleet, as soon as possible, to the most unprotected spot on the Pacific coast of the United States.

SUBMARINES TO BE FITTED WITH SUBMARINE BELLS

Experiments with submarine bells at Cherbourg, and with wireless telegraphy as applied to submarine boats have given excellent results. Four submarines were sent in different directions from the coast guard cruiser Bouvines, which is fitted with a microscopic receiver, their commanding officers carry sealed instructions. When seven miles away the submarine plunged and the instructions were signalled by means of the submarine bells to the Bouvines, where they were received with perfect clearness. As a result the minister of marine has ordered all submarines to be fitted with these bells and receivers.

PENSACOLA BURNING.

With Flames Spreading, Firemen are Powerless and Residents frantic.

Pensacola, Fla., March 16.—With the firemen powerless, the populace semi-panic stricken and a wind blowing, the fire which started in a factory near the depot has spread rapidly this afternoon and within an hour ten city blocks were burning. The fire is continuing its spread.

Aided by volunteers late this afternoon it was announced the fire would be controlled before nightfall. The loss is not estimated.

We are limited only by our capacity to accomplish.

CLEAN-UP DAYS ARE NAMED BY COUNCIL

Friday, March 31 and Saturday, April 1, will be Cleanup days in Pendleton when all loyal and patriotic citizens will be called upon to assist in making all rubbish, trash and debris disappear. This action was taken by the council at their regular meeting last night upon the recommendation of Mayor Murphy and in accordance with the usual annual custom.

Resolutions were adopted asking the Civic club and the public schools to lend their assistance in making Pendleton a city beautiful, the mayor stating that such assistance in the past has proved invaluable. Every resident of the city on those days will be expected to clean up the little plot of ground which they call home and the city will see that all rubbish gathered together will be hauled away.

TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE WILL RECEIVE HALF A MILLION

Tuskegee Institute, Dr. Booker Washington's Alabama institution for the education of negro youth, will benefit to the extent of about half a million dollars through the will of the late Dr. Emmet Densmore. The bulk of the estate goes to the widow, Dr. Helen Densmore. Only the fact that Mrs. Densmore survived her husband prevented the execution of a provision of the will bequeathing the body of Dr. Densmore to a medical school for dissection. This novel clause was to be effective only if Dr. Densmore survived his wife.

AMERICANS NOT RELEASED

Discovered That Converse and Blatt Were Arrested on Disputed Territory.

REBELS BEGIN CAMPAIGN OF RAILROAD DESTRUCTION

Failure to Comply With Madero's Demand to Quit Carrying Federal Troops Causes Issuance of Destruction Orders—Trains Held in Readiness for American Soldiers.

Prisoners Not Released.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—That Converse and Blatt will remain imprisoned in Juarez indefinitely was the prediction here today, following the news that the young Americans were arrested on the strip of land the ownership of which is being disputed by Mexico and the United States. At present the question is before the international boundary commission and it is possible they will stay in jail until the commission acts.

Maneuver Field Found.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—General Bliss reported to the war department today from San Diego that he had found a favorable maneuver field at La Mesa, 18 miles from San Diego and will encamp two regiments there temporarily.

Blockade Runner Arrested.

Mexicali, Mex., March 16.—Louis James, an American, was arrested today while attempting to run the border blockade with ammunition. The rebels here are entrenching, indicating that they are preparing to fight if the federals cause the retreat of Berthold and Leyva, now en route to Tecarte.

PREPARING FOR THE COUNTY FIELD MEET

Superintendent M. S. Pate of the Athens schools and formerly a member of the local high school faculty is sending out letters to each school in the county urging a representation at the second annual meet of the Umatilla County Athletic and Oratorical association which is to be held at the city park in Athens, April 29. He states that preparations are being undertaken to make the event this year much larger than last and one in which many more schools will enter candidates for honors. As an inducement to schools having only grammar grades to send a representation, a separate prize will be offered to the winning grammar school aside from the combined high and grammar school team which captures the greatest number of points and which cup is now held by the Pendleton schools.

The local schools are already preparing to be present with a strong team in order to duplicate their victory of last year. Before the cup becomes the permanent property of any school, it must be won three consecutive times and it is to this end that the local athletes are working. But few of the members of last year's victorious squad have left school, so Pendleton's chances seem very good this early in the season.

PHYSICIAN DISCOVERS HOW TO PREVENT DREAD DISEASE

Dr. Simon Flexner, head of the already a scientific certainty, and the prevention of that dread and deadly disease, infantile paralysis, is already a scientific certainty and that it is only a matter of a short time before a certain cure will be discovered. This statement was made by Dr. Flexner in his appeal to the state legislature not to yield to the demands of the anti-vivisectionists. Such laws as are demanded by the anti-vivisectionists, he declares, would retard medical science to an extent undreamed of by laymen. Yellow fever and tuberculosis, it is asserted, have become preventable and curable only as a result of experiments made on animals.

TRAIN KILLS MAN.

Morphine Fiend Struck While in a Dazed Condition.

After being driven from The Dalles yesterday because he was addicted to the morphine habit, Will Weatherford, a stranger whose home and relatives are not known, was struck by O. W. R. & N. passenger train No. 1 which is due there at 2:30 o'clock, one mile west of Cello. Badly injured, the man was taken to the hospital where he died a short time later, death resulting from a crushed abdomen and internal injuries. The right leg was broken and the body was considerably bruised and cut.

MORE BLOOD IS SHED IN STRIKE

Armed Strikers and Mountaineers Attack Engine, Fatally Wounding Fireman.

ARMED GUARD IS MISSING AND MAY HAVE BEEN KILLED

Railroad Has Already Suffered a Loss of Million—Governor Wilson Orders Sheriff to Secure 500 Deputies to Protect Property—Traffic Is Completely Tied Up Along the Line.

Somerset, Ky., March 16.—Armed strikers and mountaineers attacked a Queen & Crescent engine in the mountains near here today and fatally wounded Fireman Powers, a white strikebreaker. The engine guard is missing and it is believed he has been killed. Powers declared the guard refused to fire on the mountaineers.

The loss to the railway from the strike to date is estimated at a million. Traffic between here and Oakdale is at a standstill. Governor Wilson has ordered the Pulaski county sheriff to deputize 500 to protect property.

CHRONIC DYSPESIA GIVEN AS CAUSE FOR PENSION

Chronic dyspepsia, incurred during the discharge of his official duties, is the ground upon which a councillor of the Paris prefecture has applied for his pension before the age at which it becomes due. Attendance at state banquets, he declares, has played such havoc with his digestive organs that his health will not permit him to remain in office any longer. His application was rejected.

HOLY ROLLERS OFF FOR LOPEZ ISLAND

Seattle, March 16.—Tom Gourley, formerly chief of detectives in Kansas City, Mo., and now leader of a so-called band of holy rollers, with his flock of 175 men, women and children, are today bound for Lopez Island. The only one left is Mrs. Gourley who is guarding the household effects and goods until the boat returns. No reason is given for suddenly leaving Seattle, where they have lived for four years. They sang hymns as they departed.

KENYON IS NEARLY ELECTED U. S. SENATOR

Des Moines, Iowa, March 16.—By gaining sixteen votes from Deemer in today's balloting for senator, W. S. Kenyon, assistant United States Attorney General came within 13 votes of election. It is believed that tomorrow he will be elected.

ROCKEFELLER CHURCH CLOSES WHEN PASTOR RESIGNS

Dr. Charles F. Aked, who will retire as pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, commonly known as "Rockefeller's church," early next month, will, it is alleged, become the minister of a Congregational church in San Francisco. The "Rockefeller church" as a result of his retirement, will be merged with the Calvary Baptist church, and the property of the former will be sold and the money used as an endowment fund for the latter.

LONDON PREPARING FOR BRILLIANT SUMMER SEASON

London is preparing for the most brilliant summer season in its history. From the beginning of May onward London will be the center of European interests. During the first fortnight in May King George will open the Festival of Empire at the Crystal Palace. On May 16 he will unveil the Queen Victoria Memorial in the Mall, and the Kaiser and Kaiserin will be present at the ceremony. The imperial conference will open on May 23. The coronation will take place June 22. The royal progress through London will be made June 25. On June 29 a third royal procession will go from Buckingham Palace to the Guildhall and back. Eight days will be devoted to the coronation festivities.

SAME OLD MEMBERS FOR BOARD OF HEALTH

Salem, Ore., March 16.—Governor West yesterday afternoon announced the reappointment of Dr. Andrew C. Smith of Portland, Dr. A. C. Kinney of Astoria, and Dr. C. J. Smith of Pendleton to the state board of health. The terms of these members expired January 15. They were appointed for four years.

STRIKE OF COAL MINERS EXPECTED

Winnipeg, Canada, March 16.—A strike of the coal miners in the Crow's Nest district throughout western Canada is expected soon. The Canadian Pacific officials have announced there is little likelihood of a settlement. The demands are for increased wages and a recognition of the union. The road's agreement with the miners expires April 1.

KING OF MONTENEGRO IS AN INTERESTING INVALID

One of the most interesting invalids of the moment in Europe is the king of Montenegro. He is the most paternal ruler in Europe and judges his little kingdom on the traditional methods of the east under the palm tree. Law never bothers him, and when he has made up his mind what an offender deserves the offender gets it then and there. Of all the monarchs he is the most unconventional. He has revived the art of farriery by working in his own blacksmith shop and made his haughty braves to understand that what is good enough for the king is good enough for them. He gives evidence of his intense patriotism by always wearing the exceedingly showy Montenegrin costume.

CORONATION SEASON CAUSES CHANGE IN FASHION COLORS

The coronation season promises to be one of brilliant colors. Cloth sellers in London and Paris are prophesying that bright reds and blues will be very popular with the women of both cities, while old gold is to be taken back into favor after years of neglect. Rose in various shades will be a reigning favorite. One vivid indication of it is to be known as Bacchus, while another distinguished for its delicacy is the exact hue of the English cabbage rose and the girls who are coming out are to make it their own for evening wear.

STEEL TRUST UNDER FIRE.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—Declaring the United States Steel corporation uses its power to stifle competition in direct defiance of the law the Alpha Portland Cement company today filed charges with the interstate commerce commission against the "trust." It charges the corporation either owns or controls through its directors, all eastern railroads including the Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio, Central and Union Pacific. It also charges that the universal Portland Cement Co, which is controlled by the steel company is given a preference by the above named lines.

LATE OF WOMAN MURDERER IN HANDS OF THE JURY

Albany, N. Y., March 16.—The jury brought in a verdict of second degree murder.

Albany, N. Y., March 16.—The case against Mrs. Meiber, charged with murdering her small son, went to the jury this afternoon.

Attorney Palmer eloquently pleaded for the woman. He laid stress on the testimony of her relatives who said she had been queer for several months. Prosecutor Sanford maintained it was premeditated murder, asserting the woman was a moral degenerate.

PORTLAND GIRL IS KILLED BY FIEND

Portland, Ore., March 16.—The fiendish murder of a five year old girl was revealed yesterday when Mrs. Bertha Nelson, proprietor of a lodging house at 107 Russell street, this city, prompted by curiosity as to what had become of a lodger who rented a room the day before, went to the apartment and discovered huddled on the bed the body of little Barbara Holtzman, whose disappearance was reported the night before. The little one had been brutally assaulted and murdered, and the bed on which the body lay was smeared with the life blood of the little victim of the fiend's lust.

The identity of the perpetrator of the crime has not been established and Mrs. Nelson could give only a meagre description of the man.

She said he appeared to be about 45 or 50 years of age. He was clean shaven save for a small moustache, shot with gray. He was well dressed but had an unhealthy look. This description practically is all the detectives have to work upon.

Police at Work.

The police are searching for the murderer, going on the theory that the man is a recent arrival from Spokane where it is reported there have been numerous attempts of a man to entice small children to shacks on Hangman's creek. No clues have been obtained, but every hotel is being searched. It is believed the man is still in the city. Rewards aggregating \$1000 have been offered.

We unconsciously take off our hats to the truth.

T. R. DENOUNCES TWO OFFICIALS

Lorimer and Haskell 'Unfit to Hold Office' Says Theodore Roosevelt.

DECLARES TWO MEN ARE DISGRACE TO THEIR STATES

Colonel Delivers Lengthy Address on Good Citizenship—Charges National Government With Breach of Faith in Not Admitting New Mexico—Favors Direct Elections.

Albuquerque, N. M., March 16.—Colonel Roosevelt paid his respects by name to Senator Lorimer of Illinois and Governor Haskell of Oklahoma last night. He denounced both as "unfit to hold public office." Their election, he said, was a disgrace to the communities which elected them. The denunciation was made in the course of Colonel Roosevelt's address to an audience which crowded the opera house and left hundreds standing outside. In opening his talk, the colonel declared that in its failure to admit New Mexico to statehood, the national government had committed a breach of faith.

Arizona, he said, might have offered ground for question; although so favored its admission, but with New Mexico, there was no question. Turning to the duties which the citizens of New Mexico must take up when the territory did become a state, Colonel Roosevelt warned his hearers that while good laws are necessary, good citizenship must back them up. He said that unfit men had been elected to office both by popular and representative vote. Such a man remained unfit for office, he said, "whether he is unfit as Mr. Lorimer is unfit, who was elected by the legislature of Illinois, or as Mr. Haskell is unfit, who was elected by popular vote."

The colonel recommended a drastic corrupt practices law for New Mexico when it becomes a state. He also declared for direct election of United States senators. In this connection, he said New York offered an object lesson. With direct election "somebody" would have been elected senator from that state, he concluded. He also declared that justice toward corporations must characterize all dealings with combinations of capital and after an explanation of his views on this subject, devoted the rest of a long address to a plea for good citizenship.

STORM CLAIMS TOLL.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 16.—Eight sailors' lives is the toll of last night's storm on Lake Erie. One tug is still missing and it is predicted that the death list will be extended. Seven perished when the fishing tug Silver Spray sank outside the Cleveland breakwater.

The tug Monarch and Gerald D. badly battered, reached port today. Two bodies were recovered and two more were seen on the ice in the lake. The tug Swan is still missing.

PAY FINES FOR KILLING ELK.

Deputy Pennell Arrests Trappers Near Kosciuska.

Kosciuska, Mar. 16.—Smith Rupe and William Montgomery, who reside near Harpster, were arrested Friday by Deputy State Game Warden R. M. Pennell for killing elk last December after the season had closed. The offense was committed in the upper middle fork territory, where the men were trapping. They were brought before Justice Smith yesterday, plead guilty and were fined \$150 each, to which was added \$50 costs.

Deputy Pennell appointed Tom Davis deputy game warden for the Clearwater section.

1910 OF O. A. C. PLANS REUNION IN 1913

Corvallis, Ore., March 15.—O. A. C. graduates of the class of 1910 are already busy with plans for a big reunion at the college in 1913 when members now scattered in Korea, India, the Philippines and various states of the union, will return to their alma mater. A bulletin which will contain a directory of the class is in preparation.

NEW YORK SENATORIAL DEADLOCK IS UNBROKEN

Albany, N. Y., March 16.—The fifteenth ballot was taken today. The senatorial deadlock is unbroken, the insurgents say they will compromise but won't consider Sheehan.

GAYNOR INDUCES STRIKERS TO GO BACK TO WORK

New York, March 16.—Accepting Gaynor's proposal to arbitrate, 1500 express drivers of the Adams Express company returned to work today.