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# AMERICANS FEAR ANTI-FOREIGN OUTBREAK IF U. S. INTERVENES

Preparations Are Being Made to Flee From Mexico City—Blanquet Will be Made President.

## WHOLESALE ARRESTS MADE

New Congress Meets Tomorrow to Canvass the Votes in the Election Last Sunday—Opponents of Huerta Concede They Have Lost—Rebel Leader May Be Recognized.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 31.—Most of the Americans and foreign residents in Mexico City had their early portable belongings packed today in readiness for a hurried departure either Sunday or Monday.

It is considered certain that Huerta will be declared the winner in the election last Sunday when the new congress meets tomorrow. It is then expected that he will pass the presidency over to Blanquet. Some of the foreign residents feared an anti-foreign outbreak at the first intimation of American intervention.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Confidential advices from Mexico City to the state department today indicated great activity on the part of the followers of Huerta.

Wholesale arrests are being made in connection with an alleged plot to assassinate the dictator. It is understood that Huerta's plan is to have all the leading opponents in the Metropolitan district locked up before congress meets tomorrow to canvass the election returns. The leading rival candidates of Huerta have conceded defeat.

President Wilson conferred this forenoon with Boase Long, the head of the bureau of Latin American affairs concerning consular reports of conditions in the interior of Mexico. Former Solicitor General Moore, who handled the Mexican question in Taft's administration, also conferred with the president but refused to reveal the nature of the conference. Moore originally favored recognizing Huerta but it is understood he now favors extending recognition to General Carranza, the rebel leader.

An emissary of Carranza is expected late today to submit the rebel plans and urge that the embargo on arms and ammunition be lifted by the United States. He will not ask recognition of the rebel cause, according to Perez Bonaro, a confidential agent of the rebels but will pledge Carranza's word that Huerta will be ousted in 60 days if the rebels are allowed to import arms across the American border.

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 31.—The German, Russian and Swedish ministers at Mexico City are expected here late today to confer with John Lind, envoy of President Wilson to Mexico, concerning the American problem if Blanquet is declared president.

## CONSERVATION CONGRESS TO MEET IN WASHINGTON

WIDESPREAD INTEREST IS BEING TAKEN—MANY DELEGATES APPOINTED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Widespread interest in the fifth national conservation congress is shown by the large number of delegates already appointed. These delegates are from every state in the Union. They represent states, counties, municipalities, educational institutions, and national and local organizations. Included in the list are many men and women of national prominence who have been identified with the cause of conservation since its inception at the famous conference of governors held at the White House in 1908.

This year's session of the conservation congress will be held November 18, 19 and 20 in this city. It will be the first general gathering of conservationists in the National Capital since the conference of governors. For this reason, the executive committee has determined to devote the greater part of the program to forest and water power conservation, the subjects with which the movement began. The sessions will be open to all who are interested.

Delegates already appointed from the state of Oregon are: Dr. Wm. J. Kerr, Corvallis; H. M. Crooks, A. H. Albany; W. B. Mackay, Portland; F. F. Henshaw, Portland; H. D. Langille, Portland; George Palmer, La Grande; F. A. Elliott, Salem; E. B. Aldrich, Pendleton; George Palmer, Putnam; Bend; Geo. T. Gerlinger, Dallas; A. C. Dixon, Eugene; Solomon Hirsch, M. J. Kihney, H. D. Langille, E. T. Allen, Mrs. A. H. Freeman, W. B. Mackay, Portland; George Stoddard, La Grande.

## WHEAT MARKET ACTIVE WITH PRICE AT 70 CENTS

There has been considerable doing in the wheat market today, considerable selling having occurred at 70 cents. The market opened yesterday evening and the activity is said to be due to the three cargoes to be made up in Portland in the near future.

Grain buyers today are reticent as to the amount of wheat purchased and say that the business done has been of a quiet nature. It is known, however, that considerable wheat has changed hands and that the farmers have appeared willing to take the advanced price.

One farmer was called out of bed after he had retired last night and asked if he wished to sell his wheat.

## O. W. R. AND N. COMPANY PLANNING TO PAVE TRACKS

EFFORTS OF CITY COUNCIL TO GET QUICK ACTION SEEM TO BEAR RESULTS.

There are indications that the efforts of the city council to get quicker action in the matter of having the O. W. R. & N. tracks across Main street improved, is bringing results. It was stated at noon today by Agent T. F. O'Brien that the company is now planning to have the crossing paved with asphalt provided the Warren construction company can be secured to do the work. Before the paving is laid down, however it will be necessary for the company to replace the ties and otherwise place the roadbed in shape. This will probably take several weeks as it will be necessary to let the rock settle before the top pavement is placed.

Superintendent Bollins of this division of the road, passed through here today enroute to Umatilla and will return to the city this evening.

## CLASH CERTAIN OVER THE CURRENCY MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—President Wilson showed signs of fight when he was furnished with a statement outlining changes proposed by the house to the senate currency committee on the Glass-Owen bill. His advisers intimated a clash was certain between the executive and some of the democrats in the national legislature if they continue their present program.

Present for Miss Wilson. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Members of the house of representatives are almost unanimous in favor of buying a silver dinner set as a wedding present from the house to Miss Jessie Wilson, daughter of the president. A few members are in favor of a pearl necklace. Speaker Clark's daughter Genevieve has been engaged to select whatever gift is decided upon.

Miller Makes Fight. CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Federal Dist. Attorney Miller of Indianapolis made a hard fight in the federal court of appeals today to support his contention that the federal tribunal was the proper place to try the unionists convicted at Indianapolis for complicity in the plot to dynamite non-union buildings.

# STREET IMPROVEMENT CAMPAIGN IS LIKELY TO BE AN ISSUE IN AT LEAST ONE WARD IN THE CITY AT THE ELECTION DECEMBER 1ST

The street improvement campaign which has been carried on by the present city administration for the past two years is certain to be an issue in at least one of the wards of the city at the election December 1.

Mr. Hutchison, proprietor of a chop mill on West Webb street, has already filed his petition for nomination as a candidate for councilman from the fourth ward to succeed N. D. Swearingin. Mr. Hutchison has taken a prominent part in fighting against street improvement and was particularly active against the West Webb street plan. The twenty-seven voters who signed his petition were, for the most part, enlisted with him in this opposition. His candidacy comes as a surprise but, according to reports, he

# MILITIA IS BEING HELD FOR ACTION IN MINE REGIONS

Owners Express Fear of an Attack on Camps Where Guards and Strikebreakers are Housed.

TRINIDAD, Oct. 31.—Mine owners in the strike bound coal fields here warned Adjutant General Chase today, who is in command of the militia in the district, that they believed hundreds of strikers are gathering for a simultaneous attack on all the mine guards at the camps from Aguilar to Berwind.

Special apprehension was expressed for the safety of 699 strikebreakers, who with their families are sheltered inside a stockade at Aguilar. General Chase expressed the opinion that the owners are unnecessarily frightened and he is taking no chances of a surprise. He has made Aguilar his temporary headquarters and is holding the militia in readiness for action at a moment's notice.

## APPROPRIATION BILL IS ENDORSED BY WOMEN HERE

THURSDAY AFTERNOON CLUB WOULD HAVE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON GET MONEY.

The women of Pendleton are taking a strong stand for higher education and against the abuse of the referendum. Not long since, the Current Literature club adopted resolution urging all good citizens to uphold the appropriations made for the University of Oregon and at their meeting Wednesday afternoon, the ladies of the Thursday Afternoon club went on record as favoring the appropriations. Tomorrow afternoon, the Civic Club, a ladies' organization with a large membership, will also discuss the referendum measure and it is expected that similar resolutions will be adopted.

The following are the resolutions adopted unanimously by the Thursday Afternoon Club. Whereas, On the 4th day of November the women of Oregon will have their first opportunity to exercise at the ballot the full right of citizenship and

Whereas, The questions presented are in no sense political; and Whereas, Two of the measures to be determined relate to the maintenance of the State University; and

Whereas, It is the sense of the membership of this club that the educational system of the state should be sustained by all reasonable appropriations; and Whereas, We believe it the duty of all women to lend their votes and influence to all those movements and institutions which make for better condition;

Therefore be it Resolved, That the Thursday Afternoon Club of Pendleton favors the appropriations made by the legislature for University purposes, and now before the people under the referendum; and we recommend to all women to vote at the referendum election of November 4th, 1913, and to vote "Yes" upon both University bills. Ella P. Lowell, President; Mabel McKinney, Secretary.

## MASSACRE REPORTED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—A report was received from San Luis Potosi today that a massacre had taken place in that neighborhood of 47 rurales who were sent to protect a ranch nearby. It was said the men were frightfully tortured.

# DIAZ IS TAKEN TO SEA TO BE PLACED ON ANOTHER SHIP

Battleship Michigan Will Transfer Mexican to Northbound Vessel for New York and Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—It was reported on good authority here the federalists have evacuated Chihuahua City, Mexico, and that General Villas with his rebel force is momentarily expected to occupy the city. The residents, among them a considerable number of Americans feared for their lives it was reported.

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 31.—The battleship Michigan with Diaz and his fugitive companions on board, left to intercept a northbound New York and Cuba mail steamship, it is understood, which will take them to Havana. He was originally intended to send the party on the cruiser Tacoma but the plan was changed.

RÓME, Oct. 31.—The cruiser Francesco Ferruccio sailed from Spezia for Mexican waters.

# GOVERNMENT READY TO BUST TRUSTS

NEXT CONGRESS WILL DEAL LARGELY WITH THIS QUESTION, SAYS DAVIES.

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 31.—The promise of a vast trust probe by the government was voiced today by Joseph Davies, federal commissioner of corporations, in an address before the national manufacturers' association. "It will be possible to bust the trusts," he declared, "without hampering industrial development or freedom."

The next congress, he said, will deal largely with the trusts. Whether laws will be enacted providing for the destruction of the trusts or merely the control of monopolies will be determined, he said, by the question "Does monopoly or competition afford the fairest method for all the people?"

## CREW FROM BURNING SHIP RESCUED IN MID-OCEAN

GERMAN LINER TAKES OFF 25 MEN WHEN BARQUE CATCHES FIRE.

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—The German liner, Kronprinzessin Cecilie, reported by wireless today it rescued the crew of 25 men from the French barque Petrie which was on fire in mid-ocean. Three of the Petrie's sailors were washed overboard and drowned before the Cecilie arrived.

Resenting the assertion that Sydney, Australia, was the dirtiest town in the southern hemisphere, the lord mayor has organized a special force of a hundred police for the preservation of good order, cleanliness and neatness.

## NEWS SUMMARY

General. Mike Spanos and Frank Seymour are hanged at Salem for murder committed at Medford. Americans in Mexico City fear anti-foreign outbreak at first sign of intervention by the United States. Crew of French barque are taken from their burning ship by a German liner in mid-ocean. Diaz is taken to sea to be put aboard liner going north and will land in either Cuba or New York.

Local. E. L. Smith advises farmers in heavy land district to raise two crops in three years instead of summer fallowing each alternate year. Son of late E. H. Harriman railroad magnate, on educational trip acquires information about railroading. O. W. R. & N. to pave between tracks on Main street. Thursday Afternoon Club endorses P. of O. appropriations. First football game of the season being waged this afternoon. S. P. Hutchinson anti-street improvement champion, enters race for member of council. Police will not allow any Halloween vandalism. Wheat market active with price at 70 cents.

# FIRST QUARTER IS 0 TO 0; TWO TEAMS ARE WELL MATCHED

La Grande High and Pendleton High Squads Battle This Afternoon at Round-Up Park.

First Quarter. The first quarter in the football game this afternoon between La Grande and Pendleton high school teams ended in 0 to 0, neither side having an advantage during the first fifteen minutes of play. The teams are pretty evenly matched.

This afternoon the football gladiators of the Pendleton and La Grande high schools are waging their annual battle at Round-Up Park and the fight is being witnessed by a good crowd of enthusiastic rooters. The teams are pretty evenly matched for weight and there is plenty of rivalry to make the game hotly contested.

The La Grande players arrived on No. 17 this morning accompanied by Coach Charles Reynolds and a number of supporters. They ate their dinner immediately on arrival.

The following is the first lineup of the two teams: L. H. S. P. H. S.

Leffell ..... Brook Conker ..... Straughn Andrews ..... Friedley Kiddie ..... Ross Huff ..... Krebs Winters ..... Russell Gartry ..... Ulrich Hunter ..... Kirkpatrick Rosebaum ..... McDonald Oliver ..... Jordan Couch ..... Hoskins Substitutes, La Grande, Williamson, Young, Proctor and Adams; Pendleton, Hampton, Bean, Mimms and Hazen.

Referee, Dobbins of Union; umpire, Devine of Pendleton.

Unkind criticisms are apt to come home to roost.

## PROPERTY TO BE GUARDED FROM HARM BY POLICE

EVEN THOUGH IT IS HALLOWEEN VANDALISM WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.

"No vandalism will be tolerated tonight even though it is done in a spirit of Halloween fun." This is the edict of Chief of Police Kearney and he will have the city well policed to prevent youths from working mischief to property. He states that good natured pranks which do not entail any damage to property will not be prohibited, it not being his desire to restrain the boys and girls from a proper observance of the spirit of the time.

Just the same it will be well for the citizens to put a padlock on his gate and place under lock and key any portable property lying around his place, else he may awake in the morning to find them missing. Tonight is Halloween and, according to the old superstition, ghosts, hobgoblins, spirits and gnomes are supposed to be abroad to work their mischief. However, in these modern days the mischief is mostly done by real flesh-and-blood beings.

Many parties have been planned for tonight and the halloween spirit will be very manifest.

## DOCTOR SAYS ORDINARY CARE IS EXCELLENT CURE

EDMONTON, Alta., Oct. 30.—Dr. H. W. Hill, head of the Institute of public health, London, Ont., said in a public address at the Canadian club here that if persons suffering from cancer were treated with ordinary care during the early stages of the disease, the death rate would be reduced fully 50 per cent. He declared also that measles, usually treated as a joke, is one of the most deadly diseases in its results. "Not less than 80 per cent of the population of the North American continent," he added, "have suffered from an attack of measles at one time or other, and in most cases some trace is left in the body. The time has come to educate the public and to treat measles as one of the deadliest diseases. We can no longer treat this malady as a joke, as we have in the past, and it is in the interest of public health to begin the movement without delay."

In Germany there is a national association called the Bund Heimatschutz, formed for protecting and preserving the natural beauty of the German fatherland, together with its historic and artistic buildings, cities, monuments, etc., also to unite the efforts being made by various local and state organizations.

# 2 MEN GO TO GALLOWS AT SALEM KILLING GREEK AT MEDFORD

Mike Spanos and Frank Seymour are Hanged This Morning at the State Penitentiary.

## PROTEST THEIR INNOCENCE

Mount Scaffold Without Show of Fear and Make Brief Statements Before Black Caps Are Adjusted—Seymour Says He Hopes He is Last Man to Hang in Oregon.

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 31.—Mike Spanos and Frank Seymour were hanged at the state penitentiary at 8:30 o'clock this morning for the murder of George Dedasklou, a Greek, in Medford on September 22, 1912.

Both men mounted the scaffold stoically and before the black cap was adjusted each, in a brief statement, declared himself innocent of the crime.

Seymour expressed the hope that he would be the last man in Oregon to go through the trap. Seymour was pronounced dead at 8:37 and Spanos at 8:45 o'clock. The men were accompanied to the gallows by Rev. Father Moor and Father Victor.

Dedasklou was murdered for several hundred dollars drawn from the bank to take him back to his native Greece. He had been decaying to a secluded spot and his skull was fractured by blows from a loaded gas pipe. His jugular vein was then severed with a knife, the clothes torn from his body and the money belt that he wore removed. Both men signed written confessions when arrested but later repudiated them.

## SON OF LATE HARRIMAN IS VISITOR HERE TODAY

YOUTH STOPS OFF SHORT TIME AND ASKS QUESTIONS ABOUT COUNTRY.

W. Averill Harriman, only son and one of the principal heirs of the late E. H. Harriman, famous railroad magnate and owner of the Union Pacific and other lines was a passenger on western train No. 17 today and alighting from the train at the depot engaged Agent T. F. O'Brien in conversation during the stop here. He asked many questions regarding the local country and local railroad problems.

Young Harriman is a slender youth who but recently reached his 21st birthday and at that time was given places as director on a number of the companies in which the Harriman estate has an interest. However he is not actively in the railroad work himself and it is understood his trip is educational in its nature. The fact that President Lovett is now in Portland may have something to do with his trip to that city at this time.

Personally the son of the late railroad wizard is simple and democratic both in appearance and manner. He won the approval of railroad workers by his interest in railroading and his zeal to gather first hand information on the subject.

## FUSION TICKET POPULAR IN NEW YORK CAMPAIGN

TAMMANY IS DENOUNCED BY SPEAKERS AT ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING THERE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Enthusiasm for the fusion municipal ticket headed by John Purroy Mitchell reached its height last night at a mass meeting in Madison Square Garden. An audience which packed the big amphitheater heard the majority candidate, former Mayor Seth Low, who once led a fusion cause to victory, Oscar S. Straus, former ambassador to Turkey and others attack Tammany Hall. Edward E. McCall, its majority candidate and Charles F. Murphy, its leader.

Mr. Straus aroused the crowd to a demonstration when he denounced Tammany for what he declared was its recently displayed power to conduct its own recall and make and unmake a governor. Edward E. McCall addressed several democratic meetings at which he departed from his usual custom by mentioning by name John A. Hennessy, Governor Sulzer's graft investigator, who has brought many charges against McCall and Murphy.

"The charges of Hennessy and Sulzer instead of winning a fusion victory by their perfiditiveness will damn the fusion cause before election day," McCall declared. Hennessy continued his spirited campaign. He devoted the greater part of his talk to Charles F. Murphy, reiterating charges he has made against the Tammany leader.

NOTED EDUCATORS SPEAK AT TEACHERS' CONVENTION. ANN ARBOR, Mich., Oct. 31.—Many of the country's noted educators were scheduled to address the annual convention of the Michigan State Teacher's Association which convened here. President Harry B. Hutchins, of the University of Michigan, formally welcomed the delegates. Among those who were expected to deliver addresses were Governor Ferris Young of Chicago, Dr. J. H. Goddard of Vineland, N. J., and Dr. Leonard P. Ayres of New York City.

## STUDENTS AND POLICE ENGAGE IN SEVERE FIGHT

500 UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA BATTLE OFFICERS DURING RIOT IN THEATER.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 31.—A dozen policemen and a score of detectives engaged in a desperate battle with 500 University of Minnesota students, high school boys and other sympathizers at a local theater last night. Clarence Windmiller, a doorman at the theater was knocked unconscious and two students, Giles McHenry and F. E. Lafferty, alleged ringleaders in the riot were locked up at police headquarters.

The students who had been celebrating the departure of the Minnesota football team for Madison, charged the front entrance of the theater. When Windmiller attempted to stop them he was beaten and seriously injured. The crowd was held at bay by a policeman with a drawn revolver until a riot call brought reserves from headquarters.

The theater management and employees quieted the audience which feared the tumult was caused by fire.

## BRITISH NEWSPAPERS NOT INFLUENCED BY AGENCY

STATEMENT OF REUTERS CAUSES UPHEAVAL AMONG ENGLISH DAILIES.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Following a tremendous outcry by British editors against the Reuters Telegram company, the Times published only five brief Reuter dispatches, the Mail six and the Evening News announced it would not receive news and advertising from the same source.

Every firm used by the Times and the Mail were strictly routine in character, such as could hardly be colored by the agency supplying them. Reuters acts as an advertising agency as well as a news gathering concern. Recently its financial department issued a circular urging advertisers to place its contracts through it on the ground that the news department would enable it to get publicity for them in the news columns. It even intimated that the agency could influence editorial opinion.

As the agency supplies news to most of the British newspapers as well as American newspapers taking the service of the Associated Press, with which Reuter is allied and with which it exchanges European for American news, there was an editorial commotion immediately among newspapers taking the service.

## AUTO RACER KILLED

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Fancy Lambert, an automobile racer, was killed at Brooklands when a fire on his machine burst and the auto turned over.