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MARTIAL LAW IS PROCLAIMED

Madero Said to Be Making Ready to Execute Several Prisoners Because of Their Treatment of Prisoners While Federals Held the Town.

REBELS GIVE OUT NO INTIMATION OF PLANS

Rebel Chiefs Are Ready to Again Negotiate With President Diaz' Government.

EL PASO, May 11.—Martial law was declared in Juarez today. It is believed that Madero proposes to execute several prisoners who are marked for death because of their treatment of their insurgent prisoners while the federals held the town.

General Madero today declined to make any statement of the intentions of the revolutionists, but Abram Gonzalez the provisional governor of Chihuahua, said that the next move of the rebel army would be on Chihuahua city, then to Torreon and then to the City of Mexico.

Madero, he intimated, hopes to enter the capital in triumph with his main army, which is now being recruited to twice or three times its present strength.

Ready to Arbitrate

Satisfied that they have convinced the Diaz government that their threats are not empty boasts, the rebel chiefs today are ready to turn again to negotiations, that Senors Obregon and Brantiff are already busy on behalf of Diaz in trying to come to some agreement whereby further slaughter may be avoided.

Members of the El Paso Junta, however, are still firm in their demands on behalf of the rebels. They say Diaz must set a definite date for his retirement; must agree to the formation of a new cabinet immediately, of which the insurgent leaders must name half the members; and that the insurgents will insist upon the right to name the governors of all the states where the rebellion has gained headway.

Steaver Reports

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—Colonel Steaver, the American commander at El Paso, telegraphed the war department this afternoon confirming the fall of Juarez. He said order had been restored in the Mexican city and that all the saloons were closed. The American troops, he said, were still retreating to allow arms, ammunition and provisions of munitions of war of any sort intended for the insurgents to cross the Rio Grande.

Consul Freeman at Durango, Mexico, telegraphed the state department today that the Mexican rebels throughout that state are showing greatly increased strength.

"TWO MONTHS MORE"—GOMEZ

Will End Only With Resignation of Diaz—Says Dictator Has Not Been Frank in Regard to His Retirement—No More Danger to Americans.

NEW YORK, May 11.—In response to messages of consolation upon the fall of Juarez, Dr. Vasquez Gomez, chief adviser of Francisco I. Madero and former head of the Washington rebel Junta today wired to a correspondent here that the war in Mexico will last about two months more and that it will end only with the resignation of President Diaz. In part the telegram says:

General Diaz has no been frank with regard to his retirement. His manifesto says he will leave when his conscience demands it. As the revolutionary party does not know when that is going to happen, it has been resolved to continue the revolution until the demands of the people are satisfied. We shall have peace in Mexico immediately after Diaz resigns. The taking of Juarez reveals the strength of the revolution and will put an end to all danger of damage to Americans or American territory.

Lindsay Won't Resign

SEATTLE, Wash., May 11.—"I haven't the remotest idea of resigning as president of the Northwestern league," said R. H. Lindsay this morning. "All reports to the contrary are absolutely without foundation. I shall remain with the position for the entire season."

TRAINS FROM SOUTH LATE

Six Carloads of Lumber Are Derailed Near Redding Holding Up Trains—Numbers 16 and 14 Will Be on Time, However.

REDDING, Cal., May 11.—Trains on the Shasta route of the Southern Pacific were blocked today from five to seven hours by the derailment of six carloads of lumber attached to a freight train near La Moine.

Numbers 16 and 14 are believed to have been past the wreck when it occurred.

CHICAGO, May 11.—It was announced today that the most important classification meetings would be held in July when the western classification committee will convene in Milwaukee to revise the schedules for western territory. The last meeting was held in San Antonio, Tex., in January, 1910.

REAR ADVERTISING PASSES.

Is a Princess



MISS OLA HUMPHREY

Miss Ola Humphrey, the American actress, became an Egyptian princess when she married Prince Hassan at the Strand registry office in London a few days ago.

The bridegroom is a nephew of the Khedive and the bride was described as Pearl Olo Mordant, aged 27, the divorced wife of Edwin Mordant.

SENATE MAY CONDEMN PETIT

Chairman of Lorimer Investigating Committee Proposes That Senate Acts Owing to Fact That Tilden Was Freed From Appearing.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 11.—Speaking in the state senate here today, Chairman Holms of the Lorimer investigating committee, proposed that the senate formally condemn Judge Petit of Chicago for his decision by which Edward Tilden, alleged collector of the "slush fund," which elected Lorimer, had escaped producing his books.

Attorney J. J. Healey, lawyer for the Helms committee, presented his report of the investigation to date.

The senate postponed action on both matters until next Tuesday.

AWAIT ARRIVAL OF DETECTIVE

Burns is Due in Los Angeles Next Week—Arrests in San Francisco Will Follow His Coming—Interest Has Dropped.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 11.—The arrival of William J. Burns in Los Angeles with the bulk of evidence against John J. and James B. McNamara and Orte E. McManigal will be the signal for the reopening of interest in the case, according to general belief here.

It was reported here today that arrests in San Francisco would follow Burns' arrival, but E. H. Mills, manager of the Burns detective agency, said that if such were the program he had no knowledge of it.

According to the rumor, the suspected men are prominent labor leaders in the northern city.

RAILROAD WAR TO END

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—A compromise of the long and bitter fight between the city of Sacramento and the Southern Pacific railroad is a possibility, according to a statement made today by Attorney Frank McGowan to United States Commissioner Wright, before whom is being held the hearing of the question of fact in the sewer of Sacramento to the petition of the company for a permanent injunction restraining the city from interfering with a right of way on the river front.

McGowan stated that representatives of the city and the railroad are conferring for the purpose of effecting a compromise of the dispute and at his suggestion the matter was stricken from the calendar.

PLANO MAY STAY

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 11.—A reassuring letter will be sent today from the governor's office to A. Amillo, host at the North Pole bar, San Diego, who has inquired if he will have to close up his mechanical piano plant as a result of the approval by Governor Johnson of the anti-slot machine bill.

The piano plays when a nickel is placed in the slot, and Amillo has the impression that anything which is "played" with nickels in the slot must go.

MOTHER'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED

Mayor W. H. Canon Issues Proclamation to the People of Medford Calling Attention to Next Sunday, Set Apart in Honor of Motherhood.

ALL TO WEAR FLOWERS IN HONOR OF DEAR ONE

Churches for Most Part Will Observe the Day by Appropriate Music and Topics.

Mayor's Office, Medford, Or., May 11, 1911. A beautiful custom of setting aside one day of each year in love of our mothers is coming into general observance in this country.

AGUA PRIETA IS IN REBELS HANDS

Federal Force Deserts Town Where Battle Was Recently Waged—Agua Prieta to Be Provisional Capital of State.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., May 11.—Over the trenches which they had defended in a two days' fight three weeks ago, the rebel army under Colonel Giron marched into Agua Prieta, across the border from Douglas, today.

They were greeted by the entire population and a dozen or more rebel officers sent into the town last night to take formal possession of the work of establishing a regular form of government and repairing the earthwork barricades partially destroyed by the federals before their evacuation was immediately begun.

Agua Prieta will be the provisional capital of Sonora state, and the campaign against Hermosillo, the federal capital, will be directed from there.

ENSENADA TO BE ATTACKED NEXT

Rebels Force Which Captured Tia Juana Tuesday Are to March on Ensenada as Soon as They Have Enough Recruits to Justify.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 11.—That the rebel force which captured Tia Juana on Tuesday will march on Ensenada just as soon as sufficient recruits have arrived to insure the capture of the Lower California capital is practically certain.

The rebel leaders said today that 72 new soldiers have arrived during the night.

A report that rebel spies were in Ensenada making maps of the town and its fortifications was confirmed this afternoon by the rebel chief, General Pryce.

A force of engineers left Tuesday and are now making blue prints of Ensenada, besides getting other valuable information about the town and its resources.

By capturing Ensenada the rebels would virtually control the whole peninsula of Lower California.

Tia Juana is being well fortified by the rebels, the latest approved methods of trenches and breastworks being employed. The dirt is being mixed with bundles of hay to make it hold, and when it is finished the rebels say they can hold the town against 500 federals without losing a man.

Trade relations have been established and several of the Tia Juana storekeepers have returned and opened up their places of business.

PAVING COMPANY LAYING BINDER

Plant is Placed in Operation and Much Progress is Being Made on Jackson Boulevard—Twelve Wagons Hauling Hot Stuff.

The Clark and Henry Construction company started the plant at the end of South Central avenue Thursday morning and the work of laying the binder of the pavement is progressing rapidly on Jackson street.

As the Camera Protrays the Arrival of the M'Namaras



ORTE E. MCNAMARAL LEAVING STATION IN TRAIN FOR JAIL IN LOS ANGELES.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY JOHN W. WOODRUFF OF LOS ANGELES.

JAMES MCNAMARA HIDING HIS FACE TO AVOID PHOTOGRAPH BEING TAKEN.

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AUTO SPEEDER IS ARRESTED

Ernest Waterman Charged With Running Over and Injuring Frank Miller Saturday, is Served With Warrant—Trial Today.

Ernest Waterman, who is charged with running over and injuring Frank Miller of Central Point, with an automobile late Saturday afternoon, was arrested Wednesday on a warrant sworn out by W. G. Miller, father of the injured man, who is confined to his home at Central Point.

Witnesses for both sides have been summoned to appear and the contest will be warmly contested. The trial will be held in Justice Taylor's court this afternoon.

Look at the ads that offer employment and you'll find the right one soon.

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Patrols Ride Streets With Orders to Shoot Any Person Found Looting—All Passes Are Revoked Including Those of Newspaper Men.

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LOOTERS BUSY AT TIA JUANA

Line in Search of 'Souvenirs'—Almost a Riot Occurs When Soldiers Take Action.

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Canada, Mexico, commanding the American post at Tia Juana, has no desire to use force in holding the citizens back, but is doing everything in his power to check them. He is guarding the international fence and leaving the custom gate for the customs officers.

The fence was damaged by Americans yesterday who broke it down in places while going through, and the captain has requested assistance from the United States marshal today.

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FLAMES DAMAGE FURNITURE STORE

Fire Department Has One of the Hardest Fights of Its History—Much Damage is Done by Flames and Later by Water.

SEVERAL OVERCOME AND ARE CARRIED TO SAFETY

Origin of Fire is Mystery—Thought to Be Spontaneous Combustion in Woolen Mattresses.

One of the hardest fights in the history of the Medford fire department, during which three or four men were carried to safety after they had been overcome by the smoke, was waged Wednesday night when the Weeks & McGowan furniture caught fire. Several thousand dollars' damage was done to stock, but until invoices are checked up and the stock gone over, the exact amount will not be known.

That the entire block was not wiped out was due to the courage of the fire boys, who carried their lines of hose onto the third floor with flames at close range.

DENSE SMOKE SUFFOCATES

The fire broke out in the loft, where hundreds of woolen and feather mattresses were stored. This material gave off a heavy, dense smoke, which overcame a number of the fire boys, and W. E. McGowan, one of the proprietors of the store. Other members of the department carried them to safety, however, and once in the open air they rapidly recovered.

The battle for a while was a hard one, not wishing to damage stock below to greater degree than necessary, chemicals were used at first, but on the supply running out, water was resorted to, however, the streams were directed toward the rear of the building, so that the stock in the front end of the huge showroom was untouched.

Origin a Mystery

The origin of the fire is a mystery. It was thought at first to have been caused by electric wires, but F. W. Weeks states that the current over the entire store was shut out by a downstairs switch. Another explanation which seems most plausible is that of spontaneous combustion in the woolen mattresses. Owing to the location of the fire, an incendiary explanation is not possible.

Alarm Given in Time

Only the fact that the alarm was given before the flames had made much headway is responsible for the fact that the building today, after the current was responded promptly and handled the situation in a splendid style.

In the alley in the rear of the store many ruined mattresses are piled, while furniture is being packed and ready for shipment. It will be two or three days before the store is straightened out.

"I AM FRIEND OF LABOR"—OTIS

Publisher of Los Angeles Times Discusses McNamara Case and Ends by Stating That He is Friend of Unions.

DAYTON, Ohio, May 11.—Prediction that the prosecution of the McNamara for the alleged dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times will split labor into two camps was made here today by General Lindsay Gray Otis. Of the McNamara case he said:

"Insofar as the leaders of the unions make the cause of the McNamaras their cause, unionism is on trial in Los Angeles. The result of the trial will be to say that not all union men will take that stand. The prosecution of the McNamaras will help, not hurt, the unions. It will rid them of dynamiters, proscriptionists and murderers."

"The prosecution will result in two union camps. The reputable camp will be composed of all union men who do not sympathize with the present attitude of some of their leaders."

DEMOCRAT MAY BE SENATE PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—Bacon of Georgia, a democrat, today showed great strength in the vote for president pro tem of the senate, the position relinquished by Senator Frye of Maine.

On the first ballot the vote was: Bacon, 35; Gallagher of New Haven, republican, 32; Clay of Minnesota, republican, 2; Tillman of South Carolina, democrat, and Bristol of Kansas, republican, 1 each.

On the second third ballots Bacon had 35 votes and Gillinger 32.

Yaquta at War.