

UNITED STATES IS ON TOP AGAIN

CHICUAHUA, Mexico, April 17.—Complete victory for the United States consul, Marion Letcher, in his controversy with General Pascual Orozco, the rebel commander-in-chief has resulted today through the agreement of Orozco to the following propositions laid down by Letcher:

That the consul will not be embarrassed by official espionage; official telegrams and mail will be no longer tampered with nor delayed; the consul has the right of personal conference with Orozco at any time; American citizens are granted the right of immediate appeal to their consul, no matter what the charge against them. Orozco said that his previous attitude in refusing to recognize Letcher in his consular capacity was caused by being "misinformed" concerning the consul.

IRREGULARITY IS MARKET FEATURE

NEW YORK, April 17.—Today's opening stock market reflected a degree of steadiness which soon gave way to irregularity. International Mercantile showed a better tone, the common gaining 1/2 and the preferred a full point. Anaconda, Union Pacific common and preferred, all made fractional gains. Missouri Pacific and Tennessee Copper were up a point, but United States Steel sagged under its opening gains. Later the market improved and most of the leaders made up their earlier losses in the opening trading.

SPURNED SULTAN FOR PLAIN AMERICAN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 17.—Although she was showered with pearls and other gifts by the sultan of Sulu, who vainly importuned for her hand, Mrs. Marie Baker is today the bride of Francis Murphy, head of the William J. Murphy Evangelical association, following a secret wedding at Santa Ana. Mrs. Murphy is the daughter of the late General Owen Sweet, U. S. A., and was the wife of former Congressman Baker of Boston, whom she divorced.

HELD FOR MAN'S DEATH.

WALTER P. SNYDER.



MARY KARN SNYDER.

Cool and collected and stoutly maintaining her innocence of crime, Mary F. Karns is being held in New York to await examination on a charge of homicide in the killing of Walter J. Snyder in an apartment jointly occupied by them.

The accusation against her is that she stabbed Mr. Snyder four times with a pair of scissors, the heart being pierced twice.

Dies With Laugh.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., April 17.—With a laugh on his lips, Chris Munday, a lumberman who had both his legs cut off by a saw in a mill near here, died in a Klamath Falls hospital. He joked with his fiancée while being taken to the hospital.

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ALL WOMEN ON BOARD SAVED

NEW YORK, April 17.—"All the Titanic's women passengers are safe. I have no word from George."

This wireless message which had been relayed several times was received here today by Mrs. J. W. Bonnell of Youngstown, Ohio, from her brother, Harry Wick, who is a passenger on the Olympic.

Harry Wick received a wireless message from his niece, Caroline Bonnell, who sailed on the Titanic with her uncle, George Wick. It is believed that George Wick is among those lost.

Clubman Suicides.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—Edward Baldwin, a wealthy druggist and clubman, died today with a bullet in his brain, fired by himself in a fit of despondency over long continued illness. His body was found by his wife and daughter on their return from the theater. Beside it was a note asking forgiveness. An hour before the shooting Baldwin was chatting cheerily with a friend, apparently in the best of spirits.

Everett Favors Commission

EVERETT, Wa., April 17.—Returns today indicate that the charter providing for the commission form of government for this city has carried by a majority of 63 votes. This gives the people the right to vote for three commissioners next June.

Bond Issue Carries.

BREMERTON, Wash., April 17.—By a vote of 498 to 198, Bremerton is today celebrating a victory of the bond issue election for the proposed purchase of the Bremerton Water & Power company's plant which supplies the city with water for \$50,000.

LEGISLATION MAY FOLLOW DISASTER

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The senate foreign committee this afternoon discussed the Titanic disaster at length, its members being of the unanimous opinion that there should be prompt legislation to prevent a repetition of the horror. The committee agreed that the commerce court has sole jurisdiction in the matter. It is believed congress will be empowered to regulate the equipments of foreign vessels entering American ports.

AMATEURS ARE BLOCKING NEWS

HOQUIAM, Wa., April 17.—Charging that he sympathized too strongly with the strikers in the Aberdeen strike, it is expected that recall petitions will be filed today against the Rev. Harry Ferguson, mayor of this city.

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NEW YORK, April 17.—Wireless stations on shore, manned by amateur operators experimenting with their apparatus, today continue to break into communication, spoiling the efforts of the scout cruisers Chester

and Salem, steaming toward the scene of the Titanic wreck under orders from President Taft, to send reports.

Choosing Army Post.
TACOMA, Wa., April 17.—Major General Arthur Murray and Brigadier General M. P. Maus are inspecting the prairies around American lake today with the possibility that it may be recommended as the site of a big army post.

Local commercial organizations are pulling strong for the location of a post here.

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Clean Sweep Sale of Ladies' Suits and Coats

Every Wool Coat and Suit goes in this Clean Sweep Sale at 25 per cent discount.

All \$16 Suits go at \$12.00
All \$18 Suits go at \$13.50
All \$20 Suits go at \$15.00
All Wool Coats at same reductions.



Clean Sweep Ladies' Shoes

About 100 pairs of Ladies' Footwear, mostly Black Pumps and Oxfords, go at one quarter off. Shoe selling has been good and we are already broken on several lots, so we offer the above reductions to clean up. More stock coming; got to have the room.

Clean Sweep Shirt Sale

One lot of Men's \$2 Dress Shirts, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, Clean Sweep Price\$1.39

One lot Men's Dress Shirts, worth \$1 to \$1.25, big assortment of patterns, size 14 1/2 to 17, go at 79¢

One lot of Men's \$3 Funston Pants, made with two hip pockets, belt loop, cuff bottom, go at.....\$2.00

One lot of Men's Mixed Sox for everyday wear. Regular 2 for 25c kind, go at, pair.....7¢

15 dozen Men's and Boys' All-Silk Four in hand Ties, 35c quality, go at23¢

15 dozen Four in Hand Ties, small shapes 25c quality, go at13¢

15 dozen Men's 10c and 15c white, colored and white with colored borders Handkerchiefs go at.....6¢

Clean Sweep Sale of Men's Shoes--Broken Lots

50 pairs of Men's Pat. Kid and Pat. Colt shoes regular \$5 and \$6 values go at.....\$3.95

One lot of Men's \$4 double sole, blucher tan work shoes. Clean Sweep Price.....\$2.95

One lot Men's 12-in. High Top \$6 Elk Shoes, sizes broken. Clean Sweep price.....\$4.95



CLEAN SWEEP SALE OF PARASOLS

Men's and Women's Silk Parasols and Umbrellas go at 33 1-3 per cent discount.

Any \$3.50 Silk Parasol, Clean Sweep\$2.35

Any \$4.50 Silk Parasol, Clean Sweep\$3.00

Any \$5.00 Silk Parasol, Clean Sweep\$3.35

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