

MASSACHUSETTS, NEW YORK AND DOMINION OF CANADA ARE JARRED BY AN EARTHQUAKE

ONE FATALITY; ALL NEW YORK PANIC STRICKEN

Damage Slight in Metropolis, But Buffalo Badly Shaken—Seismographs Out of Whack—Clocks Are Stopped Along Railroads.

At Syracuse and Other Cities, Office Buildings Are Shaken and Hundreds Flee Into Streets in Panic.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—One person met death today in an earthquake which rocked half of Massachusetts, all of New York and that section of Canada lying along the St. Lawrence river from Toronto to Montreal.

The one fatality occurred in Binghamton, N. Y., where Rocco Avesz, a laborer, was killed while working on a building excavation.

Father Torndof of Georgetown university, near Washington, said his seismograph recorded two separate and distinct shocks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Central, North and Eastern New York was rocked by an earthquake this morning.

The first tremor was felt at Buffalo about 1:30 o'clock. Houses were rocked and men, women and children, panic stricken, ran out into the streets.

At Syracuse office buildings were shaken and hundreds of persons fled to the streets in a panic.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Rocco Avesz, 32 years of age, a laborer, was killed by an earthquake which rocked Binghamton this afternoon.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Feb. 10.—An earthquake which started at 12:34 o'clock was registered by the University of Michigan's seismograph this afternoon.

TO TRANSFER DIGGS TO COUNTY PRISON

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.—Maury I. Diggs and Walter Gilligan, charged with mistreating Ida Pearring, were warned today that unless they could give bail in the meantime they would be transferred late in the afternoon from the city prison to the county jail.

Diggs, who, ever since his arrest, has declared he expected to be bailed out "some time this afternoon," professed to expect the same thing today.

Names of fourteen American victims

HUERTA HEDGED AROUND WITH BAYONET WALL

Fearful of Fresh Plots, Dictator Surrounds Himself With Troops—Midnight Cabinet Meeting Called—Rebel Agents Active Within City.

Assassins Sent After Felix Diaz—Embassy Gets Photographs of Land Plots Owned by Carden.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 10.—Fearful of fresh plotting against him, President Huerta was completely hedged around by bayonets today.

Two thousand soldiers surrounded his residence, the national palace and the arsenal. They were picked men, devoted to the dictator and to his cause.

Rebel Agents Organize

Officials admitted that they knew rebel agents were in the city, organizing bands among the police, the clerks, the mechanics and even among working women.

Huerta, it was known, considered himself in constant danger of attack. He released from prison today and exiled to Europe General Rodolfo Reyes, compelling him to leave his wife and four children behind as hostages against possible plotting on his part abroad.

At the American embassy it had been heard unofficially that two men had gone to Vera Cruz to assassinate Felix Diaz, but as Diaz was in Havana at latest accounts, this report was not regarded very seriously.

Carden an Exploiter

The embassy, it was learned, possesses a photograph of government maps showing the Mexican land holdings of Sir Lionel Carden, British minister here, as a member of the company in which he, Lord Cowdray and certain rich Mexicans are interested.

Sir Lionel is slated to leave for London, February 15, and at the embassy it was not believed he would return, despite statements to the effect that the foreign office was not recalling him.

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CASHIER TO BE ACCUSED WITH BANK PRESIDENT

All Officers of Defunct Memphis Bank to Be Prosecuted—Editor Brother of Guilty President Reconciled and Offers Private Fortune.

Believed Speculating Official Will Appear Before Grand Jury This Afternoon and Be Indicted.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 10.—After an estrangement of years, during which they did not even speak to one another when they met, President C. Hunter Raine of the defunct Mercantile bank, and his brother Gilbert, owner of the News Scimitar, were reconciled today.

The editor was out of town when his brother was arrested, but as soon as he returned he called on him at the jail, shook hands with him and pledged him all the assistance he could give.

Prosecutor Estes of Shelby county was preparing today to accuse Cashier Claude Anderson of accepting deposits when he knew the Mercantile bank was insolvent.

Estes has received scores of requests for the prosecution of all the bank officials and directors. At first he refused, but later decided to bring criminal proceedings against Anderson.

Raine was expected to appear before the grand jury late this afternoon. It was believed he would repeat his confession and be indicted immediately.

It was understood the bank would pay about 30 cents on the dollar. Speculators were offering depositors 25 per cent for their claims.

PULLMAN COMPANY SUES CALIFORNIA FOR TAX MONEY

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.—The Pullman company today sued State Treasurer Roberts for the difference between \$83,243.66 and \$4995.11.

GOVERNOR AND JUDGE SPURN ROCKEFELLER MONEY FOR NORTH CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

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BRAZILIAN SUED BY GIRL IS SAVED FROM JAIL BY \$50,000



Ten \$5,000 notes tucked into the safe in the Sheriff's office smoothed the wrinkles out of the forehead of Octavio Guinle, wealthy Brazilian, living in New York, who is sued for \$500,000 for alleged breach of promise by Miss Monica T. Borden, also of Manhattan.

GOOD ROADS BILL PASSED BY HOUSE FOR \$25,000,000

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ANGRY JAPANESE MAKE ATTACK ON PARLIAMENT



Lawmakers Chased From Buildings by Irate Mob, After Whitewashing Government When a Vote of Censure Is Asked Over Scandal.

Anti-Government Display Unprecedented and Heralds Revolution Caused by High Taxation.

TOKIO, Feb. 10.—Pursued by an infuriated mob, Japan's lawmakers were chased pell mell from parliament house today and driven into hiding after whitewashing the government when an attempt was made to censure it for the grafting it was accused of having permitted to go on for a long time past in the navy.

The announcement having been made that the anti-administration party would move a resolution of lock of confidence in the government, a crowd of fifty thousand gathered in Hibiya Park to demand the measure's adoption.

Rush on Parliament

Instantly the rush on parliament house began. A strong force of police was on duty but the throng was so great that the cordon was being quickly thrust aside or trampled underfoot when troops reached the scene.

Massed around the building with fixed bayonets, the soldiers succeeded in stopping the crowd's charge and the legislative halls were not actually invaded.

Pierce Rioting in Progress

In the meantime fierce rioting was in progress. The elaborate police precautions taken saved public buildings but streetcars were stoned in many parts of the city and a determined effort was made by a throng of several thousand to sack the offices of a pro-government newspaper.

Great anxiety was felt in government circles. Under the surface a strong radical sentiment has been simmering in Japan for some time and many saw in today's demonstration a genuinely revolutionary outbreak.

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X-RAY EXAMINATION OF COMISKEY ORDERED

ROME, Feb. 10.—A consultation of physicians here today decided to make an X-ray examination of President Charles A. Comiskey of the Chicago White Sox, who was stricken seriously ill yesterday while traveling by rail from Naples to Rome with member of the Chicago and New York baseball teams.

Comiskey had been feeling slightly indisposed in Naples but little was thought of it until the train had passed Caserta, when he became worse so rapidly that Dr. John E. Jones, American consul general at Genoa, a passenger was called on. He diagnosed the case as indigestion with symptoms of heart trouble.

At Rome Professor Giuseppe Bastianelli was summoned. Between them the X-ray examination was agreed on.