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MEDIATORS REACH BASIS OF AGREEMENT BOTH SIDES IN **CONFERENCE TO** END CONFLICT

South American Mediators Go Over to American Side and Confer with American Delegate-Understanding Between Opposing Parties Reached for Common Basis of Agreement.

NIAGARA FALLS, Out., May 28 After a conference tonay with the Mexican delegates here, the South American mediators in the negotiations for peace went over to the American side, where they conferred with Justice Lamar and Mr. Lehmann, the Amrican representatives. It was indicated that the understanding between the opposing parties to the negotiations to a point where plans are about in shape for a full United States Senator G. W. Norris conference ortween both sides. This means, it is said, that a common basis of agreement virtually has been reached, after which the only problens which would remain would be the netual preparation of the protocal, which will be signed at the final full conference between all parties,

Complete Form Agreed Upon

WASHINGTON, May 28.-The main state of the negotiations at the Niogara Falls conference has been reported to President Wilson under the referendum by which the American delegates are acting and are now understood to have reached a reasonably complete form on essentials of the proposed agreement.

There has been no effort, so far, to weld the essentials into a protocol, but the various propositions stand introduced today by Senator Norris, out distinctly and will readily admit republican, of Nebraska. On objecof an amalgamation into a complete tion by Senator Reed, it went over protocol when it is found necessary until tomorrow. of do so.

Propositions Agreed Upon The understanding here is that



ARMS COMING **FROM JAPAN FOR HUERTA'S FORCE**

Following Landing of German Ship With War Munitions for Huerta. Large Consignment Coming to the West Coast From Japanese-Weapons Ordered Months Ago.

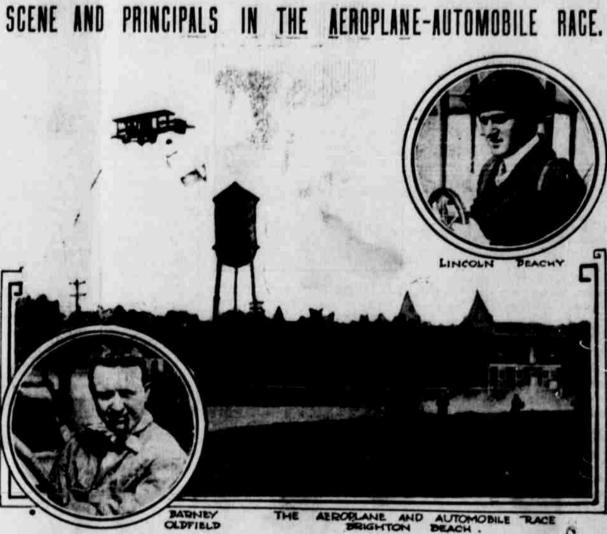
WASHINGTON, May 28.-Closely following the landing of munitions of war for Huerta from the two German liners at Paerto Mexico, a large consignment from Japan is due at Manzanillo or Salina Cruz, on the west coast. Word has reached Washington that the erniser Idzumo, of the Japanese fleet, which has been hovering about Mazatlan, has gone down the coast, and though the latter report is lacking in official confirmation so far, it is understood that like the German eruiser Bremen. which convoyed the Ypirarga to Paerto Mexico, on the east coast, the Japanese warship will accompany the expected merchantman to one of the ports for transportation by rail to

the Mexican capital. **Ordered Months Ago**

The Japanese arms and ammunition were ordered by Huerta many months ago. Treasury experts, dis-Mexico, dismissed as erroneous the theory that the masters of those ships

would render themselves liable to punishment by landing the munitions at a port other than that to which they were originally consigned, There is nothing, in American law at least, on prevent consignors changing destinations of cargoes,

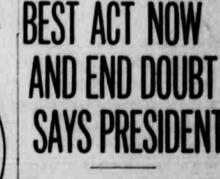
Absence of a proper manifest, however, is punishable, and General Funston would be within his rights



New Yorkers for the first time had a plimpse of "upside down in an aeroplane" when Lincoln Beachey uncovered the wonders of the air at the Brighton Beach race track. After looping the loop a number of times, doing the "death dive" and performing other such daring feats he raced for a mile once around the course against "Barney" Oldfield in his Fiat Cyclone. In this contest Beachey got away first and finished first, but Oldfield won in 53 3-5a. because of the sirman's advantage in start. The aviator flew scarcely more than sixty feet above the swift car, descended to the track in front of it and bore across the finish line ahead of it.



Thirty automobiles, the festest of sary to go much further. Europe and America, hummed around war or reprisals in preventing actual J. Pierpont Morgan and company



Wilson Tells Manufacturers That Uncertainty Injures Business and Reforms Demanded Had Best Be Put Through at Once-Asks for Co-operation.

WASHINGTON, May 28 .- Officials of the National Implement and Vehicle association, the Ohio Manufacturers' association and the Illinois Manufacturers' association. called on President Wilson today and petitioned him in the name of their associations that all legislation affecting the business world, except the trade commission bill, be withheld until a trade commission could look thoroughly into the business situation and make a report on which congress might enact laws satisfactory to manufacturers and employes.

Following the visit of the manufacturers to the president, the following statement was given out at the white house:

President's Statement

"The president said in reply to the Illinois delegation that in his judgment nothing was more dangerous for business than uncertainty; that it had become evident through a long series of years that a policy such as the democratic party was now pursuing was absolutely necessary to satisfy the conscience of the country and its perception of the prevailing conditions of business, and that it was a great deal better to do the thing moderately and soberly now than to wait until more radical forces had accumulated and it was neecs-

No Reason for Depression

"The president also said that while pointed out today by Dr. Ellery C. gan an examination of the firm's track at the Indianapolis motor he was aware of the present depres-



WASHINGTON, May 28 .- A resoution calling on the attorney general to inform the senate if the combination of railroad lines comprising the New York Central is in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, was

The Norris resolution alleges that in detaining the Bavaria, if, as rethe New York Central, by control of ported, that steamer had appeared armed conflict between nations was shortly after 11 o'clock today and be- the two and one-half mile brick the Loke Shore and other roads, and at Vera Cruz without such a docusteamship lines, controls "four competing lines of transportation hetween Chicago and Buffalo and two competing lines between New York and Buffalo."



these elementary propositions have been agreed on by a process of climination of the issues which it had at first been impossible to compose, It by no means follows that the points still in dispute cannot be adjusted; the purpose has been in framing these separate propositions to clear the way for the discussion and adjustment of the most serious differences.

Though the Lentative protocol, if such it may be called at this stage, consequently omits some of the most dangerous factors which must enter into the final settlements, it is regarded by administration officials here as most promising and, considering the limited period of time the mediators have been at work, the success so far attained has been renurkable, compared with similar negotintions.

No Formal Agreement

eation of Mexico had been received it was understood among officials the American delegates which have in such condition that a favorable been coming in at each stage of the reply was expected from him. negotiations, however have been so favorable that the situation, it was said, would permit assembling the decided points into the form of a definite agreement very soon.

Representatives of the constitutionalists conferred with Secretary Bryan again today and reiterated that steps were being taken to definitely establish relations for the Carranza element with the Ningara conference. They added that constitutionalist delegates, if they go, would have the same rights and powers as are enjoyed by the American delegates.

THAW OFF TO CAMP IN WHITE MOUNTAINS

CONCORD, N. H., May 28.-The sent letters to her in the envelope en- Mrs. Elam called Crafter "Bill." sojourn of Harry K. Thaw in this closing the magazine with which he Mrs. Riley said Cramer, Mrs. Elam ambassador here that foreigners in out armament, city ended today when he left for was connected. She said she turned and she left the hotel at which they Mexico will be subjected to "ao un. The ships have been in commission to go into line of battle. Gorham, in the White mountains, the letters over to Mrs. Elam. and Deputy Clark D. Stevens.

"To my mind, it is perfectly apparent that this combination in all its branches is in violation of the the United States regarded the lada-Sherman ant-trast law," declared, ing of the war cargoes after it had Senator Norris, in a statement on his been assured that officials of the the first to set forth the scientific resolution.

EXPECT REBELS NIAGARA MEE

WASHINGTON, May 28.-Negoti- SOUTHERN PACIFIC LOSES ations with Carranza, either to have him take part in the mediation pro-At the white house it was said that ceedings or to agree to the solution no formal agreement for the pacifi- being worked out at Niagara Falls, from Niagara Falls. The reports of close to the white house today, were Pacific, who is here today, said the

> A definite plan has been laid before Carranza, it was said in official circles, and a reply outlining his position was awaited.



KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 28 .- | the letters intended for Mrs. Elam to position of the court, since the delewife of Dr. W. T. Elam of St. Joseph, Mo., and W. Putnam Cramer of Chi-

today, in the trial of the physician for this letter was written and she gave the murder of Cramer. it to Dr. Elam. Mrs. Robert Riley, testifying for

the defense, said she had aided Cra- mer sent to Mrs. Elam were admer and Mrs. Elam to meet and cor- dressed to "Bill's Bert" and were respond. She told of coming to signed "Bert's Hill." She said dur-Kansas City with Mrs. Elam to meet ing the meeting on September 16 Cramer. The witness said Cramer Cramer called Mrs. Elam "Bert" and

pundence and asked her to turn over to the depot,

Funston Within Rights

"Recently we have witnessed a sit-

would be well if some country would

propose at The Hague the discussion

of the principles governing this pe-

culiar situation. For just as neu-

trality helps the cause of peace, so

will these measures, short of war, be

ternational court of arbitral justice.

except an agreement on its member-

ship. The Hague conference of 1907.

at which the court was established

in name, did not agree on the com-

rible than war itself."

General Funston was holding the bitration. Among such situations he Mexico. The United States, he said, was

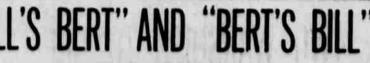
Hamburg-American line would order basis of neutrality, and he continued: that both the cargoes of the Ypiranga and the Bavaria be turned back, as uation in which for several weeks was the cargo of the Kron Prinzessin an American force has been maintained on foreign soil, without our Cecilie. Of the Nagara conference, Mr.

Bryan said he had been in communication with the American delégates again early today and that "everything was progressing favorably."

FIVE MILLIONS EARNINGS

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 28. Julius Krattschnitt, chairman of company had suffered a loss this

year in gross earnings of more than \$5,000,000, as compared with the figures for the same period in 1913. Unfavorable industrial conditions were given as the chief cause.



Letters which passed between the him. She said she immediately wrote gates of the smaller powers would Cramer everything was known and not agree to a membership in which "the situation tense." She advised they were not directly represented.

Cramer to write a letter that would cago were the subject of testimony appease Dr. Elam. Mrs. Riley said

Mrs. Riley said the letters Cra-

dined here the evening of September just or inquitable burdens." This since 1908. The Mississippi cost Mr. Daniels' proposal met with the

books and records relating to the Stowell of New York at the identi- New Haven railroad. he results of Secretary Bryan said that in the eth annual meeting of the Lake Mo- the examination are to be secret un- nual 500-mile race, which will be run psychological; that there is no mateabsence of official information that honk conference on international ar- til submitted to the commission. The formal inquiry into the New Bavaria, he could not discuss that classed the state of affairs now ex- Haven matter will be resumed at phase and also declined to say how isting between the United States and Washington next Wednesday.



entering into a state of war. Without war there can, of course, he no Gianini. a 16-year-old boy charged neutrality, but in a state of reprisals with the murder of his school teacher, Lida Beecher, was acquitted here or coercive measures short of war. there is a peculiar situation for third today on the ground of criminal imstates not directly concerned quasibecility. neutrals, we might call them. Ic

CHINESE MINISTER IS

MEXICO CITY, May 28 .- A special train left the federal capital today, bound for Vera Cruz with pas sengers for the liner Ypiranga, which found to afford a substitute less teris to sail on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, May 28.-Secre-Among the occupants of the spe- tary Bryan instructed today Minister The supreme court of the world cial, which left a few minutes after McMillen at Lima, Pern, to recognize ought to be set up and at work the regular train, were the Chinese the government of Colonel Oscar within another two years, argued H minister and his wife and daughter, Benavides. In February this govern-P. MacFariand of Washington, bound for Havana. There were no ment recognized the provisional gov-Nothing is lacking for this supreme prominent Mexicans on the train. ernment. court which is to be known as the in-



WASHINGTON. May 28 .- A plan | money be used in the construction of for disposing of the battleships Idaho one dreadnaught in addition to the trust program. two dreadnaughts already provided for in the bill as it passed the house. Secretary Daniels explained to the

Greece is understood to be nego- the \$14,000,000 needed for a new tiating for the Mississippi and the dreadnaught by economy in other

where he will spend the summer at a Later Mrs. Riley testified, Dr. Elam 16 at 9 o'clock. She maintained was occasioned by inquiries particu- \$5,832,000 and the idaho \$5,894,000, approval of a majority of the commitwhere he will spend the summer at a Later Mrs. Riley testified, Dr. Elam 16 at 9 o'clock. She maintained was occasioned by inquiries particu-hotel. He was accompanied by his called her on the telephone and told there had been no improper conduct larly as to the Tampico oil fields and Scretary Daniels asked for an tee, and an amendment embodying These houses and fine legition have custodians, Sheriff Holman A. Drew, her he knew of the secret corres- in the taxicab in which the trio rode was regarded generally as "very sat- amendment to the naval bill permit- the plan was prepared for presentating the sale and providing that the tion to the same.

speedway today in their final prac- sion of business, there was abundtice spins in preparation for the an- ance of evidence that it was merely Saturday. The track will be closed rial condition or substantial reason tomorrow and hundreds of workmen why the business of the country will scrub it clean of weeks' accum- should be not in the most prosperous ulation of oil.

and expanding condition. He urged Five nations, the United States, on his visitors the necessity of pat-Great Britain, France, Germany and riotic co-operation on the part of the Belgium, will be represented in the business men of the country in orrace, and the drivers will include the der to support rather than to oppose pick of the racing pilots of the the moderate processes of reform. world, among them being Goux, win- and to help guide them by their own ner of last year's race; Dawson, intimate knowledge of business con-

winner of the 1912 contest; Boillot, ditions and processes, HERKIMER, N. Y., May 28,--Jean three times winner of the French He told his visitors it was his grand prix; Tetzlaff, Christiaens, carnest desire to serve and not to

NEW GOVERNMENT AT

AMONG MEXICAN REFUGEES fraction less than 100 miles an hour. viceable course."

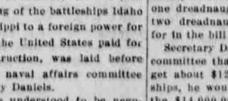
Burman, Oldfield, Chassagne, Wil- hinder or injure the business of the cox, De Palma, Disbrow and Grant. | country in any way, and he believed The fastest car, according to the that on reflection they would see elimination trials, is the French en- that the course he was urging would try, driven by Boillot, which made a in the long run not only, but in the lap of the track at the rate of a short run also, be the wise and ser-



NEW YORK, May 28 .- The market closed uneasy. The dull and uneventful day was partly relieved in the later dealings after publication of President Wilson's address to the nanufacturers in which he bespoke their co-operation and his desire to further business interests. This was qualified, however by nis expressed determination to carry out his anti-



PARIS, May 28.-Dispatches from WASHINGTON, May 28 .- General power, although it has condemned that while the Idaho and Mississippi Mexico City to fae French rovers-Carranza assured today the British them and afterward sold them with- were efficient ships for harbor de- ment state that the French charge fonse, they were not modern enough d'affaires in Mexico City has rented three houses adjoining the legation to serve as asylums for the French Leves provisioned and armed for day Course,



and Mississippi to a foreign power for just what the United States paid for

by Secretary Daniels.

CARRANZA ASSURES FOREIGNERS JUSTNESS

their construction, was laid before committee that while he expected to the senate naval affairs committee get about \$12,000,000 for the two

ships, he would be able to make up

Idaho. The United States has never lines. before sold battleships to a foreign Mr. Daniels told the committee