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BAR DELEGATES FROM CARRANZA

South American Diplomats Refuse to Recede From Original Demands for an Armistice, But Have No Objection to Informal Conference With Constitutionalists.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., June 12 The mediators will not officially admit to the conference here the representatives General Carranza has announced he will send to Niagara Falls. The South American diplomats said they could not recede from their original condition, demanding an armistice.

An Informal Conference

The dispatch from Saltillo yesterday stating that the Carranga note made no mention of the conditions under which he was sending delegates was shown to the mediators. They declined to make formal comment, but let it be known that their attitude had undergone no change. They reiterated that admission of the constitutionalists is and will continue to be contingent upon declaration of an armistice.

The mediators will have no objection if a conference could be held between the Huerta delegates, the Carranza delegates and the Ameri-

First Important Step

Mediation today had achieved its first important step. After nearly three weeks of parleying the medistors and the American and Huerta the second balloon reported wrecked delegates were ready formally to ap- in the terrific electrical storm which prove in full conference the method raged in the mountains last night, pair of damage caused to them and by which the executive power in Mex- the other being the Uncle Sam, whose their interests. ico City shall be transferred from pilot and passenger escaped injury the Huerta administration to a new provisional government.

The constitutionalist form of suceession permitting General Huerta to port of the Million Population ClCub appoint as minister of foreign af- disaster. The storm last night was fairs the man chosen here for the general and there is doubt if any of provisional presidency has been the balloons escaped it. Every point be recognizing Huerta's authority as parties into the densely forests constitutional. Instead there will be an abrupt transfer of authority to the new provisional president, with tail feathers gone, arrived here today the probability that the oath of office will be administered by the chief justice of the supreme court.

RESOLUTE WINS

ASSOCIATED PRESS BOAT, off Sandy Hook, N. J., June 12 .- The cup candidate yachts Vanitie and Resolute started on their seventh contest today in a fourteen knot breeze that promised a fast race. Instead of the beat to windward and return which had been planned, the regatta committee arranged a triangular windward and two long reaches-36 miles in all.

The boats began a pretty tussle for position before the warning whistle and got off about 11 o'clock, crossing the line within a few seconof each other. Resolute got the tion to release on bail. He declined weather position and was leading to say what had disarranged the protoward the first mark.

Resolute won. The unofficial

Resolute, 2:24:39; Vanitle 2:26:

QUIMET LEADER OF AMATUER GOLFERS

TROON, Scotland,, June 12. Francis Quimet of the Woodland Golf club, Massachusetts, open yolf champion of the United States, led midnight, 20 houses were destroyed all the amateurs with an aggregate at the Moundsville camping grounds. score of 154 in the two qualifying a summer colony near here, and two rounds concluded today for the open golf championship. Quimet was tied for 12th place in the entire list with SHARP OF ELYRIA TO BE

Tom Ball, champion of Belgium. The nearest amateur to Quimet is Gordon Lockhart, who is tied at the 25th position with a score of 157

Edward Ray and John H. Taylor. the older of the British open golf title, tied for first place with aggregate scores of 150.

TWO BALOONS:

Carrier Pigeon Brings Note Saying **Balloon Million Population Struck** by Lightning and Aeronaut Hurt-Aid Asked, But Whereahouts Unknown-Uncle Sam Also Wrecked.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 12 .-- A carrier pigeon arrived here at 12:45 p. m. with this message from the balloon Million Population Club:

Berry hurt. Come quick.

"MORRISON." (signed)

The message did not say where jects in Turkey, the balloon, which was one of the four to ascend from here yesterday under the auspices of the Aero club of America, had descended to earth. The Berry referred to is Captain John Berry of St. Louis, who is piloting the balloon. George Y. Morrison his passenger, signed the message.

Officials here are absolutely at sea as to where to look for the wrecked balloon and its injured came down somewhere in the craggy Cascade mountains, probably many miles from habitation.

A little white carrier pigeon, one of three which the balloon carried, arrived at its home here today, w and bedraggled and with the hastily scrawled note fastened to its leg.

The Million Population Club was

Anxiety for the two other balloon Kansas City III and Springfield still unheard from, increased with the reabandoned. The United States claim- for 200 miles southeast of here is ed that to follow this method would being requested to send searching

> Another carrier pigeon, with its but it did not bring any message This pigeon is believed to have escaped from the balloon Million Population Club. As Captain Berry released one pigeon last night, he probably has no message carriers left.

SEVENTH CONTEST JEROME OBJECTS TO THAW'S REMOVAL

WASHINGTON, June 12 .- Plans for an agreement between counsel for Harry K. Thaw and the state of New York to permit Thaw's removal from New Hampshire to Pennsylvania in course, which started with a beat to custody of officers to testify in court, the payment of the \$10,000 demand went awry today.

> its approval, William T. Jerome, rep- in the coal. resenting the state, merely filed a brief in opposition to Thaw's applicaposed agreement between the law years, and declared that any statement would come from Attorney General Carmody at Albany.

LIGHTNING KILLS TWO IN WEST VIRGINIA

WHEELING, W. Va., June 12. During a severe electrical storm which swept over this district last men were killed by lightning.

AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE

WASHINGTON, June 12.-Repre entative William G. Sharp of Elyria, O., was nominated today by President Wilson to be ambassador to France. succeeding Myron T. Herrick. Mr. Sharp is a democrt.

GREEK PREMIER

Tension Between Balkan Powers Near Breaking Point as Result of Persecutions of Greeks in Turkey and Aggressions of Turks Upon Greek Cities.

ATHENS, Greece, June 12 .- A warning to Turkey, which fell little short of a formal declaration of hostilities, was uttered today by "Balloon struck by lightning. Premier Vizelos of Greece in the chamber of deputies. He was speaking on the treatment of Greek sub-

> The premier's attitude showed that the tension between Greece and Turkey was near the breaking point and that the danger of war was imminent M. Venizelos obviously found it difficult to restrain his language when he spoke of the way in which

countrymen, "I do not wish to allow to escape me, words which cannot be recalled but I should fall in my duty if I did pilot. It is presumed the balloon not inform the chamber of deputies that the situation has become grave -even very grave," he said. "If a stop is not put to these conditions. the Hellenic government will be forced not to content itself with joining in the lamentations of unhappy

the Turks had treated his fellow

The Greek government today sent a vigorous note to Turkey, demanding the cessation of the persecution of the Greeks in Turkey and the re-

NEW YORK, June 12,-While arrangements were in progress today for the extradition to this city of Henry Wescott, a young negro ar- to be affected. rested last night near Bogota, N. J., \$10.00 under threats of blowing up Cunard Steamer with dynamite, city detectives continued their investigations in the belief that Wescott or Joseph Burton, as he later admitted his name to be, had the aid of one or more confederates.

Burton is in jail at Hackensack, N. J., but it was believed today that he would waive extradition and be brought to this city for arraignment. To the New York detectives and secret service men of the West Shore railroad, Burton is said to have contessed the authorship of the letters in which arrangements were made for as immunity for a Cunard Line steam-Instead of presenting such an er which the writer declared would be agreement to the spureme court for blown up at sea by placing dynamite

WHEAT GAMBLING **RUINS CHICAGO BROKERS**

posted on the Board of Trade that Sidney Long and Company had failed to pay their debit balance at the clearing house. The firm has been active on the bull side of the wheat market, which has recently suffered from a sharp decline.

NUMEROUS ADVANCES ON STOCK MARKET GOLF GAMES CAUSE

NEW YORK, June 12 .- The stock market closed steady; speculators favored the long side today. Bus ness was small, but there were numerous advances of a point or so. Sluggish conditions prevailed in the gains were reduced.

JONES CHOSEN

Chicago Lawyer and Personal Friend of Wilson to Be Nominated Monday-Other Members Are Warburg, Harding, Miller and Sim-

WASHINGTON, June 12.-Thomas B. Jones, a Chicago lawyer, former member of the Princeton university trustees and a personal friend of President Wilson, has practically been selected for governor of the federal reserve board. It was said unofficially today that his nomination would go to the senate Monday.

With the nomination of Mr. Jones, the names of Paul M. Warburg of New York, W. P. G. Harding of Birmingham, Ala.; A. C. Miller of San Francisco and E. C. Simmons of St. Louis, to be members of the board are expected to go to the senate. Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams of the currency bureau will be ex-officio members.

It was stated definitely at the white house that the president would formally announce the personnel of the board Monday.

Treasury department officials were still of the opinion today that it will be possible to have the twelve federal reserve banks in operation by August 1, although they say the demand for money to move crops has not been such as would suggest any great strain.

COPENHAGEN, June 12.-King Christian X of Denmark placed today an unexpected obstacle in the way of the plan of the Danish cabinet to dissolve the upper house of parliament and thus break the deadlock in electoral reforms. The king objected to the inclusion in the dissolution of the twelve members of the upper house nominated by himself, and said he wished only the fifty-four members

Radical politicians have advised the charged with attempting to obtain cabinet to resign unless the king gives way.

FAKE PREACHER SENT TO PRISON

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 12 .-George A. Barker, alias Wilson, alias that of a clergyman and whose oper- current forced us back. Finally the Portland, Tacoma and other cities of canopy, with lightning playing befour years in state's prison. The spe. back out. At about this time the cific charge on which he was con- first bolt of lightning struck us. We vicited was that of forging a check for could feel the shock, for it vibrated \$85 on a San Francisco bank. Hi arrest came just in time, according to the police, to nip a real estate It was especially noticeable in our swindle by which he stood to win

CHICAGO, June 12.—Notice was FOURTEEN FEDERAL **VOLUNTEERS EXECUTED**

EL PASO, Texas, June 12 .- Fourteen federal volunteers were executed last Tuesday at Chihuahua City according to a message received today. The men formed one of the bands We came down in a peach orchard which escaped after General Villa's just as a bolt of lightning struck a which escaped after General Villa's victory at Paredon.

EAST HAMPTON, L. I., June 12 Samuel Isham, widely known as an artist, bled to death today on the golf links of the Maidstone Country club here. While playing, an artery burst, and although two physicians was 59 years of age.

ANTILLA LANDS LORIMER'S BANK

Steamer Knew Nothing of Threatened Blockade by Federal Gunboats-President Wilson Issues Order to Obviate Conflict of Authority Over Shipments to Mexico.

TAMPICO, Mex. (via Laredo, Tex., June 12) .- The steamship Antilla from New York discharged today her cargo of ammunition for the constitutionalists.

Sixteen hundred cases of ammuni tion and two aeronlanes were immediately dispatched north on a special

Until after her arrival at the wharf here, the Antilia knew nothing of the projected blockade of the port or the presence of the federal gunboats Zaragoza and Bravo, outside the harbor.

The Antilla will sail tomorrow for Tantoyuea to recover the body of Weston Burwell, the American reported murdered by federals.

WASHINGTON, June 12.-President Wilson today issued an executive order to clear away any conflict of authority over shipments of arms to Mexico. It follows;

"As matters which relate to the clearance of vessels fall within the jurisdiction of the department of instructions to customs officers con- \$4,363,398. cerning the exportation of arms and munitions of war to Mexico by sea shall be given by that department. Similar instruction concerning such exportations by land shall be issued by the treasury department."

OREGON CITY, Or., June 12.-Captain H. E. Honeywell of St. Louis pilot of the balloon Uncle Sam, who arrived in Oregon City today after spending the night at a farmhouse near here, told a graphic story of his the La Salle Street Bank had conflight through a storm with Dr. W. E. tributed to the Brady campaign fund Stewart after ascending from Port- and that the contribution had been land vesterday afternoon. The ascent was his 195th and the experi- been consulted regarding appointence he had in a heavy electrical ments to be made by the state audistorm was the first of its kind. "After traveling four hours from

Portland," he said, "we dropped to withdrawn by depositors in the last the 500-foot level and tried to run in three weeks place the figures at between two storms, which were east and west of us. Soon we were in a great vortex, the storm from the west going southerly and that from the Wright, whose tavorite disguise was east going northerly and the counter ations had given him notoriety in two storms merged overhead like a the Pacific northwest, was sentenced tween both of them. We decided to today in the superior court here to take advantage of the north drift and through our bodies like a current of electricity from a voltage machine. hatbands, which of course were moist. thousands from a woman of Oakland, We trailed on, not thinking of any danger, in a northerly direction, and five minutes later a heavy bolt struck us, causing fire to fly from the rigging of the ear. The shock passed through our bodies, terminating in the ground through our trail rope, which made a perfect conductor, being wet. We then decided that this was too interesting for comfort and we concluded to land, but before a suitable place presented itself we were struck again by a light bolt. causing us to make a hurried descent on the Lindsey farm at 7:45 o'clock. of us and set fire to it."

DEATH OF ARTIST SPANISH PRISONERS KILL STANISH PRISONERS WILL STANISH WILL STANISH PRISONERS WILL STANISH PRISONERS WILL STANISH WILL

CEREBERE, France, June 12 .- A ail governor was assassinated and a large number of convicts killed or wounded as a result of a revolt yesterday in the Spanish prison of Figlatter part of the session and earlier worked to save him, he expired. He nerus, just over the frontier line is Cutalonia.

La Salle Street Trust & Savings Bank of Chicago and Subsidiary Institutions, Broadway, Ashland and Twelfth and Illinois State

aBnks Closed by Examiner.

CHICAGO, June 12 .- The La Salle Street Trust and Savings company organized by Wm. Lorimer five years ago when he was United States senator of Illinois and of which he has since been president was closed today by the state bank examiner.

While rumors of the final trouble

had been whispered of late, the actual closing of the institution was a surprise. Coincident with the closing of the La Salle Street bank, state examiners were sent to three banks ed the repeal, though avoiding menwhich have heavy deposits with the larger institutions. No statement of what the closing of the bank actually means in dolars was made by the examiner. Recent reports to the state auditor's office placed the deposits of the La Salle Street bank at more than \$5,000,000.

Capital is Million

In the last statement issued by the bank its capital stock was placed at \$1,000,000, with a surplus of \$250,-000, and undivided profits of \$93,-631. Its stock was then held at par, The statement gave the deposits as commerce, it is hereby ordered that \$5,508,556 and placed the loans at

Later the state bank examiner announced he had sent examiners to three banks in Chicago classed as subsidiaries of the La Salle street institution. The examiners caused a suspension of business in the three. the Broadway State Bank, in the North Side, the Ashland and Twelfth, in the West Side Chetto district, and the Illinois State Bank of Chicago in North Clark street.

In financial circles it was reported day refused to allow the La Salle clear through it.

Run on Bank "Mild"

haracterized by bank officials as 'mild" was attributed to allegations made in connection with the suit of John H. Coyne against State Auditor Brady, in which Coyne charged in his declaration in a suit for damages that made the basis of a claim that it had

Rough estimates of the amount more than \$1,000,000.

Examiner's Statement

Following the closing of the bank's doors, there was a crowd assembled in front, but there was no disorder. A policeman was detailed to stand guard, but there seemed to be no call for his services.

Daniel V. Harkin, chief state bank examiner for Cook county, explained that he had not intended to close the bank when he entered it today.

"I did not mean to take posses sion," he said, "but I soon discovered I must. It looked extremely doubtful if the bank could continue to weather the situation. At present

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EXPECT GREECE TO FIGHT TURKEY

LONDON, June 12 .- The threat of grand jury began today an investigsanother Greecian-Turkish war did not tion into the alleged combination of come as a surprise to diplomats here commission merchants throughout large dead tree within forty yards today. It was pointed out that events the country to control prices of fruits in the Near East during recent and vegetables, Criminal prosecution months had been kindling the strong- is sought by District Attorney Wilkerest animosities between the two peo- son. Witnesses included Chicago

> ty of Greek Christians from the pro- change through two boards of convince of Thrace, while Turkey ac- trol, one here and one in Brawley, cuses Greece of opressing former Cal. It is said the attorney general Turkish subjects in the region of has directed grand jury investigation Saloniki, which was taken by the in New York, Pittsburgh, Kansse Greeks in the recent Balkan war. City and Denver as well as Chi

Without Formality of a Conference, House by Vote of 216 to 71 Sends Long Fought Measure to President for Approval-Mann Declares the Fight Over Free Tolls Is a Draw.

WASHINGTON, June 12 .- Without he formality of a conference the house today by a vote of 216 to 71 accepted the senate's amendment to the repeal of the Panama tolls exemption and sent the bill to President Wilson,

Representative Glass of Virginia, democrat, in a lively defense of the president, made a sensational attack on his own party leaders, who oppostioning them by name.

Repudiates Exemption Heresy

"This proceeding is not ungrudging," Mr. Glass added. "It is assinine. Congress should legislate and quit talking so much. I repudiate those men who wrote the heresy of exemption into the democratic platform."

Representative Mondell of Wyoming, democrat, said the senate amendment was not a compromise, but a "straddle."

Republican Leader Mann announeed his intention to support the senate amendment, which, he said, "makes this whole long fight over the free tolls issue a draw, open for future deliberation and for future decision."

Acceptable to All

Chairman Adamson of the commerce committee, in charge of the bill, at once moved that the house concer with the amendments instead of sending it to conference.

"The senate amendment," he said, should be acceptable to all advocates of uniform tolls. It is exceedingly that the Corn Exchange Bank yester- appropriate that the statement contained in the amendment should be Street Trust and Savings Bank to made and promulgated in connection with the repeal bill itsetf-it is nothing but the truth and substantially The run on the bank, which was the same declaration has been made y us on the floor of the

OF STRIKE LEADERS

TRINIDAD, Colo., June 12 .-That the eastern organizers of the United Mineworkers of America. who arrived a few days ago, may remain in the strike district with the understanding that "nothing will be done by them to irritate or inflame the situation" is the text of a telegram received by Colonel James Lockett, in command of the federal troops here, from Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge, who acted in the absence of Secretary Garrison.

Until the matter is finally de cided by Secretary Garrison, the eastern organizers will be permitted to take up the duties assigned them. At military headquarters today Colonel Lockett made it clear that there would be no deportation and that as long as the organizers cooperated with the federal authorities I cannot say whether the bank will and maintained a peaceful attitude ever resume operations. The three that they would not be interfered

FEDERAL PROBE OF **COMMISSION TRUST**

CHICAGO, June 12 .- The federal

commission merchants and testimon; Greece accuses Turkey of the is said to have concerned the opera wholesale expulsion with great cruel tions of the Western Cantaloupe Ex-