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With Medford Stop-Over

MEDIATION MARKS TIME; DEADLOCK SEEMS HOPELESS

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., June 19.—The American and Huerta delegates hold firmly today to the opposite views expressed by them in public statements explaining the type of man desired by each side for provisional president of Mexico.

Both sides having gone on record, the prospect is that neither will give way and that there will be a complete breakdown of mediation.

Mediators Pessimistic

The American delegates still have some names to submit, but the Huerta delegates have opposed energetically all persons suggested thus far, and there is little likelihood that any name emanating from the Americans will be considered seriously. The mediators, as a last resort, will submit a list of five names. There is a faint hope that one of these will be acceptable, but even the mediators do not profess optimism.

Aside from the inability to select a man for provisional president, a controversy has developed between the American and Huerta delegates as to how the elections for permanent president, to be conducted by the provisional government, should be supervised. Likewise, the American delegates, in insisting on a constitutionalist for provisional president have argued that the constitutionalist party not only dominates the country from a military point of view but is numerically in the majority.

America Files Reply

Emilio Rabasa, the head of the Mexican delegation emphatically denies today that the constitutionalists controlled the greater portion, saying millions of people had been passive and had not indicated in any way that they favored the revolution. He argued also the impracticability of a bi-partisan election board, such as has been proposed by the American delegation.

"The American representatives utterly repudiate any suggestions that the American president has any intent of destroying the electoral liberty of Mexico," was the reply made to the suggestion of Mr. Rabasa the putting the constitutionalists in control of the provisional government was tantamount to abetting and even exacting fraud, at the elections.

APPROVES BLOOMERS FOR WOMEN SWIMMERS

CHICAGO, June 19.—Bloomer bathing suits for women received the sanction today of the Chicago police department in a statement made public by Herman Schuettler, acting chief of police.

"I believe skirts a hindrance to women swimmers," said Schuettler. "A bloomer suit that is respectable and proper will be all right. It depends on the individual. The police department does not intend to dictate styles for bathing suits as long as the suits are decent."

GUNBOAT SMITH TO FIGHT FRENCH CHAMPION

LONDON, June 19.—Gunboat Smith, the American heavyweight pugilist, and Georges Carpentier, the French heavyweight, deposited today \$5000 each as a guarantee in their twenty-round fight to take place at Olympia, July 14.

REJECTS A CROWN OF GLORY

PUBLIC officials, especially those of small towns, have a way of taking themselves too seriously. They bear, or think they do, upon their shoulders the burdens of the community and are frequently alternately oppressed and inflated with importance—lacking a saving sense of humor.

It is with regret that we notice that Colonel Sargent, councilman from the second ward, in the first skirmish over water rates, lost the perfect poise that distinguishes military men under fire and delivered a twenty-minute verbal broadside because he was called the "bell wether" of the council—a title he declares "libelous, slanderous and infamous." In fact, the awful epithet is little less than lese majeste, and without doubt the guilty party should be court-martialed and shot at sunrise by the Sleepy Seventh.

This would undoubtedly be the case were the doughty colonel still serving Uncle Sam instead of the people. In those days he got his authority from above and could cuss the rank and file. Now, in the proud position of councilman, he gets his authority from below, and the rank and file can cuss him—that's part of the glorious American and sacred Oregon systems.

As a matter of fact, instead of feeling insulted at being styled bell wether, the colonel should feel highly delighted, as the title is a graceful acknowledgment of his leadership—a subtle and delicate recognition of his commanding ability. Bell wether, as defined by Webster, means "to bear the bell—to be the first or leader." Hence as bell wether of the council, the colonel bears the bell—is the first, or leader.

Surely the epigrammatic and terse colonel does not mean to hint that he is libeled and slandered at being published as first or leader! The other councilmen might have reason to feel provoked at the honor thus thrust upon one of their number and their own neglect, but surely not the colonel. Perhaps, though, the colonel, being a modest man, is really provoked because of the slighting of his brother councilmen and is accordingly moved by bitter resentment. Perhaps he is trying to convince them that he had no part in the concentration of glory upon himself and censures those who thus honored him in order to keep peace with his fellow-officials.

If, however, the colonel was in earnest and is really indignant at the honor thrust upon him, because he believes that he is not fit to wear such a crown of glory, and that it is libelous, slanderous and infamous to style him the first or leader—well, the colonel ought to know, he may be right.

Meanwhile, as Mr. James so convincingly expressed it, in the language of Mutt and Jeff, the colonel should "bibble."

SIX STEAMER LINES TO USE PANAMA CANAL

WASHINGTON, June 19.—Six established steamship lines already have served notice upon the Panama canal management of their intention to make regular use of the waterway. One vessel from the west coast ports of South America will be at the Pacific gates of the canal July 3 seeking to make her way to Liverpool by that route and thus to initiate a fortnightly service between Liverpool and the west side of South America. An American steamship line now operating four steamers on the Pacific side and six on the Atlantic are awaiting the opening of the canal to merge all ten into a regular line between San Francisco and New York.

200 MINERS CAUGHT IN BLAZING COLLIERY

LIEGE, Belgium, June 19.—Two hundred coal miners were entombed in the Vieille-Marthaye colliery, near here, when fire broke out today. Two hundred of their comrades escaped when the alarm was given. The fire was still raging this afternoon and every effort was being made to rescue the miners left in the pits.

CONGRESSMAN MURRAY BOSTON'S POSTMASTER

WASHINGTON, June 19.—The nomination of Congressman William F. Murray of Massachusetts to be post master at Boston was prepared for submission to the senate today by President Wilson.

John A. Perl UNDERTAKER Lady Assistant 20 S. BARTLETT Phone M. 47 and 47-JB Ambulance Service Deputy Coroner

KLEIN FOR KLOTHES MADE IN MEDFORD Next door to First National Bank, upstairs MEDFORD TAILORS

LUCKLESS CHINESE FORCED TO SERVE ANOTHER'S TERM

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 19.—John E. Hoyle, former warden of San Francisco prison, recalled today a case similar to that of Albert Johanson, a young Norwegian sailor given his freedom yesterday after serving two days of a three-year sentence for a crime he knew nothing about.

In 1892 said Hoyle a deputy sheriff became intoxicated while en route to San Quentin with a Chinese and lost his prisoner. The deputy after a frantic search picked up another Chinese near Sausalito and took him to San Quentin in place of the real prisoner. The luckless Oriental wore stripes for four months before he convinced the authorities that he wasn't the right man.

While at San Quentin Warden Hoyle employed Peter Grimes, alias James Rogers, accused of having kidnapped Johanson in a Nagasaki, Japan, saloon and substituting the Norwegian for himself on a United States army transport that was to bring Grimes here to serve three years at San Quentin for forgery, as his private secretary. At that time

BREAD AND CAKE SALE

The L. A. Society of Zion Lutheran church will have on sale home-made bread and cake on Saturday afternoon, June 20, at corner of Fir and Main streets.

Do not bake on Saturday.

Have You Seen ELIZABETH



The Living Doll. If not, why not? AT THE CARNIVAL

Prepare for the 4th of July

Have your Gowns, Suits, Gloves, Plumes cleaned for the occasion by the best equipped plant in southern Oregon.



HATCHES EIGHTEEN CHICKS FROM 17 EGGS

Oregon has been in the lead for the best egg in point of size for some time, but now comes the best hatch yet reported. Mrs. V. G. Frost of Phoenix, Or., set a hen on seventeen eggs and that hen brought out eighteen perfect chickens. The birds may be seen at Mrs. Frost's home, near the Phoenix city reservoir.

CRITERION THE SEASON'S FAVORITE Ide Silver Collar 2 for 25c

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TWO CRUISES AROUND the WORLD through the PANAMA CANAL Leaving San Francisco by the large Cruising Steamships CINCINNATI, FEB. 8 (Ports of call include a visit to the San Diego Exposition) and the CLEVELAND, FEB. 22 Visiting all the Principal Cities of the World Passengers on these cruises may return from Hamburg by the world's largest steamships, "Vaterland" or "Imperator" Write for Illustrated Booklet HAMBURG-AMERICAN LINE 41-45 Broadway, New York or Local Agents

Grimes was serving time for forgery. According to information received here, Grimes has been recaptured at Nagasaki, but will not be returned to the United States as forgery is not an extraditable offense. The state department at Washington, has informed the federal authorities here, however, that the Japanese government intends to prosecute Grimes for offenses committed in that country.

TWEEDY NOMINATED PENDLETON POSTMASTER WASHINGTON, June 19.—President Wilson today nominated at Pendleton, Oregon, T. J. Tweedy, as postmaster.

The Sunkist Orange With the Different Flavor Ask for "Sunkist Valencias" The Valencia Sunkist is the California Summer Orange—a sweet, juicy, luscious fruit, ripened on the tree. Easy to peel, and practically seedless. Some are dark in exterior appearance, some lighter in color. But all are a deep red inside and sparkling with healthful juice. Oranges are picked in California every day in the year, and the Late Valencia is one of the very finest ever grown. Glove-picked, tissue-wrapped, shipped right from the tree—you get it fresh with the real tree-ripened flavor. Don't buy merely "oranges." Buy the California Fruit Growers Exchange 139 N. Clark Street, CHICAGO (24)

ULRICH & RYAN QUOTE AS FOLLOWS: Fruit Cane Sugar in 100-lb. sacks \$5.25 Fruit Cane Sugar in 48-lb. sacks \$2.60 Fruit Cane Sugar, 18 lbs. for \$1.00 Fruit Cane Sugar, 9 lbs. for 50c Everlasting Fruit Jars, half-gallons, doz. 65c Everlasting Fruit Jars, pints, per doz. 45c Matches, 3c per bunch; Holly Cream, 8c per can; Astor Cream, 8c per can; Small White Beans, 5c per lb. Baking Powder, all makes, half-pound can, 20c; lb. can, 40c; Tomatoes from 6c to 10c per can; Crisco, medium sized packages, 45c per can; Pure Lard, 10-lb. can, \$1.20; 5-lb. can, 60c; First-Class Coffee, 25c per lb. Just received, large lot of Ladies', Children's and Gents' Underwear and Hosiery. We aim to keep a full line of General Merchandise, and we aim to undersell any store in the city, and as we sell for cash only and buy for cash and do not lose any bad debts, hence that can be easily done. We hereby extend an invitation to the merchants of the city to call and inspect our low prices, but bring a doctor along for fear of heart failure when the low prices are seen. One delivery each day. We are expecting an advance in sugar tomorrow, but while the price is right, we predict that sugar will go to \$6.00 per 100 pounds within sixty days.

SPECIAL SALE SURPLUS BEDDING STOCK CASH ONLY Geraniums . . . 50c to 75c per Doz. Cannas . . . 75c per Doz. Salvia . . . 50c per Doz. Dahlias in 4 in. pots . \$1.00 per Doz. Daisies, Mrs. Sanders 50c to 75c per Doz. Pierce The Florist Greenhouses 1005 E. Main Phone 374