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Huerta Will Agree to Mediation Anti-American Sentiment Wanes in Mexico

MEXICANS TURNING ON HUERTA, ACCORDING TO REPORTS COMING NORTH; TROOPS AT VERA CRUZ

DANGER OF AMERICANS IN THE CAPITAL IS VERY MUCH ABATED TODAY

Merchants at Tampico Are Reported to Have Urged Admiral Fletcher to Land the Marines, Fearing That the Rebels Might Otherwise Attack and Sack the City—Funston's Brigade May Believe the Marines.

By W. G. SHEPHERD (Mexico Correspondent United Press) VERA CRUZ, April 27.—Reports from Mexico City and elsewhere indicate the conditions in the country are improving, and that the danger of Americans being attacked and murdered has abated greatly.

is the fatherland, and America is fighting all of Mexico. The United States is NOT fighting Mexico and the Mexicans, but is fighting Huerta. Huerta and his followers asked our government by a foul murder, and they do not represent Mexico. It is reported that the merchants of Tampico urged Admiral Fletcher to land the American marines there, fearing that otherwise the rebels might sack the city. Communication with Mexico City has been restored. Another train of refugees will reach here tomorrow.

NOGALES, April 27.—A message received from Em Palme, over the railroad wire, says American marines took possession of Guayamas, on the Gulf of California, without firing a shot. VERA CRUZ, April 27.—Brigadier General Funston's Fifth brigade arrived in transports last night. Just as preparations were finished to land, some hitch occurred, and the troops are still aboard. It is believed that the bluejackets and marines will be withdrawn and the army placed in charge of land operations. The marine outpost extends several miles.

PRESIDENT GETS HIS HAND IN THE COLORADO STRIKE

THREATENS TO SEND REGULAR TROOPS THERE

Chairman of the Congressional Probe Committee Is Sent to Ask Rockefeller to End the Strike Before Uncle Sam's Troops Are Dispatched to Bring About Peace in Troubled District Once More

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—President Wilson this morning sent Congressman Foster, chairman of the congressional committee investigating the Colorado strike to New York to see John D. Rockefeller, and demand directly that he end the strike immediately. Foster was instructed to tell Rockefeller, as the man controlling the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, that if Rockefeller will end the strike no action will be taken, but that if he declines to, the regular army would be sent there with instructions to preserve peace and order.

United Press Service NEW YORK, April 27.—Congressman Foster was unable to see Rockefeller in person, but talked with his son. "Nothing was accomplished," he said. "I am not sure whether I will return. There is nothing of immediate promise in the air, and that is about all I have to say now." Foster indicated that he would return to Washington for further instructions. All efforts to get a statement from Rockefeller failed. It is understood that the son listened to Foster's demands, but refused to make any concession.

U.S. POPULATION IS 109,000,000 FIRST OF JULY

OREGON ESTIMATED TO HAVE 783,239 PEOPLE

According to the System of Calculating Used by the Census Bureau, San Francisco Has Grown to 448,502 in Last Four Years, and Los Angeles Is About 10,000 Behind It. Portland Goes Over Quarter Million

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—The United States is now a country of 109,000,000 people, according to the bulletin containing the estimates of population for the years subsequent to the thirteenth census, soon to be published by Director William J. Harris of the bureau of the census, department of commerce. It was prepared under the supervision of C. S. Sloane, geographer.

As stated, the estimated population of the United States for July 1, 1914, will be 109,021,392. The population of the United States and its possessions in 1910 was 101,748,269; so there will have been an estimated gain of over 7,000,000 persons in a little more than four years. The corresponding estimated population of continental United States for July 1, 1914, is 98,781,324, as compared with the population of 91,972,266, as returned by enumerators April 15, 1910. This bulletin also presents the estimates of population in 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, for the states and territories, and for cities which had 8,000 or more inhabitants in 1910. Estimates of population are required primarily for use in the census bureau in calculating death rates and per capita averages for years other than the census year. The so-called

Vera Cruz Is Completely Pacified Marine Band Rendered Sunday Concert in Plaza



United Press Service VERA CRUZ, April 27.—The pacification of this city is now complete. Mexicans crowded the city's cafes last night, a chatting, laughing throng while the American Marine band played concerts in the plaza in the afternoon and evening. These were attended by enthusiastic audiences. While the Mexican refugees last night awaited trains, they were fed by the Americans, and the band played "Get Out and Get Under."

LATIN AMERICA IS HOPEFUL OF BRINGING PEACE

HUERTA SAID TO BE IN RECEPTIVE MOOD

Whether the United States Army Invades Mexico or the Marines and Bluejackets Are Withdrawn Depends Upon the Happenings of the Next Forty-Eight Hours Claim Officials.

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—It is intimated from two sources late this afternoon that Huerta has agreed to accept the mediation plan given by Secretary Bryan, according to the dictator's own admission. Bryan would not divulge his source of information, although he indicated that the Spanish ambassador was one.

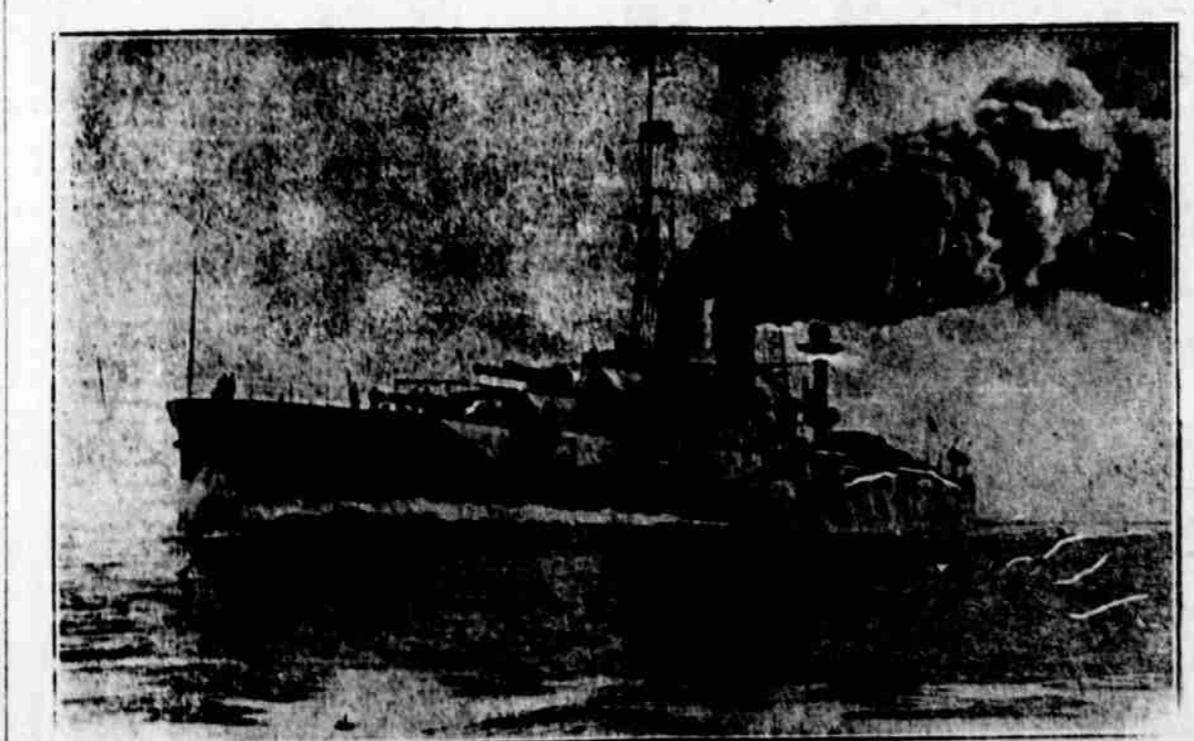
United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—Practically all the Latin American nations have united to force an agreement for the restoration of order in Mexico. According to officials, the next forty-eight hours will determine whether the army will invade Mexico or the marines and troops will be recalled. President Wilson and Secretary Bryan are hopeful that Huerta's ac-

A Mysterious Shooting

Woman Is Wounded, and Man Is in Jail at Dorris

Two bullet holes in one of George Rudical's rent cars, one through the left rear door and the other through the glass wind shield, bear evidence of a lively few minutes for Lawrence Sanderson, driver of the car. The shooting occurred at Dorris, about 11 o'clock Saturday night. At 5:30 Saturday evening George Rudical, whose home is in Klamath Falls, and a woman appeared at the Ford garage to hire a car and driver for a trip to Dorris. The woman, who is believed to be A. E. Harbeuh, a teacher of the Klamath Hot Springs school, said she had a little matter of business to attend to in Dorris that would probably take her twenty minutes. On account of the bridge conditions at Keno, the party had to go by way of Spencer Creek, and did not reach Dorris till after 10 o'clock at night. The couple got out of the car just before entering Dorris, and arranged with Sanderson to meet them at the outskirts of the city within half an hour. During the wait Sanderson went into town and was warming himself at a stove in one of the saloons when Dr. Safely, a Dorris physician, came in and asked him if he was not the fellow who drove a man and a woman over from Klamath Falls. The doctor seemed excited, and hurried out. Later, just as Sanderson and his passengers were starting on their return trip, Dr. Safely and the town constable approached in a machine. Rudical pulled a gun and ordered Sanderson to go ahead at full speed. At the same time the constable and

Biggest Ship in the Navy Sails Southward



According to advices from Washington, the Texas, the largest warship in the United States navy, is now under full steam, going toward the Gulf of Mexico, to join the other ships of the Atlantic fleet, assembled there under Admiral Badger. The Texas, when the other ships were ordered south, was undergoing repairs at the Brooklyn navy yard. These were completed Sunday, and the ship immediately started south when it left the ways.

Woman Burned to Death

Mrs. Clara Moore Falls Fainting Into Fireplace

Lying unconscious in an open fireplace for fifteen minutes or longer, while the fire burned every portion of her body above her knees, Mrs. Clara Moore, a pioneer resident of Klamath county, received injuries Saturday night that resulted in her death that night. The horrible tragedy occurred at the woman's ranch in Poe Valley late Saturday afternoon. All of the details will never be known, as the woman was alone for twenty-five minutes before she was discovered in the terrible predicament by the hired man. When rescued Mrs. Moore was lying in the fire, her body furnishing fuel for the flames. All of the clothing had been burned from her body, and her hair and head were all burned. A shoulder and arm that were touching an andiron were burned crisp clear to the bone. After rescuing the woman from the fire, the ranch hand ran the half mile that separates her home from that of Ellsworth and Elmer Moore, her sons, and called them. After this a summons was sent here for her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Casey, and Drs. Hamilton and Morrow. Following their arrival at Poe Valley the woman, suffering intensely, was brought to Klamath Falls, in the hope of relieving her terrible sufferings, but ten minutes after she reached here a merciful Providence placed her beyond all bodily suffering. Before she left Poe Valley Mrs. Moore regained consciousness. She stated that she was undressing in the warm glow of the fire, and that a garment dropped into the fire, igniting. Becoming frightened, she says, she fainted, and knew no more. That she at once fell heading into the blazing hearth is shown by a bad gash on her head, where she struck the fireplace during her fall. The steels of her corset were found in the fire, which proved that she was not entirely undressed, and that her clothing was burned from her body. Mrs. Moore was a native of Ohio, and was born in 1846. In 1886 she came to Klamath county, and they settled on the ground now occupied by Hot Springs addition to Klamath Falls, clearing and tilling it for several years, before moving to Poe Valley. In addition to Elmer and Ellsworth Moore, twin brothers, who resided near their mother, Mrs. Moore is survived by the following children: George Moore of Moulton, Wash.; Charles Moore of Lake county and Grover Moore of Chico. The funeral arrangements have not been made as yet.