

MEDIATION NOW CLOSE TO BEING DISMAL FAILURE

HUERTISTS AND AMERICANS ARE WIDELY DIVIDED

American stands positive that Provisional President must be a Constitutionalist — Huertists remain silent, and actions indicate that they expect a failure—Bryan tells delegates to stand pat

United Press Service
NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., June 19.—The failure of the mediation efforts seems almost certain. The American and Huerta delegates seem to be divided irreconcilably.

There is a faint hope that the mediators themselves may choose the provisional president, but the Americans are firm that he shall be a constitutionalist.

The Mexican delegates have become suddenly reserved, and they act as though they expected a failure.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19.—President Wilson and Secretary Bryan conferred today regarding the hitch in mediation. After this Bryan notified Delegate Lemar that America has decided to stand pat by its proposal.

It was announced that if mediation collapses, Wilson will make a statement, taking the public into his confidence on all he hoped to accomplish, etc.

It is believed that as soon as mediation fails, if it does, the United States will lift the embargo on arms, thus helping the northern rebels. It is also feared that when this is done Huerta's forces will attack Funston's army at Vera Cruz for a reprisal.

The war department is in readiness to meet such an emergency, as it is believed that Huerta would rather fall before the Americans than the rebels, and will try to invite an invasion.

United Press Service

FREEMONT, Ill., Many of the best distance motorcycle riders of the Middle West were entered in the 120-mile endurance run to be held today under the auspices of the Freemont Motorcycle Club.

Jap Exclusion Up Soon

Bryan Is Conferring With the Coast Delegation

CALIFORNIA CONGRESSMAN WHO IS FIGHTING THE ADMISSION OF THESE ALIENS, SAYS HIS BILL IS TO BE INTRODUCED BY THE COMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION MATTERS.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19.—Prospects for the consideration of legislation with a view to excluding the Japanese, Chinese and Hindus from the United States are bright, according to Congressman John E. Raker of California. He stated today that the matter would come up within a month.

This is a matter that is pregnant with prospects for international entanglements. For this reason it has been sidetracked and "soft pedaled" before upon the solicitation of the administration.

According to Raker, President Wilson, Secretary Bryan, Immigration Commissioner Camminetti and others connected with the administration have been in conferences with the Pacific Coast delegation several times of late, discussing points in the issue

EXTENSION BILL COMING UP SOON

ENCOURAGING LETTER IS RECEIVED BY WATER USERS ASSOCIATION FROM CONGRESSMAN SINNOTT

The following letter was received today by Secretary Albert E. Elder of the Klamath Water Users Association from Congressman N. J. Sinnott:

"I am glad to write that the committee on rules of the house has voted for a rule of procedure which will enable the reclamation bill to be considered and voted on in the house. It is thought that a vote will be had the latter part of this month or the early part of July."

STEAM ROLLER ON THE BALL PARK

GARRETT CONSTRUCTION COMPANY'S BIG TRACTION IS MASHING DOWN HIGH SPOTS—FAST DIAMOND

When the baseball season is over chunks of the MODOC Park diamond are to be cut up into the regular size and placed on the market for pool and billiard tables, so level and so smooth is that portion of the field where the ball is in play. "Scoop" Dahl and a force of men are at work today putting the diamond in shape for Sunday's game with Montague.

In addition to the volunteer laborers and their efforts, J. H. Garrett's huge steam roller is at the ground, and is devoting the afternoon to smoothing down the ridges, etc. The services of the big machine were donated by Garrett, and he has told the team they can use it at other times during the season.

Allie Juozapaitis of Rockford, Ill., was married the other day to Anastasia Zuzawicis. The dispatch says she married to shorten her name.

The Women's Aerial League of England has offered a prize of \$5,000 to the first aviator who flies across the Atlantic ocean.

Experts are now pointing out the danger of putting too much power into light automobiles.

Zacatecas, Where General Huerta Is Making His Last Stand



A battle which may result decisively in the fight between the constitutionalists and General Huerta is soon to be fought at Zacatecas, a Huerta stronghold on the road to Mexico City. The photograph shows a view of the city taken from a hill above it. The beautiful old Mexican town is in a valley surrounded by lofty mountains. In the center of the picture may be seen the cathedral with the right tower broken in half, a reminder of the revolution of Madero. After the constitutionalists took Tampico and Saltillo it was expected they would begin the attack on San Luis Potosi and then go on into Mexico City. But they decided to approach the capital through Zacatecas and Guansajuato. Their armies made a long detour from San Luis Potosi to the west. The attack on Zacatecas was begun by General Panfilo Natera, recently placed in command of the central army of the constitutionalists. General Medina Barron, the Huerta commander, defended the town for the federal government. Reports indicate that 10,000 men were in the assaulting force, and that they had previously cut the remaining railroad communication to the south. Constitutionalists declared that to escape from Zacatecas and make their way south the federal

DISMISSAL IS DENIED IN CASE

SUPREME COURT RULES ON BENDER'S MOTION TO DISMISS THE APPEAL IN THE BAMBER ACTION

According to advices received from Salem, the supreme court has denied the motion of the respondent for a dismissal of the appeal of the suit of the Klamath Lumber company against Stella M. Bamber.

The case was taken from the justice court to the circuit court, and was appealed from the circuit court by W. M. Duncanson, attorney for the lumber concern.

KLAMATHITES WED IN SISKIYOU CO.

ASHLEY-HENDRICKS AND MARTIN-NAIL MARRIAGES ARE SOLIEMNIZED ACROSS THE STATE LINE

Two Klamath county couples were married at Yreka last week, according to the Yreka Journal.

Last Wednesday Miss Maud E. Nail and R. H. Martin of this city were married, Rev. J. J. Cowen performing the ceremony.

The following day Justice C. E. Johnson united G. Homer Ashley and Helen A. Hendricks of Weed. The groom is owner of a motorcycle garage, and was formerly connected with the Big Basin Lumber company's office force.

NEW RODEO BADGE HAS QUICK SALE

ROOSTER BUTTON, SHOWING BALDY GREEN ACTING UP, IS PLACED ON THE MARKET BY UNDERWOOD'S PHARMACY

The latest Rodeo boosting novelty is the Rodeo button, manufactured for the Underwood Pharmacy, and placed on sale this morning. All day there has been a big run for these badges.

The button, which was made to order, gives the date of the Rodeo and the slogan, "Scratch 'em, C'cowboy." In addition there is a two-color picture of Pete Wilson on Baldy Green, and the outlaw clear off the ground. This is made from one of Emmet McGee's copyright Rodeo pictures.

Fourteenth Infantry Off for Alaska

United Press Service
SAN FRANCISCO, June 19.—The United States army transport Buford today is en route for Alaska, carrying part of the Fourteenth Infantry, which has been designated to relieve the Thirteenth Infantry. The Thirteenth, which is distributed along a thousand miles of the Alaskan coast, will be returned to the mainland, first coming to the Presidio here.

About 500 men will be taken to Alaska, and the same number shipped home. The Buford has been in drydock, and after a thorough overhauling presents the appearance of a new vessel.

A noiseless bowling alley is a French novelty.

BLUE OARSMEN TAKE THE RACE

HARVARD CREW IS DEFEATED IN THE ANNUAL BOAT RACE ON THE THAMES—CRIMSON FROSH WIN

United Press Service
NEW LONDON, Conn., June 19.—Before 25,000 spectators the Yale university rowing eight defeated the Harvard oarsmen in the annual varsity race on the Thames. In the contest between the Freshmen eights, the Crimson team won.

INJURED CHILD OUT OF DANGER

ALTHOUGH BADLY BRUISED AS RESULT OF BEING RUN OVER, ORVILLE HAMILTON IS NOT SERIOUSLY HURT

After being carefully watched for several hours by Drs. Johnson and Cathey for signs of internal injury, Orville Hamilton, the little son of Councilman J. H. Hamilton was this afternoon pronounced in no serious danger as the result of being run down by an automobile Thursday afternoon.

The machine passed over his abdomen, and there is naturally soreness as a result, but none of the organs were affected, and Orville will soon be up and out again.

As a means of solving the servant girl problem, it is suggested that a domestic compulsory service of the lines of military conscription in Germany be started in this country.

Great Britain in 1907 produced 24,674,170 gallons of apple cider.

VILLA SAID TO NOW BE SUPREME MILITARY HEAD

IS SCOUTING BEFORE ATTACKING THE CITY

Reports From Over Northern Boundary Indicate That Carranza and His Cabinet Made All the Concessions Demanded by the Former

United Press Service

EL PASO, Tex., June 19.—Dispatches from Torreon today indicate that General Francisco Villa has won every point in his controversy with President Carranza of the constitutionalist force.

Carranza has agreed to Villa's ultimatum that Villa is to have supreme control of military affairs, while Carranza will be supreme in civil affairs. It is believed that Carranza decided to accept the situation gracefully, and lose no time haggling.

United Press Service

TORREON, June 19.—The advance guard of Villa's army has reached Calera. There will be no general movement against the federal forces at Zacatecas until Villa and his subordinate officers have a chance to consult General Natera, who led the last fight there, and look over the ground.

All of the ammunition shipped from New York on the steamer Antilla has reached Villa. As a result the rebels can carry the fight to Mexico City without delay.

Home From Eugene

Fred Dunbar returned from Eugene Thursday night, where he has completed his Sophomore year. Fred will be busy again this summer in the Van Riper Brothers' grocery.

"Get the Farmer Money"—O'Donnell

Reclamation Commissioner Says It's Up to Town to Help the Country

The farmer on the reclamation projects, although held to be a poor farmer by popular opinion, is proven to be above the average by the government records. What he needs is capital with which to provide market facilities, or to purchase the stock for the consumption of his crops, and in this matter it is the duty of the townspeople to meet the farmer half way, or more than that, and arrange for the money he needs. When the farmers begin to progress, then the whole country will go ahead.

This is the way that I. D. O'Donnell, a member of the reclamation commission, sizes up the matter. He states, also, that in his trips over the Klamath project he finds this one to be ahead of many others, as to soils. "The local opinion is always that the farmer is making no progress," said Mr. O'Donnell. "It takes an outsider to see how the project farmers are getting ahead, and after a trip over all of the Klamath project, I am convinced that the farmers here are making good. All are at work irrigating, levelling, grading, etc., and it can easily be seen that splendid development has been made in the last three or four years.

"When I speak of the farmers making good, I don't mean that they are rolling up great big bank rolls. I mean that they are making good on their farms, and are putting in the proper kind of improvements. There are many problems in connection with farming here that have to be worked out yet. The kind of crops best adapted to the soil, the drainage and seepage matters—all these have to be solved here. This is the same, though, on every project, and most projects have worse problems to work out than you have here. I find from

observation that the general soil here is splendid.

"Another thing favorable that I noticed is the fact that the Klamath farmers are all anxious to find better methods of farming. All of the meetings we held on the project were well attended, the talks were heard with interest, and the farmers showed a hunger for information. The work of County Agricultural Agent McCall will therefore prove of great benefit, for here you have men who seek to improve their methods.

"This project, like all in the West, is up against the lack of market facilities. While we have been working to improve the productivity of the farm, and have increased the output many fold, we have overlooked at the same time the vital matter of providing some outlet for these products. What avail is it to a man to raise bumper crops many miles from a center if he cannot market these? The man with a quarter of the crop, who is closer to a market, has much the advantage over him.

"Here is where there is need of co-operation, especially between the farmer and the town people, for the greater profit of the farmer, the more prosperity for the town.

"As soon as sufficient money can be made available for the farmer to develop his markets, the era of prosperity will begin. If he can purchase the proper kind of stock, the farmer on the Klamath project can feed the stock the cheapest product of the project, and transform it into the highest priced commodities in the market.

"I believe it is one of the duties of the Chamber of Commerce to develop the farmer's market by furnishing the farmer with the capital he needs. Furnished the money with which to

purchase what he needs, the Klamath farmer is the kind who will make his own market. No country has ever built up without its principal towns also growing, and it is folly to think that the town can be built up substantially without the country being developed. The great lack on the part of project farmers is capital, and if the Chamber of Commerce can induce this capital to work for the interest of the farmer, it will have accomplished a wonderful work for the Klamath country."

Mr. O'Donnell stated that his latest advices from Washington were to the effect that it seems a certainty that the reclamation extension bill will be passed at this session of congress.

"It will be a terrible calamity to the entire West if they do not pass this measure at this time," said Mr. O'Donnell. "The average farmer cannot get through paying the project costs, etc., in ten years, and twenty years is short enough time.

"Farming is a long time job for those seeking wealth. The farmer is kept poor until his land is paid for, and with the ten years for payments he is kept busy buying stock and making improvements that would better his condition. With twenty years in which to pay the charges of the project construction, he would be able to make the proper improvements, and be in a much better shape to pay off the charges, besides benefitting the town as well by reason of being able to make bigger purchases and pay in less time, or in cash."

This evening Mr. O'Donnell will address the directors and members of the Klamath Chamber of Commerce. The Ankeny canal and other matters will be taken up at this time, and the public is invited to attend the meeting.