

# Mexican-American Conference is Approved

## ARMOR COMPANY CAN'T MAIL ITS MATTER FREE

STIRRING SPEECH MAKES THE SENATE FLOP

In an attack on Senator Oliver, Senator Reed says the former opposed Government armor factory because he wants to legislate into his own pockets—the abuse of Franks scored.

## To Build 5,000-Ton Merchant Submarine



Simon Lake, the Bridgeport, Conn., submarine builder, has reached an agreement with representatives of the North German Lloyd company of Bremen, whose officers were largely responsible for the Deutschland, to build in conjunction with them 5,000-ton submarines here to ply between the United States and Germany, to carry freight. It was reported that Mr. Lake had gone to Baltimore fearing the Deutschland was an infringement of his patents, and that he might libel the vessel. But he will now work in harmony with the owners of Captain Paul Koenig's vessel.

## THREE BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK BY AUSTRIANS

GERMANS ARE OUSTED FROM FOREUX WOODS

Bloody Fight When the French Repulse the German's Attack on New Positions—Berlin Claims Nine Vessels Destroyed Between July 10 and 14. English Town is Shelled by a Submarine.

United Press Service LONDON, July 21.—General Haig reports that the British forces on the west front are continuing their gigantic smash against the German lines. This morning they ousted the Teutons from the Foreux woods.

The British steamers Karma and Grangemoor were simultaneously submerged in the Mediterranean today. The British steamer Yser also was sunk.

The Foreux woods are to the south of the main highway leading to Baupame. It is believed the fighting there is an attempt to straighten the British line.

United Press Service PARIS, July 21.—It is officially announced that heavy German counter attacks on the new French positions were repulsed this morning with much loss of blood to both sides. The French have consolidated in these positions.

An official communique reports that the French have been successful everywhere on the line.

Between Rheims and Soissons the French today penetrated the German trenches.

There is heavy artillerying in the Verdun section and in the Vosges mountains the Germans are violently attacking the French positions.

United Press Service BERLIN, July 21.—The admiralty announces that a submarine shelled the iron works at Seasam, England, on July 11. Between July 10 and 14, submarines destroyed nine British vessels on the east coast of England.

## 7,000,000 FEET TIMBER FOR SALE

LIES BETWEEN CHILOQUIN AND AGENCY LAKE, AND CAN BE LOGGED INTO THE LAKE, SAYS THE FORESTER

Seven million feet of yellow pine timber on Klamath Indian reservation is to be sold to the highest bidder on August 19th, according to word from Indian Commissioner Cato Sells. This timber is on allotments of deceased Indians. According to Forester J. M. Bedford of the reservation, the timber lies between Chiloquin and Agency Lake, and can be logged off into the lake.

The minimum price per thousand feet, board measure, which will be accepted is \$3. All timber must be cut and removed under the regulations prescribed by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs before June 1, 1918. With each proposal a certified check in the amount of \$1,000 on a solvent national bank, drawn in favor of the superintendent of the Klamath Indian school, must be submitted. These checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders, applied toward the payment for timber if bid is accepted and contracts entered into, and retained as a forfeit if the bid is not accepted, and the bidder fails to comply with the requirements of his bid.

## How to Make Congress Work Fast



A man-eating shark which has so far killed four bathers along the New Jersey coast is either a tiger shark or a great white shark. The former grows to be from fifteen to thirty feet in length, and the white shark is as large. There are nineteen varieties of shark in the Atlantic Ocean off New Jersey and Massachusetts, but these only are dangerous.

## OFFICIALS WERE SHOWN SIGHTS

VICE PRESIDENT McCORMICK AND PASSENGER AGENT SCOTT SEE NATURAL WONDERS AND CATCH MANY TROUT

Henry Stout, deputy game warden; O. W. Robertson and Carey Ramsey, deputy warden, returned yesterday from the north fork of Rogue River and other streams, where they spent the last several days with O. E. McCormick, third vice president of the Southern Pacific, and John M. Scott, general passenger agent of the company. Besides the north fork of the Rogue, many other streams were visited, and the railroad officials were shown several of the scenic wonders in the north part of Klamath county. The party went from the north fork to Medford, where the railroad officials' private car was stationed. Mr. Stout, Mr. Robertson and Mr. Ramsey returned by way of Ashland.

## MEXICANS STEAL GUNS, THEN FLEE

MEXICANS WORKING ON GENERAL PERSHING'S SUPPLY LINE IN MEXICO STEAL GUNS AND AMMUNITION

United Press Service COLUMBUS, July 21.—It was learned here today that several Mexican laborers employed on road repairing work along General Pershing's supply line last night stole the truckmen's guns and ammunition and headed south to join the Villistas. American cavalrymen are pursuing.

## BIG LIGHTS ARE PUT AT CORNERS

POWER COMPANY PLACES HIGH WATT LAMPS TO LIGHT CROSSINGS OF MUCH USED STREETS TO TEST SERVICE

Big incandescent lights are being placed on Klamath avenue and Sixth street by the California-Oregon Power company to give more light at the street corners. At Sixth and Klamath a 400-watt light has been placed directly over the center of the street crossing and 200 watt lamps are to be placed at Fifth and Klamath, Fourth and Klamath, Third and Klamath, Sixth and Walnut and Sixth and Oak. The lights are being put up only temporarily as an experiment. Similar lights may be placed at other street crossings later.

## TWO ARE CHARGED THEFT OF HORSES

SHERIFF LOW CATCHES WASHBURN AND GUMM IN BLY WITH HORSES TAKEN LAST WEEK IN KLAMATH FALLS

Charged with the larceny of a team from the Bennett stable on Sixth St., Carl Washburn and Harvey Gumm were arrested yesterday afternoon by Sheriff C. C. Low. They were brought to Klamath Falls last evening. Washburn and Gumm took the team last week, saying they were going to Bonanza and would return Friday evening. Since they left the stable Mr. Bennett did not hear from them. Washburn and Gumm were brought before Justice of the Peace E. W. Gowen this morning. Their hearing was set for 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. In the absence of District Attorney Irwin, Horace M. Manning will conduct the prosecution.

## CARRANZA APPOINTS MEXICAN MEMBERS

## HALF FARE FOR SUNDAY OUTINGS

SOUTHERN PACIFIC WILL OFFER ROUND TRIPS OUT OF KLAMATH FALLS FOR REGULAR FARE ONE WAY

Beginning Sunday, July 30, the Southern Pacific will offer a special one fare round trip excursion out of Klamath Falls. This offer will last until the fall months, or until further notice. This means that one can make a round trip to Weed or any other point from which he can return in one day for the fare one way. This offer of the Southern Pacific will be good only for Sundays and is made to allow patrons to visit nearby towns on the day of rest.

## GOVERNMENT MAY ACCEPT PLAN TOMORROW

Acting Secretary of State Confers With the Mexican Ambassador About Carranza's Suggestion—Co-Operative Border Patrol is Part of the Plan to Keep the Border Quiet, and Prevent Bandit Raids.

United Press Service MEXICO CITY, July 21.—Anticipating acceptance by the United States of the suggestion by President Carranza for a joint commission to study the border trouble between Mexico and the United States, the Mexican commissioners were informally selected today.

Finance Minister Cabrera, Railroad Director Paul and Roberto Pasquerra are the commissioners named.

The Mexican people are said to generally approve Carranza's plan, which includes a co-operative border patrol, American withdrawal of the troops now in Mexico, and an investigation to determine who are the instigators of the bandit raids on American soil.

## BLACKLISTING IS DENOUNCED TODAY

SENATOR THOMAS SAYS THIS COUNTRY SHOULD REPLY WITH SEVERE REPRISAL—CONDITION SHOWS NEED OF NAVY

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—Denouncing the blacklisting by England of many American business firms as an outrageous insult on the citizens of this country, Senator Thomas in the senate today advocated a severe reprisal. He said this "boycott emphasizes the need of a strong navy."

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—Acting Secretary of State Polk announced this afternoon that he has made formal representations to England regarding the blacklisting of American firms doing business in England.

Is Recovering. Mrs. L. Loudon, who recently underwent a serious operation, is regaining her strength very rapidly.

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Brings Refugees. United Press Service SAN DIEGO, July 21.—The cruiser San Diego, the flagship of the Pacific fleet, arrived today from La Paz with twelve refugees. The officers of the ship say the lower Mexican coast is quiet, but that the people are in the midst of a famine.

## Indian War Veteran Bill Not Out of Conference

The bill before congress for pensioning veterans of the later Indian wars has not been made a law, as was understood locally, but is still pending in congress, according to a letter received this morning by Captain O. C. Applegate from the commissioner of pensions. When the bill passed the house it provided for pensions to soldiers who had served ninety days or more in the Indian wars. This would exclude from a pension a large part of the state troops and volunteer troops, according to Captain Applegate. The senate amended the bill, making thirty days the minimum time of service to be entitled to a pension. The house rejected the bill as amended, and it now is in the conference committee of the two houses. Following is the letter received by Captain Applegate: "Referring to your letter dated the 6th instant, you are advised, that the bill to which you refer has not become a federal law, but is still pending before congress. "Your letter has been placed on file, and should the bill in question be finally enacted into law, a proper blank declaration thereunder will be mailed to you. Blank applications in bulk are not furnished to a notary or agent, but if in the event that this bill becomes a law, you will furnish the names and addresses of prospective claimants thereunder, proper blanks for their use will be mailed. Respectfully yours, "E. C. FURMAN, "Acting Commissioner."

## GREENWOOD WILL QUIT LOCAL TEAM

SECOND BACKER WILL PLAY LAST GAME SUNDAY—KEARNS OF CHICO MAY TAKE HIS PLACE AT KEYSTONE

"Ginger" Greenwood, second baseman for the Klamath Falls baseball team, will play his last game with the locals Sunday against Medford. "Ginger" has been offered a position with the railroad near Portland, and leaves next week to accept it.

Greenwood is considered one of the most valuable players on the local team. He covers much ground around the second sack, and is a good man at the bat in a pinch. Manager Watt is trying to get young Kearns, who is playing on the Chico team. It is understood that Kearns would like to come here, and is a good hitter and fast fielder.

Tomorrow will witness a veritable melee of ball players, fans and fanatics behind for Medford to see the clash there Sunday. The team will leave about 1 o'clock in the afternoon and a large portion of the rooters will leave late in the afternoon or early in the evening. The remainder will start early Sunday morning.

## DUNCAN NAMED COMMISSIONER

LOCAL ATTORNEY IS APPOINTED BY FEDERAL JUDGE TO OFFICE VACATED BY C. J. FERGUSON RECENTLY

W. M. Duncan has received an appointment as United States Commissioner from Federal Judge Bean. Mr. Duncan succeeds Chas. J. Ferguson who recently resigned.

There is considerable business before the United States Commissioner in Klamath Falls, particularly cases arising on the Klamath Reservation among the Indians.

Naval Bill to Senate. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.—The largest naval bill known in the history of the world, calling for an expenditure of nearly \$600,000,000 in three years on the navy, went to the senate today for final approval.

The trip will take about four or five hours by the Green Springs road. Manager Watt has communicated with Medford, and has arranged to make the Hotel Medford the headquarters for all Klamath people Sunday.

## Prohibitionists Name Hanley for President

United Press Service ST. PAUL, Minn., July 21.—J. Frank Hanley of Indiana was today nominated as prohibitionist candidate for president of the United States. His nomination came on the first ballot. The vote was Hanley 440, Sulzer 181; Hendricks 81, others scattered, including

one for Henry Ford. The convention refused to make the nomination unanimous. Dr. Ira Landreth of Tennessee was nominated unanimously for vice president, other candidates withdrawing. The convention adjourned sine die at 8:30 o'clock.