

PRESIDENT AND BRYAN CONFER

SUPPORT OF BOTH PARTIES IS EXPECTED

Senator Charges Maderista Junta, Through a Washington Lawyer, Ambassador Wilson—President's Attitude Indicates That He is Much Worked for the Dismissal of Am- Concerned by the Turn of Events

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 9.—A conference will be held tonight by President Wilson, Secretary of State Bryan and the members of the senate committee on foreign relations.

This is regarded as an official acknowledgement of the gravity of the Mexican situation.

President Wilson is much troubled. He intends to disclose everything in connection with his plan.

It is believed that he will have, as a result, the united support of the democrats and the republicans.

United Press Service

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 9.—The constitutionalists have captured Agua Calientes after two days of desperate fighting.

Both sides lost heavily.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 9.—Senator Smith of Michigan today charged that the Maderista Junta, headed by Sherburn Hopkins, a local lawyer, influenced the state department to dismiss Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson. He insisted that this party is influencing the department in its attitude toward Huerta.

STATE GAME WARDEN ADVOCATES HUNTERS' SIGNALS

The state board of fish and game commissioners have recommended the following suggestions to be used by sportsmen in the field in order to prevent accidental shooting and to relieve persons who are injured or lost in the forests and mountains.

To prevent accidental shooting every hunter should wear a red cap, shirt or sweater, or some other article of clothing that can easily be identified from game birds and animals, especially when hunting deer in the forests. Since there is a contrast between red and the color of any bird or animal that is being hunted, this color will serve the best purpose.

Hunters should never shoot at a moving bush, leaves or grass with the expectation of killing game. It is dangerous, for the moving object is likely to be a man. Never shoot at any object until you are absolutely positive of identification.

To prepare for an emergency, every hunter and angler should carry in his pocket a piece of candle and matches

in a waterproof match safe. In case of becoming lost or injured, one can easily start a camp fire.

Lost or Distress Signal.—When a man is lost or injured and needs help a signal by shooting should be given. This signal will be the firing of a gun once, with an intermission of ten seconds before the second shot; then an intermission of sixty seconds, then a third shot. If no answer is received this signal should be repeated after an intermission of five minutes. The answer to this signal would be a single shot from the rescuing party, followed by one recognition shot from the lost man.

Care should be taken to get the time between shots as accurate as possible. Hunters should keep in mind this signal and avoid, if possible, giving it when shooting at game. In the absence of a watch, the time can be judged with sufficient accuracy by counting ten between the first and second shots and sixty between the second and third shots. Whenever a shot is heard in the mountains a hunter should count ten to determine whether it is a signal of distress or not.

The person who is lost should, after hearing an answer to his signal, remain at the place where he gave the signal until the rescuing party arrives, otherwise he may take the opposite direction and not be found at all.

ANNA HELD, EYES

AND GEMS, SAIL

SINGER TELLS REPORTERS HER PEDAL EXTREMITIES ARE THE SAFEST PLACE FOR THE DIAMOND STOCKINGS

LONDON, Aug. 9.—With her eyes misbehaving as badly as ever, Anna Held, who has been appearing here in a London music hall wearing a pair of diamond studded stockings, sailed today for New York.

The actress didn't wear either a split skirt nor a transparent gown when she tripped toward the steamer, so the ship news reporters had to ask her if she wore the diamond stockings.

"There's no safer place to carry them than I know of," she replied, smiling.

Knights Templar in St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 8.—Delegates from the Grand Commandry, Knights Templar, of New Jersey, arrived here today on board the special, en route to the triennial conclave, Knights Templar at Denver, which opens August 12th, and continues through August 15th. After a short sight-seeing trip about the city, the New Jersey Knights will go to Colorado Springs, and thence to the Cripple Creek district before proceeding to Denver.

ARMY AND NAVY READY TO INVAD

MUCH DEPENDS UPON THE WAY AMBASSADOR LIND IS TREATED THERE

Much Apprehension Is Shown in the White House—Although Desirous of Peaceful Ending of the Mexican Dispute, Administration Is Ready, if Necessary, to Send an Armed Force Across the Rio Grande

By JOHN C. NEVIN
(Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8.—The government is prepared for eventualities in Mexico.

The administration wants peace, but the army and navy are ready in case Huerta, by any overt act, causes war.

Secretary of War Daniels has assured President Wilson that everything is in readiness for an emergency. Another twenty-four hours may bring grave developments.

It has been announced that Ambassador Lind is going to Mexico City, despite the press reports of threats made by Huerta sympathizers. An air of expectancy prevails.

Despite the efforts to assume an attitude optimistic, there is grave apprehension here over Lind's reception at Vera Cruz tonight. The administration insists that Huerta's attitude is a bluff.

If Lind is molested, the government will face a situation identical to that following the blowing up of the Maine. Any indignity offered to Lind will practically mean war, necessitating armed reprisals.

President Wilson insists that he has not considered intervention even as a last resort, but there is a growing feeling that he will not be able to carry out his program. It is feared that Huerta will force the president's hand quickly.

When Lind reaches Mexico City, he will present to Embassy Secretary O'Shaughnessy for transmission to Huerta, a note stating the exact status of what America proposes simultaneously. Bryan will submit to the diplomats representing the powers here the exact text of the note.

Wilson expects the other nations to support America. The proposals do not contemplate the retirement of Huerta, but request an early election to name his successor.

SINNOTT APPEARS AS THE FRIEND OF IRRIGATIONISTS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8.—No man in congress was better pleased when the secretary of the interior issued his order granting to settlers or reclamation lands an extension of time on their payments than Representative Sinnott of Oregon.

Sinnott had been making the cause of the irrigationists his own. He knew from personal observation many of the trials which a man trying to make a home out of the irrigated lands, to support himself and family from the proceeds of the bare acres he took up, and to force from the soil, generous though it was, profits with which to meet the government payments, had to encounter. So it was with active sympathy that on July 19 he went to Secretary of the Interior Lane in person, and pleaded with him to extend the time within which the payments for operation and maintenance might be made until after harvest time, as is the commercial custom of the country.

That the plea of Sinnott must have been convincing is evidenced by the promptness with which Secretary Lane acted, and it is none the less to the secretary's credit that he chose to do quickly that which he saw fit to do. He assured Sinnott that he would refer the matter to the chiefs of the reclamation service. He did, and on their report, made it would seem with practically no hesitation at all, he issued his order on July 21, only two days after the plea had been made to him.

The order provides that water users who were unable to pay their debt to the government by July 21 should be allowed to get their water on agreeing in writing to make an additional payment of 1 cent an acre for each month elapsing in whole or in part from July 21 to the date of payment. This additional payment, exacted in the nature of a penalty, will be trifling in comparison with the accommodation that it will be to the agriculturists.

IT'S THE MONEY

RITCHIE WANTS
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—"All contenders look alike to me. It's simply a question of the coin."

With these words Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, a short time back, inaugurated a bidding contest among American boxing promoters, and today he is considering bids from fight clubs all over the

country which are desirous of staging Ritchie's next fight, which probably will be on Labor Day.

Ritchie has a number of bids on hand from New York, Vancouver, B. C., from Tom McCarey of Los Angeles and one from Jimmy Coffroth of San Francisco. Ritchie has not yet committed himself, but it is believed that he is inclined to look favorably on the Coffroth offer for a bout with Tommy Murphy of New York.

A bout with Freddy Welsh at Vancouver also looks good to him, his friends said today.

TO TRY EUROPEAN METHODS HERE

AMERICAN COMMISSION TO LOOK INTO FARM LIFE ABROAD IS PREPARING TO APPLY ITS OBSERVATIONS

(Special Correspondence)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8.—

A nation wide movement to interest the American rural population along financial, business and social lines, as a means to strengthen the position of the farmers, increase their income and their production and to lower the cost of food stuffs to the consumers, was announced here today in a letter to the governors of the states, to the farmers organizations, agricultural institutions and farmers of America from the American commission on Agricultural Co-Operation, which arrived from Europe on the steamer Cedric.

A report is later to be made to the governors of the various states and the farmers organizations, agricultural institutions and farmers of America. The letter sent today discussed the general form of rural organization in the European countries visited by the commission.

The commission found that European agriculture was organized along co-operative lines, and also found that the European farmers have apparently secured a financial, business and social strength equal to that of the organized urban classes of capital and labor.

The commission has effected an organization, with headquarters in Washington, D. C., with Senator Duncan U. Fletcher as chairman.

Dr. C. J. Owens of Maryland, director general of the American commission, and managing director of the Southern Commercial Congress, has given out the following letter addressed to the governors of the states the farmers organizations, agricultural institutions and the farmers of America.

"The American Commission on Agricultural Co-Operation has completed its tour of European countries, and has perfected plans to digest and compile the information obtained with regard to co-operation and the organization of rural life in European countries along financial, business and social lines. It is believed that this task can be completed before the end of the present year, when the final report of the commission will be submitted.

"The commission is deeply impressed with the vital importance of a thoroughly organized and united rural population. In this respect the countries of Europe offer a lesson which may not long be disregarded in America without serious consequences.

"The agricultural interests of most of the European countries visited by the commission are organized along one or more of the following lines: Credit, production, distribution and social organization for the betterment of country life.

"Organizations for the provision of credit facilities for European farmers follow the natural division into short time personal credit and long time land mortgage credit. The organizations for the provision of personal credit facilities are as highly developed as are the systems of commercial banking. The prevailing rate of interest paid by the farmers for short time loans is from four to five and a half per cent. The terms offered European farmers are generally better designed to meet the peculiar requirements of agriculturists than are the terms obtainable today by the American farmers.

RUSSIANS COME

TO THIS NATION

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 8.—The tide of emigration from Russia to the United States and South America has reached unprecedented proportions, according to government figures given out officially here today.

The figures were taken from the reports of provincial governors to the ministry of the interior. The emigrants at present come chiefly from the provinces of Volhynia, Kiev, Kharkov, Minsk and Saratov.

Six thousand are arriving daily at Libau for the purpose of embarking

on steamers leaving that port for the Americas.

It is noted in the report published today that Russians who emigrate to the Americas rarely return to their mother country, as do those from Italy and some of the countries of Southern and Central Europe.

SEES HER DEAD

CHILD IN FILM

BRUSSELS, Aug. 8.—Among the merry crowds that throng the picture palaces at Liege may be seen each night a sad-faced, lonely woman, clad in deepest mourning.

A few weeks ago her 5-year-old daughter died. Shortly before the child's death she was romping in the park with a number of little companions when a cinematograph operator happened to take a picture of the scene. The film in which the child appears is now being shown at the various moving picture houses in town, and the bereaved mother never misses an opportunity to watch the shadow of her baby flicker across the screen in play.

GUNBOAT WANTS

BIGGER MATCH

MAN WHO STOWED AWAY THE PUEBLO FIREMAN LAST NIGHT IS NOT PARTICULAR, IF HIS OPPONENT HAS THE RHINO

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Gunboat Smith, the Pacific Coast heavyweight who defeated Fireman Flynn last night, is looking for bigger game. Today he announced that he will meet anybody in the world.

"Pelkey, Johnson, Jeanette and Langford all look alike to me," said Smith. "I'll fight them to a finish, winner take all."

MINE OWNERS

CLAIM FIGHT

CALUMET AND HECCLA OPERATORS SAY THEY HAVE COMPLETELY ROUTED FEDERATION AND MINES ARE RUNNING

CALUMET, Mich., Aug. 9.—Copper mine operators of the Calumet and Heccla today announced that they have completely routed the Western Federation of Miners in the strike.

They say 3,000 men are working in the mines.

This is denied by the Federation members.

SUFFS USE WHIP

ON LONDON M. D.

MILITANTS RESORT TO THE GAD IN ORDER TO EVEN UP MATTERS WITH HOLLOWAY PRISON PHYSICIAN

United Press Service
LONDON, Aug. 9.—Four unknown suffragettes today horsewhipped Dr. Pearson, the physician at Holloway prison.

A few days ago Dr. Pearson threatened to hold hunger strikers until they are physical and mental wrecks.

PORTERVILLE IS

SWEEPED BY FIRE

NEWSPAPER PLANT, TELEPHONE EXCHANGE AND OTHER BUSINESS HOUSES DESTROYED BY THE FLAMES

PORTERVILLE, Aug. 9.—Fire this forenoon completely destroyed the plant of the Daily Messenger and the telephone exchange, besides wiping out five other business houses.

The blaze was subdued before it reached the residence district. The origin is not known.

INSURANCE CO.

CHANGES HANDS

O. H. HUNTER DISPOSES OF OFFICE TO CITY AND COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY LATE THIS AFTERNOON

Saturday afternoon O. H. Hunter, proprietor of the Klamath Falls Insurance company, disposed of this concern to the City and County Abstract company. The change in ownership is already effective.

Hunter has been here for three years, and was for a time associated with Tom W. Stephens, prior to the latter's departure for Portland. He has built up a large general insurance business.

St. Louis as a Summer Resort

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 8.—St. Louis today makes her appearance in a new role—that of a summer resort. A public spirited concern is today distributing a pamphlet advertising the city's many summer attractions, and the newspapers have fallen in with the scheme by printing daily temperature records of "cities that are hotter than St. Louis"—when they are to be found.

SITUATION HAS BECOME SERIOUS

LIND WILL BE IN MEXICO CITY MONDAY

Majority of the Senate Is in Favor of Lifting the Embargo on Arms. Mexican Newspapers Bitterly Attack America—Huerta Is Notified He Will Be Held Responsible for Safety of Ambassador Lind.

By JOHN C. NEVIN
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 9.—The speed of the New Hampshire has been slowed down, owing to a mishap, so Ambassador John Lind will not reach Vera Cruz until tonight.

Secretary O'Shaughnessy of the American embassy, has notified Huerta that he will be held responsible for any insult offered to Lind.

The cruiser New Hampshire is in touch with Washington by wireless, and Lind is fully advised. He goes to Mexico City tomorrow or Monday.

President Wilson and Secretary Bryan expect Lind's mission will succeed. Senators who are familiar with the plan are skeptical.

Many members of the official family believe that war is imminent. Orders for the moving of troops and ships are ready for signatures.

Members of the senate committee on foreign affairs secretly considered the matter this morning. The majority favor lifting the embargo on arms.

The president has been able so far to keep such a resolution off the congressional calendar, but every day this becomes more difficult.

It is not expected that the president's plan will be published before Monday.

That is the plan of the administration, but events are shaping themselves so rapidly that they may be changed.

Private advices from Mexico emphasize rather than minimize the danger.

A cipher message received last night from one of the most prominent men in South and Central American affairs said the situation was like tinder, "which the smallest spark will conflagrate." He added that Lind's plan is sure to fail.

Mexico City newspapers are bitterly attacking America.

In case of trouble tomorrow it is doubtful if any serious attempt will be made to protect Americans there.

SPUTTERING BOMB

FOUND BY POLICE

MILITANTS SUSPECTED OF AN ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP BUILDING WHERE LLOYD GEORGE WAS SPEAKING

LONDON, Aug. 9.—A policeman with his knife cut the fuse of a sputtering bomb at the high school in Sutton, where Lloyd George speaks today.

Militants are suspected. The bomb was found to contain sufficient explosives to wreck the building.

JAPS ARE BUYING

CALIFORNIA LAND

MORE THAN TWO MILLION DOLLARS INVESTED THERE SINCE THE ANTI-ALIEN BILL WAS PASSED

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 9.—Statistics compiled by the secretary of state show that more than \$2,000,000 has been invested in California agricultural lands by Japanese since the Webb anti-alien land bill was passed.

LOTS OF SPUDS

AT BUENA VISTA

THE CROP WILL BE A RECORD BREAKER—MANY GO TO THE SUSANVILLE MILLS—NEW BOAT READY—OTHER NEWS

(Special Correspondent)
SHIPPINGTON, Aug. 9.—The spud crop at Buena Vista this year bids fair to be a record breaker, even for this place. That, to put it lightly in the nomenclature of the day, is going some.

Messrs Wickserom and Linman will take the material for the Williamson River bridge up the lake as soon as all of it is delivered at their landing.

It is rumored that the Long Lake mill will stop on the 10th.

The Shippington road is in a deplorable condition; chucks and dust heaps galore.

Several of the boys hereabouts have gone, and more are going to Susanville, Calif., to work in the lumber plants just starting in that place.

The steamer Winema will go up the lake tomorrow on a special excursion.

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