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HUERTA SAID TO HAVE DEFIED UNITED STATES

BAD NEWS COMES TO PRESIDENT

Anti-American Feeling in Mexico Has Grown to Alarming Proportions.

MAY RAISE EMBARGO ON ARMS OF REBELS

President Wilson, Secretary Bryan Others Preserve Closest Secrecy.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Disquieting Mexican news was believed to have reached the administration today. Immediately after reaching his office Secretary of State Bryan rushed to the president, carrying with him a bundle of dispatches, which arrived during the night. A long conference followed. Bryan was asked, on his way to the chief executive's office, if it were true that Huerta had told Charge d' Affaires O'Shaughnessy he must continue in office, the people having failed to elect a successor to him. To this question the secretary returned no reply.

Huerta Said to Have Defied U. S. It was persistently rumored, however, that Huerta had defied the United States.

The secretary of state refused also to discuss the report that William Bayard Hale, who investigated conditions in Mexico for the president some time ago, was in communication with General Carranza, the rebel leader, and that the administration also had received a preliminary report of the rebels' strength.

Outrages Are Feared. It was known that John Lind, in Vera Cruz, and Charge d'Affaires O'Shaughnessy, in Mexico City, had reported to the state department that anti-American feeling was increasing in the Mexican capital and its vicinity. It was believed they gravely feared anti-American outrages as a result of the Huertistas' bitterness against President Wilson for insisting on their leader's retirement.

Chairman Bacon, of the senate foreign relations committee, called both at the White House and the state department. He could not speak of his conversation with President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan, but it was the general impression that the president will soon lay the entire Mexican situation before congress.

May Lift Embargo on Arms. The lifting of the embargo on the arms the rebels are so anxious to import seemed likely to be the first proposition to be considered. The probability was also suggested of an American blockade of the Mexican coast to prevent Huerta from securing more weapons and ammunition.

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UNIVERSAL LABEL PLAN IS TURNED DOWN AT BIG SEATTLE MEETING

Unfavorable Report Made by Committee of American Federation of Labor.

BAD THING FOR CAUSE

Some Oppose It on Ground It Would Prove Boomerang and Laws Would Be Unfavorable.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 6.—The movement to establish a universal label was reported on unfavorably at a meeting of the union label trade department of the American Federation of Labor, which met at Labor Temple here today as a preliminary to the opening of the 33d convention, which meets next Monday.

Meeting in the same building, the metal trades department received resolutions asking for control and more solidarity between union affiliated with this body.

John W. Hayes, secretary-treasurer of the International Typographical Union, presided over the label trade meeting, in the absence of President John W. Tobin, who is unable to attend the convention. Hayes read Tobin's report, in which the president said the movement for a universal label was the result of hastily formed conclusions, brought out by the investigation which has been conducted since the 1912 session. Tobin urged that each union try to popularize its label, and support other label-owning organizations.

Would Be Boomerang.

Mathew Wolf, president of the International Engravers' Union, and vice-president of the Label Trades department, stated that investigations made on this subject showed that the addition of a universal label was impossible owing to the laws of the country covering labels, and that it would prove a boomerang to labor under the present trade union system, for an employer who hired union men in one branch, but not in others, would claim the right to use the label.

President James O'Connell, of the metal trades department, who has just been appointed by President Wilson as a member of the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations, presided over the meeting of his department.

To Endorse McCallister.

Resolutions were introduced by the Portland council asking the department to endorse J. F. McCallister for appointment by President Wilson as assistant chief boiler inspector of the United States; from the Seattle local asking that all local metal organizations be compelled to affiliate with the department; by the Boston council requesting a change in the by-laws giving that local autonomy and compelling all metal craft to support a metal trade strike called by the majority of the members; by the Chicago Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees asking for admission to the department and by the Newark, N. J. council for a change in the by-laws to prevent employers from defeating the ends of labor by dealing with one union at a time.

Characterized the vigorous campaign of The Capital Journal in behalf of the university bills have attracted much attention among the friends of higher education, and have been a source of deep gratification. It will be the purpose of the university to use its increased opportunity for the common good of all the people of Oregon.

"P. L. CAMPBELL."

OPEN BREAK BETWEEN PRESIDENT WILSON AND SENATORS IS CERTAIN

Executive Flatly Opposes the Changes in Measure Proposed by Committee.

PARTY CAUCUS IS LIKELY

Unless Opponents of Bill, as It Stands, Recedes, President Will Call Party Men Together.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Under a provision adopted today by the senate banking and currency committee, now considering the Glass-Owen currency bill, \$100,000,000 worth of regional bank stock, bearing either 5 or 6 per cent interest, will be offered to the public. It was also provided that the banks must be absolutely under government control. Despite the fight waged by Senator O'Gorman, the amendment removing regional banks from the control of members of banks was adopted by a vote of 7 to 5. Under the terms of the amendment adopted by the committee, the government reserve board will appoint six of the nine regional bank directors instead of four, thereby giving the government control.

Washington, Nov. 6.—An open break between President Wilson and those senators opposed to the Glass-Owen currency bill seemed today to be certain. It was stated that the president flatly disapproved the radical changes proposed in the measure by the combination of Democrats and Republicans in control of the senate banking and currency committee.

It was declared in administration circles this afternoon that President Wilson would resort to a party caucus unless the committee opponents of the bill recede from their stand.

Will Wait Few Days.

Senator F. M. Simmons, of North Carolina, chairman of the senate finance committee, was a caller at the White House this afternoon. Later Simmons admitted that Democratic leaders were considering a caucus to force the president's views on the currency bill through.

"I believe we will have to take such a step," said Simmons, "but we will wait a few days, to see what the combination, now apparently in control of the committee, will do."

Says Caucus Necessary.

Later in the day Senator Thompson, of Kansas, also conferred with the president, and he, too, predicted that a caucus will be necessary.

Senator Simmons was expected to lead the caucus fight, and it was predicted that the insurgents would be defeated 5 to 1.

Senators Yardman, Lea and Lane were other callers at the White House during the afternoon.

Business Is Demoralized.

Mexico City, Nov. 6.—Business here had reached a point of practically complete prostration today. Many stores have closed up, their sales being too small to warrant the expense of running them. There are dozens of failures daily. President Huerta, by permitting the banks to issue currency notes freely, regardless of the lack of coin reserves to redeem them, has aggravated the situation.

PENNANT AWARDED.

Chicago Nov. 6.—At 12:15 the American league baseball directorate officially awarded the American league pennant for 1913 to the Philadelphia Athletics.

The magnates were luncheon guests of President Van Johnson and this afternoon held their annual meeting. Formal adoption of the reports of the auditing and finance committees was the only other business to be transacted.

Slaughter of Jews is Feared

Prosecutor Insists "Ritual Murders" Are Common and Does His Best to Stir Up Strife.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 6.—An anti-Jewish outbreak seriously threatened here today as a result of Prosecutor Wipper's bitter denunciation of the race in his speech yesterday afternoon, following the conclusion of his testimony in the Mendel Beilis trial.

The prosecutor did not confine himself to the charge that Beilis murdered 12-year-old Anrei Muschinsky. He declared Jewish "ritual murders" common. He seemed to be doing his best to stir the Christian population of Kieff to violence against their Jewish fellow townsmen. His address was an outrageous one, and it plainly had its effect, for anti-Jewish muttering began to be heard directly after Wipper had finished.

There was a strong force of cavalry in town, ostensibly to prevent a pogrom but few considered it likely that the soldiers were under orders to try honestly to protect the Jewish population.

Says Evidence Lacking.

Arguments were continued today at the Beilis trial. Attorney Grossenberg, for the defense, asserted that not a scintilla of evidence had been brought out connecting his client with the murder, and ridiculed the stories of human sacrifices by the Jews.

The jurors listened, apparently in wooden indifference. It was the general impression that the juror would disagree, at under Russian law, a majority is sufficient for a conviction or an acquittal. The individual on trial is considered innocent in case of a tie.

A verdict was looked for not later than Saturday night.

Beilis plainly showed the effect of the strain he has been under for so long. He writhed nervously and seemed repeatedly on the point of another collapse.

Queer Ones in News

HAMBURG, Nov. 6.—The new police law requiring conductors of streetcars, under pain of heavy penalty and revocation of their licenses, to keep all women wearing long hats with points uncovered off the cars, went into effect today. Policemen are required to take the names of women with projecting hats. All violators of the rule will be fined from \$5 to \$10.

Paris, Nov. 6.—Don't be a teetotaler if you would avoid appendicitis. This is the advice given by Dr. Gagey and Professor Sabrazes, in an article on the subject, published today in the current issue of La Presse Medicale. They cite a family of sixteen persons, among them six, who are total abstainers, had to be operated on for appendicitis. None of the others, all of whom were wine drinkers, have ever shown any symptoms of the disease.

APPLES RAISED SUCCESSFULLY.

Independence, Or., Nov. 6.—C. W. Dossert has demonstrated that Polk county land is adapted to the growing of fine fruit. On 30 acres of land Mr. Dossert has produced 4000 boxes of apples that are as fine as any that can be grown. These are all selected and are to be shipped to the Seattle market. Apples that are properly raised and packed get the same prices in the market as those from any other district.

The Weather

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THREE THOUSAND MEN CALLED TO ARMS AND WILL PRESERVE ORDER

Governor Ralston Plans to End Disorder in Indianapolis Strike.

SOME MILITIAMEN BALK

President of Traction Company Asserts Strike Is Due to Agitation of Outside People.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 6.—Fearing trouble the moment state troops take a hand in the street car strike situation here, Governor Ralston this afternoon said no soldiers would be allowed to show themselves until the full 3000 were here, a sufficient number, he believed, to suppress disorder strictly. The local companies would remain in their armories, he explained, and those from out of town on board their trains until the word was given. Many local militiamen refused to report for strike duty.

The Indianapolis newspapers did not publish extras to announce the calling out of the troops, fearing to excite the public. The union leaders are protesting vainly against martial law. "The street car employees did not call this so-called strike," said President Todd, of the traction company, in an interview today. "It was done by outside agitators, led by J. J. Thorpe, of Pittsburg. A majority of the Indianapolis motormen and conductors were satisfied with their wages and working conditions. They were frightened into quitting."

"Since Friday night anarchy has reigned. When the law and order are restored, the company is prepared to resume operations."

Governor's Life Threatened.

Governor Ralston asserted that his life had been threatened for calling out the troops. He would not tell, however, from whom the threat came, or what form it took.

"I was elected to enforce the laws," he added. "I can't compel arbitration. At the next session of the legislature, I will favor a law making it compulsory in such a crisis as this."

The strike leaders held a meeting on the state house lawn this afternoon, defying the governor's order forbidding them from gathering on state property. The speakers denounced President Todd, of the traction company, vehemently, but one of them said they had failed to convince Governor Ralston that Todd was not a god.

ALL AGREE BOSS MURPHY MUST BE BUSTED BY TAMMANY MACHINE

New York, Nov. 6.—Ought New York democracy to stamp Tammany out absolutely, form a new organization and make an entirely fresh start? Or would it be better to make the old organization all over and go on using that?

These were the questions Gotham Democratic politicians were asking one another today.

The younger and more radical element were for a completely "new deal." The name "Tammany," they said, will always spell graft to a majority of the right sort of voters. The party has enough rich men, they added, to finance a new organization, and a new one would be much better than the old.

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Seattle, Wash., Nov. 6.—It settled James J. Hill, the railroad builder, to be asked here today to confirm a rumor that Carl Gray, president of the Great Northern railroad, was soon to be returned and Hill himself was to get into active harness again.

"Just for asking such silly questions," said Hill to the inquisitive reporter. "I don't want to talk to you at all."

Hill is accompanied by J. H. Hannaford, president of the Northern Pacific, Louis W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern, a number of other railroad men and bankers. He will make an inspection of the local terminals and will go to Vancouver, B. C., Friday.

DROPS DEAD IN POVERTY WITH FORTUNE HIS

James McGuire, Paroled Man, Accused of Manslaughter, Expires Suddenly and It Appears He Has Claim Worth Half Million Dollars in Josephine County—Only Needed Signature to Get Riches for Him—Paroled Year Ago and Failed to Report at Prison and So Knew Nothing of His Valuable Holdings.

While in the act of stepping into Dr. J. N. Smith's auto which was drawn up before the Hotel Salem to take him to the hospital this morning to be treated for a sudden attack of coughing and convulsion of the lungs and stomach, James McGuire, a prisoner paroled from the penitentiary, dropped dead. Dr. Smith, who was called to attend the man, stated that death was due to heart failure. The remains are now being held at the undertaker's parlors of Lehman & Clough pending future arrangements for burial.

McGuire was sitting in the lobby of the hotel when he was suddenly attacked with a fit of coughing. He requested that a physician be called and Dr. Smith responded. As the doctor drew up in front of the hotel in his auto, the sufferer gradually grew worse, and Dr. Smith advised him to go to the hospital. McGuire was assisted to Dr. Smith's waiting auto, and just as he stepped upon the running board of the machine, he suddenly threw up his arms and dropped to the ground, dead.

Man of Misfortune.

James McGuire is, or was, rather, one of the most unfortunate prisoners ever confined in the Oregon penitentiary. According to his past record, which the prison authorities have on the books, McGuire has always been a hard-working and an industrious man. A few months prior to the year 1910, he became entangled in a dispute over some mining property in Josephine county with the result that he killed a man who was attempting to fleece him out of his hard-earned claim taken up in the mining region of that county. He was convicted of the crime of manslaughter and given the minimum sentence in the penitentiary of ten years. He was received at the prison May 28 1910, and on September 5, 1911, he was given a conditional parole.

McGuire worked at the state house for the feeble-minded for a year or so and then secured employment in Portland. During all of this time, however, the paroled prisoner's claim was being worked by other parties who had purchased an interest in it, and today the dead man's signature is all that remains to clinch a deal whereby the holdings can be sold for \$500,000 or more. The prison authorities have not heard from McGuire for a year and it is more than evident that the deceased

BURGOLARS STEAL JEWELRY.

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 6.—Burglars entered the residence here early today of Paul Dismore and escaped with \$4000 worth of jewelry.

ESCAPE WHEN DREDGER SINKS.

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 6.—A large dredger belonging to the San Francisco Dredging company, struck a snag off Adams wharf here today and sank. The crew escaped in boats.

University Head Appreciates Aid of Capital Journal

In the following lettergram, received this morning, President P. L. Campbell, of the University of Oregon, expresses gratification over the assistance rendered by The Capital Journal in the recent campaign:

"Eugene, Ore., Nov. 5, 1913. Graham P. Taber, Capital Journal: The striking editorials which have

characterized the vigorous campaign of The Capital Journal in behalf of the university bills have attracted much attention among the friends of higher education, and have been a source of deep gratification. It will be the purpose of the university to use its increased opportunity for the common good of all the people of Oregon.

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