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THREATS TO KILL

Friendship of O'Shaughnessy for Huerta Given as Cause of Threats to Slay Him---General Carranza Openly Defies Intervention---Says It Would Only Result in War Which Would Create Profound Hatred Against United States---Declares England Is Trying to Use United States as Cats-

Carranga Will Not Hurry.

uel Lara of the state of Hidalgo.

Editors Are Jailed.

Mexico City, March 4 .- At Huerta's

States. Their newspaper was suppressed.

AND LEAPS TO SAFETY

FROM BAD FIRE

[UNITED PRESS ESASSID WIRE.]

ing to do with Benton.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] receipt of threats that he would be as- State Beyan intended to ask the memsassinated and the American embassy bers of the house foreign affairs com- which would warrant me in extending dynamited, United States Charge d' mittee to softpedal Congressman Ain. executive elemency. Affaires O'Shaughnessy was under a ey's resolution asking the president for strong bodygoard of Mexican soldiers full particulars concerning Mexican contoday and the number of sentries about troversy. his official headquarters had been. In the meantime Secretary Bryan had

who, it was reported, was the individual vo Laredo, and Bauch, missing in North- solemn judgment of a court.' who insisted on the body guard, consider mexico. erably against O'Shaughnessy's wishes.

Carranza Denounces Plan.

New York, March 4 .- Out and out General Carranza under a Nogales date,

"I can say positively that intervensaying, "but will provoke a war, which, gal adviser, and former Governor Mig- to death. besides Its own consequences, would increase the profound hatred between the two countries and between the United States and the whole of Latin America, made no representations to the chief boy's life. I have telegraphed Governa hatred which would endanger America's political future.

"I shall not discuss intervention. further. I don't believe it is probable. Not America's Business.

"I do not believe America will in the morning. It was stated that he ernor, in part, follows: tervene on account of the Benton case, would consult with certain members of "As the widow of Horace E, Mon-In any event, it is not America's busi- his cabinet at noon, but that the con- tague, who was killed by Ralph Fariss, ness to intervene, because Benton was ference concerned merely his plans for I beg of you leniency. I believe in the a British subject, not an American. I his departure for Chihuahua. will accept representations only from The Carranza party was expected to when he said 'forgive them that persethe British government so far as Ben leave for Naco late today. It the start cute you and despitefully use you.' I ton is concerned.

resentatives with the Huerta govern- row. No date has been set for the self and my dearly beloved husband, ment. He accepted Huerta's invitations, start to Chihuahua. takes his hat off to him and shakes his hand. Benton's killing was due to a malicious attack on General Villa by an enemy of the revolution, and order the six editors of the newspaper England, the world's bully, found her- El Moniteur were locked up in the fortself in the position of being unable ress of San Juan de Ulua, charged with to deal with us unless she humiliated disseminating false news tending to inherself by sending a representative to flame Mexicans against the United the constitutionalists.

Uses America As Catspaw,

"So she attempted to use America as a catspaw. The more shame to America that she allowed herself to

join these infamous powers.

Villa and I are in perfect accord. He obeys my orders without question.'

Trying to Curb Congress.

Washington, March 4 .- Convinced that General Carranza is about to reconsider his refusal to hear representations concerning the Benton case ex- her baby to the waiting arms of her dress. cept fom England, the Washington ad- husband, Mrs. Allen Hall leaped from ministration was doing its best today the second story of her home in the to prevent congress from engaging in a fashionable Nob Hill section early togeneral raking over of the Mexican sit- day and escaped from the flames which nation, with the possible result of up- had roared up through the stairways, a wealthy merchant of Sacramento, died setting pending negotiations.

President Wilson warned several sen- finest in the city, was a total loss, not was one of five brothers and a half ators who were anxious to open the a stick of furniture being saved. The brother who made fortunes in the dry-Whole subject on the floor of the up- house was built in 1890 by Captain A. goods business. The family came to per chamber how serious the conse T. Stream, a pioneer millionaire.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON IS NOT LIKELY TO SHOW MURDERER ANY MERCY

Telegram of Wife of Slain Man Sheridan Out on Bond of \$6000 Will Not Influence Him in Farris Case.

SHOULD GO ELSEWHERE IS UNDER EIGHT COUNTS

for Those Opposed to Capital Punishment to Go to Courts.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Sacramento, Cal., March 4.-Ralph Fariss, boy bandit and murderer, probably will be hanged in San Quentin prison Friday for the murder of Traveling Passenger Agent Horace E. Mon-Governor Johnson said today:

"The telegram of Mrs. Montague will not in any way affect my determinaquences of premature discussion might tion of the Fariss case. In cases of Mexico City, March 4.-Following the be. At the same time Secretary of this sort I have only one province-to determine whether any facts exist

> "I have no right arbitrarily to set sworn duty is to uphold the law.

"It would be much more appropriate received no answer to his two notes to for those opposed to capital punish-Of threatening letters O'Shaughnessy General Carranza and was pressing the ment to go to the courts and demand has received about 20. They purported latter for the exhumation of the Eng. of the judges that they refuse to impose to come from Caranzastas and denounc- lishman, Benton's corpse, and for defin- sentences of death than for them to ed the charge d'affaires for his per-lite information concerning the two demand that I, without reason, set sonal friendship for President Huerta, Americans, Vergara, hanged near Nue- aside the verdict of a jury and the

Admits Sending Message.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 4.-Mrs. Nongles, Sonora, Mexico, March 4 .- Edna Gerson Montague admitted today That General Carranza will remain that she has joined the petitioners who defiance of intervention in Mexico was silent upon the Benton case until he are seeking to save from the gallows breathed in an interview credited to receives the report of a commission he Ralph Fariss, the youthful Southern has sent to Juarez to make an investi- Pacific bandit who shot and killed her published today in the New York gation, was generally believed here to husband, Horace E. Montague, travelarrive in El Paso today. The commis- company, and left her two babies fathsion was expected to arrive in El Paso criess. Fariss killed Montague on a tion will not accomplish what Ameritoday. It consists of Dr. Miguel Silva, train which he held up near El Monte, to have obtained the money by means ca thinks," the general was quoted as Ramon Fraustro, Carranza's chief le- three months ago, and was sentenced

"I have no wish for revenge," said Members of the Carranga cabinet Mrs. Montague, "and my husband caninsisted today that Washington has not be brought back if they take this Stuart, vice-president of the Eric railregarding the department who confer or Johnson asking him not to kill Far-had been ill for months. red here yesterday with him, confirmed iss, and I shall pray that he will be in this, adding that his mission had noth- formed by my wish.

Telegram to Governor.

Carranza received no callers during Mrs. Montague's telegram to the gov-

law of love, and that Jesus was right is made Carranza probably will be at depreciate the Mosaic law. In the name "England now has accredited rep- Agua Prieta, opposite Douglas, tomor- of my two little daughters and myand in the name of humanity and God, I beg of you leniency for Ralph Far-

DEPARTMENT CELEBRATES.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WINE.] Washington, March 4.- The "baby" department-the department of laborelebrated its first anniversary today. One year ago William B. Wilson became its first head. For a good many months Wilson worked away without any salary, no offices and no clorksnothing but his title-since congress, had overlooked the little matter of appropriating money for its operation. However, Wilson got back pay later. The anniversary will be celebrated at a banquet of all labor department em ployes tonight. Terence V. Pewderly, chief of the bureau of information will be tonstmaster and Secretary South Bend, Wash, Feb. 4.—Tossing Wilson will make the principal ad-

WEALTHY MERCHANT DIES.

[CRITED PRESS LEASED WISE.] San Francisco, March 4 .- E. W. Halo The house, which when built, was the here today of intestinal trouble. Hale California from Michigan in 1873.

ROSEBURG BANK HEAD GIVES HIMSELF UP FOR \$75,000 DEFALCATION

Which Is Furnished by Two Friends.

Says It Would Be More Appropriate Indicted by State Grand Jury Several Weeks Ago on Forgery and Larceny Charges.

[UNITED PRESS LEARED WIRE.]

Portland, Ore., March 4.-Thomas R. Sheridan, former president of the First National Bank of Reseburg, gave himself up to United States Marshal John tague of the Southern Pacific railroad. Montag today, after a consultation with his attorney, former Senator C. W. Fulton. Sheridan is charged in a federal indictment under eight counts with having abstracted funds from a national

> Although District Attorney Reams says the alleged defalcations actually reached \$75,000, the indictments cover perpetrated between March 8 and May 29, 1911. In June the business of the bank was absorbed by the Douglas County National of Roseburg, but a trustee was appointed to liquidate the affairs of the First National. Friends Sign Bond.

Sheridan gave a bond of \$60000, which was furnished by Frank Waite, of Sutherlin, Ore., and Fred H. Kribs, a prominent lumberman of Portland. After arraignment Sheridan was given ten days in which to prepare his plea. Sheridan was indicted by a state grand pending the federal inquiry.

Sheridan is said to have bee of memorandum checks.

ERIE BOAD OFFICIAL DIES.

(UNITED PRESS LEASED WITE.) Garden City, L. I., March 4 .- J. C. road, died today at his home here. He

Dr. Cook Plans to Push Libel Suit

MAN WHO CLAIMS HE CLIMBED MT. M'KINLEY AND WHOSE HAN & HARRIS.

[UNITED PRESS LEARED WIRE.]

croof, in connection with the \$50,000 libel soit he has begun against Coban & Harris, that he reached the summit of Mt. McKinley and got to the north pole, was stated today by his legal advisers.

In fact, it was added, at was as much for the sake of an official investigation of his claims as because he considered he had been libeled that he began proceedings.

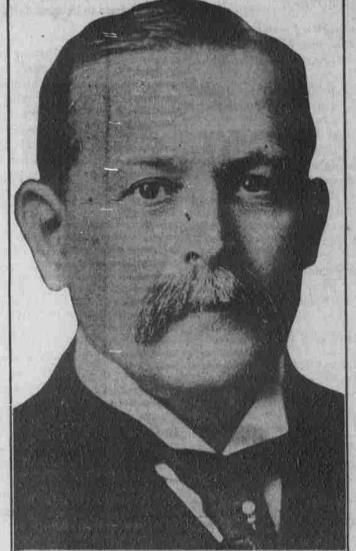
In the play "Seven Keys to Bald Pate," on at Cohan's grand opera house, Cyrlli Scott, represented as while creating the new department, climbing this mountain, says: "After climbing this mountain I can readily believe all that Jack London ever wrote, and all that Dr. Cook Bed

The Weather



vain, and variable a year, winds mostly east-

Great Upbuilder of Vassar During His 28 Years Service



Dr. James Monroe Taylor,

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE,]

New York, March 4.—Dr. James Mon- When his resignation was handed in it | Weeghman has been arranged. It was roe Taylor, who recently resigned as was reported that he would shortly en- stated that Weeghman does not intend jury at Roseburg some weeks ago on president of Vassar college, after hold- ter the diplomatic service. Dr. Taylor dropping the Federal league club in Chicharges of forgery and obtaining mon- ing that position since 1886, closed a was born in Brooklyn in 1848 and was ago, a part of the plan being to arey under false pretenses, but these eareer of much usefulness to that wo-ordained in the Baptist ministry in range some sort of recognition of the charges have been held in abeyance man's university. During his incum: 1871. He spent a year in Europe after outlaw organization, according to rebency he has seen the sphere of women bis ordination and then held pastorates ports. It was not known whether the in the world's work change consider- in South Norwalk, Conn., and Provi-

ily interested in outside operations, and ably. He inculeated and encouraged dene, R. I., before he went to Vassar, National league of Federal league con-Mrs. Wakefield Almost Overcome When Plew Dies

Hartford, Conn., March 4 .- Mrs. Bos. and Mrs. Wakefield were both sen-GUIDES EXPOSED HIM, SUES CO- sie Wakefield, awaiting the state au. tenced on November 5, to die on the preme court's action on her appeal from gallows, following Piew's admission the death sentence pronounced against the woman, who is but 24 years old, in Chicago, March 4.—That Dr. Fred her for her husband's murder, was all carrying it out. Judge L. F. Burpee erick A. Cook really proposes to attempt most prostrated today in her cell at the passed sentence. Wethersfield penitentiary following the Immediately the woman was sennight of horror she passed but 100 feet | tensed a state-wide fight was begun to from the scaffold on which her affinity save her from the gallows. The fight and accomplice, James W. Piew, was soon became nation-wide, but Governor hanged at two minutes past midnight. Baldwin declared he could not commute During the early hours of the night the sentence to life imprisonment. It Mrs. Wakefield sobbed convulsively was argued that Conneticut has not takbut toward morning she fell into a en the life of a woman for more than troubled sleep. She had been anxious 100 years; that Plew exerted an alto see Plew before he died, but their most superhuman influence over the joint request for an interview was re- woman, who had been multreated by her many of the ear-marks of a fake, was fused by the prison authorities. Plew husband, both before and after their filed in the secretary of state's office

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WINE]

convicted of murdering her husband, yers secured a reprieve.

MOORE QUITS AS ADVISER. DESTREE PRESS LEASED WINE!

Washington, March 4.-John Bassett here today by leaping from a third Moore resigned today as counsellor for story window to a coment drive way, the state department. It was stated She was instantly killed. The Dickey Bird that he did so to undertake Carnegie says: Oregon, to peace foundation work. That the Mixnight and Thurs- ican situation had anything to do with day fair east and his resignation was denied. When cloudy west por- named for the flost last summer Moore tion, and probably would not promise to serve more than

WEALTHY WOMAN KILLS SELF.

that he planned the murder and aided orged the plan here,

publican ticket for governor, that has went to his death composedly. "I marriage. She has two small children, this morning. It was that of John hope she gets a new trial," were his a boy six years old and a girl of four. Rockefellow, of 1235 Goldbond build-Shortly after the court ordered both ing, Portland. The name is suggestive, Plew and Bessie Wakefield, "the wo- Plew and Mrs. Wakefield to be and, so far as can be learned, no one man who never had a chance," were hanged on March 4, the woman's law. here has ever heard of the man. Besides,

> chib woman and writer of Cincinnati, committed suicide today at a sanitarium

WOULD EXCLUDE ASIATICS. [UNITED PRESS LEASED WINE,]

Ottawa, Can., March 4 .- Absolute ons strongly urged in parilament yes

there is no such building in Portland. that we know of, and the impression is that the filing was made for the purpose of showing that the name of any fictitions persons could be placed on the

sallot, under our present law. Anyway, the petition is in proper orm and has been filed. John says hewill accept the numination if given him, and he promises to give equitable and impartial enforcement to all laws, and, exclusion of all Asiatics from Canada besides many other things, says he will "zealously goard the interests in ovterday by western members of the law ery matter which may involve the making body. The question's import rights of property and to give my best ance was conceded on all hands but efforts to assure courtoons treatment Battle Creek, Mich., March 4.—Mrs. little information was obtainable con to any citizen who may call on the of-Sarah Drukke, aged 62 years, a wealthy cerning the minintration's attitude, fire for advice or assistance."

Report Believed to Be Authentic Says Head of Federals Will Buy.

METHOD CHOSEN TO AVOID BIG FIGHT

Will Not Drop Federals, Part of Plan Being Recognition of Outlaws.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New York, March 4.-Charles H. Weeghman, one of the principal backers of the Federal league, will own the Chicago National club before the end of the week, according to a report which originated today from a source close to Charles P. Taft, the present owner of a controlling interest in the club. This is the method, it was said, chosen by the National league directors to avoid a financial battle with the outlaw organ-

Governor John K. Tener, of Pensnylvania, prosident of the National league. and Taft will arrive here Friday, and advanced ideals for the girls of Vassar, it is reported that a meeting with plan involves the assumption by the tracts, with a view to disbanding the new organization, or admitting it to organized baseball as a third major

MAY HAVE CITY MANAGER,

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Colorado Springs, Colo, March 4 .-Colorado Springs may follow the example of Dayton, Ohio, and adopt the city manager form of government, it was believed here today, as the result of a recent visit of Clinton Rogers William Wakefield, last June. Plew Woodruff, of Philadelphia, secretary of the National Municipal league. Since Dayton adopted the plan, 15 American cities have followed suit. Woodruff

ROCKEFELLOW WOULD BE GOVERNOR OF

A petition for nomination on the Re-