

RED CROSS TELLS OF FAMINE IN MEXICO

It Says 600,000 Persons in Capital Face Danger of Starvation.

CARRANZA'S ROSY VIEW

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The first move in the Administration's new plan of laying the Mexican problem before the American public in the light of humanitarianism came to-day with the issuance of a statement by the Red Cross, giving details of the distressing famine conditions in Mexico.

This statement is based entirely on information furnished to the Red Cross by the State Department, most of which has hitherto been carefully withheld from the public.

It is now known that the statement which the President has allowed to be made is the strongest pronouncement on Mexico that he will have made.

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At Tampico all the corn has been exhausted.

At Mexico City the situation is very grave.

The city has 600,000 inhabitants in danger of perishing from hunger, cholera and epidemics.

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Chamber of Deputies cry: "We are hungry." With the Government was distributing some corn to relieve the food situation a crowd of about 8,000 people gathered, a far larger number than could be accommodated.

"On account of the state of weakness to which hunger is bringing the people and the heat and crush of the crowd, about 250 people returned and were carried to the Red Cross station to be attended."

"The good reason to believe that the President's forthcoming pronouncement will outline precisely the course that the United States will follow in the event of the failure of the Mexican officials to establish some form of government which may be held responsible for loss of life and the heavy damage to foreign interests that have resulted from the various revolutions since the fall of Diaz."

Even those who in the past have expressed scepticism that the President would attempt to stem seriously in dealing with Mexico, are now convinced that Mr. Wilson apparently has determined to speak plainly to the warring factions in Mexico, and that there is not a restoration of peace and the establishment of a responsible government within a reasonable period action by this Government will follow.

Ultimate Intervention. Though the statement will not use the term intervention those familiar with the President's frame of mind have no hesitancy in concluding that this will probably be the ultimate result if the Mexicans do not do as is required.

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HOLLAND IN FEAR OF BELGIUM'S FATE

Dutch People Openly Against German Methods, Believing Their Nation Menaced.

PRESS TAKES FIRM STAND

The New York correspondent of the Amsterdam *Holland-land* has written for this Sun the following article on sentiment in Holland toward the war:

"When I arrived in this country a few months before the war started a general sentiment in Holland was, if anything, pro-German. Not because we liked the individual German better than the average Englishman or Frenchman, but principally because our business interests demanded it and also because we mostly had some 100,000 Germans in our midst as compared with 10,000 of all other nationalities."

"Rotterdam's trade depended for four-fifths on its eastern neighbor and Germans (next in order come Americans) were the best customers of Amsterdam's diamond and tobacco markets."

"Notwithstanding the compliments of the *Holland-land* about the Dutch army half way intelligent Dutchman labored for one minute under the delusion that we stood the slightest chance of resisting the German onslaught."

"If you regard yourself as a Southerner quit such regard of yourself. If a Northerner quit it. He simply cannot afford to be a Southerner or a Northerner as an American squarely behind President Wilson or any other White House occupant who does in fact stand for the rights of the people."

"The Rev. Christian F. Reiser in a sermon entitled 'Worthy of Our Fathers' delivered last night at the Amsterdam Avenue Methodist Church, spoke of us in the following words:

"Our fathers will have died in vain if they have not planted in us a hate for war that will compel us to exhaust every resource. The spirit of our country, thank God, applauded the statement of our President that at times we should be 'too proud to fight.'"

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PEACE SAYS SOME PASTORS; BUILD UP NAVY, OTHERS

Veterans and Guardsmen Hear Memorial Day Sermons.

VETERANS' PARADES FEATURE FOR TO-DAY

The Government Weather Bureau promises fair weather for to-day.

MANHATTAN. Memorial Day Parade—Starts at 9 o'clock from West End Avenue and Sixty-eighth street, goes north to Sixty-second street, west to Riverside Drive, north on Riverside Drive to Ninety-second street and then to Amsterdam street.

PARADE. The parade will be reviewed by Rear Admiral Charles D. Sigbee, retired; Major-General John P. O'Han, and Brig.-Gen. Brooke R. Dyer.

BROOKLYN. Parade—Starts at 9 o'clock in Bedford Avenue near South Eighth street and will be led by Major-General Isaac Calkin. Route is through Bedford Avenue to Eastern Parkway, through Prospect Park plaza and into the park.

WEST END CHURCH. Last night representatives of several organizations attended the West End Presbyterian Church services. They included the Rev. Dr. Mark A. Matthews, Rear Admiral Charles D. Sigbee, retired; Major-General John P. O'Han, and Brig.-Gen. Brooke R. Dyer.

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COLUMBIA 1915 MEN HEAR WAR LESSON

Dr. Taylor, in Baccalaureate Sermon, Tells of Progress Even in Strife.

CLASS GAYETY TO-DAY

Leadon skies dimmed the usual striking picture at the baccalaureate services at Columbia University yesterday, when nearly 2,000 graduates-to-be heard Dr. James M. Taylor, former president of Vassar College, preach the sermon in the university gymnasium.

"Let us not be swept off our feet," was the keynote of Dr. Taylor's sermon. The text was taken from Philippians, IV, 8. In urging his hearers not to restrict their view to the despairing side of present day events Dr. Taylor said that even war, no matter how disheartening, had its tale of progress.

"Our real world is largely our own creation, not so much an aggregate of external conditions as an inner world of our own making. We and our outlook determine what it shall be."

"But what makes us? Not chiefly external conditions. Physical perfection and perfect adjustment are incompetent to make a good man or a good society. Vision is essential. As Lowell reminds us, Dante's hood covered all that was worth while in Italy."

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PATERSON FEELS BENEFIT OF BILLY

Churches Have Large Congregations on First Sunday After He Leaves.

GET MANY NEW MEMBERS

PATERSON, May 30.—Billy Sunday has come and gone, but the wave of reform which he started will go rolling on forever, gathering strength each day.

At least, such is the opinion of many leading ministers of the city. Today is the first Sunday since Billy's farewell to Paterson, and it is the first Sunday the churches have been opened in two months, as it was arranged to keep them closed on Sundays while he was holding his revival.

Fifteen of the leading ministers said that they had unusually large attendance to-day, and have had many people joined their churches. It is estimated that between 15,000 and 16,000 persons attended the churches which were interested in Billy's revival. This is about 3,000 more than the average attendance before Billy came to town, or about 20 per cent.

The ministers are enthusiastic over the success of the revival, a success which they believe is more than the average of full strength. Almost 400 new members joined the churches to-day, which is a record for any Sunday.

The 14,456 trail blazers Billy secured about 9,000 churches. Each gave his name and address and preferred a church. Each church has obtained the names of all who chose it and the ministers have been rounding up the individuals. More than half of the Patersonians were already church members or churchgoers before they gave their names to Billy.

The Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, president of the Paterson Ministerial Association, which had today the largest congregation in the city, had 1,500 persons. "It is most gratifying," he said, "and full credit for it belongs to the Rev. William Sunday."

"Another point which deserves to be mentioned is that many business men have told me that there is a perceptible difference in the conduct of their employees since Mr. Sunday's effort began to-day."

He said his church has established since the revival a men's Bible class with 125 members. The Tolosa Presbyterian Church has also established a men's Bible class with ninety members.

The Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church received twelve new members to-day, making a total of seventy-nine since the revival. The Broadway Reformed Church received fifty-two new members, making a total of eighty-six since Billy's coming.

Four churches have had records for that church to-day, flourishing new members. It has started a branch called the Church of the Covenant.

The Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, said that he had the largest attendance that he has had in two years and that he has many new members joined the church to-day.

"This is due purely to Mr. Sunday," said he. "He had a wonderful effect upon the people of this city, spreading more and more. Family conditions are better and there is far less drinking."

Rev. Dr. Taylor, Billy's trainer, is still in Paterson. Indeed, he likes the town so well that he says he is going to get a home here and will send to Chicago for his wife and children very soon. He will be in the Paterson Avenue Church and preached at the evening service.

Chief of Police John Binson said that it is too early to judge of the results from Billy's visit.

SIX DEACONS MADE PRIESTS. Bishop Greer Advances Young Divines at Cathedral.

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MANY HEAR FLYING SQUADRON. Anti-Liquor Band Attains Large Crowd to Carnegie Hall. The Flying Squadron, which has been conducting three days of anti-liquor campaigns in many cities, will be in Carnegie Hall yesterday afternoon. It was attended by a large and enthusiastic audience.

Butterick in Paris. The French edition of THE DELINEATOR (Le Miroir de Modes), at \$2 a year, surpasses in circulation any similar publication at a comparable price in France. The Butterick business in France is greater than that of all other fashion companies. More Butterick Patterns are sold at the Butterick shop at 27 Avenue de l'Opera, Paris, than all other patterns in France put together.

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