

### CARRANZA ASKS NEW OIL LAW IN MEXICO

Urges His Congress to "Place Mexicans and Foreigners on Same Footing"

#### OTHER REFORMS SOUGHT

By the Associated Press  
Mexico City, May 2.—President Carranza is to submit to the extraordinary session of Congress, which convened yesterday, the outline of a law on petroleum, which would develop Article 27 of the constitution so as to "consolidate the sources of national wealth according to law and equity, destroy special privileges and place Mexicans and foreigners on the same footing and give the state even less than foreign legislation gives other states in the same matters."

This was the leading topic of the president's message outlining the purposes for which he had called the extraordinary session, which is expected to see legislation on matters of international importance. The message was read to Congress late last night.

Referring to petroleum laws, the message says:

"It is planned to destroy any special privilege and to equalize the judicial status of Mexican citizens and subjects of other countries without the nation claiming more pre-eminence than that given by national sovereignty, which rights nobody has brought up for discussion in connection with other sources or riches of which Mexico is an exceptional producer, such as mining, for example."

Among other matters which President Carranza asked Congress to act upon are:

To name justices of the Supreme Court.

To change the government of Mexico City from a free municipal regime to one under the control of the national government, so as to secure better and cheaper administration.

To give the national Legislature the power to pass upon the eligibility of its own members.

To enact legislation on the formation of a Banco Union, or national bank of emission, for the purpose of eliminating the evils attending the coinage of the present metal currency and encouraging commerce and business.

#### ALIMONY SETS RECORD

Mrs. Ellen Kendall Gets \$4,500,000, With \$100,000 a Year

New York, May 2.—A record sum of alimony has been settled on Mrs. Ellen Hallett Kendall, well known in society in this city and Bar Harbor, Me., by her husband, Lyman B. Kendall, New York banker, whom she recently divorced, according to her lawyer, William M. Sullivan, of 35 Nassau street.

In effecting a financial settlement which was amicable to both sides the transfer of property, \$1,000,000 outright and alimony of \$100,000 a year was agreed upon, declared Mr. Sullivan. Through the arrangement Mrs. Kendall came into possession of the city house, at 120 Park avenue, with its furnishings and art collection, both of which are appraised at \$1,500,000 by the lawyer, and the attractive villa and estate at Bar Harbor known as Sonogee, said to be worth \$2,000,000 because of its rich habitations.

Altogether Mrs. Kendall received outright what is equivalent to \$4,500,000, declared her lawyer, exclusive of the alimony, which is payable for without any restrictions based upon her marrying again. To insure the future payment of alimony, more than \$2,000,000 will have to be invested to protect Mrs. Kendall's interests.

#### Dead Angler Catches Fish

Lewistown, Pa., May 2.—The body of James Dougherty, seventy years old, was found along the creek last evening. He left the farm where he boarded to spend the day fishing. His hands were grasping the fishing pole and fish were still nibbling at the bait. He was subject to attacks of vertigo.

#### Mint Jell

Try Mint Jiffy-Jell with roast lamb or cold meats. It is vastly better than mint sauce. Try Jiffy-Jell desserts with their real fruit flavors in essence form, in vials. Each is so rich in condensed fruit juice that it makes a real fruit dainty. Yet they cost no more than old-style gelatine desserts.

#### Jiffy-Jell

10 Flavors, at Your Grocer's 2 Packages for 25 Cents

#### ICE Publicity

Ice dealers in communities within shipping distance of Philadelphia, and whose supply has been affected by the failure of the Natural Ice Crop, would do well to get in touch at this time with the Telephone Lombard 4444

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742 Drexel Bldg., Philadelphia  
General Secy., Secretary-Manager

Gimbel Brothers, Philadelphia Store Opens at 9 For Tomorrow—Saturday Store Closes 5:30 Gimbel Brothers, Philadelphia Friday, May 2, 1919.

# Gimbels—A Market Report That Thousands Watch

Several thousand men read closely each day the market reports on stocks and bonds and goods. Two million men and women read the Gimbel advertise-

ment. Business men buy stocks as prices favor and sell as markets suggest. Our advertising is a buying guide for everything for the person and the home. Buy as prices favor.

For instance—  
Saturday—Men's and Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, third to half under regular prices, 25c to 50c. All embroidery is hand-work.

**Right from Our Own Stocks or Right From Your Favorite Makers—**

## Come These 1500 Women's Capes, Dolmans, Straight-Line Coats

Newly designed; thoroughly tailored; favorably priced.

**Fine Serge Capes—of enormous sweep—special at \$16.75—black or navy blue; with foulard "novelty" collars.**

**Serge Dolmans—special at \$15 and \$19.75—in a very gracefully draped model. In black or blue at \$15. In sand or rookite at \$19.75.**

**Silk-lined Capes at \$23.75, \$25 and \$33.75—of navy blue or black serge; or of navy blue, sand, rookite or black wool-poplin; or of navy blue, black, taupe or deer velour. Styles and styles!**

**Straight-line Coats—Silk-lined to waist—of black serge, at \$25; of black or navy blue wool-poplin, at \$22.50.**

—Gimbels, Salons of Dress, Third floor.

## Millinery That "Enthuses The Costume"

Especially "dressy" millinery—much all-black, much navy blue, but the "colors of spring and summer," too; and much—oh, very much—of color-trimmed black.

### Special Groupings Tomorrow At \$5 to \$18.50

Hats with transparent Georgette brims.  
Hats with flowers.  
Hats with the new, very wonderful, very different, very striking—ribbon-treatments.

**At \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.50, \$12.50, \$15 to \$18.50**

—Gimbels, Millinery Salons, Third floor

## May 3d—Straw Hat Day



The big day at Franklin Field ushers in Straw Hats—calendars, rulers and potentates have no say.

To attend the Harvard-Penn base ball game and to wear a straw hat is to be correct—and happy.

Sennit Straw Hats—\$2.50 to \$5.  
Split-straw Hats—\$3 to \$6.  
Mackinaws—\$2.50 and \$3.  
Fusima and Stoyos Straws—ecru in color—\$5.  
Leghorn Hats—\$5 and \$6.  
Panama Hats—\$5, \$7 and to \$35.

—Gimbels, Ninth Street Corner

## Enormous Shipment of the Famous "L'Opera Pearls"

—Reaches America. On sale at Gimbels—

**At About One-Third the Actual Values**

Every fashionable length between 15 inches ("collar-length") and 48 inches ("ropes").  
Beginning at \$5—every string has solid-gold clasp and is encased in a velvet-lined necklace box.

**Graduated Styles—15- to 40-inch lengths—**  
—at 95c to \$12

**Uniform Style—16 inches—** at 50c to \$2.50

**48-inch Ropes—** at \$1.95 to \$7.50

—Gimbels, First floor.

## Furs—Store Them!

It may take more than one swallow to make a summer, but it doesn't take more than one l'il moth to make hay of—

—Gimbels, Fur Salons.

## The Blue Serge Suits the Average Woman Simply Can't Get Along Without

But of good, sturdy, U. S. serge—and in clear, true navy blue—

**And at \$29.75 and \$35**

And tailored as a good "old reliable" ought to be to last and last.

Tailleur models, with smart little hand touches—including the good-looking "crow-toes."

**And Wool-Jersey Sports Suits—But the Famous Gimbel Kinds—at \$25 and \$29.75—**

—that owe their fame to their evident superiority.

In the new "camel" shade that every woman who sees, falls in love with! In Copenhagen blue, walnut and the new bronze and wonderful "heathers."

**P. S. Also at \$29.75—Wool Jersey Suits With the Criss-cross Ticking**

Smart colorings—including camel with camel collar.

—Gimbels, Salons of Dress, Third floor.

## Misses' Dresses

Of Taffeta, Foulard and Georgette Crepe, Three Groups

**At \$16.75, \$21.75 and \$25**

A dress for any and every occasion. And the dress season is upon us! Developed of soft taffeta in the pretty spring shades; and foulard silk in bewitching designs on a blue background. And the favorite Georgette crepe dresses in navy, pale pink and white. As to styles—hundreds!

**Fascinating Serge Capes for Misses at \$15 and \$19.75**

Coat models—mostly navy blue—of course.

**Girls' White Dresses at \$4.25, \$5 and \$5.95**

Of voile and organdie in winsome styles. Trimmed in laces and embroideries, girde in ribbon. And fluffy net dresses at \$5 and \$10. In 6 to 14 year sizes.

**Girls Capes and Coats at \$10, \$15 and \$19.75**

Capes in coat and vest models. Some with contrasting colors. And some have hoods. For ages 8 to 14 years.

—Gimbels, Salons of Dress, Third floor.

## 600 Nightgowns in the May Sale at \$1

Cotton Crepes—of a good, firm, splendid quality. And in mighty cute tailoring styles! Pink, white and figured crepes.

Nainsooks—with firm, fine little embroidery edges.

And Pink Batistes—the kind women buy up by the half dozen!

**Silk Bloomers—Including "Creepers"—at \$2, \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95**

Mostly pink—though here and there is a turquoise blue or a lovely yellow.

Mostly satin. Some are lace-trimmed.

**Shell-pink Batiste Specials**

Nightgowns at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. Envelope Chemises, at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. Billie Burkes, at \$2, \$2.50 and \$3. Petticoats, at \$2 and \$3. Dainty tailored and lacy styles.

—Gimbels, Second floor, Some on First floor.

## Men's Oxfords That Are Particularly Good Value at \$5.50 and \$6

Good shoes at such modest prices are the exception these days of high leathers—high because our European Allies need the leather more than we do. But good shoe specials come to Gimbels at that!

These \$5.50 and \$6 Oxfords are of calfskin, in the cordo tan shade, and in gunmetal, round-toe and blucher. Some have Neolin soles. The \$6 group also contains oxfords of soft glazed kid-skin.

**Men's Cordovan Oxfords at \$9**

Welbred shell cordovan (horsehide), dark wine shade; stylish long, slender last, with plenty of room for foot comfort, \$9.

**Boys' Shoes and Oxfords at \$4 to \$6**

As to kind and size.

—Gimbels, Second floor.

## Soldiers Step Right into Luck

Tailors were very late in delivery and—

## \$100,000 Worth of Men's Clothing

intended for Easter selling, is just coming in—and we have to quicken our pace to keep stocks right. Hence—

## The Civilian Clothes Required are offered at savings of a third

This doesn't affect our whole stock—but it gives tremendous selection at just such savings. Bear in mind, the Gimbel clothing service has stepped to first place in Philadelphia—holding to quality and fair prices during the war won the position.

And month after month we saw sales exceed past records—more than overcoming the absence of the men in uniform.

The Gimbel service continues to excel. Quality and price are important, but virile style is a big factor. Have your clothes measure up to your own fine manhood.

Suits at \$22.50—full of style. Good Suits

Suits at \$26.50—blue, brown and green unfinished worsteds

Suits at \$29.00—paragon worsteds; Victory stripes

**"Kuppenheimer" and "Society Brand" Suits at \$33.50 and \$47.50**

Yes, indeed, including the ultra-stylish camouflage double-breasted; the stream-line; the waist-seam—and, of course, conservative styles, though men are steering away from too serious or old-ish styles.

"Hungerford System" Trousers at \$4.85 and upwards. The comfort-trousers.

A very new "street vest" at \$5—no "luxury tax," and you know a vest selling above \$5 carries 10 percent tax on all the price above five dollars. No tax on suits and overcoats.

It's fine to be home—fine to buy the clothes you fancy; fine to have Gimbels—holding to all-wool fabrics and silk-sewed seams.

—Gimbels, Second floor

## Chocolate-Covered Almonds at 55c lb.

**Other Candy Specials**

Chocolate-covered Marshmallows, at 55c lb.

Cream Mint Plait, at 35c lb.

Chocolate Straws, at 50c lb.

—Gimbels, Chestnut Street Annex, Grand Aisle and Subway Store.

## BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS

For Boys, 8 to 18 Years—

**At \$12.50, \$15, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$22.50—With Extra Trousers**

—extra trousers that match the suit are a special feature of the Gimbel Boys' Clothing Store. Most boys wear out the trousers to a suit in about half the time it takes to wear out the jacket; hence extra trousers that match keep the suit entire about twice as long as without. Newest waist-line models.

Boys' all-wool blue serge Norfolk Suits (8 to 17 years), at \$8.75.

Little boys' blue serge Middy Suits, at \$7.50, \$8.75, \$10, \$12.50

—\$15. Ages 3 to 10. Newest styles.

Boys' Washable Suits, at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75 and \$5.

—Gimbels, Third floor.

## Women's & Misses' Spring Suits at \$18.50

Recruited from the Ranks of Higher-Priced Models

Blouse Suits, Box Suits, Belted Suits and Sports Suits—in a number of pleasing variations. Of serge and poplin. Navy blue and the popular spring colors.

Many are braided-trimmed.

In 14, 16- and 18-year sizes—for misses. And sizes 36 to 52 for women. Now at \$18.50. Note the good-looking models pictured.

**Coats, Capes and Dolmans, at \$15, \$17.50, \$19.75 and \$25**

Dozens of styles. Of serges, poplins and velours in the wanted colors. Capes with vests or coats—many are braided-trimmed. All sizes for misses and women. Extra sizes, too.

**Women's and Misses' Smart Silk Dresses at \$14.85**

Dresses that one needs—even in summertime. Of taffeta and crepe de chine. Stylish models. Misses' sizes—as well as women's sizes. Unusual values at \$14.85.

**Girls' White Dresses and Capes**

The dresses of batiste and voile; also of net. Empire and long-waisted styles. Pretty trimmed. For ages 6 to 16 years. At \$2, \$2.95, \$3.95 up to \$10.95.

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Empire and belted models, lace- and embroidery-trimmed. All new. In 2- to 6-year sizes.

Infants', Lawn Caps, many styles, at 25c to \$1.25.

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## Men's and Young Men's New Spring Suits at \$13.50, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$22.50

The season's newest styles. Excellent variety of worsteds, chevots, cassimeres and tweeds. Neat mixtures, plenty of blues, grays and browns. The models include the smart waist-line styles for young men—conservative styles for men of quiet tastes. Quite a range of regular, stout and slim sizes. At \$13.50, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$22.50.

**Men's Trousers at \$1.85, \$2.75, \$3.50 and \$5**

Blue denim, hickory stripe or white drill Overalls or Jumpers at 95c.

Famous Lee Union Alls in extra quality of blue denim at \$3.35.

Sweet Orr Co. Gov.-Khaki Trousers, at \$1.85 and \$2.25. Other makes, at \$1.35.

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Strong chevots. Knickerbockers full-lined. Fifty styles for boys 7 to 17 years, at \$6.90, \$7.90 and \$8.90.

Boys' Norfolk Suits with extra pair of trousers, at \$10.50 to \$13.50. New waist-line, form-fitting and full-belted models. Chevots and cassimeres in choice styles. All sizes, 7 to 18 years.

Boys' Junior Suits, at \$3.90 to \$7.90. All wanted kinds—for boys 2 to 8 years.

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**Five Hundred Pieces of Muslin Underwear at 65c to \$1.55**

All garments included; ones and twos of a kind. At 65c to \$1.55.

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## In The Subway Store

**Women's Silk Suit Blouses at \$3.95 to \$5.50**

Silk Waists in Georgette crepe, taffeta and satin. Wanted colors and style. Special at \$3.95 to \$5.50.

**Sample Cotton Blouses at \$1.85**

Ones and twos of a kind; samples, but not all sizes. Worth almost double at \$1.85.

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**Women's New Spring Shoes at \$4.90**

Exceptional values in this season's styles, white feather pumps and oxfords, black satin oxfords, patent-leather Colonial with large buckle, tan kid and black kid oxfords. All with long, slender vamps; Louis and military heels. Full range of sizes. Save a third at \$4.90.

**Children's Shoes at \$1.50 and \$1.80**

Turned sole, button Shoes for small children; patent-leather and black kid, tan or black tops; sizes 2 to 5, without heels, \$1.50; sizes 4 to 8, wedge heels, at \$1.80.

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**Men's Straw Hats at \$1.65 and \$2.35**

Of Sennit Straw—Toyo Panamas at \$3.35.

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