

Fair today and probably to-morrow; colder tomorrow. Temperatures yesterday—Maximum, 74; minimum, 46.

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HUERTA ORGANS SPREAD RUMORS OF RECOGNITION

Hale's Conferences with Carranza Have Caused Wilson to Change, They Claim.

ENVOY DENIES REPORTS

Shortage of Fuel Threatens Suspension of All Industries in Capital.

Mexico City, Nov. 22.—The chamber of deputies held another unexpected session today, it having been announced last night that an adjournment had been taken until Monday.

A quorum was present. The first work taken up was the organization of committees, of which there are quite as many as in the former congresses. This indicates that the new Congress is to sit for some time and not dissolve after annulling the recent election, as was announced some weeks ago.

The Senate met this afternoon for fifteen minutes and adjourned, after granting a leave of absence to a Senator.

President Huerta today gave out a statement, in which he said the rumor that changes had already taken place and would take place in the Cabinet "was absolutely without foundation."

There were no new developments in the international situation today, outside of the reports that the Washington government has become convinced that the recognition of Huerta is the only solution of the Mexican situation. These reports were denied at the United States Embassy.

Fuel Shortage Serious.

The shortage of fuel is becoming a more serious problem than the stringency of currency, and a paralysis of all industry is threatened. Every effort is being made to suppress the rebels in the vicinity of Tuxpan, who have threatened to cut off the fuel oil supply of the National Railways.

The latest scheme of the government for raising money is the establishment of an immense laboratory for the manufacture of patent medicines, to be marketed by the government. The duties on all the popular remedies have been increased to such a degree that the ordinary dealer cannot afford to handle them, so the field has been cleared for government ownership of the business.

Moheno Is Quoted.

El Independiente, a government newspaper, today announced that President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan, after reading the report of William Bayard Hale's interview with Carranza, leader of the Northern rebels, had become convinced that the latter could not guarantee the protection of the lives and property of foreigners and had decided that Huerta was the only man in Mexico capable of properly handling the situation. El Independiente declares that the official announcement of the recognition of Huerta may be looked for in a very few days.

El Diario announced that a communication received by Huerta already has been signed by Mr. Bryan and quotes Foreign Minister Moheno as admitting that he had received encouraging news from private sources which led him to hope for an early settlement of the difficulties between Mexico and the United States.

El Pais today published the promised apology to Mr. O'Shaughnessy for the article published in the same paper yesterday attacking the American charge for presuming to ask for a speedy decision by the Supreme Court of the Columbus oil land case.

A message received tonight from the Governor of Chihuahua says that 200 citizens of the towns of Pinos and Chihuahua, both near the city of Chihuahua, defeated a rebel force of about 1,000, killing 200 rebels and putting the remainder to rout.

Federal Victory Reported.

The city of Chihuahua, according to the messages, has not been attacked since Gen. Villa retired and made his dash for Juarez. The government announced tonight that:

BULGAR CZAR TOLD TO QUIT.

Ferdinand Agrees and Crown Prince Will Ascend Throne, It Is Reported.

Trade, Servia, Nov. 22.—Austria has no other option than Ferdinand, it is reported that he must abdicate to keep in his own country and Ferdinand agreed to do so, according to information received here today by the newspaper Politika from Vienna.

HER LOVE TAPS EACH COST HIM A CHECK

New Zimmerman Is Trying to Recover \$78,000 from Woman Owner of Grocery Stores.

New Haven, Nov. 22.—Martin Zimmerman, of New York, is trying to get back \$78,000, he says Mrs. William Heers Kennedy, of New York, says he gave it to her out of pure love and affection, partly when she was sitting on his knee. Zimmerman, however, has notes for \$78,000 from Mrs. Kennedy on her check book of grocery stores are involved in bankruptcy proceedings, and the story of the \$78,000—only a part of many "loving and affectionate" gifts, it is said—came out in testimony before a referee.

"I was at my home, sitting on the gentleman's knee," said Mrs. Kennedy in telling about the check for \$78,000, "and he suggested I have one and a chauffeur."

"While I was sitting on his knee and he was holding the automobile book with one hand he reached for his check book with the other and wrote the check for \$78,000."

She said she paid his check in return for the check.

SWIMS ACROSS GATUN LAKE.

Capt. Brown, of New York, Nearest Twenty-Four Miles.

Panama, Nov. 22.—Capt. Alfred Brown, of New York, who claims to be the champion long-distance swimmer of the world, swam Gatun Lake today. He covered the twenty-four miles in twelve hours and thirty minutes.

Brown started at Gatun Locks at 5:30 o'clock this morning. He finished just below Gamboa, at the entrance to Colon, Panama.

THANKSGIVING DAY "DON'TS."

Agriculture Department Tells How to Enjoy Effects of Dinner.

The Department of Agriculture yesterday issued a few "don'ts" for Americans who wish to avoid a stomach ache after eating their Thanksgiving dinner. Here they are:

"Don't make the seasonings too rich."

"Don't put too much meat in the mince pie."

"Don't overeat."

"And don't stay indoors after the Thanksgiving dinner. Take a walk or go to a football game."

REBEL DYNAMITE KILLS HUNDREDS

Federal Troop Train Bearing 1,500 Against Juarez Reported Blown Up.

CUSTOMS HOUSE BURNED

Plot Scented in Firing of Building Where Former Presidents Taft and Diaz Met.

Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, Nov. 22.—Under two separate operations in the last few weeks, Juarez tonight is not certain who will rule it Sunday morning. There is fighting south of this border town, not more than eighteen or twenty miles away, and it has been in progress since early morning. The Federals at Chihuahua slipped up to within thirty-two miles of the rebels without discovery and opened fire on the rebel outposts of Rancho Villa at daybreak.

Tonight the rebels left in Juarez to guard the city claim that their men have slaughtered the first trainload of Federals and are waiting for more, while Federal agents in El Paso assert that the rebels, who went south to fight, have abandoned the idea and headed by Pancho Villa, their leader, are fleeing across country to Casas Grandes, 80 miles away. The rebel garrison in Juarez remains quiet but watches the fighting with interest. It was in command of the rebels in progress throughout the day is known. How many have been killed is unknown. Villa himself went south this morning, and it was reported that he had been seen in the vicinity of the customs house, and considered the conditions so critical that he returned and took every available man from Juarez, to throw against the Federals.

Train Reported Blown Up.

Advice was received here tonight that Gen. Villa has received word from his scouts to the effect that two trainloads of Federal cavalry, estimated at 1,500 men and horses were ambushed at Rancho, a station on the Mexican Central Railroad, sixty miles south of Juarez, and that the trains had been blown up.

Plot Scented in Firing of Building Where Former Presidents Taft and Diaz Met.

The customs house here, scene of the famous meeting of Presidents Diaz and Taft in 1903 and recently the headquarters of Gen. Villa, caught fire tonight.

Fire Due to Plot?

The fire was extinguished after half an hour's fighting by fire brigades made up of several companies of soldiers, who were rushed from the barracks. In order to prevent a raid on the barracks, the soldiers were ordered out to clear the streets.

Authorities are inclined to believe that the fire may have been the result of a plot, as the party of Federalists to create a diversion, with the hope that during the excitement of the town might be taken by Huerta sympathizers in El Paso.

During the night this morning with 5,000 or 6,000 rebels, as is asserted as a country burying ground tonight. About a thousand men of the rebel army remain inside the city as guards, but they are staying close inside their barracks and sleeping quarters, and only sentries are seen outside.

Last night the rebels fled through the streets by the thousands, but this morning couriers rushed in with the news that Federals were at Salavaya, thirty-three miles south, and they had already engaged the rebel outposts.

Heavy Force Goes South.

Villa immediately prepared to give battle outside by the approaching Federals, and hastened south shortly before noon with 1,000 men. He left them and was back in two hours issuing orders for his entire command, with the exception of the cavalry brigade, composed of men recruited here, to advance to the front. By 2 o'clock this afternoon Villa and 5,000 men had left Juarez, with on trains over the Mexican Central Railroad or by horseback. Four machine guns in as many automobiles accompanied the cavalry division.

At the same time the rebels laid claim to the towns by the thousands, but this morning couriers rushed in with the news that Federals were at Salavaya, thirty-three miles south, and they had already engaged the rebel outposts.

Hugo's Souja-Law Dies.

Paris, Nov. 22.—Edouard Lockyer, son-in-law of Victor Hugo and former Minister of Marine, died today, aged seventy-five.

MEXICO! MEXICO! MEXICO!



AIR WAS FULL OF KETCHUP.

Expanding Cans of Tomato Soup Exploded in Moving Picture Man.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 22.—Nearly 25,000 cans of tomato soup were exploded here today by government officials when they caused the city dump in which the cans had been buried to be set on fire. The heat from the fire in the dump caused the contents of the cans to be superheated, and when they exploded some of the cans were hurled more than 200 feet into the air. A delighted moving picture man with the apparatus was one of the most interested spectators.

The cans were part of a lot of 65,000 which had been seized and condemned by government officials. The process of opening the cans and dumping their contents proved too tedious and it was decided to bury them in a city dump, set the dump on fire and let the heat to the cans.

FALL KILLS AGED WOMAN.

Mrs. Woolen, 84, Drops Three Stories from Window.

Baltimore, Nov. 22.—Mrs. Richard H. Woolen, eighty-four years old, fell to her death from a window in her room on the third floor of the Preston apartments this morning.

Mrs. Woolen was grandmother of Mrs. Gertrude H. Emery and mother of Mrs. W. N. Stump, and had many relatives and connections conspicuous in the social, professional, and business life of Baltimore.

The police reported the death to Corner Chambers, who is making an investigation. The death of Mrs. Woolen marks the second tragedy in the Preston apartments in the last few months. On August 2 last Rose McComas was killed when she plunged from the sixth floor.

ANOTHER CUP DEFENDER.

George Owen, of Massachusetts, to Design a Third Sloop.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Tentative plans for the building of a third sloop as a candidate for the honor of defending the America's cup, have been made by a number of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia men.

Mr. Walter Clark, of the Eastern Yacht Club, has announced that George Owen, of Newton, has been commissioned to design the 7-footer, and that the Bath Iron Works would be asked to submit a bid for construction. G. M. Fyncheon, of New York, is one of those associated with Mr. Clark.

ILLINOIS NATURE NOTES.

Horse Dies at 45—"Goose King" Has 10,000 Birds Fattening.

Hooquing, Ill., Nov. 22.—The family horse of G. H. Baber, of Adamsburg, died this week, aged forty-five years and six months, thought to be an Illinois record for equines.

W. H. Ficke, the goose king of Illinois, has 10,000 of the birds now under feed for the holiday market on his farm near Mansfield, the largest number of birds upon a single farm in the world. He has a number of agents who buy the geese in large flocks.

ELECTRIC WORKERS STRIKE OFF

Conference Averts Walkout of Five Thousand Men.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 22.—It was announced today by Chairman James C. Rogers of the State Labor Committee that the strike of the employees of the General Electric Works at Schenectady, involving 5,000 men, probably would be averted owing to a conference between employees and employers.

American Horse Wins.

Manchester, England, Nov. 22.—Dalmat, colt, owned by L. Winans, an American, won the Manchester Cup, worth \$7,500, here today. York Girl ran second, and Guiter third.

BRYAN GOES HUNTING, BUT FLEET RABBITS EVADE HIS SHOTS

Secretary of State, in Two-Hour Gunning Expedition, Fails to Bag Any Game.

Secretary of State Bryan is a hunter. He joined the clan yesterday, and although he didn't kill any of the rabbits for which he hunted for two hours, he said the party was a success.

Mr. Bryan didn't emulate that other great Democratic hunter, Grover Cleveland, possibly because if he hunted ducks he might cause a flurry in diplomatic circles. Mr. Bryan once called a Macedonian eagle a dove.

Mr. Bryan's grandson, John Bryan Leavitt, called at the State Department at 11 o'clock yesterday and reminded him of their engagement with the rabbits. With Daniel McBride, nephew of Cotter T. Bird, and J. C. Mattingly, a lawyer from Roserford, Md., about ten miles south of Washington.

About ten persons were in the hunting party that started from Mr. Mattingly's Rosecroft farm. They hunted for two hours. When they returned they made a count and found that rabbitdom had been deprived of four prominent citizens.

WOMEN WAR ON HANGMAN.

Connecticut Feminists Want Corporal Pankhurst Abolished.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 22.—Spurred on by the case of Bessie Wakenfeld, "the woman who never had a chance," sentenced to be hanged next March, the women of Connecticut today inaugurated a State-wide fight for the abolition of capital punishment.

Petitions were sent out by the women, who have interested themselves in Mrs. Wakenfeld's behalf, to every city, town, and village in Connecticut, requesting the Board of Pardons to commute to life imprisonment the death sentence of Mrs. Wakenfeld and two men now in State's prison. Thousands of signatures are expected.

ASSASSINS' LAIR RAIDED.

Bomb Apparatus Found in Indian Anarchists' Retreat.

Calcutta, India, Nov. 22.—Apparatus for bomb-making and a large quantity of correspondence, likely to lead to the arrest of a number of anarchists, were seized by the police today when they raided a house suspected for some time of harboring assassins.

ZEPPELIN VI ON FIRST FLIGHT.

New German Army Dirigible Leaves Lake Constance for Gotha.

Friedrichshafen, Germany, Nov. 22.—The most modern of Zeppelin dirigible airships, the Zeppelin VI, intended for the service of the German army, sailed from Lake Constance today to Gotha, about 250 miles due north.

Work is now being pushed forward on the new naval Zeppelin, which is to replace the one destroyed in the catastrophe at Johannisthal on October 17, when the entire crew of twenty-eight officers and men were killed. The airship under construction embodies all those improvements believed by experts necessary to obviate such accidents as that which caused the recent disaster.

CANADIAN TOWN FIRE-SWEPT.

150 Homes in Sainte Marie Destroyed, with Heavy Damage.

Levis, Quebec, Nov. 22.—Sainte Marie, a town of 1,000 inhabitants, was swept by fire today. Every piece of fire-fighting apparatus that could be spared here was dispatched on a special train to the village.

ANTI-SLAVERY ACT ENACTED.

Philippine Commission Passes Law Adopted by Assembly.

Manila, P. I., Nov. 22.—The Philippine Commission today passed the anti-slavery law adopted on November 12 by the Philippine National Assembly. Only a few amendments were made, and those were introduced merely for the purpose of obviating legal defects in the measure as passed by the Assembly.

BLOWS ON FEET REVIVE HER.

Woman Near Death Reconstituted by Severe, Causing.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 22.—Restored to consciousness by being beaten severely on the soles of the feet, after physicians had given her up for dead, Mrs. Mary E. Kingsley, wife of Joseph T. Kingsley, died in one of the most remarkable cases ever recorded at St. Joseph's Hospital. Following an operation performed last Tuesday Mrs. Kingsley sank rapidly and after a few minutes life appeared extinct. All efforts of the physicians failed to produce any sign of life, and they were on the point of announcing the death of his wife to Mr. Kingsley, who was anxiously waiting in an adjoining room.

As a last resort the physicians decided to adopt the whipping process. Severe blows were rained on the feet of Mrs. Kingsley for several minutes. In a short time the apparently dead woman showed signs of returning life. Her muscles began to twitch and in a short time an almost healthy circulation of the blood was restored. The time for a conference with the hospital physicians listened to the adjoining room and imparted the glad news to the almost frantic husband.

"BOBBIES" WIN HER SCORN.

Mrs. Pankhurst Will Return to England Despite Threats of Arrest.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the English militant suffragist, who spoke here tonight, declared she would return to England, regardless of the reports that she would be arrested as soon as she returns.

When Mrs. Pankhurst was asked if she were not afraid the English authorities would arrest her upon her arrival in that country, her eyes flashed defiance.

"If they arrest me I suppose I will have to submit to arrest," she said. Mrs. Pankhurst expressed herself as much pleased with her trip in the United States, and says she found the equal suffrage movement growing throughout the country.

Mrs. Pankhurst will return to England next Wednesday, sailing from New York.

LABOR FEDERATION RE-ELECTS GOMPERS

Philadelphia Chosen as Next Meeting Place by Convention, Which Adjourns.

Seattle, Nov. 22.—After re-electing Samuel Gompers president by acclamation and choosing Philadelphia as the next convention city, the American Federation of Labor closed its thirty-third annual convention here at 6 o'clock this evening and adjourned.

A lone delegate from Utah sought to prevent Gompers' re-election, but was defeated.

John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers, was elected seventh vice president, to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of John Mitchell, and Frank Duffy, general secretary of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, was elected eighth vice president, Frank Morrison, secretary, and the other federation officers were re-elected.

The convention settled the Reid-McNulty electrical workers' difficulty by recognizing the McNulty men, declaring them right in refusing to join aid to strikes declared by the Reid faction.

The convention reaffirmed its previous declaration in favor of woman suffrage.

BLOW TO ENGLISH SUFFRAGISTS.

Chancellor Lloyd-George Says Commoners Will Not Enact Bill.

London, Nov. 22.—The British government today administered the final blow to the hopes of the suffragists to have a law granting votes for women passed through Commons in the immediate future.

A declaration of women called on Chancellor Lloyd-George today, urging him to make a definite statement on the position of the government.

"There is no prospect of such a law being passed during the present session of Parliament," the chancellor told the women. "A majority of the House of Commons is against the woman suffrage cause, and there is at present no chance of their opinions being changed."

NOTED FRENCHMAN DEAD.

Edouard Lockyer, Aged 75, Succumbs to Heart Disease.

Paris, Nov. 22.—Edouard Lockyer, one of the best known French statesmen and writers, died today of heart disease at the age of seventy-five years.

Mr. Lockyer held portfolio in a number of cabinets, first as minister of commerce, then of public instruction, and finally as minister of marine. His writings on naval questions were widely read.

LIGHTS AT FETE TO BE DISCUSSED

Committee on Tree and Decoration Will Hold Meeting Tomorrow.

BONFIRES ARE PROPOSED

Suggestion that They Be Located Around the Ellipse Probably Will Be Carried Out.

Christmas Eve is drawing near day by day, and day by day the preparations for the general celebration in Washington are being perfected.

The method of lighting the Ellipse and the tree in the Capital's Community Christmas festival is the subject now engaging the attention of the committee on tree and decoration, and this matter will be settled sometime tomorrow, according to a statement last night by Isaac Gans, vice chairman of the committee.

Last night Mr. Gans received a letter from J. M. McLaughlin, assistant manager of the Potomac Electric Company, stating tomorrow the time for a conference with the committee on the lighting question.

There are two phases of the lighting that the committee is wrestling with. One is the illumination of the Christmas tree itself, and the other is the lighting of the Ellipse, if that site be selected for the fete, as it is expected it will be.

It is planned to wire the Christmas tree and to hang strings of electric bulbs from every limb, with the Star of the East lighting the whole from the uppermost branch. This will be no small job, and the officials of the electric company are to be called into the conference to get at the best methods for making the display.

The lighting of the Ellipse probably will be settled by carrying out a suggestion that has come to the committee. This is the use of that bonfire about the edge of the open space. This is taken by the members of the committee as a particularly happy idea, as it not only affords all the light that will be needed for the celebration, but will add to the spirit of cheer that is the predominant note of Christmas.

"The suggestion for bonfires on the Ellipse," said Mr. Gans last night, "has seemed to the committee to be the very thing. Big bonfires would give all the light needed in addition to the lights on the tree. They would carry out the Christmas idea more better than any artificial light could, and what is more, they would add a warmth to the whole scene that might be very welcome on a Christmas Eve in Washington."

"The letter I expected in regard to the tree for the celebration did not come yesterday, but I know there will be no trouble in that direction. I sent out another letter myself tonight, and, if by any chance, the particular tree should not be forthcoming, there are several other sources through which I know we can get one."

The Christmas tree fund stood at \$2,000 last night, a \$25 check having been received yesterday by George W. White, treasurer and chairman of the committee on finance, from the Rudolph & West Co.

E. S. Martin, Scout commissioner, is getting his forces in shape. Last night he sent out letters to those he hopes will help him in organizing the Scouts of the District and their places in the ranks of the singers.

Coincidence Under His Hearth.

Odessa, Mo., Nov. 22.—While repairing an old fireplace at his home twelve miles southwest of Odessa, Hubert King found buried under the hearth several dollars in silver coin. The money evidently had been buried during the civil war.

CONGRESS IN BRIEF.

Banking and Currency Bill Passed by the House.

Banking and Currency bill passed by the House was reported without recommendation to the Senate, together with amended drafts and reports prepared by the Owen and Hitchcock factions of the Senate committee.

Senate adjournment November 24 until December 1. Resolution was laid over until Monday.

Senator Bankhead presented credentials of Frank P. Glass, appointed Senator from Alabama by Gov. Emmett O'Neal.

Pointer bill making State laws applicable to direct election of Senators, was reported favorably by Committee on Elections and Elections.

Adjourned until next Monday.

HOUSE.

Representative Johnson of Washington attacked conservation policies of Gifford Pinchot.

Representative Evans of Montana denounced use of whipping post by State of Delaware.

Representative Bryan of Washington concluded speech he began in House September 5 on the industrial troubles in Seattle.

Bill providing that Interstate Commerce Commission shall hand down rate decisions within sixty days after cases are filed was introduced by Representative Levy of New York.

Representative Smith of Idaho asked appropriation of \$20,000 to exterminate jackrabbits, ground squirrels, and prairie dogs in agricultural sections of Rock Mountain State.

Adjourned until Wednesday.

23.3 Baltimore and Hubert

Every Saturday and Sunday. Good to return until 9:30 a. m. Daily Monday. Quick service and all trains both ways.