

ATTACK THREATENED ON FUNSTON'S ARMY

HUERTA SOLDIERS BEFORE AMERICAN OUTPOSTS AT VERA CRUZ MUTINY.

FEDERAL GENERAL REPORTS DANGER OF HOSTILITIES

General Carranza Ousts General Angelis, Appointed by Villa, and Another Rupture Between Rebel Leaders is Feared—United States Secures Release of Englishman.

Washington, July 7.—Brigadier-General Frederick Funston, in a dispatch to the war department today, confirmed reports of a mutiny among General Huerta's force before the American outposts at Vera Cruz.

General Funston reported the Mexican commander had advised him the mutineers had threatened an attack on the American lines. If the attack is made without the commander notifying the American general it would not be considered an "attack under order."

Carranza Ousts Angelis. Carranza's action in dismissing Gen. Felipe Angeles from the constitutional army, with its prospects of another break with Villa, was the principal topic discussed by constitutionalists' agents here today.

Charles Douglas, General Carranza's counsel declared General Angeles must be removed before peace could be brought about between Carranza and Villa.

According to a personal message from Villa at Torreón, differences between himself and Carranza are being satisfactorily adjusted. No mention was made of General Angeles.

Pending the outcome of the Torreón conference, Carranza's agents continued their waiting for his decision for the conference with Huerta agents.

St. Clair Douglas Released. Official confirmation of the release of St. Clair Douglas, the Englishman charged with assisting the federalists and condemned to death at Zacatecas by the state department. The United States made representations in his behalf.

Velasco Held For Ransom. New Bedford, Mass., July 7.—The aid of the state department in obtaining the release of Juan Velasco, a wealthy Mexican cotton manufacturer, who is reported to be held for ransom by a band of Zapatistas, was invoked today by John E. Furnan, of this city, United States representative of the Velasco properties.

It is said Velasco is threatened with torture.

Huertista Seize Vessel. San Francisco, July 7.—A wireless message to Capt. Frederick Jebson, of this city, owner of the Mexican schooner Salvador, notified him that the vessel had been seized by the federalists at Guaymas, and that Gilberto Almeda was leading her with his own merchandise, supposedly consigned to Salina Cruz, the Pacific terminus of Tehuantepec railroad.

Captain Jebson interprets the message as strong evidence that the evacuation of Guaymas can not be far distant.

URGES FRANCE TO PARTICIPATE. Semi-Official Newspaper Sees Advantage in Exhibiting Frisco Show.

Paris, July 7.—Anticipating tomorrow's debate in the chamber of deputies on the French appropriation for the Panama-Pacific exposition, the semi-official Temps today in its leading article urges France to participate officially. It says the American public is not responsible for the faults of the customs authorities of the United States nor for the surveillance under the direction in France, on both of which points it is desirable for France to obtain satisfaction. These subjects, the Temps declares, should not be confounded with the question of participation in the exposition. It points out that statistics show exports from France to the United States have almost doubled since 1902.

It also points out that the United States has always exhibited in French exhibitions.

LIGHTWEIGHTS TO DO BATTLE. Ritchie and Welsh to Fight For Championship in London.

London, July 7.—Fred Welsh, lightweight champion of England, and Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, arrived in London today from their training camps in Cardiff, Wales, and Brighton, respectively, for their fight tonight in the great arena of Olympia, in the west end of London. Both boxers declared themselves confident of winning the championship and both said they felt in the pink of condition. Their looks bore out their statements.

Welsh was favorite in the betting by a slight margin. At places where most of the betting so far has been done is 3 to 4 in his favor.

The two men weighed in at the Olympia this afternoon. Ritchie scaled 134 pounds, while Welsh was just able to get within the stipulated limit of 135 pounds.

LORDS VOTE HOME RULE CURB. Seek to Change Amending Bill Now So as to Exclude the Whole of Ulster.

London, July 7.—The house of lords passed by a vote of 273 to 19 the second reading of the measure to amend the Irish home rule bill.

After the division was taken notice of several amendments were handed in.

PUBLIC INDIFFERENT TO SCHOOL EFFORTS

EDUCATOR SCORES AMERICANS BECAUSE OF ATTITUDE TO- WARD EDUCATION.

MONEY MAKING, POLITICS, AND SPORTS HOLD INTEREST

Rich Man Who Pays \$25,000 to Lawyer and \$10,000 to Physician Regards \$1,500 College Professor as Good Enough to Train Son—Remarkable Township High School.

St. Paul, July 7.—"The indifference of the public to all forms of intellectual effort is the discouraging tendency of our time," declared Charles Dabney, president of the University of Cincinnati, before the National Education Association today.

"The rich man who employs a \$25,000 lawyer or a \$10,000 physician," Professor Dabney said, "regards a \$1,500 college professor as good enough to train his son. Money making, politics, sports and picture shows are holding the interest of the public. The teacher to the ordinary man, is a mere book worm."

He made a plea for increased salaries for professors, whom he termed finders of new knowledge and makers of men.

Tells of Township High School. One of the most notable social center movements and extensions of high school activities inaugurated in the middle west was outlined today by Principal J. C. McCormick, of the township high school of LaSalle and Peru, Ill., an institution organized under the Illinois laws, and combining all the features of a junior college for a rural community, with the avoidance of the multitudinous dissonances between cultural and vocational education, now perturbing the minds of advanced educators.

"In the four buildings which constitute this unique plant," he said "not only is instruction given and contemplated in all practical and cultural lines, including subjects so far removed from each other as agriculture and art and music, but private contributions which have contributed to superior civic and recreational privileges for the community. These are:

"1—Social center and gymnasium, with swimming pool, bowling room, library, music and lecture rooms, with the large high school auditorium are used both day and night by school and public.

"2—A hygienic institute under a trained medical expert and assistant with a bacteriological and pathological laboratory, not to be duplicated outside the great metropolitan centers; a milk station, with a trained room, with class rooms for instruction of girls in care of babies and the general hygiene of the home.

"3—This institute, while primarily to safeguard the health interests of LaSalle, Peru and Oglesby, is directly affiliated with the school and officials assist in the instruction of the school classes."

Dentists Hear Addresses. Rochester, N. Y., July 7.—In his address before the National Dental Association, which opened its eighteenth convention here today, President Homer C. Brown, of Columbus, O., declared dental college curriculum should be increased.

"Instructions received in most of our dental colleges in histology, pathology and bacteriology is so meager," he said, "that the present graduates is not sufficiently versed to consider it a preparatory college which would admit to more advanced work. The preliminary educational requirements for matriculation should be advanced, and there is no better way to accomplish this than to have specific requirements incorporated into our various dental laws."

President Brown made the following recommendations:

Approval of the purpose of the American High School Hygiene Association. Increase in educational standards. Disapproval of low dental patents. Legislative committee to be within easy reach of Washington.

Army and navy dental legislation. Telegram to Senator Pomeroy regarding the disavantage to which dentists will be put if they are not excluded from certain antidrug legislation pending.

HALF-WIT SOUGHT AS MURDERER. Former Boarder at Mishlich Cottage May Have Wielded Axe.

Chicago, July 7.—Casimir Cewiliski, a half-wit permitted to run at large by the authorities, is being sought by the police as the slayer of a man who killed the Mishlich cottage in Blue Island some time Sunday night and chopped in the heads of four persons. The victims were slain as they slept.

The half-wit, who was thrown out of his room at the cottage because he refused to pay his rent, was seen lurking in the vicinity of the cottage by two men Sunday night. He could not be found yesterday, but, according to the police, his hiding place is suspected and he is expected to be in custody today.

There is one other theory held by the police, however, and that is that the quadruple murder was the work of the mysterious maniac ax man who has left a trail of fourteen victims across the country in the last two years. There are several features in the Mishlich murders which tally with those of the other crimes committed by him.

All of his crimes have been committed Sunday night and discovered Monday morning. Robbery has been the motive

LEADERS OF TARRYTOWN AN- ARCHISTIC CLANS TO TESTIFY BEFORE CORONER.

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Search For Michael Murphy Continues Without Success — Plans of "Free Speech" Leaguers to Hold Public Funeral of Bomb Victims May Be Blocked by Police Department.

New York, July 7.—The first steps toward a rigid investigation of the cause of the explosion that killed three men and a woman and wrecked the upper floor of a Lexington avenue tenement on Saturday were expected to be taken up today when Coroner Helenstein issued subpoenas for the leaders of anarchistic organizations and free speech leaguers identified in the movements to draw attention to the death of twenty-five persons killed by axe blows in the past three years in the middle west.

Manfred, son-in-law of Mishlich, who has not been by the family for a year, is also sought.

Leonard Abbott, chairman of the Free Speech League, Upton Sinclair and Mrs. Sinclair, who were recently actively identified with the same league, were subpoenaed to appear before Coroner Helenstein. They will be questioned concerning the Friday night conference, ostensibly for the Tarrytown defense.

Murphy Still Missing. The search for Michael Murphy, the survivor of the explosion, who, it is believed, knows more than any one else what led up to the explosion, continued today.

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Police Begin Crusade. One aftermath of the dynamite explosion which wrecked a Harlem tenement house on Saturday, killing four persons, was a conference of police officials at which a campaign was launched with a view to stopping the activities of anarchists. Industrial Workers of the World, and kindred agitators in this city.

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Sinclair Sentence Upheld. New York, July 7.—The sentence imposed on Upton Sinclair last April on a charge of disorderly conduct for attempting publicly to rebuke John D. Rockefeller for his attitude in the Colorado strike situation, was today confirmed in the court of general sessions. When given the alternative of paying a fine of \$5 or serving three days in the Tombs, Sinclair chose the latter and served a hunger strike which he served two days of his sentence then his wife paid the remainder of the fine.

According to Judge Crains opinion given today, "no citizen has a right to rebuke another citizen by subjecting him to ridicule or insult."

Continue Probe of Bailey Death. Freeport, N. Y., July 7.—Private and county detectives continued today their investigation of the death of Mrs. Louise Bailey, mysteriously shot last Tuesday in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman. The inquest will be resumed tomorrow.

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The murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey in the office of Dr. Edwin Carman on the evening of Monday, July 6, was related in a minute way last night with William J. Burns, the detective, acting the part of the slayer on the lawn outside, shooting thru the window, and two of his men playing the roles of the physician and his patient.

Dr. Carman himself was the stage director of the reproduction of the tragedy. Mrs. Florence Carman, his wife, who has been the central figure in the mystery since it became known that she was jealous of her husband, and aspired upon him with a dictograph, was not assigned a part, but was the most interested spectator. She was the only one in the case just after midnight. He was called in as a result of the split between the three Nassau county officials who had been working together trying to solve the problem of who killed Mrs. Bailey and why.

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MR. WARBURG DECLINES

New York Banker Names as a Member of Bank Reserve Board Asks President to Withdraw Name—Objected to Grilling by Senate Committee as Condition of Appointment.

Washington, July 7.—Paul M. War- burg, of New York, today formally re- quested President Wilson to withdraw his nomination to be a member of the federal reserve board. The president will do so today.

Mr. Warburg, a member of the banking house of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., was nominated for a four year term. When the senate banking committee began examining personally all the five candidates nominated, Mr. Warburg indicated he did not wish to be questioned, by the committee as a condition to taking the appointment. Today he called the White House by telephone and requested the president to withdraw his nomination.

There was no indication when the president might name to fill the place. The change in personnel, however, will not further delay the actual organization of the new reserve system. The senate already has confirmed Mr. Harding, A. C. Miller and Charles S. Hamlin as members of the board, and Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams, who serve as members ex-officio, constitute a quorum, and may now proceed with the work.

Warburg Has Nothing to Say. New York, July 7.—Paul M. Warburg said today he did not care to discuss at this time his withdrawal from the federal reserve board.

STEAMER STORSTAD SOLD

Ship Which Rammed and Sank Empress of Ireland Auctioned in Ad- miralty Court on Seizure For Dam- ages—Bid in by Original Owners For \$175,000.

Montreal, July 7.—The judgment of the commission which inquired into the wreck of the Empress of Ireland will be delivered next Saturday forenoon, according to advices received today from Quebec.

The collier Storstad, which rammed and sank the Empress on May 29, was sold today in the admiralty court for \$175,000. It is understood that the purchasers were the original owners, The Storstad was held as security for damages in the \$2,000,000 action brought by the Canadian Pacific railway, owners of the Empress. She will now be released as soon as the purchase money is paid.

New York Death Rate Lower. New York, July 7.—The lowest weekly death rate in the history of the city was that of the week ending July 4, according to a bulletin just issued. There were 1,060 deaths, or 10.84 per thousand, which the first time the weekly death rate has gone below 11 per thousand. The rate for the corresponding week of last year was 12.54.

Trying to Settle Mileage Question. Washington, July 7.—Conferees on the legislative appropriation bill planned to meet today in a further effort to reach an agreement on the mileage to allow senators and representatives. Representatives have demanded a reduction.

Yacht Race Postponed. Newport, R. I., July 7.—Stormy weather caused a postponement today of the first of the Newport races of the America's cup yacht, Resolute, Vanitie and Defiance. The race will be sailed tomorrow under the auspices of the Eastern Yacht Club.

Rabbits to Adjourn. Detroit, Mich., July 7.—After being in session here since June 30 the twenty-fifth anniversary convention of the central conference of American rabbis prepared today to clear up its unfinished business, elect officers and adjourn.

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MEREDITH MAY LAND WASHINGTON JOB

LATE CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR CONSIDERING DEMOCRATIC OFFER.

ASSISTANT SECRETARYSHIP TO HOUSTON POSSIBLE

Will Accept if Plans For Reorganizing Present Arrangement of Work of Department Are Carried to Completion. Wants General Charge of Organization Work.

Special to Times-Republicans. Des Moines, July 7.—E. T. Meredith returned today from Washington and admitted he had been in consultation with Secretary Houston about taking an assistant secretaryship in the agricultural department. He virtually admitted that in case there is an increase in the number of assistants and he can be given general charge of the organization work, he will accept a place there. It all depends on whether there is an increase in the number of assistants and a division of the work.

MINISTER WILLIAMS OUSTED. Man Who Made Trouble in Southeast Europe Heads President's Request.

Washington, July 7.—Formal announcement of the resignation of George Fred Williams as minister to Greece and Montenegro was made late yesterday at the state department.

Secretary Bryan issued this statement without comment:

"Mr. Williams requests Secretary Bryan to tender to the president his resignation as minister to Greece and Montenegro. He says the reason for his resignation is that he can not comment on the situation in Albania as he would like under the restraint imposed by his diplomatic position, and that he does not feel that he can conscientiously keep silent with the knowledge which he has of what is being done.

"He says that he considers the success of the president more important to the world than all of the efforts of other men and does not wish to embarrass him and wishes to thank him for the consideration which has been shown him."

President Wilson is expected to accept the resignation today and close the brief and extraordinary career of Mr. Williams as a