

HUERTA IS DEFIANT

His Reply to President Wilson Is a Firm Refusal to Comply With American Requests—Answer Said to Be a Strong Paper

Washington, Aug. 25.—Congress is in perfect accord with the president in his demands upon Huerta. At the conference with the members of the foreign relations committees of both houses of congress at the White House tonight he read his message, together with the note conveyed by Envoys Lind and the reply of Huerta.

The president admitted to his advisers that the mission of Lind was a complete failure.

The demands carried by Lind, which conveyed the distinguished consideration and esteem of the president, were as follows:

1. That there must be an armistice.
2. That there must be an honest and fair election by which all factions must abide.
3. That Huerta must not be a candidate at such election.

The president discusses the advisability of bringing Americans out of all parts of Mexico as soon as possible. To this end an appropriation of \$100,000 has already been asked from congress.

The president recommends to the people the exercise of patience and says he still expects the situation to be worked out along peaceful lines.

Huerta's reply, which aroused much admiration and is considered very able, takes issue with President Wilson on some of the facts as summed up by the United States.

Huerta declares that he is at the head of a strong, capable government, which in the end will restore peace and prosperity to Mexico.

On the question of an armistice, the reply asks President Wilson how an armistice can be brought about between federal forces on the one side, representing an existing government, and bands of rebels and guerrillas on the other.

An armistice under such conditions, Huerta says, is impossible. He adds that the only thing he can do is to fight these rebels until he brings them into subjection.

It is known that at least two of the members of the conference expressed themselves as not possessed of the strong hope that buoyed up the president of an ultimate peaceful solution of the problem.

On the contrary, they told the president that they thought his course was bound to bring about the success of Huerta.

It was announced by Mr. Tumulty to the press, presumably on the authority of the president, that the message of President Wilson to Mexico would be a finality as to Mexican affairs so far as the White House is concerned.

It was understood that the president, up to the very moment of the joint conference between him and the

two foreign relations committees of congress had not completed the text of his message.

The explanation of this was that of course the text would depend on messages that might be received from Mr. Lind up to 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at which time Mr. Tumulty said it was likely that the president would proceed to congress with his message of speech.

What was in the official mind all day at the state department and at the White House was that Huerta, responding to the threat by the president to turn the whole matter over to congress, would see the error of his ways and surrender unconditionally.

It was admitted also that the president, in desiring a conference with Democrats and Republicans of the foreign affairs committees of both houses, wanted to get assurances from them of a favorable consideration of what he had written or was writing during the conference.

STREETS TO BE CLEAN
Brigham City, Aug. 25.—The Peach day promoters have been assured by the street supervisor that the streets of the city will be in good shape for Peach day.

Already much work has been done on Main street in the way of leveling and resurfacing with dirt. A number of ditch crossings have been spanned with concrete culverts.

Other streets are rapidly being cleaned up for the big event that comes on September 17. Hopes were entertained that the paving on the north side of Forest street between Main and the depot would be in before Peach day, as this will lead to the city park, but this now seems impossible.

For an account of an error in calling for bids, all proposals were rejected some time ago, and the new bids will not be opened until next Friday. The surveys have practically completed their work, so that after the bids have been opened the paving will be pushed to completion.

The contractor will likely wait until after Peach day before disturbing the sidewalk.

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STRIKERS RETURN TO THEIR WORK

Calumet, Mich., Aug. 25.—Partial mining operations were started at the Lele Royale mine, a subsidiary of the Calumet & Hecla, in No. 2 shaft, today. Mining is now under way in twelve shafts in the copper miners' strike district and preparations are being made for additional work.

Calumet & Hecla plans to start No. 13 shaft this week, making nine in operation at this property. The strikers claim, however, that mining under way is unimportant and deny that the backbone of the strike is broken. They declare the union ranks are firm.

Considerable firing outside the union lines was reported last night, but no one was hurt. Strikers and women annoyed deputies at No. 11 shaft of the Calumet & Hecla this morning and a military guard was called to disperse them.

MAY PROHIBIT PRIZE FIGHTING

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.—State Senator William E. Brown, author of the anti-prize fight bill, defeated by the last legislature, announced today that initiative petitions would be put in circulation at once for the enactment of a law prohibiting prize fighting in California.

Those who opposed to the sport having been aroused to action by the death last Saturday of John ("Bull") Young from injuries received in his bout at Vernon with Jess Willard. The campaign for such a measure already is in progress among church members and women's clubs here.

Vernon fight promoters stated today that all scheduled bouts there had been called off and indicated their intention to await the outcome of the initiative campaign without argument.

Young's body was prepared today for shipment to his home in Glen Rock, Wyo. The inquest will be held tomorrow.

ESSENTIAL OIL INDUSTRY 1909

Washington, Aug. 26.—Statistics of the essential oil industry in the United States for 1909 are presented in detail in a bulletin soon to be issued by Director Harris of the bureau of the census, department of commerce. It was prepared under the direction of W. M. Stewart, chief statistician for manufactures.

Summary of Statistics. Statistics for the industry were first obtained at the census of 1859, when

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45 establishments, employing 74 hands, reported products amounting to \$124,317. The value of products shows an increase for each intercensal period since 1879.

The number of establishments reporting in 1909 was 68, with 405 persons engaged in the industry, capital of \$1,265,438, and expenses of \$1,522,171, of which \$184,495 was paid for salaries and wages and \$1,255,478 for materials. The value of the products was \$1,737,234.

In 1904, 52 establishments were reported, with 237 persons engaged in the industry, capital of \$723,004, expenses of \$1,299,069, of which \$109,713 was paid for salaries and wages and \$1,110,470 for materials. The value of the products reported was \$1,464,662.

The average number of persons engaged in the industry during 1909 was 408, of whom 290 were wage earners, 91 proprietors and officials, and 27 clerks, etc.; 390 were males and 18 females. No wage earners under 15 years of age were reported.

Leading Producing States.
The five leading states in the manufacture of essential oils in 1909 were Michigan, New Jersey, Connecticut, New York, and Pennsylvania, in the order named. In 1904, the five leading states were New York, Connecticut, New Jersey, Michigan and Indiana.

Michigan ranked first in 1909, with production valued at \$486,159, or 28 per cent of the total, and fourth in 1904, with products valued at \$240,215, an increase for the 5-year period of 102.4 per cent, while New York ranked fourth in 1909, with products valued at \$195,262, and first in 1904, with products valued at \$692,014, a decrease of 61.1 per cent for the 5-year period. The increase in value of products from 1904 to 1909 was 18.6 per cent.

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COLLISION KILLS TEAM.

Kaysville, Aug. 25.—The horses were killed and the wagon badly damaged when a team and wagon driven by Levi Webster of Kaysville was struck by a southbound Bamberger electric train at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Mr. Webster and his son, Alma, the other occupant of the wagon, escaped without injury.

The collision occurred in the city limits, near what is known as Gleason's corner. Here the position of the wagon road, track and trees make it impossible for a clear view to be had for a safe distance. Mr. Webster saw the train at the same time he was observed by the motorman. Both made every effort to stop, but the team was not checked until it stood on the track and the speed of the car was sufficient to kill both horses and demolish the wagon. The front of the car was somewhat damaged, but none aboard was injured.

SHOOTING DOWN OFFICER.

Pocatello, Ida., Aug. 25.—Word reached here today from Grace, an isolated town in dry territory, of the wounding of Deputy Sheriff McFadden by Fred Mund, whom the officer was attempting to arrest on the charge of illegally selling liquor. Mund is said to have drawn a revolver and opened fire when the deputy told him he was wanted on the bootlegging charge. McFadden fell, shot through the body, and his recovery is said to be doubtful.

Mund took to the hills and is being trailed by a posse of fifteen men under direction of Sheriff Lowry.

MINERS CALL MEETING.

Eureka, Aug. 25.—According to no notices posted here today, a mass meeting of the union miners of Tintic district will be held in Mammoth tomorrow night. There is some friction between the workmen and the mine managers in the Mammoth end of the district over the question of a seven day week or a Sunday layoff, and while there is some talk of a walk-out the impression here is that the difficulty will be adjusted without any shutdown of producing properties or the importation of strikebreakers.

INTEREST IS AROUSED.

American Fork, Aug. 25.—The political pot in American Fork has started to bubble just a little, and a number of probable candidates for mayor have been mentioned. The one who possibly receives the most attention is the incumbent, Mayor J. S. Noyes, who has many supporters for re-election, and will in all probability be a candidate to succeed himself. There

are some who hold the mayor's prohibition propensities are not strong enough and will go in for a man who is a stronger prohibitionist. Former Mayor James T. Gardner is being mentioned by some of his admirers. John Hunt, a member of the city council, is also being put forward by some of his friends. The campaign this fall for city officers promises to be the most interesting for a number of years.

YELLOWSTONE PARK EXCURSION

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MAN FIRES BULLET INTO OWN HEART

Elsinore, Aug. 25.—Frank Nelson, age 26, a laborer, who has resided here for several months, committed suicide about 7 o'clock this morning by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. He died in a few minutes.

Nelson, who is married, but has no children, fired the shot into his breast while lying in bed. Mrs. Nelson had previously arisen and was preparing breakfast. She heard the report of the gun, hurried back into the bedroom and found that the young man had taken his revolver from under the pillow where he was accustomed to keep it at night and shot himself without arising.

Neither the wife nor neighbors can assign any reason for Nelson's suicide, as he was in good health and had no bad habits.

CLUFF FAMILY ORGANIZES

Provo, Aug. 25.—A number of the leading members of the Cluff family met here yesterday at the home of Jerry Cluff for the purpose of perfecting a permanent Cluff family organization. The following officers were elected: William W. Cluff, Salt Lake, president; Joseph Cluff, central Arizona, first vice president; Harvey J. Cluff, Provo, second vice president; Samuel S. Cluff, Provo, third vice president; Hyrum Cluff, Salt Lake, fourth vice president; George A. Cluff, Provo, secretary; Josephine Cluff Kimball, Phoenix, Ariz., assistant secretary; Leonard B. Cluff, Provo, treasurer; George McDonald, Mesa, Ariz., assistant treasurer. The family association has a membership of about 800, most of them living in Utah and Arizona.

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SNEERS AT JEROME

Refers to Old Prosecutor as "Willie"—Attorneys for Defense Declare It Will Be Months Before Case Ends.

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 25.—"The snow will lie thick on the ground before Harry Thaw leaves Canada," predicted William A. Stone, former governor of Pennsylvania, Thaw's leading attorney, today.

Mr. Stone hinted that a test of the constitutionality of the immigration laws will be made on behalf of Thaw and that the treaty between the United States and Canada will play a large part in this.

"Under the immigration laws, a Canadian subject can appeal to the courts if he is held as one who has entered Canada by stealth," explained Thaw's attorney. "An American citizen, however, is allowed no such appeal. This, despite the fact that the United States treaty with Canada guarantees the same treatment and the same rights to American citizens as to a British subject."

To make a test of the constitutionality of the immigration laws of Canada it would be necessary for Thaw to appeal to the state department at Washington, which in turn would request an interpretation of the law from the Dominion parliament. For this reason, it was learned today, Thaw has been massing a large party of his forces in Washington.

Attorneys for New York state received Governor Stone's statement with much concern. District Attorney Conger of Dutchess county and Franklin Kennedy, deputy attorney general of New York state, had hoped to have Thaw in Vermont by the end of next week. Coming from the source it did, they could not hold Mr. Stone's statement lightly.

William Traver, Jerome, whom Thaw regards as his most implacable foe, got in by motor this evening and received with amusement sensational reports that a band of strong-arm men are lying in wait at Horton's mills, across the Vermont border, to kidnap Thaw. Thaw, sneeringly referred to Jerome as "Willie."

These rumors, together with stories of fabulous bribes that have been offered various officials, have been afloat for days.

"I cannot see what this desperate band of men who are waiting at the old mill could gain by kidnaping Thaw," laughed Jerome. "I am sure neither side wants to see him out of the Sherbrooke jail for the present."

LORENZO BATE DIES.

Provo, Aug. 25.—Lorenzo Bate, a Provo business man, died at his home in the Fifth ward Sunday night, after several months illness from asthma and dropsy. Decedent was 56 years of age, came from Iowa to Utah when a child and for many years lived in Springville. He had lived in Provo and vicinity for about twenty years. Mr. Bate was a prominent Odd Fellow and member of other fraternal orders. He is survived by his widow and six children and a brother, Joseph Bate, who lives in Springville. The time for the funeral has not been set, but it will be held Wednesday or Thursday.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME.

Idaho Falls, Ida., Aug. 25.—The residence of Newton John, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire of an unknown origin at about 4 o'clock this morning. Mrs. John is visiting in Ogden and Mr. John was rooming down town. No one is known to have been in the house after 11 o'clock in the evening. Mr. John had purchased the property about a month ago. Both house and furniture were insured.

MRS. EKMAN'S CASE SET FOR SEPT. 11

Salt Lake Aug. 25.—Trial of Mrs. Minnie Ekman, charged with murder in the first degree for the killing of her little daughter June 24, is set for September 11.

This is the first murder case on the criminal calendar for the September term of court. And, if the state has its way the hearing will be taken up and carried through at that time without further delay.

Mrs. Ekman was not in court yesterday morning, but her attorneys sought to obtain a later setting. The district attorney, however, insisted that the case be set for September 11. He cited to the court that the state now has in jail C. L. Anderson, former husband of Mrs. Ekman, who is a material witness in the case, and he thought it was an injustice to continue the hearing any longer and keep this witness in jail.

Counsel for Mrs. Ekman declared it would be necessary for them to

raise funds to bring witnesses from California and other outside places and it would take further time.

Mr. Leatherwood, district attorney argued that it would take a week probably to obtain a jury and plenty of time would be given counsel to procure the necessary money and witnesses.

Other criminal cases set on the September calendar were: H. A. Davis, attempted statutory offense, September 8; Louis Perez, robbery, September 8; A. D. Knipping, statutory offense, September 9; Eddie Ives, robbery, September 10.

GEORGE WINS FROM COFFEY

Salt Lake, Aug. 25.—As a middle-weight Kid George, the light-haired youngster from San Francisco, has one weakness. He lacks a punch.

Had he been possessed of this last night he would have been credited with a knockout over Walter Coffey of the Santa Rosa, Cal. As it was he got the decision.

George, long on arms and legs, had a decided advantage over his shorter, stockier opponent and from the first to the last bell used this advantage with the result that during the last four rounds it was a question of whether Coffey would "stay."

The heavy going started in the seventeenth when George landed a solid right swing on Coffey's jaw. Walter reeled toward a neutral corner and then went on his back. He didn't take a count, but it could be seen he was in bad condition. George then followed up, hammering Coffey all over the ring. This continued through the three remaining rounds.

To Coffey must be given credit of being as game a ringman as ever performed in Utah and one able to assimilate a fearful amount of punishment. However, he was a disappointment in view of the fact that he carried the reputation of having a terrific wallop in his right mitt. This was never in evidence during last night's match.

Both men fought cautiously, so cautiously in fact that when the bout was but little more than half over Referee Hardy K. Downing informed the battlers that unless there was less holding on and more fighting, he would stop it and order the money refunded to the spectators. This appeared to have the desired effect, for after that both were more willing to mix it.

In practically every round George had some kind of an edge. Either it was big or little and during the last ten or twelve rounds he kept piling up a larger lead every period until at the fifteenth nothing but a knockout or a series of knockdowns would have won for Coffey.

George beat Coffey to the punch repeatedly and when leading had a nice "one two." He moved about in better judgment of distance.

Coffey started trying about the middle of the going and then George gained a larger lead every round. This one fact stood out prominently; George was in far better condition. During the entire going he was in good shape. His wind was perfect while Coffey seemed to be in poor shape.

DRY FARMERS OF PARK VALLEY

Logan, Aug. 25.—Dr. Frank S. Harris, professor of agriculture at the Utah Agricultural college, made a roundup of the dry farming situation last week in Park and Curlew valleys, and the Deep Creek and Blue creek country, all in Box Elder county. He declares the success of dry farming is stupendous this year. In that region 100,000 bushels of grain are being harvested and threshed. This season 1000 acres of dry farm land was brought under cultivation for the first time. Prices for this kind of land have risen.

There is only one thing that mars the good report from those parts, and that is unscrupulous land dealers have in some cases taken advantage of the ignorance of settlers and sold them worthless tracts. It may not be generally understood that all good appearing land is not adapted for dry farming. The under layers of the soil must be of a proper consistency or no success will be had. Parties contemplating buying dry land farms, says Professor Harris, should take along a competent judge of them.

However, his surely is a banner year for dry farmers. One whose land lies near the border of Box Elder and Cache counties reports an average of forty-two bushels of wheat to the acre on a forty-acre tract. This is no better than has been realized elsewhere, but merely indicates the success of dry farming this season.

This week Dr. Harris expects to visit Enterprise, Cedar and Rush valleys.

TEN APPLICANTS FOR HOMESTEADS

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had been examined, classified as chiefly valuable for agriculture, and listed for homestead entry in the local land office. Ozro Morrell and John Clayton, who applied for lands in the Boise national forest, were each notified that 105 acres had been classified for homestead entry on his application.

The smallest tract out of the ten listed at this time was 39.37 acres in the Challis national forest, listed upon application of Charles Larson.

Herman Meyer secured 80 acres in the Payette national forest and S. D. Edwards secured 11,244 acres in the same forest. The land listed in this case is a small bench lying along the South Fork of the Payette River. The division, by which one applicant received 80 acres and the other 112,444 acres, was run upon lines agreed to by the two applicants. Jefferson S. Thurston secured 139.57 acres in the Sevier National forest, and Homer Hunce and George R. Morrell each secured 160 acres in the Fishlake national forest. J. M. Moore secured 160 acres and Paul Turner 120 acres in the La Sal national forest.

The total area listed for the 10 applicants who received favorable notice today was 1,181.35 acres.

FUNERAL OF MRS. OGDEN.

Kaysville, Aug. 25.—Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah M. Ogden, aged 81 years, who died here last Saturday of senile debility, were held this afternoon from the Kaysville ward chapel. Mrs. Ogden was a widow, a native of England, and had resided here for many years. She is survived by four children, a brother and a sister.

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