

MEXICAN REBELS MURDER ALMOST FIFTY VILLAGERS

ANOTHER TRAFFIC ROUTE IS SCHEMED

Under Glen Elk Bridge as Result of Partial Collapse of Structure.

Resulting from the partial collapse of the Glen Elk bridge, a number of interested property owners are working out a scheme to provide an additional means of traffic communication between Glen Elk and Lee city, thus relieving the congestion of the big bridge.

This scheme includes the improvement of the southern end of North Fifth street, and of Werninger street eastward beneath the Glen Elk bridge to Elk creek; the construction of a small bridge over the creek and an improvement of the lower end of First street to as to make a connection with the new bridge.

It is stated that but a small amount of grading would be required at the lower end of North Fifth street and that the total improvement of that street and Werninger street under the Glen Elk bridge would cost but about \$1,000. The proposed new bridge over the creek could be built for \$4,000 or \$5,000, it is estimated, and the connection with lower First street for but a small sum.

Should an additional means of traffic be provided, it is the plan to have all heavy wagons and other vehicles to use the lower route.

CHANGES MADE

Several Baltimore and Ohio Officials Are Given New Positions in Service.

Among the recent changes in the official forces of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad are the following, which have just been announced:

C. F. Robinson is appointed storekeeper at New Castle Junction, Pa., succeeding L. M. Douglas, transferred to the motive power department.

F. W. Gettle is appointed storekeeper at Garrett, Ind., succeeding F. C. Winter, who has been transferred to other duties.

J. S. Gilmore is appointed assistant train master of the eastern district of the Chicago division, between Chicago Junction, O., and Garrett, Ind.

J. F. Rhodes is appointed agent at Millersville, Ill., succeeding A. T. Michaels, deceased.

SOCIAL POSTPONED.

On account of the death of Lydia Stealey, the supper that was to have been given tonight by the Stealey Heights Woman's Christian Temperance Union has been postponed until next Tuesday night.

BATTLE IS FOUGHT WITH COLORED MAN

FUNERAL

Services over Body of A. L. Stealey Will Be Held at Home.

Funeral services over the body of A. L. Stealey, aged 63 years, who died at his home on Stealey avenue, Stealey Heights, at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home. The Rev. D. W. Cunningham, pastor of the United Brethren church at Adamston, will conduct the services and the burial will be in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

The deceased man is survived by two brothers, two sons and two daughters. The brothers are John and Irvin Stealey, both residents of Stealey Heights. The sons are John B., living at home, and Harry T., who resides at Stealey Heights. The daughters are Mrs. Guy Burnside, of Charleston, and Miss Sue, living at home.

Mr. Stealey was a life-long resident of the addition that bears his name, his father being one of the pioneer settlers of that locality. He was well known and his many friends will be pained to hear of his death. The immediate cause of his death was heart trouble. He was taken ill about two weeks ago and gradually sank until the hour mentioned above when he passed away.

RIGHT APPOINTED.

PARKERSBURG, Oct. 23.—Upon recommendation of Postmaster Simms Powell, Newton W. Kight has been appointed assistant postmaster of Parkersburg.

MINER KILLED.

MONONGAH, Oct. 23.—Michael Raymond, an Italian miner, was killed by a fall of roofing in the Consolidation Coal Company's No. 8 coal mine here.

BALDWIN OPPOSES NATIONAL DRY LAW

As That Would Take Power from the States to Regulate Themselves.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 23.—Disagreements on the temperance question loomed up at the National Council of the Congregational churches here today when Governor Simeon Baldwin, of Connecticut, announced himself as opposed to the recommendations of the committee on temperance for an amendment to the federal constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale of liquor within the United States.

Governor Baldwin is said to have a substantial following. "Such a change," said the governor, "would be contrary to the whole spirit of our government, which was to have a central power but limited in its sphere of influence. It was intended to leave the relations of man to man to be settled mainly by the several states, each for itself. Besides a nation-wide prohibitory law could not be enforced in the large cities, it would provoke breaches of the law as unfortunate as they are inevitable."

FIRST VETO

Of President Woodrow Wilson is Sent to the Congress Today.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—President Wilson sent his first veto to Congress today. He disapproved a joint resolution to re-instate Adolph Unger, of Mansfield, O., as a cadet at West Point. Unger, appointed by Representative Sharp, failed in examination after a strenuous effort to succeed and his friends sought another chance for him.

READY FOR ROOFING.

Work is progressing rapidly on the construction of the Clarksburg Country Club's club house on the club grounds south of the city and it is hoped here it finished before severe weather sets in. The frame work is up ready for the roofing and the weather boarding is being put on.

Who Bravely Defend the Village Church against Looters at That Place.

STONES ARE THROWN

And Clubs Are Used to Beat Off Attacks after Ammunition Gives Out.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 23.—Revolutionists yesterday murdered the entire population, numbering about fifty, of the village of Cheren Atzicurin, in the state of Michoacan, while they were defending the village church against looters.

The villagers fought until their ammunition was exhausted and then used stones and clubs to beat off their assailants but they were eventually overcome and killed and the village was burned to the ground.

ORDINANCES

Relating to Fines and Wiring Are to Be Recommended by State Officers.

Monroe C. Kindelberger, assistant state fire marshal, and A. K. Brake, inspector of the West Virginia Inspection Bureau, are here from Wheeling. They are holding conferences with Mayor Will H. Cole concerning ordinances and other measures in connection with the fire department and city wiring, which if adopted by the city council, will materially lower insurance rates. The mayor is also working on the matter of obtaining the services of a fire department instructor.

CROUCH HONORED

Local Mason is Chosen as a Knights Commander of the Court of Honor.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—The thirty-third degree, the highest obtainable in Masonry, was conferred last night by the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite of the United States on James Albert Bryan, of Parkersburg, and John Cramer Rhoads, of Charleston.

Fourteen West Virginians were also elected Knights Commander of the Court of Honor. They are Charles Henry Ahrens, Harry Loyal Broth, Joseph M. Crouch, Gibbs Hallock, Ben Edwards Hamilton, John Ferguson Leach, Joseph Columbus, I. E. Sage, Hadsell Manning, William Turner Morris, Clarence Poe, William Tikhman Rittenhouse, Peter Alonzo Simpson, Thomas J. Watkins and Edward Lewis Yager.

OWENS DIRECTORS

And Stockholders from Pittsburg Visit Fairmont and Clarksburg Plants.

FAIRMONT, Oct. 23.—Directors and stockholders of the mammoth Owens glass factory of this city, to the number of thirty, arrived in Fairmont this morning at 7 o'clock for a day's visit to the plant.

The party came from Pittsburg in special cars attached to the morning train. After breakfast on the train S. S. Cochran, manager of the local plant, and taken in automobiles to the plant on the East Side.

After a day in Fairmont they will go to Clarksburg where another one of their factories is located.

NEELY'S PLURALITY 3,049.

WHEELING, Oct. 23.—The canvass of the vote cast in the special congressional election in the First West Virginia district has been completed. The totals are Neely (Dem.), 14,089; Hilton (Sec.), 2,074; Holt (Pro.) 906; Laugulin (Prog.) 3,715; Hearne (Rep.) 11,040. Neely's plurality, 3,049.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY.

Freeman Kelley and Joseph Bell were held for the grand jury in bail of \$750 each and remanded to jail on default late Wednesday afternoon in Justice T. G. Nicewander's court when tried on the charge of attempting to commit burglary recently at J. Horner Davis's bungalow near Bridgeport.

PNEUMONIA PROVES FATAL.

Louis Fargo, aged six weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fargo, of Meadowbrook, died at 12:30 o'clock Thursday morning after an illness of pneumonia. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home and the burial will be in the Holy Cross cemetery here.

NOT DECIDED.

The county court has not yet passed on an application of the Clarksburg Light and Heat Company for permission to lay a pipe line on the industrial bridge.

PAGANS

In the Philippine Islands Are in Real Need of Missionary Work.

MOHONK LAKE, N. Y., Oct. 23.—The need of extending missionary work among the Moros and the pagan tribes of the Philippines was brought to the attention of the Lake Mohonk Conference of Friends of the Indians and Other Dependent Peoples today by the Rev. Samuel Fallows, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Chicago.

Bishop Fallows, who spent some months in the Philippines early this year, said that the difficulties of the task were well worth surmounting because these savage tribes were the most virile and energetic of this archipelago.

The wild tribes number about 600,000 and the followers of Mohammedanism include the Moros, who embrace the Malay pirates that for more than 300 years have terrorized the Orient. They have been characterized as a ferocious, cruel body of men, treacherous and rapacious to the last degree.

"But yet," said Bishop Fallows, "there is a splendid human material out of which to make thoroughly human men and women." "Much has been done," he said, "for the Philippines proper by the Roman Catholic and the Protestant churches. But little effort has been put forth to reach the two classes I have mentioned in this broad missionary movement. The Rev. Charles H. Brent, D. D., the Protestant Episcopal bishop of the archipelago, has alone concentrated his labors upon their moral and spiritual uplift. It has been a work of faith and labor of love in spite of all the inherent difficulties connected with it. The results already achieved give the promise and potency of a most inspiring future.

Bishop Brent is high enough for this mighty undertaking and the methods he had adopted—hospitals, trade schools, patient personal supervision and instruction, social service methods—show that he is on the right line for solving the great problem of the reclamation and ultimate regeneration of these wards of the nation.

"The appeal we now make to help Bishop Brent is nation-wide. It is first an appeal for the children. There are in a single province 300,000 of them born of pagan and Mohammedan parents. Vast tracts of agricultural and forest lands in Hindustan and other provinces are waiting for the transmission especially of the Mohammedan tribes from a fierce warlike horde into tillers of the soil and skillful artisans in industrial pursuits."

MISS DODGE

Daughter of Former Residents of This City is Dead in the State of Florida.

The many friends in this city of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dodge will be saddened to hear of the death in far away Florida, their new home, of their oldest daughter, Miss Adelaide Dodge. In a letter to friends Mr. Dodge writes pathetically of his loss, as follows:

God in his infinite wisdom saw fit to remove from us our daughter, Adelaide, who was born at 114 Galatia street, Portsmouth, O., May 12, 1892. She had acquired a fine musical and commercial education and had started in life with the brightest prospects only to be taken away from us so young. Why this should be is more than I can understand. He who doeth all things well may know. Death came at Jacksonville on September 12, and we laid her away on September 14, amid a bed of flowers, while weeping relatives and others surrounded her grave. It is almost more than I can bear. I have returned to my home in Ocala, Fla.

The sympathy of their host of friends here goes to the bereaved family.

NEW PLAN

For a Government Controlled Federal Bank is Outlined to Committee.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—A complete substitute plan for a government controlled federal bank was presented to the Senate banking committee today by Frank A. Vanderlip, president of the National City Bank of New York. He framed the plan at the suggestion of senators. "The government would grant a fifty year charter to the federal reserve bank of the United States with capital stock of \$100,000,000," said he. Mr. Vanderlip outlined a plan to have the proposed bank re-discount for all member banks commercial paper up to the amount of the member bank's capital and surplus.

SMALL FREIGHT WRECK.

A freight wreck at Gaston Junction near Fairmont Thursday morning tied up traffic on that section of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad lines for several hours. Ten coal cars were derailed and several turned over. No one was injured.

MANY ARE YET ENTOMBED IN THE STAG CANON MINE

Coal Dust is Now Believed to Be the Cause of the Big Explosion.

TAKING THE BODIES OUT

Between 200 and 250 Miners Are Still Imprisoned in the Bowels of the Earth.

DAWSON, N. M., Oct. 23.—Between 193 and 234 men were still entombed in Shaft No. 2 of the Stago Canyon mine of the Phelps-Dodge and Company at 7 o'clock this morning, more than twelve hours after the explosion. Fourteen bodies were recovered during the night. The twenty-third living victim of the disaster was found at the depth of a mile in the workings and taken out unconscious at 5:30 o'clock this morning.

Indications early were that the first aid corps working under the direction of George B. Morrow would reach the majority of the day shift, which was caught in the cave in sometime today. Hope was strong that the great fans that have been driven all night would have diluted the gas so that the trapped men might be found alive.

Opinions as to the cause of the explosion differ. It was first asserted that black damp ignited and exploded. Later it developed that at this time of the year mines in Colorado become dangerous from the prevalence of coal dust, which no amount of water seems able to keep under control, and led to the belief that the same condition might have caused the disaster here.

Rescuers this morning reached the foot of the air shaft, through which it had been hoped that many miners escaped alive. Three living men and three dead were found at this point.

At 9 o'clock a total of twenty-five men had been rescued. Helmet men were still working in short shifts and it was believed every part of the mine would be explored before many hours. The ventilators were working well, driving fresh air into every portion of the workings, which could be reached.

The work of forcing entrances into the mine was progressing rapidly. Rescuers were working through the main shaft of mine No. 2 and also through tunnels which connect this mine with mines 3 and 5.

DEPUTY STABBED

In An Attack Made by Striking Copper Miners in Michigan State.

CALUMET, Mich., Oct. 23.—Striking copper miners in the Calumet district attacked deputy sheriffs this morning while workmen were going to the mines. Ed Beaudoin, a deputy, was seriously stabbed. Three others were badly beaten. Fourteen persons, including one woman, were arrested. The strikers were parading when the attacks were made. The appearance of the deputies escorting men to work apparently aroused their wrath.

WEDDING GIFT

Is to Be Presented by the Members of the House to Miss Jessie Wilson.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Democrats, Republicans and Progressives of the House are going to unite to present a wedding gift next month to Miss Jessie Wilson. Republican Leader Mann gathered a hundred or more members today and proposed that Miss Jessie be remembered with a fitting gift. The suggestion met with instant favor and Speaker Clark was designated to appoint a committee to carry out the plan.

GASTO CHOSEN

As Chief Officer of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 23.—The State Council of United American Mechanics held its annual convention here by selecting Charleston as the meeting place next year, and electing the following officers for the ensuing year: State councillor—Dr. H. W. Casto, of Evans. Vice councillor—O. C. Withrow, of Charleston. Secretary—T. J. Edwards, of Montgomery. Treasurer—Dr. M. P. Malcom, of Levinston. Inductor—E. A. Kidd, of Beckley. Examiner—S. W. Young, of Putney. Inside protector—E. H. Myers, of Montgomery. Outside protector—Charles Hannigan, of Shrewsbury. National representative—H. O. Young, of Decota. Charles A. Smoot is here from Parkersburg on a business mission.

SUFFRAGET ARSON SQUAD AGAIN BUSY

AN EARTHQUAKE

Shock at Colon, Panama, is Most Intense and Lasts Fifteen Seconds.

COLON, Panama, Oct. 23.—An earthquake shock lasting about fifteen seconds occurred here at eight minutes past 9 o'clock this morning. Houses rocked and clocks stopped but no serious damage was reported in this city. The tremor has been exceeded in intensity by only one other recent shock.

SUIT ENTERED

For \$25,000 by Former Randolph Assessor Who Was Arrested.

ELKINS, Oct. 23.—A. W. Zinn, former assessor of Randolph county, who was arrested a day or two ago at the instance of a Baltimore bonding concern on a charge of embezzling \$7,000 of county and state funds, has entered suit for \$25,000 damages against the concern, alleging false arrest. Zinn's attorneys declare at the time of his arrest the bonding concern had paid nothing to the county or state and therefore the arrest was without grounds.

TRAFFIC RESUMED ON LOCAL BRIDGE

After Beam Which Falls to the Creek Below is Put Back in Place.

The Glen Elk bridge was almost ready at the Telegram's press hour Thursday afternoon for a resumption of traffic.

A beam just south of the center of the bridge fell shortly after 7 o'clock last evening into Elk creek, taking some of the under structure with it. The beam is twenty-two feet long, twelve inches wide and a few inches thick. Several years ago it was placed on the west side of the middle line of the bridge by the street car company as a part of the support of the track and was on the side of the bridge no longer used by the traction company. In some manner it gradually worked itself out of position.

The fall caused heavy vibrations not only of the entire bridge, but also of the interurban traction station. The noise and the vibrations caused O. L. Flowers and others to rush from the station to learn what had happened. The men soon ascertained that a portion of the bridge had fallen. Dudley D. Britt, civil engineer, Mr. Flowers and C. P. Kelley, made a hurried examination of the bridge, resulting from which traffic was suspended until morning, when the order of suspension continued until the necessary repair could be made.

Mr. Britt, the mayor and others examined the bridge at an early morning hour and it was decided to replace the beam at once. Mr. Britt with a gang of bridge builders pushed the repair work with all possible speed. Quite a number of persons were on the bridge at the time the beam fell and the noise and vibrations frightened them very much. A street car had just passed over the bridge.

Mrs. M. N. Shuttleworth visited friends at Shinnston Thursday. D. M. Timberlake came here from Weston this morning on a brief business visit.

BIDDINGER GETS HIS FEES IN FULL

HANGING DELAYED

In Order That a Condemned Man Can Eat a Fine Chicken Dinner.

SOMERSET, Pa., Oct. 23.—The execution of John W. Maus, condemned to die here this morning at 10 o'clock for the murder of Harrison Brown, a mail carrier, September 12, 1912 was delayed until 1 o'clock in order that Maus might enjoy a chicken dinner. When he had finished his breakfast, Maus asked Sheriff Charles L. Hoad for a good dinner. The request was granted but the meal could not be prepared without delaying the hanging.

DIPHTHERIA CAUSES DEATH.

Edgar H., aged two years and six months, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Greynolds, of Mt. Clare, died at 1 o'clock Thursday morning after an illness of diphtheria. Funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home and burial will be in the Wolfe cemetery.

Lloyd George Believes That Women Will Soon Have the Right to Vote.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—An arson squad of militant suffragets today set fire to and destroyed the sports pavilion of Bristol University. They left the usual taillite suffraget literature scattered about the grounds. The public prosecutor decided that he would not proceed against General Mrs. Flora Drummond, who was taken ill in June last, while proceedings were in progress against her for infringement of the malicious damage to property act. She underwent an operation and since then has been continually in ill health.

LOYD GEORGE BELIEVES SUFFRAGETS WILL WIN.

SWINETON, Eng., Oct. 23.—Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George believes that a measure giving the parliamentary suffrage to women in the British Isles will become a law within a short time but not during the present parliament. He said today in reply to questions put to him by a deputation from a number of suffrage societies. "I want to say," he added, "that the militant tactics adopted by a section of the women have converted many people's indifference into something like bitter hostility."

GARDEN'S TALK

Is Discredited by Diplomatic Circles in the City of London, England.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Not a word has been heard here officially of the alleged interview given by Sir Lionel Carden, British minister to Mexico, to which dispatches from Washington say that the United States government takes exception. No action will be taken in this direction unless British government's attention is drawn to the matter officially.

Diplomatic circles here cannot believe that a man of the experience of Sir Lionel Carden would publicly criticize the policy of another government. The greatest confidence is imposed in the minister here. Should the United States object to what he is saying, the usual course would be for Washington to inquire from the American representative in Mexico as to the accuracy of the report, before making representations to this country.

MAN ARRESTED

On Baltimore Train and Thrown into Jail for a Tripple Murder.

RAY, N. D., Oct. 23.—L. Calhoun, accused of shooting D. T. Dillon, Mrs. Dillon, and their twelve-year-old daughter at their home near here yesterday, was arrested near here and brought here and placed in jail. Mrs. Dillon and her daughter were killed instantly. Dillon received four bullet wounds and is not expected to live.

Governor Hatfield Pays the Difference Out of His Contingent Fund.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 23.—Governor H. D. Hatfield today issued a warrant on his contingent fund, paying Guy B. Biddinger \$1,957.84, the difference between the detective's claim for witness fees in the trials of the five legislators convicted of accepting bribes in connection with the election of a United States senator and the amount allowed by Auditor Darst.

The governor admitted that he feels the claim is exorbitant but declared that he paid this difference because of the circumstances involved and that the failure to pay the fees would deprive the state of the detective's testimony should the supreme court grant the pending appeal in the bribery cases for another trial. The governor added that this action should not be construed to reflect discredit on the attorney general and the auditor in their efforts to protect the public treasury and that the people are not satisfied with the payment, he will take the responsibility for it himself.