

PLUTOCRATS DISCOVERED Vice President and Others Were to Be Assassinated and Bodies Hung in Streets Dynamite Was Secreted Ready to Blow Up El Imparcial Newspaper Building

has been dynamited. The report is doubted by the railroad's representatives here. Lower California Nervous SAN DIEGO, Nov. 22.—That a rising in Lower California similar to those in other parts of Mexico is feared by the Mexican authorities on the peninsula is strongly suggested by the fact that the customs officers guarding the line at Tia Juana today received orders that no firearms or ammunition of any kind will be allowed to pass from the United States into Lower California.

According to a statement made by a Mexican official who arrived in San Diego today, the falling out between Americans which has been displayed in the City of Mexico and other points of central and southwestern Mexico is beginning to show itself in Tia Juana. "The Lower California government has had secret service men operating in San Diego and other American cities," he said this morning, "and we have found that great quantities of revolvers, rifles and ammunition have been sent to Mexico during the last few weeks. This seems to indicate that there are some persons in Lower California who are looking for trouble. We mean to stop it, and for that reason Governor Vega has issued orders that no firearms or ammunition of any kind shall be transported across the line."

Aside from Governor Vega's order, there is already a regulation against carrying arms from this state into Lower California, but heretofore the rule has been liberally relaxed in favor of American hunters.

Fighting in Cuatro Ciegas EAGLE PASS, Tex., Nov. 22.—At 6 o'clock tonight, it was said by one of the highest officials and one who, by virtue of his position, is in close touch with the revolutionists in Mexico, that fighting is now going on in Cuatro Ciegas, a large and prosperous city below Monclova.

This is the home of J. Carranza, brother of the candidate for governor of Coahuila in opposition to the administration candidate, and is a stronghold of the anti-Diaz party.

This same authority, whose position prohibits his name being quoted, said that the situation in Mexico is more serious than at any other time for several years. He declares the excitement on the border "is nothing" compared to what it would be if all were known of the situation in the interior. He says that the officials and citizens of Ciudad Porfirio Diaz are expecting the worst at any time.

CITIZENS ALL ARMED They are scrutinizing the surrounding country, not for revolutionists, but for their friends and relatives, and bringing them into the city, some for protection, but more for the purpose of arming and assisting in the defense of Ciudad Porfirio Diaz. Merchants and citizens generally are armed and used as patrols. The town is under absolute military control and all communication with this side is prohibited after dark.

The passenger train from the south, which is supposed to have left Torreon yesterday afternoon, has not arrived in Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, though it was due there at 11 o'clock. The railroad officials say they do not know where the train is.

Railway wires are not working. Residents of Eagle Pass who have relatives in Torreon and other points down the Mexican International line have not been able to get word from them for three days.

SEE END OF DIAZ REGIME Troop L, Third United States cavalry, under command of Lieutenant Bristol, arrived in Eagle Pass at 6 o'clock this afternoon. The cavalry is reported to be in his opinion the Diaz regime was over. In efforts to secure more help in Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, one American, in business there, was ordered to report for duty and help a land patrol. When he explained that he was not a citizen of Mexico the request was withdrawn. Despite all efforts made to capture revolutionists, only an occasional two or three are brought in.

Another Mexican troop has just been ordered to Cuatro Ciegas.

West Livaudais, a New Orleans business man, who arrived from Torreon, confirms the report of a clash between federal soldiers and revolutionists. The government forces apparently were beaten and the rebels infested Gomez Palacio and Lerdo, when they were reported to have been reported killed. The soldiers were forced to fall back, and when I left Torreon a large force from there had been sent to retake the town. Torreon is practically under martial law and everything is shut tight.

Americans will not be hanged and foreign investments will be protected. Train service may be interrupted, he said. He confirmed the report that a bridge had been burned on the Mexican International railroad near Loma, 23 kilometers west of Torreon.

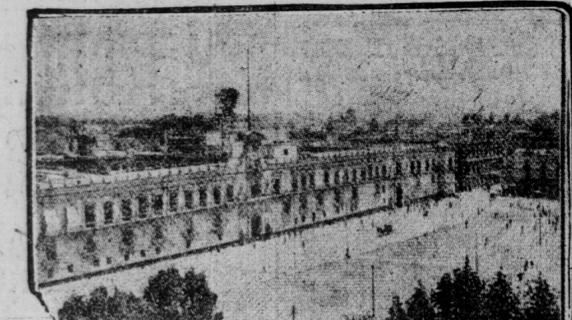
One of the American industries in Torreon is the Guayale rubber factory, owned by the Inter Continental rubber company of New York. The plant, including ready holdings, is valued at \$5,000,000. These big industrial plants may suffer heavily if a decisive battle is fought there.

Everything is quiet in Saltillo, according to advices. A leading American went to Governor Jesus Valle of the state of Coahuila at Saltillo and asked regarding the safety of the Americans. The governor assured him that Americans were perfectly safe and that he had put on an extra force of 50 policemen and had given them explicit instructions to protect the Americans and American property at all hazards; and in the event of any effort on the

MANY ARE KILLED WHEN REBELS SEIZE TOWN OF GOMEZ PALACIO

PERSONS AND SCENES PROMINENT IN THE REVOLUTION SWEEPING MEXICO

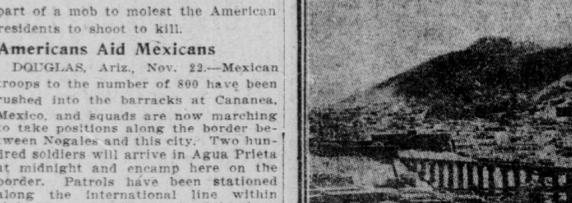
National palace at Mexico City, from where President Diaz is directing operations against rebels; Orizaba, scene of rioting; state capitol building at Chihuahua, a rebel stronghold; Zacatecas, where scores have already met death in rioting; Enrique C. Creel, foreign minister, and Ramon Corral, vice president, who were to be assassinated.



THE NATIONAL PALACE MEXICO CITY.



ORIZABA, MEXICO.



STATE CAPITOL BUILDING CHIHUAHUA.

part of a mob to molest the American residents to shoot to kill.

Americans Aid Mexicans DOUGLAS, Ariz., Nov. 22.—Mexican troops to the number of 800 have been rushed into the barracks at Cananea, Mexico, and squads are now marching to take positions along the border between Nogales and this city. Two hundred soldiers will arrive in Agua Prieta at midnight and encamp here on the border. Patrols have been stationed along the international line within sight of one another and tonight these will be trebled, with a signal system for transmitting messages. The custom house permits issued to American hunters to take guns across the line have been revoked, even those given in writing by the war department, many of which are held by Americans of this city.

Americans coming from Naco state that the feeling of the natives toward Americans is friendly there.

Colonel Kosterlitzky, with the main body of his rurales, has moved his headquarters to Naco, considered a dangerous point because of the chain of mountains which crosses the border there, giving smugglers an opportunity to evade detection. Mexican citizens at Agua Prieta hold a meeting with the authorities today and pledged their support to the government and guaranteed to protect the custom house.

The Mexican authorities today enlisted American riders with horses to serve as line guards in the border patrol. They will be paid \$20, Mexican, per day, and the high price is tempting more Americans to offer their services. It is expected that the great connecting Douglas and Agua Prieta will be closed tomorrow and the same precaution taken at Naco and Nogales, thus shutting off all border cities from El Paso to California.

Volunteers to Guard Border AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 22.—Texas national guardsmen, from colonels to privates, are writing and writing to Adjutant General Newton, volunteering to serve on the Mexican border. General Newton has thus far declined all such offers.

On the result of the uprising in Mexico to reunite the Texas national guard, which was nearly disrupted because of the conviction of Sergeant Manley at Dallas for the killing of a spectator during President Taft's visit in 1909.

All resignations but one sent in as a protest against Manley's conviction have been withdrawn.

Guerrero Situation Grave BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Nov. 22.—Fifteen troops from the fourth battalion at Matamoros were sent yesterday to Guerrero, a point 100 miles up the Rio Grande, to reinforce the garrison.

The report is considered here by the Mexican authorities as indicative of a grave situation.

The border on the Mexican side in this vicinity is being closely guarded by cavalry, rurales and the customs guards. Everything is quiet hereabouts.

Hegira on to Mexico HUTCHINSON, Kan., Nov. 22.—Thirty Mexican laborers left here today for Juarez, Mex. Mexicans who have been working on railroad gangs in Hutchinson and vicinity are quitting their jobs and starting for their native country, determined, interpreters explain, to enlist in the revolutionary cause. Officers are investigating a rumor that a recruiting office has been opened here.

Gunboats End Trip of 20,380 Miles Wheeling and Petrel Arrive at Portsmouth PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Nov. 22.—The United States gunboats Wheeling and Petrel arrived here today, completing a trip of 20,380 miles, which has carried them almost the entire distance around the world. The vessels sailed from San Francisco in June last and after visiting Alaska crossed the Pacific ocean to Japan, thence to Singapore, east to the Straits Settlements to the Red sea and Suez canal, the Mediterranean, later Madeira was visited and then Bermuda, the gunboats arriving today directly from the last mentioned port. This is the first time that the Wheeling and the Petrel have been in Atlantic waters.

Wife of Petaluma's Mayor Passes Away [Special Dispatch to The Call] PETALUMA, Nov. 22.—After months of suffering, Mrs. Hattie B. Keig died today at the family home in this city. Mrs. Keig was the wife of Mayor William C. Keig, and was a native of this city. She was the youngest daughter of Mrs. Harriet Ackerman and sister of Mrs. S. C. Patterson, wife of Rev. Dr. Patterson of San Francisco.

Mrs. Keig was an active worker in the humane society and organized the Oak Hill Park improvement club, of which she was president for a number of years.

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Alameda Eleven Defies the A. A. L. Encinal City Football Team Will Play Fresno and Forcitt Championship

The Alameda high school football eleven, runners up for the Academic league championship of this section of the state, will leave this evening for Fresno to play the high school eleven eventually bow to the ruling of the league officials and consent to play the game with Hitchcock. However, there was a switch in the plans last night when the officials of the Alameda club decided to throw down the gauntlet to the league officers and fill its date by taking on the Fresno eleven and passing Hitchcock up.

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Private Detective is Still Held in Jail PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 22.—Though the only misadventure alleged against Stoddard Westfall, a private detective, in the shadowing of Mrs. Althea Walker and the \$1,000,000 worth of securities said to have been in her possession occurred in the state of Washington, the detective still is held here pending the decision of Judge Tazwell, who today postponed his judgment in the matter until Friday. In the meantime Mrs. Winters and her son have eluded the detective and probably are in Salt Lake City.

Guardian Wants \$25,000 to Support Boy of 10 NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—An allowance of \$25,000 a year for the support of a boy of 10 years was sought in an application made in the surrogate court today. The boy is Hunt Tilford Dickinson, whose grandfather, Wesley Hunt Tilford, left him \$4,000,000 of the fortune he made through his connection with the Standard oil company. Surrogate Colahan thought \$5,000 a year would be about right, but reserved decision.



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response to it that the meeting has been called.

Abumada is said to have been given his present position to balk his political activity. He has always been a thorn in the side of the Diaz supporters because they were aware of his popularity with the common people. Seven years ago he was prominently mentioned as a successor to Diaz, but his supporters were squelched before they made much headway. In the meantime Abumada has kept very quiet and the fact that he is the favorite of the most radical wing of the Mexican revolutionists will come as a surprise to many.

Students Aroused Radicals A mining man who arrived from Mexico a few days ago says the radicals make a pretense of opposition to Americans to arouse the United States against Diaz. The students in Mexico City, he stated, were the first to commit overt acts following the Texas lynching and their activity gave the radicals the opportunity of striking at the government. The revolution will end, he says, with death or imprisonment for the ringleaders of the rebels.

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The club listened to an interesting talk by George B. Hodge, international secretary of the educational department of the Young Man's Christian association. He told of the work of his organization and urged upon his hearers the necessity of co-operation upon the part of the businessmen.

Norton C. Wells brought greetings from the Los Angeles Rotary club and promised the co-operation of the southern men in any local movement that the San Francisco Rotary club might endorse.

President Holman named a committee to act in conjunction with the Panama-Pacific exposition directors.

Santa Fe Makes Thanksgiving Day

On November 23 and 24 the Santa Fe will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates between all stations on its line where one way fare does not exceed ten dollars. Tickets will be limited to November 28, 1910, for final return.

Rotary Club Installs Officers at Lunch

More than 100 members of the Rotary club gathered yesterday at the weekly luncheon at the Palace hotel. The new officers were installed as follows: President, A. S. Holman; vice president, H. L. Woolley; secretary, R. Rogers; treasurer, J. V. Hoyt; directors, J. M. Patrick, M. Feintuch, P. Johnston, G. H. Eberhard and C. M. Elliott.

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COIN MUTILATORS HOW LONG SHOULD PAY HEAVY FINES YOUR WATCH LAST?

Limitation of Dime Used for Advertising Subjects Makers to Prosecution It All Depends on the Timepiece, the Owner and the Care It Receives

Thousands of dollars are lost yearly by big firms through ignorance or carelessness in observing the federal laws governing abuse of coins.

Just lately in Chicago a piano company came to grief in this way. Had the managers asked the proper authorities (the information would have been furnished gratis) or had they looked up the law they would have found and seen the following words: "Whoever fraudulently, by any art, way or means shall deface, mutilate, impair, diminish, falsify or lighten the gold or silver coin of the United States shall be fined not more than \$2,000 and imprisonment of not more than five years."

Much trouble and expense would have been saved the firm and the government had the law only been read.

Fraud with Imitation It all happened in this way: Some clever advertiser conceived the idea of an "ad" of metal just the size of a dime, with the wording and printing placed in such a way that at first glance it would appear as a dime. The idea was cleverly executed, says the Chicago Tribune. A fair imitation of the head of Liberty was on one side and the advertisement on the other. The number was placed where the date on a dime is and the first glance certainly impressed one as the real coin. The other side had a sheet of wheat and in such a way that the words "On Time."

The firm had no desire to defraud the public. But unscrupulous people did. Several waiters at a summer park lost money by accepting the advertisement instead of the real money. The waiters were filled with them and at last the secret service learned how matters were and began an investigation.

There were 150,000 of the metals confiscated. Some stray ones, however, were in circulation and it took almost a year to "hunt them down."

Jewelers are liable Jewelers are guilty every day of committing a criminal offense. According to the ordinance quoted above, to mutilate money is an offense and the eyes of the law jewelers are one side of a coin smooth and monogram it. The other side is perfectly good. Pins, bracelets, lockets and numerous other things are made. The maker never means to use the article for money. But some one gets hold of the pin or locket. They think the money would be more useful and so pass the coin with the pin or ring pulled off and the good side up.

To "change the complexion" of a coin also is an offense. That means to dip silver in gold. Only a few days ago a "lot" of shirt sets were confiscated and sent to Washington. The sets were made of Panama halfpennies gilded. Carelessness of the law again.

The only kind of coin that can be worn is that so completely mutilated that there can be no chance at all of passing it. For example, the gilded dimes that the Mexicans make.

Olympic Boxers Win Championship Four Amateur State Titles Annexed in Closing Bouts of P. A. A.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 22.—The Olympic club boxers added four state amateur championships to their list tonight at the closing bouts of the Pacific Athletic association tournament, which has been in progress here. J. O. Long won the heavy weight championship on a knockout in the second round over F. K. Westerman of San Francisco.

Charles Roscacha was awarded the lightweight title by default and Bobby McAllister won both the welter and middle weight honors through the disbarment of E. M. Muldoon of Seattle, who the Olympic men claim is no longer an amateur.

M. Vera of the Redwood club won the feather weight championship by outpointing Eddie Smith of the same club, but was in turn defeated in a special bout by M. Salvador, a Sacramento boy. Leo Muskrat of the local club won a game fight and 125 pound title from Matt Toomey of the Olympic club in three rounds. McAllister's one fight tonight was with Moxes and he won easily.

The heavy weight battle was a slugging bout and ended when Long knocked Westerman into the press stand. Westerman did not come to for several minutes.

Petaluma Woman is Claimed by Death [Special Dispatch to The Call]

PETALUMA, Nov. 22.—Mrs. Ida L. Meissner, wife of George H. Meissner and mother of Mrs. Mattie Meissner of Petaluma, George L. Meissner of Lodi, Edgar D. Meissner of Berkeley and Mrs. Mary Blake of Green Island, Iowa, died in this city last night. Mrs. Meissner was born at Onondaga, N. Y., July 17, 1840. She was married to Meissner in 1865, and a few years later came to California, where she had since made her home.

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FOOD THIEF JAILED—Bakersfield, Nov. 22.—J. Pinkard, a negro, who was charged with stealing corn meal and milk from the home of Mrs. W. H. Baker, was sentenced by the recorder yesterday to the chain gang for 30 days.

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