

LIND'S ARRIVAL CAUSES NO STIR

Small Crowd Greet Special Envoy at Mexico City.

INTENDS TO MOVE SLOWLY

Believes His Work in Mexico Will Be Completed in Three Weeks and Possibly Sooner.

City of Mexico, Aug. 12.—John Lind, the personal emissary of President Wilson, has thus far had a comparatively uneventful experience in Mexico.

Before leaving Vera Cruz Mr. Lind was visited by General Gustavo Maas, the military commander there, he being the first official of Mexico to meet the emissary. The meeting took place at the train just before Mr. Lind's departure, and General Maas also did him the honor to parade a small detachment of troops alongside his train.

The monotony of the trip in the regular day train from Vera Cruz to the capital was broken by an enforced delay by the wreck of a train ahead in the region which has been the scene of rebel operations.

Mr. Lind declared here he did not have the slightest intention of discussing affairs regarding Mexico with private individuals. He said his business was with official Mexicans and that he would be very careful with whom he talked. There need be no apprehension, he added, that he would embarrass the government by indiscretion of that sort.

There is reason to believe that before his mission to Mexico is ended Mr. Lind will have suggested more than the mere fulfillment of the promise by General Huerta that elections be held. It has been pointed out that such a demand is not wholly consistent, since the promise to hold elections in October has already been made, and intimations of bad faith are out of taste at the present time.

Mr. Lind does not propose to act hastily, though he will lose no time, and it may be that all his work in Mexico will be finished in three weeks, and possibly much sooner. If General Huerta persists in being unwilling to see him, O'Shaughnessy, the charge d'affaires, will transmit Lind's communications.

The arrival of Mr. Lind has been devoid of any thrills. When the personal representative of President Wilson alighted from his train after a tedious day's journey from Vera Cruz only a few persons were about the station.

TRYING TO BRING ON WAR

President Wilson Believes Organized Force is at Work.

Washington, Aug. 12.—President Wilson let it be known that he is inclined to believe there is an organized desire—proceeding from sources unknown to him—to bring on a war between the United States and Mexico.

The president does not regard the movement as extensive, but as very troublesome, and referred to misrepresentations in some individual newspapers.

He indicated that he shared somewhat the views of Senator Williams, who declared in a speech recently that an organized lobby existed to involve the United States in war.

There is no occasion for alarm in the opinion of the president, who told callers that within the last forty-eight hours the Mexican situation has been improved materially. It was made clear by the president that the instructions to John Lind, his personal representative, chiefly were to inform the American government how things stood generally in Mexico.

Sooner or later, it was pointed out, Mr. Lind will make certain suggestions to the Huerta government through the American embassy, but in just what circumstances has not been determined upon fully. Anything in the suggestions that properly may be made public will be revealed, according to administration officials here, an dforeign governments constantly will be apprised of the various steps taken by the United States.

FIND NAME TOO CUMBERSOME

So National "Antis" Become Woman Conservationists.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Convinced that the title of their organization, the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, was too cumbersome, members announced that they would hereafter be known as Woman Conservationists.

They propose to work to offset the possible effect on congress of the meeting this week of the National Council of Women Voters, and they are looking forward to a stubborn battle.

"We think that putting woman into politics," said the officials of the conservationists in a statement, "and forcing her to do man's work as well as her own is a terrible waste. We therefore stand as a body of conservationists. Our aim is to conserve the home, to conserve motherhood, to conserve womanhood."

JOSEPH F. JOHNSTON.

Alabama Senator Dies at Washington of Pneumonia.



SENATOR JOHNSTON IS DEAD

Alabaman Passes Away at the Age of Seventy Years.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Senator Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama, one of the oldest members of the upper house, is dead of pneumonia.

Senator Johnston was a Democrat and resided at Birmingham. He was seventy years of age. His term would have expired March 3, 1915.

The death of Senator Johnston weakens the Democratic majority on the administration tariff bill in the senate, although leaders still assert that there will be no serious difficulty in passing the measure.

TWO PERUVIAN CITIES IN RUINS

Thousands Homeless As Result of Earthquake.

Lima, Peru, Aug. 9.—News reached here that an earthquake destroyed the Peruvian towns of Caraveli and Quicacha.

Thousands of the inhabitants were rendered homeless and extended relief measures will be necessary.

Caraveli is a city of 4,000 inhabitants in the state of Arequipa, 130 miles northeast of the port of Mollendo. Quicacha is a smaller town in the same state.

The city of Arequipa itself has been laid in ruins on several occasions. The volcano of Misti is in the immediate vicinity.

SUFFRAGISTS PLANT BOMB

Policeman Cuts Fuse and Saves High School From Destruction.

London, Aug. 10.—A policeman who with his pocket knife cut the sputtering fuse of a bomb, probably saved from destruction the high school at Sutton, Nottingham, where David Lloyd-George was scheduled to make an address.

Militant suffragettes are suspected of placing the bomb.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, Aug. 12.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, 88½c; No. 1 Northern, 87½c; No. 2 Northern, 86½c; Sept., 87½c; Dec., 90c. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.44½; Sept., \$1.44½; Oct., \$1.44½; Dec., \$1.42.

South St. Paul Live Stock.
South St. Paul, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.50@8.25; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.25; calves, \$6.00@10.00; feeders, \$6.25@7.25. Hogs—\$7.50@9.00. Sheep—Shorn lambs, \$5.00@7.00; shorn wethers, \$4.00@4.75; shorn ewes, \$2.50@3.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—Wheat—Sept., 85½c@85½c; Dec., 89½c. Corn—Sept., 71½c@71½c; Dec., 66½c. Oats—Sept., 41½c@41½c; Dec., 44½c. Pork—Sept., \$20.87; Jan., \$19.20. Butter—Creameries, 25½c@26½c. Eggs—20c. Poultry—Hens, 14c; springs, 18c; turkeys, 19c.

Minneapolis Grain.
Minneapolis, Aug. 12.—Wheat—Sept., 86½c; Dec., 89½c@89½c. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 89½c; No. 1 Northern, 87½c@89c; to arrive, 87½c@88c; No. 2 Northern, 85½c@87c; No. 3 Northern, 84c@85½c; No. 3 yellow corn, 75c@76c; No. 4 corn, 73c@74c; No. 3 white oats, 39½c@39½c; No. 8 oats, 36c@37½c; barley, 46c@62c; fax, \$1.44; to arrive, \$1.45.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Beaves, \$7.20@9.20; Texas steers, \$6.85@7.90; Western steers, \$6.35@7.75; stockers and feeders, \$5.40@7.75; cows and heifers, \$3.65@8.60; calves, \$8.00@11.25. Hogs—Light, \$8.90@9.37½; mixed, \$8.10@9.32½; heavy, \$7.85@9.00; rough, \$7.85@8.05; pigs, \$5.10@8.60. Sheep—Native, \$3.90@5.00; yearlings, \$5.15@5.90; lambs, \$5.25@7.30.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

John Staebell went to Dunkerton, Ia., yesterday on business.

Mrs. Frank Stevens of Lime Springs was a Cresco caller yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. Friend and daughter Grace, were down from Bonair yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderson returned yesterday from a visit in Waukon.

Marie Kulbevicks went to Montevideo, Minn., yesterday for a visit with relatives.

J. M. Henkes came up from Monona yesterday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. L. Sebastian.

Miss Minnie Henry arrived Monday from Missoula, Montana, for a visit with her mother and brother.

Mrs. Joe Lapperll returned yesterday to her home in Austin after a visit at the M. Ondrasek and Fred Kaatz homes.

Miss Fern Booth arrived yesterday from Forsyth, Montana, for a visit at the home of her uncle, I. J. Booth.

A. I. Tiss and wife returned Tuesday night from Corwith, Iowa, where Mrs. Tiss has been spending the summer.

Miss Irene Fox, of Monona, is a patient at Mercy Hospital. Her father is expected, to-day, to accompany her home.

Miss Villa Carman arrived last Friday from Buffalo, N. Y., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Carman.

Dan Terry and daughter Helen, who had been visiting at the C. L. Terry home, returned Monday to their home at Waverly, Iowa.

D. E. Horton has received his commission as Lime Springs postmaster, and will write P. M. after his name, commencing at noon to-day.

Mrs. Wm. Duffy of Decorah underwent a serious operation at Mercy hospital Saturday morning, and at this writing is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, of Brooklyn, New York, who have been guests at the F. C. Moen home, left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Decorah.

Mrs. John Keefe and children came down from Chicago Saturday morning to spend a few weeks at the Julius Kaatz Sr. home, visiting her sister and other relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Byrnes returned Wednesday from a trip to North Yakima, Washington. She also visited Mrs. Jas. Harney at Bismark, N. D., and relatives at St. Paul.

Mrs. A. D. Franklin left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Adams, Austin and Dodge Center. Mr. Franklin will join her later for their new home at Sedan, Minn.

Wm. Williams, wife and children who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stinson and other relatives, returned to their home yesterday in Minneapolis.

Ralph Clark has sold his residence on 3rd Ave. East, to Amel Bigalk and expects to leave in about 30 days for Portland, Oregon, to spend the winter and perhaps reside there permanently.

Richard Cahill and daughter, Corrine and Harry Breedlove came down from St. Paul Monday, the former for a visit with relatives and friends, and the latter for a visit with his father, Geo. Breedlove and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grier, Mr. and Mrs. D. Ledger, of Lake Geneva, Wis., who have been visiting the ladies' sister, Mrs. E. C. Strayer, left yesterday for Calmar to attend the wedding of a niece Miss Elizabeth Kaye.

I have for sale 15 Aberdeen Angus Bulls, also Cows and Heifers, single or in car lot. Time will be given on approved notes. Also Berkshire boars ready for service. Fruit trees and Evergreens of all description. Three miles east of Protivin.

E. R. Thompson has returned from a trip to Mitchell, S. D., taken with his daughter Clarice, on account of the illness of his little grandson, the 8 months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Grinde. The babe passed away the day before their arrival, on Sunday. The funeral was held Tuesday at Mitchell.

I want to show you one of the biggest stallions and jacks in Iowa. We have six stallions at White's livery barn for the season of 1913, among them a 2200 lb. blue roan Belgian and the first prize Percheron at the late short course. Our horses are all pure bred and not a blemish on the bunch. M. P. Lydon, Cresco, Iowa. Phone.

J. H. Luers returned the first of the week from Lake Mills where he and O. W. Clark have been in charge of a store for which they exchanged the Schneider farm in New Oregon. Mr. Clark has decided to remain in Lake Mills, and assisted by his son, will conduct the business. Mr. Luers will take the real estate and insurance business of the firm. A notice of their dissolution of partnership appears elsewhere in this paper.

Some misguided admirers of Secretary Bryan in Texas propose to raise \$50,000 for him so that he will not have to lecture for a living. The secretary also has some friends (?) on Wall street who would raise ten times that amount in a jiffy, if they could have the assurance that Mr. Bryan would stop his talking to the public.—Le Roy Independent.

Simon Hughes, one of the old residents of Howard county, passed away July 23, 1913, at his home in Lancaster, Kansas, to which place he removed from Chickasaw county in 1912. Mr. Hughes served from August 1861 to the close of the war, enlisting from New Oregon in Co. "I", 9th Regt. Vol. The remains were brought back for interment in the Nashua cemetery.

The River-Clark home was the scene of a happy family party Wednesday, three auto loads of relatives coming up from Cresco to spend the day. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Upton, daughter Ruth and son Gregory and another daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brach, all of Chicago, who are visiting in Cresco; T. E. Glass and family, Jas. Upton and family, and Robt. Thompson; the party coming in the Upton, Glass and Thompson autos and returning after supper. The Messrs. Upton's and Mrs. Glass are brothers and sister of Mrs. River.—Le Roy Independent.

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125 Duroc-Jersey spring pigs of March, April and May farrow. Nearly all of these pigs are sired by King Select, our \$100.00 boar that we bought at the Minnesota State Fair. This hog is a large and lengthy fellow. We furnish pedigree with every pig sold. Write, or better, come and see them. Mr. Joseph Bouksa & Son, Calmar, Ia., Route 2. Phone Protivin line.

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Up and doing than to be down and being done. Don't you think so? Take the fellow who just says, "Well, now, I want a good job of mill work," and lets the carpenter run in any kind of junk that comes along. That's dead and being done. Then take the man who says, "No, sir; I'm paying for a good job and the mill work has got to come from ALEXANDER." That is up and doing and the carpenter understands right from the start that "just anything" won't go. Some folks think we charge more. Strange to say, we don't.



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Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me for a long time. The result was lasting.—Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner of Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me.

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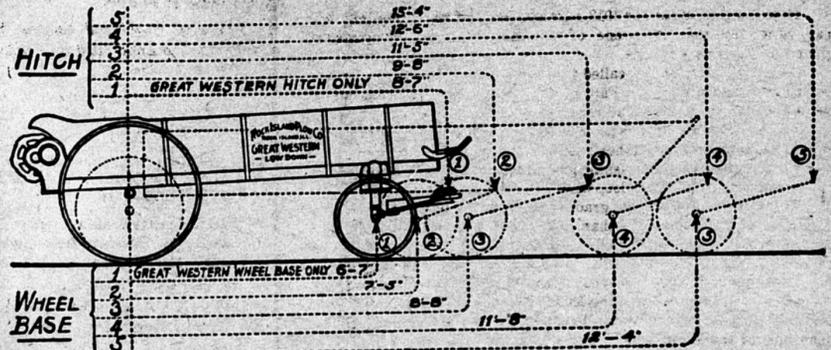
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