

WANT ARMY TO INVADE MEXICO

People Along Border Fear For Lives Of Americans

Mayor Of El Paso And Others Declare That Situation In Juarez Warrants Sending Of Yankee Soldiers Across Border To Put Down Rebellion Against Madero... War Secretary Says He Is Not Authorized To Take Drastic Measures Proposed

Washington, Feb. 24.—A request for American intervention in Mexico was made upon the war department by Mayor Kelly and a delegation of citizens of El Paso who asked Secretary Stimson to send American troops into Juarez to preserve order and protect Americans. Secretary Stimson replied it was impossible under present conditions.

In a dispatch from a government official on the border, one not in the diplomatic service, it was reported that General Geronimo Trevino in Chihuahua had turned to the aid of the insurgents. The dispatch read: "Have reliable information that General Geronimo will join the revolutionary forces of General Trevino and has agreed to accept provisional presidency of Mexico."

This dispatch, which speaks of the revolutionary forces of General Trevino, is the first indication that the staunch old federal general who stood by Diaz when his reign was tottering and was later accepted by Madero, had turned to the insurgents.

The Mexican embassy had no advice and no official there cared to make a comment. The state department received no confirmation and was inclined to treat the dispatch as a report of a rumor.

Control Federal Troops.

A coalition between Generals Orozco and Trevino is looked upon here as fraught with great consequences. General Trevino was last reported in Monterey in control of the military in the northeastern part of Mexico, while General Orozco was operating in the northwestern part. These two generals hitherto controlling practically all federal troops in the northern half of the country might, it is believed, completely cut off the north from the south, isolating Mexico City and its immediate vicinity from connection with the United States.

The rather ambiguous wording of the last sentence of the last dispatch regarding the provisional presidency was interpreted among Latin-Americans here in two ways. The majority declared it was intended to mean that General Trevino, rather than Orozco, had agreed to accept the provisional presidency.

The El Paso delegation protested against any reduction of the border patrol. A large cavalry force was necessary, they said. The delegation also pleaded for leniency in the case of Lieutenant Fields, who took a detachment into Juarez on a trolley car by mistake.

Lieutenant Fields will be tried at San Antonio. The war department was at first disposed to condone the offense as it arose from a mistake

on the part of the young officer as to his location, but it has been finally decided that for the sake of the effect upon Mexico and as an indication of the purpose of the American government strictly to observe the neutrality laws, not only in arresting Mexicans who cross the line with arms, but in applying the same rule to Americans who offend, it was necessary to make an example of Lieutenant Fields.

REBELS ANNIHILATED

Are Lured to Certain Death in Attack on San Pedro. Mexico City, Feb. 24.—A telegram from Torreon tells of a terrible battle at San Pedro. The town was surrounded by 1,000 Vasquistas under command of Colonels Argumedo, Murelo and Escalada. There were 400 federal troops.

The rebels attacked on all four sides of the entrenchments. Colonel Triana, who had posted his men in front, shouted, "Abandon your gatlings and retreat to the plaza." This was a ruse and the rebels, who were deceived, charged to and fro with fierce yells. Suddenly, when they were half way down the street, the federals came out of doors behind the rebels and others and poured a withering fire on them from the tops of houses. The rebels were mowed down from in front and behind and in 15 minutes 300 of the Vasquistas had been slaughtered. The federal lost only one man.

HYPNOTIST IS GONE

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 24.—Uriel Buchanan, a clairvoyant, who has not been seen at his parlors lately, was indicted on a charge of grand larceny. It being alleged that he stole \$300 from Mrs. Dean Carroll after hypnotizing her. Mrs. Viola Frey has also complained to the police that she lost \$2,000 in a similar manner. In addition, a crowd of women who say they were lost from \$50 to \$200 through Buchanan's hypnotic influence are being sought by the police.

Suicides Because Despondent. Dayton, O., Feb. 24.—Despondent and grief-stricken over the death of his wife, William H. Hammel, 67, committed suicide at his farm home by hanging.

FATALLY INJURED

Wapakoneta, O., Feb. 24.—Charles Howe, conductor on freight car No. 56 on the Western Ohio electric line, was thrown 50 feet and suffered a fractured skull and contusion at the base of the brain when his car collided with extra 57, as the latter was backing onto a siding between Anna and Botkins. He probably will die.

REFUSAL OF PARDON IS MADE EMPHATIC

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 24.—Governor Dix in a statement defends his determination that the decision of Justice Gerard of the supreme court, granting a permanent writ of habeas corpus to Folke E. Brandt, prevents any further investigation on the part of Commissioner Richard L. Hand to ascertain if any newly discovered evi-

BEAT UP ENGINEER

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 24.—John Grison, an engineer, who lives in Birmingham, Ala., may die from injuries inflicted by a highwayman in this city. Grison was beaten on the head, his skull fractured, his scalp cut, his left jaw broken and a terrible wound cut in the left side of his face. He was robbed of \$14.

dence in this case warrants the exercise of executive clemency. He supplemented that statement by the oral declaration: "There is absolutely no change in my position. I stand like Gibraltar on this question." It is easy to poke another man's fire. —Danish.

Wife of England's Premier Is an Enthusiastic Skater



Photo by American Press Association.

Mrs. HERBERT ASQUITH, wife of the prime minister of England, is one of the women who are credited with a large share in the political success of their husbands. Before she became the second wife of the middle aged cabinet minister, she was Margot Tennant, famous for the first place in the British government, she was Margot Tennant, famous as one of the two or three most brilliant women in London society and, the story goes, the original of Dodo in E. F. Benson's once popular novel of the same name. It has been charged against her that she has forced the grave parliamentarianism she married too much into the whirl of smart society, but her influence as a political hostess is admitted even by her critics. Mrs. Asquith is an expert skater and takes great pleasure in her favorite winter sport when she visits Switzerland. Our photograph shows her on the rink at Murren, one of the well known Alpine resorts.

ROOSEVELT IS OFF ON MYSTERIOUS TRIP

New York, Feb. 24.—Not a word would Theodore Roosevelt say about politics before starting this morning on a rather mysterious trip to Boston. Colonel Roosevelt is to spend five days in Boston, but declines to say what he is to do there or where he is to stay, further than that he will visit friends and give the literary side of his makeup an airing by talking books with some literary people.

Colonel Roosevelt's reply to the western governors who requested him to state his position in regard to the presidential nomination is to be given out during his absence. It is suggested to the colonel that the reason he was going to withdraw from public view in Boston was to escape from the commotion which his letter to the governors might cause. He smiled and said nothing.

KING TAKES A HAND IN STRIKE SITUATION

London, Feb. 24.—The seriousness of the colliery situation was exemplified by the action of the king in summoning Premier Asquith to the palace to discuss the question of the best means of reaching a settlement. Further conference between Mr. Asquith and the other members of the cabinet and the mine owners failed to give any ground of hope for peace.

Harmon Goes Into Court. Cincinnati, O., Feb. 24.—Governor Judson Harmon appeared as one of the counsel in the suit of Thomas G. McKell against the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad company, which was called before Judge Hollister in the United States district court. The suit is said to involve several million dollars.

and it is likely that the efforts of the government will be concentrated in an attempt to induce the miners to postpone the strike, which has been ordered to begin at midnight on Feb. 23. Everything apparently depends on the attitude of the miners' federation at the meeting of delegates from all collieries, which is to be held in London on Feb. 27.

LET'S WINTER IN ALASKA

Washington, Feb. 24.—Straw hats and linen dusters are being worn in Alaska during the mildest winter on record because the Japan current has unaccountably switched toward the Arctic territory. This remarkable condition, which, it is said, may make Alaska a winter resort, was reported to Governor Clark of Alaska by the navy hydrographic office.

CREMATORY EXPLODES

Pittsburg, Feb. 24.—While the body of Minnie Massie was being cremated at the morgue, the crematory exploded. Deputy Coroner Black was hurled violently against a wall and seriously burned. Coroner Jamison and a number of hotel proprietors who had witnessed the beginning of the cremation had barely left the room when the explosion occurred.

CUBA'S DAY TO CELEBRATE

Havana, Feb. 24.—Cuba today celebrated the seventeenth anniversary of the declaration of independence and the commencement of the revolution which, with the intervention of the United States, culminated in the freedom of the island from Spanish rule and the establishment of the republic of Cuba. In Havana the anniversary was observed as a general holiday.

OPPOSITION TO MAN SUFFRAGE

London, Feb. 24.—Influential support is promised for the great meeting in Albert Hall next Wednesday which is to mark the beginning of a very active campaign against the granting of votes to women. Lord Cromer will preside at the meeting and among the eminent speakers will be Lord Curzon, Lord Loreburn, Lewis Harcourt, M. P. and Mrs. Humphry Ward.

ELECTRIC Needle Used To Defraud In Purchase of Whisky

Columbus, O., Feb. 24.—Raids recently made upon druggists in Pomeroy by Sheriff D. E. Smith of Meigs county, in the enforcement of the county local option law, brought to light a clever and scientifically based scheme for cheating drinkers of whisky. In the raid were secured quite a large number of bottles which, before emptying, had borne the governmental stamp prescribed for whiskies bottled in bond at the warehouses. Close scrutiny showed that these vessels had been emptied of their pure contents and then refilled with a cheaper compound without tampering with the stamp. This was done, according to the information from Pomeroy, through the use of an electric needle which melted a hole through the bottom of the bottle, or at a place under the label. After the refilling the aperture was closed with a plug of melted glass and the goods sold as being those represented by the label and the governmental stamp. In the raid the sheriff came across over 1,000 prescriptions for quantities of whisky ranging from one pint to a gallon, the same being signed by Pomeroy doctors. Meigs county was one of the river balliwicks to vote dry for the second time last year.

COMPROMISE ON PROBE

Washington, Feb. 24.—Democrats of the house have compromised on the money trust investigation, the question which has agitated the party for so many weeks and which will come up today for final determination. Opponents of the Bryan plan for an investigation by a special committee insist that the compromise is one of phraseology only, while Representative Henry, chairman of the rules committee, who led the fight for an inquiry by a special committee instead of by standing committees of the house, claims a victory.

WAS PROTEGE OF VICTORIA

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Eliza Goode is dead at her home here at the age of 89 years, after a remarkable career. Mrs. Goode was born in Dublin, Ireland, but educated in England, as a protegee of Queen Victoria. She married an English officer, Captain Mathias, who came to this country with her and both served throughout the civil war, he as an officer of some distinction and she as a nurse. Her second husband, George W. Goode, was a pioneer candy manufacturer of Cincinnati.

Mr. F. E. Marsh after a short visit in the city with relatives, left this afternoon for Cincinnati.

Mr. John McElroy went to Howard Saturday morning to make a several days' visit with relatives.

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PRINCESS

Theatre Passes Under New Management, Saturday

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Mr. Fred Cotton was a Columbus visitor this afternoon.

Mr. S. E. Ingram of Chicago, Ill. is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Hannah Ingram, of East High street.

Mrs. F. B. Haynes and son, Fred, and Mrs. Fred B. Bauer have gone to Columbus to visit with relatives.

Mr. James C. Black of Mansfield spent Friday in the city attending to some business matters.

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