

Wants the War Ended

SPANIARDS URGE PEACE IN MEXICO

Two More Cablegrams From Madrid Are Received by Rebel Junta at Carranza; One From Prime Minister.

More pleas for peace are being sent to Gen. Venustiano Carranza by prominent Spaniards. Two cablegrams from Madrid, addressed to the "Constitutionalist" leader, were received Friday by the rebel consul in El Paso, Rafael Muzquiz, for transmission to Carranza, where Carranza is.

The first message was from Rodriguez San Pedro, president of the Spanish-American union. It said: "Many members of this society from all over Spain have met here and, for the love of Mexico, implore a speedy ending of the civil war."

Thomas Azcarate, ex-prime minister of Spain, was the other prominent man to add his plea for peace. His cablegram read: "Fervent prayers for the pacification of Mexico are being said here."

MEDINA, IN SANTA FE, TALKS OF MEXICO

Rebel Officer Visits Bohemian Club There and Leaves For Washington on "Book Business."

Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 24.—Col. Juan N. Medina, of the Mexican "Constitutionalist" army, former mayor of Juarez, called on his boyhood friend and schoolmate, secretary of state Antonio Lucero. Both were chums in Las Vegas years ago. Mr. Medina ostensibly is in the United States to have a book published, and left Santa Fe for Washington, D. C., accompanied by Camilo Padilla, of Santa Fe, a publisher and printer.

Col. Medina declared that after Carranza has restored peace, practically all the revenue will be devoted to establishing a thorough public school system like that of New Mexico, as well as to internal improvements, while at the same time the agrarian question will be solved so that everyone willing to cultivate the soil may have the opportunity to acquire a farm of sufficient size to sustain himself and family.

FEDERALS ABANDON C. P. DIAZ, IS REPORT

The forces under Gen. Pablo Alvarez, who have been at Piedras Negras or C. P. Diaz, opposite Eagle Pass, for several months, have left that section and are marching southward, according to information received Saturday at "Constitutionalist" headquarters in El Paso. Alvarez commands 1500 men. It is supposed by the rebels that he is making for Monterey or Torreon to unite with the federal forces in one of the two cities.

VACCINATION OF SOLDIERS ORDERED

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—The appearance of smallpox among the Mexican federal soldiers and refugees near Fort Bliss, Tex., has aroused some uneasiness in the war department. Instructions have been sent to Brig. Gen. Bliss to proceed at once with the vaccination of the several thousand soldiers, as well as the women and children who crossed over into Texas after the fall of Ojinaga.

TORREON FEDERALS AVERSE TO FIGHTING

Rebels in Juarez Receive Information That There is Threat of Mutiny Among Defenders of Laredo Metropolis.

Unofficial reports were received by rebel leaders in Juarez that Gen. Rotuigo Velasco, the federal commander at Torreon, Mex., was having difficulty in maintaining discipline among the federal troops there, who are expecting an attack by the rebels. A report that some of the soldiers had mutinied and had left Torreon was not credited by Gen. E. A. Benavides, rebel commander at Juarez. He said he had received information, however, that the so-called volunteers in the federal army who were forced into the service from the cotton fields in the Laredo district, did not want to fight the rebels.

Information received by Gen. Benavides from Gen. Villa at Chihuahua confirmed reports that Gen. Velasco was preparing to resist the rebels.

SANDOVAL IN EL PASO HOME, IS THE REPORT

Lic. Bonales Sandoval, representing the rebels, is reported to be in El Paso at a private home. He is said to be here for a conference with Villa regarding his alignment with Diaz against Carranza.

Washington dispatches declare that Sandoval is on a mission for Diaz to entreat Villa from Carranza and have him align himself with the Beliz Diaz and Revilla factions in Mexico.

Lic. Sandoval is reported to have arrived here Tuesday night from San Antonio. "Constitutionalist" secret service men have been watching the night train from the east to see if Sandoval arrives here.

SLOAN IS SEEN IN COLONY AT LIBERTY

Geo. Sloan, who was reported to have been held for ransom by Maximo Castillo in the Mormon colonies, was seen by E. L. Croft of Colonia Juarez, on Thursday afternoon, and Mr. Croft says he knew nothing of any ransom money being asked of him. He says that he had heard of Sloan being held for ransom when he came to El Paso. Sloan is supposed to have been taken prisoner on January 12 and given two weeks to raise a ransom of \$200 or be shot. Mr. Croft says Maximo Castillo is now in the Corralitos country with his men.

JUAREZ POSTOFFICE GETS REBEL STAMPS

"Constitutionalist" mailing stamps valued at nearly 4000 pesos have been received at the Juarez postoffice from Sonora and will be placed on sale immediately. All mail addressed to points under rebel rule will have to bear these stamps, except, of course, correspondence from the United States or foreign countries. The rebel stamps have been used in Sonora for several months.

TREATS HIS CAPTOR TO DINNER, THEN ESCAPES

Nogales, Ariz., Jan. 24.—Search is being made in Nogales, Son., for Jack Wilson, bank tender, who escaped from arrest on the Arizona side of the line Friday night. Wilson had been arrested by United States deputy marshal Charles Price, of Phoenix, Ariz., on a charge of stealing arms and ammunition from the fifth cavalry camp last spring.

EXPECT RELEASE OF TERRAZAS SHORTLY

Luis Terrazas, Jr., is expected to be liberated at Chihuahua soon. Former governor Alberto Terrazas, who is on parole, said Saturday that he expected his brother to be released within a short time as satisfactory arrangements have been made by Gen. Terrazas with the rebels. Francisco Molinar, who represented Gen. Terrazas in his cattle interests in El Paso, and who was under arrest in Chihuahua, has also been released and has arrived at the border. Luis Terrazas III, another of the Terrazas family, has been liberated on parole from the prison camp.

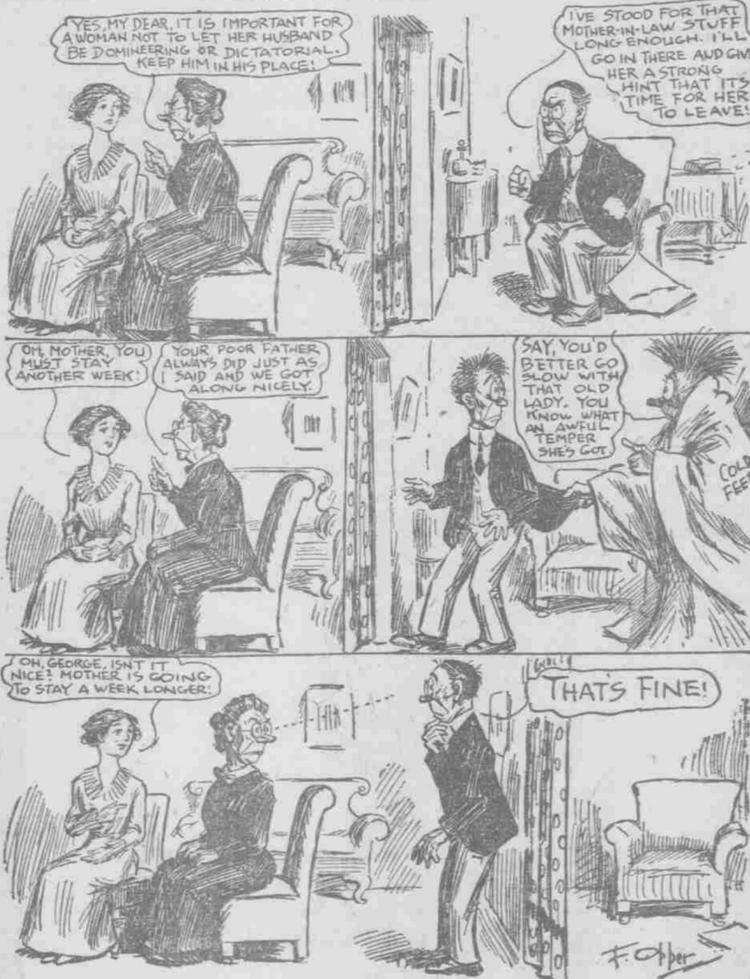
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EL PASO COMMITTEE LEAVES FOR DENVER

Will Confer With Secretaries of Treasury and Agriculture and Urge Keeping Southwest Trade District Together.

Collector X. L. Cobb, chairman of the joint bank and chamber of commerce committee to entertain the organization committee of the regional reserve bank, left for Denver, Colo., Friday evening, accompanied by U. S. Stewart, president of the clearing house. They will go to Denver to meet with the secretary of the treasury, William McAdoo. He will be in Denver Sunday with secretary of agriculture Houston, who will hear the claims of Denver and the Denver trade territory for a regional reserve bank there.

The committee from El Paso is going to Denver to watch the interests of El Paso and the El Paso trade territory.

The local bankers are more interested in having El Paso's trade territory confined in one banking district than in getting a branch of the regional bank. Kansas City has already asked that New Mexico be annexed to the banking district which it expects to serve and the El Pasoans are going to Denver to impress upon the organization committee the necessity for maintaining the unity of the southwestern trade district.

J. G. McNary, of the First National bank, will join the committee at Denver, as he went to McNary, La., on personal business, and will leave Fort Worth this evening for Denver.

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MEXICO'S DEFAULT IRRITATES BRITAIN

London, Eng., Jan. 24.—Mexico's default in the payment of interest on its bonds has aroused considerable feeling in financial quarters in London and it has been suggested that Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, might advantageously initiate negotiations with Berlin and Paris.

REBELS REMOVE DUTIES ON STAPLE PROVISIONS

Customs brokers in El Paso have been notified that the duties on coffee, sugar, rice, canned meats, lard, soap, candles, salt, unbleached muslin and prints have been removed at the Juarez port and these articles will be admitted free temporarily, in order to aid poor people in restocking their homes.

MINOR VICTORIES ARE CLAIMED BY REBELS

Brownsville, Tex., Jan. 24.—"Constitutionalist" victories in several minor engagements with federal troops were reported to rebel headquarters at Matamoras, opposite here. Ten fed- erals were reported killed Thursday at San Angraica, Nuevo Leon. Four rebels were reported wounded.

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