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BRYAN WARNS AMERICANS TO LEAVE MEXICO CITY

OBREGON HAS EVACUATED MEXICO CITY AND ZAPATA FORCES ARE NOW IN CONTROL STATE VILLA AGENTS

OWNERSHIP OF RAILROADS MAY GO TO PEOPLE

CAR UNDERWOOD IN ADDRESS SAYS THAT IF GOVERNMENT REGULATION FAILS PEOPLE WILL ACCEPT OWNERSHIP.

HOUSE BEAT ALL RECORDS PASSING BILLS IN A DAY

MAJORITY OF MEMBERS IN DALLAS WHILE THOSE PRESENT FORGOT ROLL CALL IN HURRY TO PASS SIXTY TWO BILLS.

ADDRESSED NEW YORK CLUB

We Have Reached the Point Where We Must Occasionally Say 'You May' and Not Always 'You Must' Said Congressman Underwood.

NO SALOON NEAR DRY TOWN

Comptroller Takes Stand Against License to Saloonists Who Would Locate Near Dry Town of Teague. Would Be in Wet Territory. Territory.

LIPTON TAKES RED CROSS FORCES TO SERVIA

Sir Thomas Lipton with the British Red Cross and St. John's society members whom he took to Servia on board his yacht Erin. The photograph was taken on board the yacht after it had left Marseilles.

QUARANTINE MEASURE FERGUSON INDORSED BY TEXAS CATTLEMEN

BY STANDING VOTE COWMEN YESTERDAY AT SAN ANTONIO APPROVED MEASURE.

3,000 ATTEND CONVERTION

EVELYN THAW WILL NOT BE CALLED IN TRIAL OF THAW

ATTORNEYS WILL NOT CALL FOR HER TESTIMONY DURING PRESENT TRIAL.

WILSON WILL NOT OVERRIDE SENATE ON NOMINATIONS

APPOINTMENTS CONTESTED BY SENATE TO AWAIT NEXT SESSION OF CONGRESS.

WIFE IN WILL CONTEST

ROW OVER WOMEN ELECTION JUDGES

LARGE WAUKEGAN TICKET

Extend Officers' Terms.

WOODMEN TO SELECT 1917 CONVENTION CITY THIS MORNING

CORPUS CHRISTI DELEGATION IS WORKING HEROICALLY TO CAPTURE THE WOODMEN.

TELEGRAMS FROM HERE COUNT

NATION'S BUTTER MAKERS MEET

INSURANCE FRAUD CHARGES

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—For East Texas, fair tonight, probably warmer; Wednesday, fair and warmer Thursday.

For Oklahoma: Rain tonight or Wednesday; Wednesday, fair; Thursday, fair.

For New Mexico: Fair and colder tonight; warmer Wednesday; fair and warmer Thursday.

For Arizona: Rain tonight or Wednesday; Wednesday, fair; Thursday, fair.

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NO IMPROVEMENT IN MEXICAN SITUATION

Carranza Personally Denied That Obregon Hindered Distribution of Supplies to the Destitute People of Mexico City.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Secretary Bryan today sent a warning to Americans to leave Mexico City in view of the critical conditions there.

In the meantime, consular messages from Vera Cruz, said that it is reported there that Obregon began to evacuate the capital last night, and tonight Villa's Washington agent received a message saying that Zapata's forces occupied Mexico City immediately upon Obregon's evacuation, and began repairing railroads to the north with good prospects for restoring communication to the border within 6 days.

State officials were gratified that no reports of disorder came in connection with the reported evacuation.

Consul Silliman reported from Vera Cruz that Carranza personally denied that Obregon hindered the distribution of relief supplies for Mexico City, and that Carranza promised a written reply to the United States' demand for an improvement of conditions in Carranza's territory.

Meanwhile, the battleship Georgia, and the armored cruiser Washington, have been ordered to Vera Cruz, and it is understood taht the United States' note to Carranza says that the United States will hold Carranza officials personally responsible for conditions in their territory, and will take whatever means necessary to impose the responsibility where it belongs.

The importance of the Mexican situation today in Washington, overshadowed interest in the European war. In view of the United States' sharp warning, however, and the fact that Zapata is reported again controlling the City of Mexico, it was felt the crisis would pass safely. According to official reports, Zapata policed the capital well, the last time he commanded there.

The Carranza agency here tonight issued a statement from Carranza, denying he had prevented shipment of food to the capital and declaring foreigners there were not in danger, and saying reactionaries were responsible for the circulation of these reports in the United States.

Obregon also denied that Roman Catholic priests were being abused in their prisons, as he said he "heard American newspapers on a printing."

Obregon sent what he declared was a statement from the representatives of the Associated Press and La Prensa, in which, after visiting priests, these correspondents said the priests told them they were being well treated.

The Associated Press has not heard from its Mexico City correspondent in several days.

NO FIGHT AT MONTEREY.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, March 9.—Carranza headquarters at Matamoras, and that no fighting occurred there since Carranzistas had not taken Monterey, and that naf gihting occurred there since Monday on account of rains.

Guardiola Was Executed.

LAREDO, Texas, March 9.—A letter received in Nuevo Laredo today gives a detailed account of the execution at Durango on February 26 of General Guardiola, who was with Villistas, and who was condemned to death for the destruction of Nuevo Laredo by flames in April, last year, at whose time he was commander of the federal forces which burned the town and evacuated. After he was stood up before the firing squad, the Villa officer in charge of the squad refused to give the order to fire, whereupon Guardiola asked permission to do so.

Accordingly the Villa officer retired to one side as the squad stood at attention, Guardiola himself, then gave the conventional orders "Ready, Aim, Fire!" falling dead after the volley. The execution was the most dramatic incident of the Mexican revolution, and was witnessed by a large crowd.

DESPERATE FIGHTING IN NORTHERN POLAND

Petrograd Dispatches State That Russians Are Having Best of Fight, Which Rages Between Nieman and Vistula Rivers

By Associated Press.

PETROGRAD, March 9.—Desperate fighting is going on between Russians and Germans in North Poland between Nieman and Vistula rivers, and near Augustowo, with the Russians having the advantage, according to official report tonight.

Further south on the left bank of the Vistula river and in the Carpathian Mountains engagements which have been going on for some time continue with some Russian gains in the Carpathians, the statement adds.

Austrian Statement.

VIENNA, March 9.—Continued fighting in the Carpathians with local Russian regulars, continued fighting south of the Vistula, with Austrian success near Gostlow, and a Russian attack repulsed near Kirbov, were announced in the official report tonight.

The statement adds that the weather in the Carpathians is unfavorable and allows sometimes light day and night, and ends with "some a tribute to our brave troops and their indefatigable being put to their battles."

Explosion of Arsenal.

LONDON, March 9.—An Amsterdam dispatch says fourteen were killed and twenty injured in the explosion of a cleaner cement at Antwerp today.

Steamer Escapes.

LONDON, March 9.—The British steamer Clan Mathias this morning escaped a German submarine in Mediterranean while trying for Cardiff, five miles.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, March 9.—Some prisoners in Champagne, near Perthes and near Mesnil and the gate of a bridge in Alsace, with no change around Arras despite fighting all day, were announced tonight in the official report of the repulse of several German attacks were also announced.

Bombardment Continues.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, March 9.—The Anglo-French fleet is still bombarding the Dardanelles, but bad weather hindered sharp fire today, it is announced tonight.

Terms for Peace.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March 9.—The Daily Telegraph's Paris correspondent says that he learns that Dr. Von Bethmann Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, on Wednesday, will set forth in the Reichstag the terms on which Germany is ready to make peace.

By Associated Press.

Three Steamships Sunk.

LONDON, March 9.—German submarines today sunk three British steamships, totaling 27, it was officially announced tonight.

The ships sunk were the Tangistan, off Scarborough, with one man of the crew of 18 saved; the Blackwood, off

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