

DEPOSED CHIEF REACHES PORT

But Maintains Silence Regarding His Destination

WAS WELCOMED IN SILENCE

A Crowd Met Him at Puerto Mexico Last Evening

Puerto Mexico, July 18.—General Victoriano Huerta, who recently resigned as provisional president of Mexico, arrived here shortly after 9 o'clock last night. He was accompanied by General Blanquet, his minister of war.

When he expects to leave his country and share the exile of General Porfirio Diaz, whom he escorted to the coast three years ago, is yet unknown, except perhaps to himself. Captain Kohler of the German cruiser Dresden offered him his ship "for any use he cared to make of her," but General Huerta merely thanked him, adding that he would return his call before noon to-day.

The trip to this port was without incident or unpleasantness other than that occasioned by the terrible heat of the tropical lowlands. With Huerta and Blanquet were the general staff.

The party occupied a train of nine sleeping cars, four of which were given over to troops. Two other trains loaded with none but troops preceded General Huerta's train and arrived here an hour before the Huerta train. Behind them came another train also loaded with soldiers to guard against any rear movements.

Captain Kohler and staff in formal dress uniforms were at the station and were officially presented to General Huerta. He thanked the captain for his call and for the offer of his boat.

Answering inquiries as to the state of his health, General Huerta assured the officers that he felt fine, although somewhat tired and worn from the heat.

British Vice Consul Gemmill also officially called on Huerta and presented him a message presumably an offer of refuge on the British cruiser Bristol. Huerta read it and expressed pleasure at the consideration being shown him. Local officials, calling on General Huerta last night were few in number, the only one of importance being General Rincon, commander of the localarrison. Commander Carvallo of the Mexican gunboat Zaragoza, with his staff, also called, but General Huerta was already weary of holding receptions and asked to be excused for the night.

All arrangements were made early in the day for the reception of Huerta and Blanquet and the stage was so set that they could enter the city and board the Dresden or Bristol and put out to sea so quickly and quietly as to rob their flight of all dramatic elements. Tracks were laid so that the special train could be pulled along the wharf close to the water and the ex-president and the minister of war would thus be enabled to reach a launch in less than a dozen steps.

None of the messages sent to Huerta's wife or to General Camerona, commanding the special guard here, indicated Huerta's plans. Not even the captains of the German and British vessels had definite instructions. They were to leave the decision to Huerta himself. It is generally believed, however, that Huerta and Blanquet will go aboard the Dresden, and the other refugees, including Senora Huerta and Senora Blanquet aboard the Bristol and that both cruises will proceed for Jamaica or Havana. It was a day of sharp anxiety for the older members of the party, especially the wives of the two men who were passing through a country where a considerable number of revolutionists are known to be operating. They could not rid themselves of the fear that the revolutionists would in some way seek revenge on their husbands.

Both were downcast and unresponsive to the efforts of the children and others to arouse their spirits. They spent most of the day on deck chairs aboard the Bristol, but the younger people wandered somewhat listlessly about the railroad yards and visited the neighboring stores which resemble the stores in the small towns of the United States.

The hot weather had forced the young women and girls to repress from their trunks their summer dresses and clothing rarely used in the capital and the men arrayed themselves in white.

A Solemn Incident.

When the train pulled in, scores of officers from the trains which had previously arrived lined along the wharf to get a glimpse of their deposed chief. There was not a cheer nor a handclap. Those at the train side, as if by agreement, treated the arrival of the ex-president as a most solemn incident.

A few townspeople were present, but they exhibited nothing more than curiosity. About town absolute quiet prevailed; the town had already gone to sleep and the few rurales who had been placed on duty at the intersections of the streets had nothing more exciting to do than to hold conversations with each other when they met.

General Huerta was sitting in the smoking room of the car when the train stopped. In front of him was General Blanquet, both were in their shirt sleeves and without collars. The official delegation from the German cruiser climbed aboard the train before General Huerta appeared to realize their presence and then began a scramble for coat and collar and a rapid dressing scene was witnessed through the window by the crowd outside.

Huerta mopped the sweat from his face with a large handkerchief and was assisted into his coat by Blanquet. Putting on his collar, however, was too much of a task and he went out

into the aisle of the center car as he was, to receive the German emperor's representative.

He was dressed in the same suit of clothes he had worn in the streets of the capital, while tossed over in a corner seat was the flat brown hat that has long served to distinguish him.

General Blanquet was in uniform, as were all the other members of the staff, and presenting a startling contrast to their chief. It was announced that Huerta and Blanquet would spend the night in the car, going aboard the Dresden to-day, "to return the official call."

No statement has been made as to Huerta's future movements. Negotiations, however, have been going on for the chartering of the steamer Cincinnati of Mexico to carry at least some of the party to Jamaica.

Senora Huerta and Senora Blanquet were aboard the Bristol and did not see their husbands. Huerta appeared tired and bored and was in no cheerful mood.

SUICIDE WAVE INCREASES.

Many Mexicans in Capital Are Killing Themselves.

Mexico City, July 18.—An unprecedented number of suicides and attempted suicides have occurred since the fall of the Huerta government. In the past two days four suicides and three attempts to have been reported. The residents are appalled as such attempts are rare here.

There has been a notable lack of crime during the same period and the tranquility of the capital continues undisturbed, although a feeling of uneasiness prevails.

Every representative of a foreign power yesterday received two telegrams from General Huerta. One of these was for the diplomatic personally, bidding him farewell and asking that he repose confidence in President Carrizal; the other was for the government representative requesting support for the new Mexican government. The single exception was in the case of the United States, for which the Brazilian minister received no message.

VISIT PRESIDENT CARBAJAL.

Diplomatic Corps in Mexico City Present Formal Address.

Mexico City, July 18.—The members of the diplomatic corps greeted Francisco Carrizal, the new president of Mexico, in the national palace yesterday. Bernardo De Cologan y Cologan, the Spanish minister, acting as dean of the corps, read the following address:

"We have come, Mr. President, to-day to the national palace as the representatives of the foreign nations, in whose names I have the high honor of addressing you, with the grateful impression of cordially welcoming you to the capital of our country, and with the hope that Mexico is at last approaching that peace which is so earnestly desired and which, too, is so indispensable, and we hope it may be given to us soon to witness the cordial embrace of brethren amid unbounded joy, not unminged with grief for those who have perished and with solicitude to staunch the country's wounds and to pour into them the saving balm of concord and charity."

"You have come, Mr. President, to this high post in a difficult moment, but we feel sure that difficulties do not daunt you. You have laid down the highest post in the judiciary, which you attained at an early age, your merits making up for your youth, and if in the supreme court you did your utmost to safeguard your fellow citizens and all the inhabitants of the republic in the enjoyment of the constitutional guarantees, you will not assuredly now, or as long as you have the honor of occupying the supreme magistracy of the country, omit any honest endeavor or any sincere effort to put an end at the earliest possible moment to the griefs and sorrows of this beautiful land, so that Mexico, entering once for all on the path leading to normal and lawful conditions, may occupy in her upward and onward march the prominent place which for so many reasons she is entitled to among the nations of this continent."

"Such, Mr. President, are our fervent and most cordial desires."

The address of the Spanish minister was approved beforehand by the diplomatic corps so that there might be no question as to the extent of recognition which it implied. In reply the president said:

"I am truly gratified by this opportunity of meeting your excellencies in my capacity as chief of state. I desire first of all to offer you testimony of my highest esteem together with my respects to the governments which you so worthily represent in this republic.

"I have heard with profound satisfaction the generous desires which you express for the re-establishment of peace and the consequent union of all Mexicans, and you may rest assured that I shall omit no effort to realize that patriotic purpose, which is the only reason I had for abandoning the labors of the judiciary and assuming the responsibilities of the position which I now occupy."

"Whatever may be the result of my efforts I desire to declare that I am not guided by any interested motive and that my personality will in no case be an obstacle to the realization of the task of concord, to which I have set my land and which is so necessary to my country in these difficult moments. I, in my turn, express my desire for the prosperity of this republic."

CRASHED INTO FENCE.

Motorcyclist Was Fatally Injured at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., July 18.—Thomas B. Lewis of Birmingham, Ala., was fatally injured yesterday in the race being run under the auspices of the federation of American motorcyclists now in convention here. He crashed into the fence and fell over a 20-foot embankment during the first race of the day. He died a few hours later.

READY BY JULY 31.

The Panama Canal Can Take Commercial Traffic Then.

New York, July 18.—According to Frederick Alcock, general manager of the Pacific Steam Navigation Co., the Panama canal will be ready for commercial traffic on or before July 31. He said Governor Goethals would likely inform Washington of this possibility within a few days.

KING SHOWS HIS ANXIETY

For Settlement of the Home Rule Crisis in England

POSTPONES VISIT TO HIS BIG FLEET

So That He May Be in Close Touch with Conferences

London, July 18.—King George, who has been making great efforts to bring about a settlement of the Irish home rule crisis, decided this morning to postpone until later in the day his proposed visit to the great British fleet at Spithead in order that he might be on hand in London to receive early reports of the developments in the conferences between the party leaders.

It is understood that when the opportune time arrives his majesty will throw his influence toward the side looking for an amicable settlement.

The government is believed by many to have offered the Unionists, in case they agree to abandon their demand, a clean cut of Ulster from the operations of the home rule bill, to arrange that the whole of Ulster, with the exception of the county of Tyrone, which has a great Catholic majority, should vote as a single entity on the question of exclusion.

The Unionists demand that Tyrone shall be included and this caused a deadlock. Premier Asquith and Augustine Birrell, secretary of state for Ireland, who are carrying on the negotiations in behalf of the cabinet, remained in town for the week-end. The premier to-day had another audience with King George, but the rest of the cabinet ministers scattered over the country for the week-end holiday.

ONE DETECTIVE KILLED

And Three Others Wounded in Battle in Chicago.

Chicago, July 18.—With one detective dead and three wounded as a result of a revolver battle Thursday night in Chicago's vice district, officials reported closed, police officials attempted yesterday to untangle the accounts of the fatal affray between members of the department.

The dead detective, Stanley J. Birnes, was a member of the regular plainclothes force. John C. Stoop, Birnes' partner, was shot through the thigh. Joseph Merrill and Fred Amert, detectives of the morals squad, were wounded seriously. James C. Carroll, who said he was an investigator and railway fireman, also was wounded.

In the investigation by Chief of Police Gleason two facts appeared to stand out, that the killing and wounding of the policeman were precipitated by a gang of loose characters, and that many of the volleys of shots fired came from the weapons in the hands of gangsters. It was thought that several of the crowd of vice district characters were wounded and had been hidden by their friends.

The affray was possible because the morals squad men, Merrill and Amert and Carroll, who was not a member of the force, did not recognize Birnes and Stoop. Merrill and Amert had been with him but a short time. They had just raided a disorderly place and sent a wagonload of prisoners to the station. A gang of loose hangers-on followed and hooted Merrill and Amert as they walked away from the place.

"Look at the stool pigeons," they shouted. "Look out for the stool pigeons."

Stones and bottles were thrown and the detectives drew their revolvers. Birnes and Stoop ran up to disperse the mob.

"Look out, they have guns!" someone cried. Then the shooting began. Merrill declared that the first shot was fired by a man in the crowd, who dodged behind a woman. Another woman had just been felled by a brick. Merrill said that he emptied his revolver at the man.

The clash of police activities in the vice district was disclosed in the shooting. Merrill and Amert were members of the morals squad, which he had unexpectedly sent into the vice district to make raids. At the same time Second Deputy Chief of Police Funkhouser had a detail in the district for the same purpose, thinking that Dammberg was on the north side of the city. Birnes and Stoop were attached to the detective bureau, which is said to regard with jealousy the activities of the special details.

The situation was finally dominated by the uniformed police, who dispersed the mob and held Merrill and Amert as witnesses.

Wise.

"I don't want to brag about myself. I've done many foolish things in my time, but I've been wise in one way."

"What's that?"

"I never had the idea that I could paper a bedroom myself."—Detroit Free Press.

Marvels of Science.

"Some day we will be telephoning through the air without wires."

"Maybe. But won't it seem queer to have the operator call back to you and say: 'The air is busy now.'—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

TO HAVE A HOTEL.

Essex Junction to Have One After a Year's Lack.

Essex Junction, July 18.—Essex Junction is to have a hotel, after the absence of one since a year ago last November. Several of the citizens of the village and adjoining towns have organized and incorporated under the general laws of Vermont the Essex Junction Hotel company.

The Bates property, located at the intersection of Park, Pearl, Maple, and Lincoln and Main streets, has been purchased and the large residence is to be remodelled into a modern, up-to-date hotel structure.

A. I. Lawrence, the Burlington architect, has drawn the plans and the contract for the work will be let at once. Wide verandas will be built along the west and north sides of the building. The house will have 20 rooms, ten of which will be provided with bath. G. L. Lincoln, who, for many years, was the proprietor of the Custer House at Underhill, has leased the property of the corporation for five years.

It is expected the improvements will be completed by October 1 and the hotel will be open to the public by October 10.

It is planned to build a large addition by another fall. The hotel will probably be named the Essex Junction Inn, although the name has not as yet been determined. The officers of the company are: President, H. D. Drury; clerk, Allen Martin; treasurer, A. B. Yandow; directors, H. D. Drury, D. M. Johnson, A. B. Rugg, Frank Tyler and Allen Martin.

SIX MORE GIRLS ESCAPE.

Left State Industrial School After Closing-up Time.

Burlington, July 18.—News reached the city yesterday of the escape of six more girls from the state industrial school at Vergennes. They left the institution about closing-up time on Thursday evening. This makes a total of eight girls to escape from the school within a short time. The first two who took sudden leave about three weeks ago were supposed to have come to Burlington, and various places within and near the city were searched but no clue was ever discovered. The six girls who left Thursday night included two Burlington girls but they evidently did not come to this city as they are not at their homes. It is supposed that the six girls separated and went various ways as a crowd of six young girls traveling together would be sure to attract attention. A report comes from Rutland that two girls were put off the train at the station at that city Thursday night as they did not have their fares. Officers from the industrial school were in Burlington last evening searching for the lost ones.

STATE A. O. H. CONVENTION.

Preparations for It at Rutland Are Being Made.

Rutland, July 18.—The state order of the Ancient Order of Hibernians has accepted the invitation of Rutland division to hold the next state convention in this city early in August and Dr. John D. Hanrahan, John F. Moloney and Daniel A. Burton of this city were yesterday appointed a committee to fix the date and make local arrangements. Efforts are being made to secure several speakers, including some from out of the state. The meeting will last three days.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians have in Vermont over 1,000 members who are distributed in 12 divisions. Rutland county leads with five and the branch in this city is the largest in the state. An attendance of 300 is looked for at the August gathering.

TO HAVE OWN PLANT.

House of Correction Will Furnish Its Lights.

Rutland, July 18.—A contract was yesterday let to the Warren-Reed Electric company of this city to install a new modern electric lighting system at the house of correction in this city. The present method of illumination not meeting the requirements of the institution, including the superintendent's home, will be wired. The wires will be extended to the cells but for the present they will not be connected with lights, as a new dynamo will be needed to light this portion of the prison. Common lamps are used in the cells, but all fires are of brick and cement, there is little inflammable material. Two, four and five-light clusters will be used in the main building.

CONDITION VERY GRAVE.

Outcome of Mrs. L. D. Pelkey's Injuries Will Not Be Known for Several Days.

Rutland, July 18.—State's Attorney B. L. Stafford of this city was in 'air hours yesterday to investigate the case of Louis D. Pelkey, who struck his wife twice on the head with the blade of an axe while in a drunken rage Wednesday night. He ordered Pelkey confined at the county jail to await the outcome of Mrs. Pelkey's injuries. Her condition is very grave, but the outcome will not be definitely known for several days. Until it is no charge will be preferred against the husband.

NEW RECORD CLAIMED.

For Four-Year-Old Pacer on Saginaw, Mich., Track.

Saginaw, Mich., July 18.—What is claimed to be a new record for a four-year-old pacer on a half-mile track was established here yesterday when Single 11, a bay stallion, won the second heat of a 2:12 pacing stake in 2:04. Single 2 took the first heat of the race in 2:08 1/2, thus also setting a new record for two consecutive heats by a four-year-old pacer on a two-lap course.

DOUBLE FRACTURE OF JAW.

Sustained by Clyde Milan in Collision with Moeller.

Washington, D. C., July 18.—Clyde Milan, centerfielder of the Washington Americans, will be out of the game for at least a month as the result of his collision with Moeller when both went flying a fly in yesterday's game with Cleveland. Milan sustained a double fracture of the right lower jaw and a badly bruised shoulder.

ABOUT READY TO FILE SUIT

To Force Dissolution of the New Haven Railroad

PEACEFUL MEANS HAVING FAILED

Action Probably Will Be Brought by Government Next Week

Washington, D. C., July 18.—Negotiations between the New Haven railroad and the department of justice to effect a peaceful dissolution of that system apparently came to an end yesterday and unless there are unforeseen developments the government will file its Sherman law suit to force a dissolution next week.

The bill against the New Haven virtually is complete and finishing touches will be put upon it immediately. Before it is filed, Attorney General McReynolds will confer with the president and lay the whole New Haven case before him and ask for presidential approval.

Mr. McReynolds is understood to be loath to take the case into court but feels that there is no other solution of the problem of untangling the New Haven.

RECORD GAME IN NATIONAL.

New York Beat Pittsburg in 21st Inning on Doyle Home Run.

Pittsburg, July 18.—Blescher's single and a home run by Doyle gave New York a 3 to 1 victory in a 21-inning pitchers' duel between Marquard and Adams yesterday. It was the longest game ever played in the National league. From the close of the third inning until the opening of the 21st inning, neither side did a thing. Sharp fielding characterized the work of both sides. The work of Burns, Fletcher, Kelly and Mowry was brilliant.

In the first inning Burns hit a three-bagger when two were out. He did not score. In their half the Pirates scored their only run when Menzer was hit by the first ball pitched by Marquard, went to second on Mowrey's sacrifice and scored on a three-base hit by Wagner.

The visitors tied the score in the third on singles by Becher and in the third on a home run often got men on the bases, but no runs resulted. Becher singled in the 21st after two were out. He stole second. Doyle then sent his home run blow to center, scoring himself and Becher.

Adams did not give a base on balls and struck out six men. Marquard walked two men and struck out two.

\$200,000 DAMAGE DONE.

After Battle Between Coal Mine Strikers and Mine Guards.

Fort Smith, Ark., July 18.—After a pitched battle between several hundred striking coal miners and sympathizers and one hundred guards stationed at the Prairie Creek mines of the Mammoth Vein Coal company near Fort Smith yesterday, which ended in the rout of the guards, property of three mines were destroyed by dynamite. The property damage is estimated at \$200,000.

So far as can be ascertained, no one was killed or wounded in the fighting which began shortly after daybreak and continued until late in the day.

FARMER KILLED BY BOLT.

Great Damage Done by Lightning Near Auburn, N. Y.

Auburn, N. Y., July 18.—A series of thunder storms near here yesterday, with terrific lightning and wind, caused serious damage to Cayuga county crops. Cloudbursts flooded the fields and washed out corn in some localities. Lightning struck a score of places, but all fires were extinguished without great loss.

James Guller, a farmer in Sennett, was killed by a bolt. Panics among women employees in several factories were allayed by the temporary abandonment of work. Fire alarms, telephone and telegraph systems were put out of commission for varying periods.

THREE HEARINGS AT RUTLAND

Held Yesterday by Vermont Public Service Commission.

Rutland, July 18.—The Vermont public service commission held three hearings at the hotel Bardwell here yesterday. The matters taken up were: Petition of Horton Power company of Brandon to issue securities; petition of Rutland Railway, Light & Power company for issuance of stocks to extend John Hines; investigation into death of John Hines of East Hubbardton, who was struck by a train while driving over the tracks of the Clarendon & Pittsford railroad at Florence.

STRUCK TWICE IN MIDDLESEX.

Lightning Killed Horse at One Place and Started Fire at Another.

Middlesex, July 18.—The barn buildings of E. K. Hills were struck by lightning yesterday afternoon, but were not destroyed. The lightning followed the ridgepole to the door, where men were leading by the horses in. One horse was killed by the lightning and the other was stunned.

During the same storm George Atkins' barn was struck and set on fire, but the fire was quickly extinguished and with little loss being entailed. Two men were affected by the electricity, but soon recovered.

BRIEF ENTERTAINMENT FOR BURLINGTONIANS

Barre Men Met "Better Acquaintance" Tourists at Williamstown Gulf and Showed Them Granite Operations, After Which Came Luncheon.

It was about 7:30 last evening when the Barre merchants and business men speeded the Burlington "better acquaintance" tourists on the last lap of their around Vermont automobile trip after having had the members of the party as their guests for a few hours, beginning with their arrival at Williamstown gulf from Woodstock.

The Burlington men had started from their home city Thursday morning, making Rutland in time for luncheon served by the Rutland Business Men's association, viewing the city and marble industry, and then proceeding to Springfield, where a banquet was given in their honor Thursday night and where they remained for the night, leaving on Friday morning for Windsor and Woodstock on their northward trip on the east side of the state.

Leaving Woodstock in the early afternoon, the tourists made fast time and arrived at Williamstown gulf in the late afternoon, there to be met by a party of Barre business men who had gone there in a dozen automobiles to act as escorts into Barre. The Barre party had timed their arrival at the gulf nicely and had to wait only a comparatively few minutes in the depths of the famous tourist spot ere the arrival of the first cars of the visitors.

After welcome had been extended, the automobiles of the Burlington men were decorated with banners similar to those bedecking the Barre cars and the run toward Barre was started with part of the visitors transferred to Barre cars while part of the Barre welcome took the vacated seats in the Burlington cars. Coming out of the gulf and into Williamstown village the autoists ran into a vigorous electrical storm which was accompanied with copious rainfall, but the effects were little felt, the automobiles were soon protected against the rain.

Arriving at the granite quarries by taking the right hand turn out of Williamstown village, the visitors were given a general idea of the vast operations there and were allowed a closer inspection of the "Boutwell, Milne & Varnum and the E. L. Smith & Co. quarries, after which a run was made from Graniteville to Websterville, thence doubling back and entering this city by way of Quarry street. The party arrived in Barre at about 6:30 and the pathfinder car led them around Elm street, Eastern avenue, Park and Washington streets, past the Burns monument, back to Main street, where the visitors were given visual evidence of Barre's welcome in the shape of a large banner strung across the street and bearing the words: "Welcome. Come Again."

Moving northward on Main street, the party went to the granite manufacturing plant of Jones Bros. Co., where a halt was made while Hugh J. M. Jones of the firm, with his assistants, showed the visitors through one of the largest plants of its kind in the world and although the plant was not in operation some idea of the magnitude of the business was revealed. On leaving the plant, the Barre Board of Trade and the Barre Merchants' association served luncheon nearby, after which the Burlington men were speeded on their way for the last 45 miles of their eventful trip.

At about 10:30 several hundred miles, during which they touched some of the principal points in widely scattered sections of Vermont. Members of the party expressed their enthusiasm over their reception in all the places visited and they calculated that the trip had been of great value to them in showing up some of Vermont's enterprises and beauties while at the same time giving them and the people visited a chance to become better acquainted.

The members of the party were Mayor J. E. Burke, Max L. Powell, C. W. Leonard, C. H. Brownell, F. B. Houston, E. L. Lane, J. Adams, Max Myers, H. L. Bingham, Henry Hagar, James P. Taylor, Professor George Groat, G. H. Milnes, A. D. Pease, C. H. Bessey, Morris Abraham, F. W. Parker, H. L. Piteher, Simon Platka, J. C. Humphrey, A. J. Canning, Mr. Rosenberg, E. G. Evans, E. R. Young, E. Hanbridge, A. S. Kilburn.

Arrival in Burlington.

Burlington, July 18.—The eight cars containing the 30 Burlington merchants who made the first "better acquaintance" tour of the year, starting from Burlington Thursday morning, arrived home last evening at different times between the hours of 9:30 and 10:30. Barring the fact that there were a few minor troubles, all the cars finished the two days' trip in excellent condition and those who took the trip were very enthusiastic over the time they had and spoke in high praise of the royal entertainment they received at the several places visited.

Yesterday morning after breakfast at Springfield the party spent some time in visiting the industries of the village and then went to Windsor, where they looked over the manufacturing plants and also visited the state's prison. They lunched at the Woodstock inn, after which the cars started for the homebound trip. At Williamstown gulf the tourists were met by the Barre Board of Trade, who came in 12 automobiles. The Burlington party was then escorted to the various granite plants in the vicinity and in Barre, and were later given a luncheon by the Barre Board of Trade.

All who took the trip are satisfied that it was an entire success. "Better acquaintance" tours are to start from Barre and Springfield later in the summer, and both will include Burlington in their routes. The boards of trade of both places accepted the invitation of the Burlington association to have luncheon here and look over the industries of the city.

FOG TOO THICK FOR RACING.

Cup Defender Yachts About Ready to Give Up Hope.

Newport, R. I., July 18.—The fog was still thick and impenetrable to-day and hope of a race for the cup yachts was practically abandoned. The sloops will return to their yards to-night for a 10 days' overhauling.

WILSON URGES WINESTY

Is in Direct Communication with General Carranza

EFFORTS FOR PEACE ARE REDOUBLED

Washington Officials Hope for Peace Within Two Weeks

Washington, D. C., July 18.—Efforts aimed at the restoration of peace in Mexico were redoubled to-day by the administration officials. They were in direct communication with Carranza, urging him to proclaim general amnesty for political offenders, and in touch with Zapata, the southern rebel.

It was hoped to bring Zapata into harmony with the peace program which contemplates the quiet transfer of power from Carrizal, Huerta's successor, to the constitutionalists. It is believed that new provisional president is ready to surrender unconditionally.

Although urging amnesty, the commissioners sent to confer with Carranza are expected to reach Guadalajara next week. Administration officials were to-day predicting practical restoration of peace in Mexico within two weeks.

IMMEDIATE PEACE IN MEXICO SOUGHT

United States Government Is Bending Every Energy to That End and Believes It Will Be Accomplished.

Washington, D. C., July 18.—Every influence and diplomatic agency at the disposal of the United States government was working to-day for immediate peace in Mexico.

The Washington administration is convinced that with the elimination of Huerta, for which it has been steadily pressing for more than a year, the various factions in Mexico will be quickly drawn together to aid in this and assure restoration of normal conditions without further bloodshed. Officials here are exerting themselves to smooth the way for a new and stable administration in Mexico which shall be recognized by the powers of the world.

Not only is the American