

**BIG GATHERING
AT THE BARRETT
SIGN PLACING**

Prizes in Nash Bros. Contest Formally Awarded
This Afternoon.

**MANY FROM THIS
CITY ATTEND**

Northwood, Inkster, Larimore and Great Northern Represented by Trade-Representatives—Inspection of Winning Farms a Feature.

With representatives from every section of the county in attendance, a big jollification meeting is being held this afternoon at the farm home of James Barrett, winner of first prize in the Nash Bros. farm contest. An inspection of the Barrett farm, which is located near Larimore, is one of the big features of the afternoon's program. The prizes were formally awarded by O. D. Center, who was chairman of the committee of judges. Grand Forks is well represented at the meeting. Following are the names of those who attended from this city: E. J. Lander, F. L. Goodman, A. I. Hunter, O. D. Center, Dean M. A. Brannon, Andrew J. Yell, H. Kasey, William Dryberg, Tom Moore, W. E. Black, F. Torrance, H. M. Wells, Theo. Wells, Don McDonald, Don V. Moore, Clarence Locklin and M. W. Spaulding.

At 1 o'clock when the program of addresses began, there were twenty autos and fully as many teams lined up in the Barrett yard. Northwood, Inkster, Larimore and other Grand Forks county places were well represented. The Larimore band and the universally quarrelsome special music. Following the program the guests inspected the prize winning farm, after which luncheon was served.

Addresses were made by E. J. Lander, F. L. Goodman, M. A. Brannon, Thos. Mooney and O. D. Center.

The four prizes were awarded as follows:

First—James Barrett, \$100 and an attractive farm sign.

Second—E. E. Veltch, \$50.

Third—Eustace Brown, \$40.

Fourth—Christ Engh, \$25.

Barrett Farm Visited Today

Grand Forks business men and others the occasion being the placing of the sign for first prize in the Nash contest, is one of the most complete and perfectly arranged agricultural enterprises in the history of the county.

The Barrett farmstead is located in almost the exact center of the north edge of the farm. It is surrounded on the north and east by a high wind break of willows and other large trees which has been extended by Mr. Barrett to completely surround the farmstead, except on the east.

The entrance to the farmstead is through a break in the willow hedge, and the entrance is given on a gravel drive, which curves to the house and extends in a straight line to the barn and the other outbuildings. The barn and house drives are separated by a lilac hedge. The whole yard is laid out on landscape architectural lines.

Home Commodities and the Barrett home is commodious, well arranged and well furnished. It is located in the extreme right of the area of land devoted to the farmstead. About 150 feet immediately south of the house is the men's house, which is a model of neatness and cleanliness at all times.

The buildings are arranged along a central avenue. They consist of a barn, which is large and splendidly arranged; a wagon shed, which is so arranged that vehicles of all descriptions never stand on the driveway; the main building, which is the repair shop and between the repair shop and the granary, which is the next building in line, is a place for parking farm implements over night during the seasons they are in use.

The granary is large and well equipped. It has a concrete floor throughout, both for the driveway and under the bins. It is equipped with feed mill and gasoline engine for grinding feed and fanning and cleaning grain.

Poultry Sheds Excellent.

Immediately to the east of the granary is the poultry house of suitable size for 200 fowls. East of the granary, separated by a street fifty feet wide, is the hog house, which is a fine building in a direct line is the turkey house. Immediately south of the turkey house on the same axis is the machine shed, in which the machinery is housed in the house that the machinery needed first in the spring is most easily got at. The only building of the farm not on this axis is a separate granary, which stands at considerable distance in the pasture.

Good Water Supply.

Water supply is furnished by two wells on the eastern side of the house, a well at the barn and a well at the hog house. The supply is excellent and abundant.

The farmstead as a whole overlooks the farm to the south and east, and as soon as one gets beyond the trees to the west and southwest. The farm lies with a gradual slope to the west. The position Mr. Barrett occupies in the contest is indicative to a very large degree of the work he does.

BUILDING AT BISMARCK.

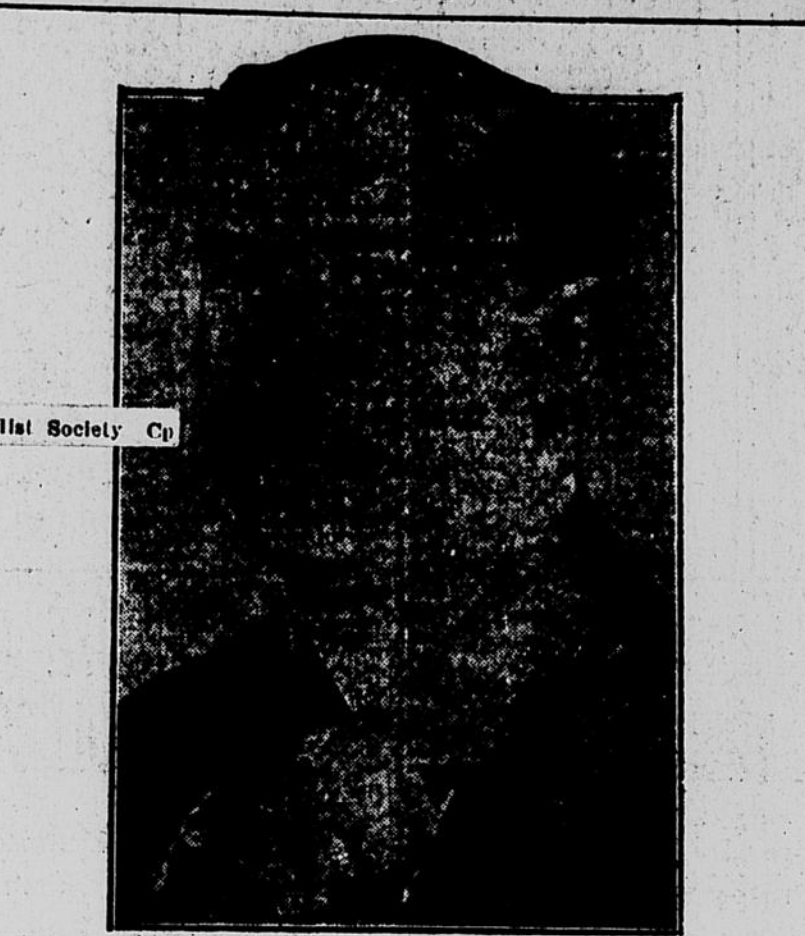
Ninety-seven New Houses or Apartments Put Up in a Year.

Bismarck, Nov. 21.—Ninety-seven new houses or apartments with the approximate valuation of \$100,000 have been built in Bismarck in the last year, or are now in the process of construction.

Although the list shows a total of 97 dwelling places built this year and yet real estate men united in saying that they are receiving inquiries every day for houses to rent and that it would take at least 60 more houses to supply the present demand. If suitable houses could be provided there would be still more travelling men living in Bismarck. One real estate man informs that he has a list of at least a dozen travelling men who would bring their families here could they find houses.

RECEIVE BIG GIFT.

Wellsley, Mass., Nov. 21.—An anonymous gift of \$100,000 to Wellsley college is announced today. The money was given towards the million dollar fund which the college is trying to raise as an endowment to be used for salaries and other operating expenses. The total amount obtained thus far is \$453,000.

**"Bagman" Pleads Not Guilty to Charge
Of Holding up State Contractors**

New York, Nov. 21.—Everett Fowler, a lawyer of Kingston, a small city on the Hudson river above New York, the "bagman" of Charles F. Murphy, boss of Tammany Hall, has been indicted by a grand jury in New York county on the charge of extortion and has pleaded not guilty. There were reports before his appearance that he would decide to tell the district attorney all he knew. New York state is expending many millions on the construction of state roads. Contractor Hill had a small contract, requiring the expenditure of about \$25,000. Fowler, acting for Tammany, told him that he was expected to put up \$250. It is charged by District Attorney Whit-

**MARRIED WOMAN
IS BEST TEACHER**

Declares New York Board of Education—Official Great-est Insult to Womanhood

Kansas City, Nov. 21.—Prof. Earl Barnes, in a lecture before the Missouri university extension center, said matrons make the best possible teachers in the home.

"The present day educational system puts a premium on the greatest sin in the world, celibacy," said Barnes.

"Particularly it is wrong to insist that only unmarried men should be allowed to teach in public schools. No better teachers for children could be secured than cultured married women from congenial homes."

"No greater insult ever was given American womanhood than the act of the New York board of education in asking the resignation of that married teacher who asked leave of absence that she might become a mother."

VIOLATE TRUCE

Contended That Purchase of Line Was

Chicago, Nov. 21.—Purchase of the Kansas City-Home Telephone company by the American Telephone and Telegraph company was vigorously protested on the ground that it is in violation of the "truce" between the independents and the Bell system, it was testified in the government anti-trust suit against the American company today.

PAID \$250 EACH

Contractors Testify They Had to Con-

New York, Nov. 21.—Four upstate contractors told Assistant Attorney General John Clark that they each contributed \$250 to the fund collected by Everett F. Fowler, alleged Tammany "bag man," now under indictment for extortion.

FOURTEEN YEARS

Is Sentence of Man Convicted of Car-

New York, Nov. 21.—For carrying a pistol in violation of the Sullivan law, Antonio Ciccho was sentenced to fourteen years in Sing Sing.

ROOSEVELT'S NAME ORDERED.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 21.—Progressives from 40 counties in the state conference cheered the statement of former Governor Stubbs that Theodore Roosevelt was the only man who could defeat President Wilson for re-election; adopted resolutions calling for a complete ticket for state, district, county and township offices in Kansas in 1914, and decided that the progressives could better afford to lose in the next election than amalgamate with the republican party.

**TWENTIETH CENTURY IS
ESSENTIALLY SOUTHERN**

Former Minister to Argentine De-

clares He Is Coming Into His Own and World Must Recognize Him.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 21.—Chas. H. Sherrill of New York, who was minister to Argentina in 1911, addressing the Pan-American congress today, declared:

"In this hemisphere, the twentieth century will sooner or later come to be known as the century of the south-america. Already clear evidence is being shown of a fine steady, strong tendency which must, unless diverted or dissipated by some historical calamity, write this title across the present century."

"Any man concerned in public affairs who does not take into account the viewpoint of the south-america, has no claim to be statesmanship and does not deserve confidence of his fellows."

When Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires in Mexico City, since Henry L. Wilson, the ambassador, was brought back by President Wilson to resign leaves the American embassy, the magnificent home of the American representative there will be deserted. The situation

**SORLIE CASE IS
HEARD BY I. C. C.
EXAMINER TODAY**

Local Dealer Asks National Body to Give "Cleaning-in-Transit" Privilege.

**RELATES BENEFITS
THAT WILL ACCRUE**

Great Northern Represented by Trust-ee Commissioner and Attorney—Evidence Will be Submitted to the Committee in Washington.

(Times Special Service.)

Chicago, Nov. 21.—A. G. Sorlie, the Great Northern fuel and grain dealer, appeared before Special Examiner Flynn of the interstate commerce commission here this morning and asked that he be granted "cleaning-in-transit" privileges, which, he alleged, the Great Northern refused to grant him. The Great Northern was represented by its attorney, J. T. Murphy, and Division Freight Agent Robinson, both of St. Paul.

In his testimony before the committee, Mr. Sorlie clearly showed the benefits that would accrue to Great Northern dealers and the purchasers of grain if the "cleaning-in-transit" privileges were granted.

He was cross-examined at length by the Great Northern representatives, who endeavored to show that the "cleaning-in-transit" rights were not accorded any other point on the railroad.

Examiner Flynn will submit the testimony to the interstate commerce commission at a future meeting in Washington.

**EXPECTS SETTLEMENT
ON INDIAN TROUBLE**

Small Band of Navajos on Beautiful Mountains and Agent Anticipates Peace.

Durango, Colo., Nov. 21.—W. T. Shelton, agent of the Ship Rock Indian agency, declared over the telephone that he expected a speedy adjustment of the Navajo Indian outbreak.

Shelton declared only a few Indians are on Beautiful Mountain with seven or eight hundred in the New Mexico federal camp.

He believed the Navajo Indians lack the supplies of their tribesmen.

JUST "MERE MAN"

Not Much Room for the President About the White House.

Washington, Nov. 21.—President Wilson is persona non grata just now nearly everywhere he goes around the white house.

In the wedding arrangements he is frankly told by his wife and daughter that he is a "mere man" and to go away.

Francis Sayre joined President Wilson last night and he also is barred.

FINE SUFFRAGETTE

Pays \$1 For Marking the Sidewalks About the White House.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Miss Lucy Burns, the suffragette who painted "votes for women" signs on the white house sidewalks, was fined \$1 in police court today.

MINERS ARE HURT

Six Are Fatally Injured in Train Wreck.

Bellaire, Ohio, Nov. 21.—Six miners were fatally injured in a collision between two cars at the entrance of the Putney mine. One car was loaded with dynamite but did not explode.

PRIEST ON TRIAL

Chief of Sun Cult Faces Federal Charge in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—The trial of Otoman Zar Hanih, high priest of the Mazdassan Sun cult, charged with sending objectionable matter through the express, began in federal court before Judge Mack today.

Mrs. William Lindsay and young son, William, of Philadelphia, have been summoned as witnesses.

**BOTH MEXICAN FORCES ARE
NEAR DISINTEGRATION POINT****CARRANZA GETS
MILLION DOLLARS**

American Capitalists Reputed to Have Supplied the Sinews of War.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—General Lee Christmas, a soldier of fortune, completed a successful recruiting campaign here in behalf of General Carranza.

Christmas left for the border with a number of his recruits. According to the reports American capitalists supplied \$1,000,000 to Carranza, and that Christmas was liberally supplied.

Pay of \$200 to \$500 per month was offered skilled recruits such as telegraphers and men who had experience in other wars.

**CURRENCY FIGHT
TO BEGIN MONDAY**

Chairman Owens Will Open Debate for the Administration Measure.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Active debate on the currency committee bill will begin Monday in the senate when Chairman Owen of the banking committee makes the opening speech in support of the administration bill. The senate will meet Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for currency discussion, and adjourn over Thanksgiving day and Friday, and probably will adjourn to Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

At noon the special session will close and the regular session will begin. Congress will take the usual holiday recess of two weeks from December 20 to January 5 in view of the president's announcement that he would rest during the holidays.

NO MONOPOLIES

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 21.—Do away With Any Such Concessions.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—Columbia hereafter will grant no monopolies, either in oil concessions or of any sort. The proposition now pending of the Pearson syndicate of Great Britain for oil concessions will not be granted, and the South American country is anxious to see American capital come there was the message brought here by Roberto Ancasir who arrived from Bogota to act as secretary of the Colombian legation here.

The controversy between the United States and Columbia over the Panama question, which has been nearing a successful termination when Thompson recently was forced to return home on account of his wife's illness. The Columbia congress some time ago adjourned until November 28, in the hope that it would be ready to take up for a final settlement the long pending agreement on that date. The president of Columbia, he asserted, will call congress any time before July 1 next, when the regular session begins, to resume further negotiations. Congress, however, will not meet in special session to consider the oil or any other concessions.

INAUGURATE GOVERNOR

Dr. Arthur Yager Made Executive of Porto Rico.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Nov. 21.—Dr. Arthur Yager of Georgetown, Ky., was inaugurated governor of Porto Rico today. The ceremonies were held in the grand theatre, where Chief Justice Hernandez administered the oath in the presence of a large gathering. President Yager, in his address, said that he hoped the national administration would grant Porto Ricans a larger share in self-government. He discouraged talk of independence, saying "the American flag will never be lowered in Porto Rico. It has been raised here and will continue to wave indefinitely."

BELOIT SUIT IN COURT.

New York, Nov. 21.—The separation suit brought here last August by Raymond Belmont, son of August Belmont, by his wife, formerly Miss Ethel Loraine, the actress, came up for trial today at Mineola, L. I. Young Belmont married Miss Loraine, whose real name was Ethel Lindner, daughter of Alfred Lindner, a cloth sponger, about a year ago. A week after the wedding Miss Belmont disappeared, and she then brought the suit.

MICHIGAN Y. M. C. A.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 21.—A large and representative attendance marked the opening here today of the annual convention of the Young Men's Christian association of Michigan. Reports presented at the opening session showed that the state organization has had a remarkable growth during the past year. The local branches in Michigan now have a total membership of nearly 20,000 and own property amounting to \$2,155,860.

NO RECEIPTION

President Wilson Abandons New Year's Reception for Vacation.

Washington, Nov. 21.—There will be no New Year's reception at the White House, as President Wilson today announced he would take a ten-day vacation during the holiday recess.

The reception is a historic event; thousands annually being received by the president.

**LITTLE PROSPECT OF
PEACE IN COLORADO**

Secretary of Labor Arrives to Give Governor Assistance in Bringing About Settlement.

Denver, Nov. 21.—Secretary of Labor Wilson arrived from Wyoming today to give Governor Ammons in connection with the settlement of the strike of miners in the southern Colorado field.

The governor declared that until today he was sanguine of settlement, but later developments leave no hope.

DISPOSE OF CEMENT INCREASE

Washington, Nov. 21.—The commerce commission today disapproved of the proposed increase in railroad rates on cement from Iowa to Minnesota.

**CARRANZA AND VILLA AT OUTS AND
THEIR STRENGTH BEING THREATENED**

Failure to Assure United States That Recognized Civil Warfare Rules Would be Followed is Responsible For Abandoning Negotiations.

**MADEROS SEEK REFUGE IN AMERICAN
CONSULATE—TAKEN ABOARD GUNBOAT**

Threatened Use of Force Results in Special Precautions Against Possibility of Attempted Rescue—Demand For Cash Meets Objections.

MADERO IS GIVEN ASYLUM ABOARD AMERICAN BATTLESHIP.

Vera Cruz, Nov. 21.—Evaristo and Daniel Madero were today taken aboard the battleship Louisiana from the United States consulate, where they took refuge last night.

The Maderos took shelter in the consulate following their release from prison on bail. Consul Canada was ordered by Washington to afford asylum to the Maderos. After their refusal today to deliver them up, it was reported a vessel was made that they would take the refugees by force. The request for the surrender of the Maderos was made on Canada by Colonel Eugenio Gutierrez, aided by General Gustavo M. federal commander of Vera Cruz.

In anticipation of trouble a steam launch from the battleship Rhode Island lay off the sea wall all morning opposite the American consulate. An armed crew of blue jackets is aboard ready to come ashore at a moment's notice.

**ORDER GRIFFIN TO
DEPART FROM CITY**

Another Sensational Feature Added to Ryder's Notorious Case.

(Times Special Service.)

Ryder, N. D., Nov. 21.—Dr. J. H. Griffin, whose wife committed suicide after the exposure of alleged illicit relations with Geo. Hart, convicted recently in Ward district court of charges growing out of such exposure, was yesterday ordered out of Ryder by the town board of selectmen.

This proceeding is one of the most remarkable in a case that has been fraught from its inception with sensational features.

Dr. Griffin's failure to appear at trial during the trial of Hart, despite the fact that he had sworn out a warrant against the accused man, was responsible for the bitterness of local residents against him, and which culminated in the public meeting of the selectmen and their resolution ordering the physician to leave the city. Dr. Griffin has notified the board that he would go as a volunteer.

Not only was it claimed against Dr. Griffin that he refused to testify, but that he attempted to discourage officials from securing his children as witnesses, saying they knew nothing. It was the evidence of the children, however, that resulted in conviction.

REFUSE TO PAY; ASK PROTECTION.

Mexico City, Nov. 21.—A demand was made by the federal military authorities on all foreign business concerns in Mexico for cash to provide for the maintenance of the army in that district.

Managers of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, instructed representatives there to refuse payment, and place themselves and property under the protection of the American consulate.

RUMOR DISAGREEMENT.

Nogales, Nov. 21.—Rumors of a disagreement between Carranza and General Villa, which threatens to disrupt the constitutionalists ranks are prevalent.

The principal reason why the conference between Hale and Carranza broke up was the failure of Carranza to agree to the United States' demand that the accepted rules of civilized warfare would be observed by the Constitutionalists.

SIX CANAL RATES.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Rules prescribing the methods of assessing tolls on ships passing through the Panama canal are issued in a proclamation signed by President Wilson today.

The rules strictly define cargo capacity of various types of shipping. In general the rules are on the same line as the rules of the Suez canal.

BATHS AT AUCTION.

San Francisco Cal., Nov. 21.—The Suto Baths, which for years have shared the fame of the Cliff House and Seal Rocks as among the most interesting places to be seen by all visitors to San Francisco, were put up for sale at auction today in order to close the estate of the late Adolph Suto. The baths included the largest salt water natatorium in the world and had accommodations for 25,000 visitors.

**VENGEANCE UPON
SUFFRAGE SQUAD**

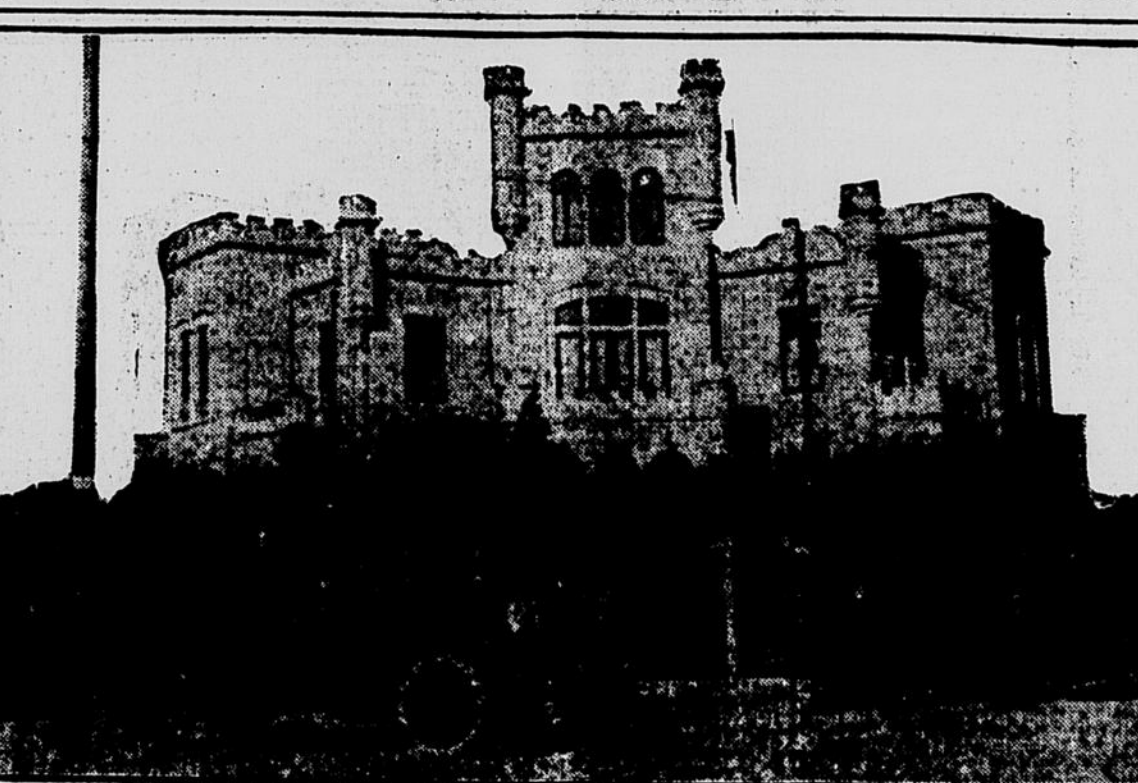
Mob of Oxford Citizens Raid Club While Arson Gang's Fire is Under Way.

Oxford, England, Nov. 21.—Summary vengeance was visited on suffragettes who this morning set fire to a great lumber yard on the Thames river.

While the fire was doing damage of more than \$100,000, a mob raided and wrecked the headquarters of the suffragettes' society in this city. Everything was dragged into the streets and destroyed.

SOCIALIST M. P. COMES.

London, Nov. 21.—Among the notable socialist speakers for years has been George Lansbury, the well known socialist and former member of parliament. During his stay on the other side of the Atlantic he delivered a series of lectures in some of the larger cities. The subjects of his lectures will be parliamentary methods, the labor question, and woman suffrage.

American Embassy in Mexico, Probably to Be Deserted Soon

When Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires in Mexico City, since Henry L. Wilson, the ambassador, was brought back by President Wilson to resign leaves the American embassy, the magnificent home of the American representative there will be deserted. The situation

at a moment's notice. He will make his way to Vera Cruz and there go aboard one of the several American battleships in the harbor. If he receives the order to quit the Mexican capital, this move it is believed will mark the beginning of an anti-American demonstration which may result in the destruction of the embassy.