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RECOGNITION OR INTERVENTION?

Somewhat More Serious Tone to Mexican News

U. S. AMBASSADOR LEAVES

Report is He May Not Return After Conference in Washington—Rumor of Plot to Dynamite American Consulate

(Canadian Press) Mexico City, July 17.—The U. S. ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, left last night for Vera Cruz to sail for Washington. He will be before the administration the exact situation in Mexico, but not likely before July 27. Sharp developments in Mexico during his absence, would cause no great surprise, although at present there is no good reason to believe that the situation will alter materially. Rumors are current by the long warfare, and by the conjectures regarding intervention the American residents here were somewhat alarmed at the ambassador's summons to Washington, but his friends consider it quite possible that he may not return. Of late the Ambassador has been unable to extract from the Mexican government, the protection for American citizens which he sought, but that was largely due to the fact that the government was unable to give that protection.

With respect to the campaigns now proceeding throughout the country, government reports are that the situation is not so favorable as it was some time ago. The rebels are cutting the railroads and the National is again in ruins for a great part of the distance. In the north, the federalists are making progress, and the rebels are cutting the railroads and the National is again in ruins for a great part of the distance.

Mexico City, July 17.—The Mexican government has decided to take vigorous action with reference to the sending out of false reports from Mexico regarding the situation and matters relating to the administration. An official of the government last night summoned all the foreign correspondents and informed them that inaccurate news or that construed as intended to injure the government, would be punished by the expulsion of the correspondent responsible.

Eagle Pass, Texas, July 17.—Urging that the constitutionality in Mexico be granted rights of belligerents by the United States government, Governor Carranza, their leader, wired a long protest to Washington yesterday against recognition of Provisional President Huerta. Carranza contends that the majority of Mexican favor him and that if he were granted belligerent rights he soon could get control of the government.

Plot to Dynamite Consulate? Eagle Pass, Texas, July 17.—It is declared here that U. S. Consul Luther Ellsworth, at Piedras Negras, Mexico, has reported to Washington the discovery of a plot to dynamite the American consulate, and that his life is in imminent danger. Consul Ellsworth sleeps in the army post in Eagle Pass at night. Official records of the consulate were removed to the American side for safe-keeping yesterday.

Berlin, July 17.—The German foreign office denied today that it had demanded that the United States government protect foreign interests in Mexico. Germany it was declared, had not taken any diplomatic action at Washington.

COURTENAY BAY. In spite of the protests which have been made through the papers regarding the trouble caused by one of the locomotives used by the Courtenay Construction Company standing at the side of the Red Head road crossing when not in use no change has been made. The trouble has continued and two more runaways are reported.

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Bissett, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—The disturbance which was in the upper Missouri Valley yesterday, has moved quickly eastward to the lower lakes region and is now causing showery weather in Southwestern Ontario. The weather is fine and warm throughout the western provinces with every appearance of settled conditions.

Showery Maritime—Light winds, fine and warm; Friday light to moderate winds, showery.

NINETY ABOVE OUTSIDE; NEW YORK MAN FREEZES TO DEATH

New York, July 17.—Hugo Messner, a young helper in a Brooklyn ice plant, was frozen to death early today in a sealed compartment which he entered to adjust machinery. Companions found him stiff and stark. The temperature in the street at the time was nearly 90.

WILL BE MARRIED IN THE FALL



Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson

VITAL MATTER FOR FORESTERS AT HIGH COURT

Finances of Old Members And The New Legislation

PLAIN TALK BY THE HIGH CHIEF RANGER

Mr. Cockburn Deals With Subject of Prime Importance—Not Well Satisfied, Either, With Progress in Membership

(Special To Times) Moncton, N. B., July 17.—The High Court of New Brunswick, O. F., met this afternoon in triennial session in Oddfellows Hall here. Mayor W. K. Gross, on behalf of the city, tendered a public welcome to the delegates and the high chief ranger responded. The ladies of Companion Court Regal will provide entertainment in the hall.

Judge M. N. Cockburn, high chief ranger, in his report said: "This being the first triennial session of our high court, under the new order of things, there will be some changes to observe in our methods of doing business, among which may be mentioned election of officers for a term of three years, and delegates to the supreme court must in future be elected at each session of the high court."

While that radical change in the supreme court constitution has brought disappointment to many, it seemed at the time to have been founded on sound principle and I hope will yet work beneficially for our beloved order throughout the world-wide jurisdiction. Although I must confess that in my work connected with the order throughout the province during the last two years, I have found the change thus brought about in our high court meetings is responsible for a great deal of apathy and declining enthusiasm among members of the order, who formerly devoted much time and energy to the upbuilding of Independent Forestry in this high court jurisdiction."

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ATTEMPT TO KILL ROYAL BOY OF NORWAY

Bill Before Parliament Puts Premium on Life of Little Crown Prince Olaf

Christiania, Norway, July 17.—Mysterious stories of an attempt to kill ten-year-old Crown Prince Olaf, have caused a great commotion. An armed man was found hiding a week ago, in the gardens where little Olaf plays. The man was arrested, but the fact was hushed up. It is reported that when the queen heard of it she was prostrated with anxiety and sobbed for hours, repeatedly saying that the Royal family must leave the country and that a bill now before the Storting virtually puts a premium on Olaf's head. That bill provides that if the king and queen die without a male heir, Norway shall become a republic. The anti-monarchy agitation is making great headway here and the outlook for the Royal family is anything but hopeful.

PLAN TO HAVE TWO CHIEF JUSTICES

Latest Reports in Connection With Judiciary Changes

The changes which are to be made in the judiciary in this province have inspired various rumors regarding the manner in which the situation will be worked out. At the last session of the legislature a bill was adopted which provides for the appointment of an additional judge and also for the division of the judges' duties and the creation of what amounts to two chief justiceships.

As this legislation was promoted by Attorney-General Grimmer, and it is known that he is not unwilling to retire from active politics it is taken for granted that he will receive the appointment to the new judgeship.

What other changes there will be will depend upon the action of the present Chief Justice, Sir Frederick E. Barker. While there have been fairly definite reports that he will retire in December, this is also denied and it is said that he will remain and, under the new arrangement which will go into effect when the extra appointment is made, he will become chief justice of the Appeals Court. In this case, it is rumored, Hon. P. A. Landry would take the new office of chief justice of the Kings' bench division.

If Sir Frederick does retire it is reported that Hon. Ezekiel McLeod will become head of the appeals section and chief justice of the province with Judge Landry in the other chief justiceship.

In the event of the present chief justice retiring there would be another vacancy and there has been some discussion as to who would get the appointment. The name of Mr. G. Teed, K. C., was mentioned prominently as the choice of the profession for this office but by Mr. Teed's own admission, he does not want it and that O. S. Crockett, M. P., will be the man. The fact that Mr. Crockett was greatly disappointed when Hon. J. D. Hagan was chosen over his head as member of the Dominion cabinet and that it is considered that he is entitled to some preferment to save his feelings will make the appointment probable and it is under stood that Mr. Crockett will be a stone turned in his effort to make sure that he will be the man.

The resignation of Hon. J. G. Forbes, County Court judge, who is expected to retire at the end of the year, is also engaging the attention of some members of the legal profession. Amos A. Wilson is said to be strengthening his position as a candidate for the office. It is also being circulated among the faithful asking for his appointment.

The resignation of Mr. G. Armstrong, K. C., Judge of Probates, would be willing to become county court judge if Mr. Wilson would be willing to take the office the former would vacate, but that arrangement is prevented by an agreement of an earlier date. A third lawyer was promised the appointment as judge of probates if a vacancy occurred, so it is expected that Colonel Armstrong will continue in his present office.

RECTOR OF LAVAL UNIVERSITY DEAD

Very Rev. Father Hamel Was Noted in the Work of Education

Quebec, July 17.—Very Rev. Thomas Etienne Hamel died at the Archbishop's Palace here last evening. He was a member of the Faculty of the Holy Society of Canada, vicar general of the archdiocese of Quebec and Toronto and the rector of the University of Laval, Quebec, and of that institution and superior of the Quebec seminary.

He was born in Quebec on December 21, 1830. His father was Victor Hamel a merchant and his mother Therese De Roy. A close student himself, he always took a deep interest in literary and educational matters and received many honors from learned bodies. He pursued his theological studies in the Quebec Seminary and was ordained priest on January 6, 1854. He afterwards spent several years in Europe completing his studies and later devoting the greater part of his time advancing the interests of Laval University.

RAILROAD TRAIN ENTERS A GIRL'S BEDROOM

Chicago, July 17.—Miss Clara Marske while sleeping in the untroubled sleep of a care-free school girl early yesterday when suddenly something entered the room. It was a railroad train.

The Marske home stands at the foot of a railroad embankment. On this elevation a freight train left the rails, several cars tumbling down from the tracks. One of them tore through the front of the house and stopped directly in front of Miss Marske's bed. She escaped from the wrecked house without injury.

WOMAN GETS A PLUM IN LAND OFFICE JOB

San Francisco, July 17.—With the affixing of President Wilson's signature, Mrs. Grace Cuskin, of Sonoma, Cal., will become the first woman receiver of a United States land office. Mrs. Cuskin, who was an active member of the women's committee of the Democratic State Central committee during the last presidential campaign, received word from Washington on Tuesday that her appointment had been confirmed by the senate. The income from the office is \$4,500 a year.

BULGARIA NOW IS READY TO SETTLE

King So Telegraphs Roumanian Monarch—Servians Said to Have Been Put to Flight

(Canadian Press) Sofia, July 17.—King Ferdinand today personally telegraphed to King Charles of Roumania that Bulgaria was ready to negotiate terms of settlement with Roumania. The efforts of A. Malinoff, the democratic leader and former premier, to form a cabinet to take the place of that under Premier Danoff, have thus far proved futile.

An official despatch reports the defeat of the Serbian forces which had penetrated Bulgarian territory on the western frontier. The Bulgarians attacked them yesterday, and put them to flight. The Servians are retreating in the direction of Vlasina across the border. Another despatch says severe losses have been inflicted on the Greek army operating on the Bulgarian left flank. Bulgaria denies emphatically the horrifying atrocities attributed to the Bulgarian troops during their retreat before the Greek armies through Macedonia.

Sofia, Bulgaria, July 17.—The Roumanians today took possession of the cable station at Varna on the Black Sea, and the establishment of Roumania with Sebastopol. As the railway between the coast and Sofia also has been cut, Bulgaria cannot communicate with the outside world except through Servia and Roumania.

Sofia, July 17.—The Turkish army forced marches is approaching the town of Kirk Kilisseh, taken by the Bulgarians after heavy fighting at the beginning of the Balkan war. Many of the population are reported to be fleeing.



King Charles of Roumania

Crackmen secured jewelry valued at between \$20,000 and \$30,000 early today by blowing their way into the establishment of Robinson and Daniels, a jewelry supply house in Grand street, near police headquarters. A big vault, containing more valuable jewels, withstood attempts to open it.

PICKED UP BY RUNAWAY BALLOON AND DROPPED 600 FEET TO DEATH

Schneidmuel, Germany, July 17.—The military dirigible balloon Schuttenhans acquired some time ago by the German army, was torn from its moorings here by a gale of wind, this morning. A soldier on sentry duty guarding the balloon was caught up in the balloon, carried 600 feet and fell to death. The dirigible landed an hour later about two miles away. It is badly damaged.

LUMBERMEN ARE TO HAVE CONFERENCE WITH PREMIER

Meeting on Stumpage This Week—News of Fredericton (Special To Times) Fredericton, N. B., July 17.—E. H. Scammell of Ottawa, organizing secretary of the Peace Centenary Association, is here today. He had a conference with Mayor Hooper and Publicity Agent McDade, and expects to meet Premier Fleming.

PRINCE AND DUCHESS TO WED IN OCTOBER

London, July 17.—It is said that the marriage of Prince Arthur of Connaught to the Duchess of Fife will be celebrated in October, before the prince's father returns to Canada to take up his duties as governor general of the dominion.

FRENCH COALING STATION ON ONE OF THE SOCIETY ISLANDS

Paris, July 17.—Papeiti, capital of Tahiti, one of the Society Islands in the South Pacific Ocean, has been designed by both private and official commissions which have been studying the question, as the most suitable port to serve as a French coaling station in view of the opening of the Panama Canal.

SECTION MEN'S STRIKE IN ONTARIO IS SETTLED

St. Thomas, Ont., July 17.—E. P. Williams, who has succeeded in effecting a settlement of the difficulties between the M. C. R. section men and the company. The men were on strike for ten days. All will be reinstated today without prejudice at the new scale of wages, \$1.76 and \$1.80 a day. The men demanded \$1.90 and \$2.

ACTING SHERIFF

During the absence of Sheriff S. S. deForest from the city, Armstrong Clifford is acting sheriff. It was said today that he was likely to be appointed as deputy to the sheriff. This would not affect existing arrangements any more than that under motion of the county council at their last meeting provision was made for the sheriff having a deputy appointed, and this is now about to be done. Sheriff deForest and Mrs. deForest are visiting in Prince Edward Island and will be away until about the last of the month.

To Command Spain's Navy

Spezia, Italy, July 17.—The Duke of the Abruzzi, who has been stationed here for some time, took leave of the authorities today. He will be appointed commander of the navy in October.

WILL HAVE VOTE ON HOME RULE

Likely General Election After King Assents to Bill

ANNOUNCEMENT IN LORDS

If Liberals Are Returned Then Programme Will be Carried Out: If Not it Will be For Unionists to Act—This Likely After Next May

(Canadian Press) London, July 16.—That the government intends to let the country have a final word to say on the question of home rule for Ireland, was intimated during the debate in the House of Lords yesterday by Baron Ashby St. Ledgers, who holds a minor post in the government.

After Lord Lansdowne's declaration that the upper house would not consider the bill before general election was held, Lord Ashby St. Ledgers said that there would be no general election before 1914, by which time the home rule bill was expected to be passed by the commons for the third time and signed by the king, but that there would be a general election after the Irish parliament was actually established.

The Liberal government, if it can retain office will pass the bill by May. It then, under the terms of the parliament act, will receive the royal assent without a general election, the Liberals are expected to accept the position, providing for a parliament in Dublin, but if the Unionists are successful it will be for them to repeal the law or do what seems best in the circumstances.

THINK THEIR TRIP TO THE MUNICIPALITIES CONVENTION WASTED

Failure to Take up Important Matters Complained of—Halifax Mayor President

Saskatoon, July 17.—The Canadian municipalities convention will be held at Sherbrooke, Que., in 1914. Officers for the year elected are—President, F. B. Blich, mayor of Halifax; first vice-president, C. M. B. Graham, mayor of London, Ont.; second vice-president, F. H. Herbert of Sherbrooke, third vice-president, F. E. Harrison, mayor of Saskatoon; honorable secretary-treasurer, W. D. Lighthall, K. C., of Westmont, Que. (re-elected).

Many delegates complained that important subjects on the programme were not dealt with. They held that they were sent here by their city councils to secure information regarding civic improvements and that very little of any value had been forthcoming. Secretary Lighthall declared this had not been because the executive had been negligent. Every effort had been made to secure leaders in civic matters but without avail. The convention is practically closed.

MOTORING JOYS

Two motor boat parties bound for Baywater, left Millville last evening carrying altogether about thirty young people. They spent a pleasant time after they arrived there, owing to the uncertainty of motor boating a regards scheduled time was evidenced both going and coming. One of the boats broke down on the way over while the other, just to show there was no hard feeling, followed suit on the way back. Each was hung up for a little while but got under way again before long.

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