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WILSON CABINET TALKED OVER MEXICO

Late Reports From Consuls Discussed, But No Definite Action Can Be Taken Until Next Thursday at Least, When Ambassador Wilson Will Reach Washington.

(Special to The Toronto World). WASHINGTON, July 18.—Until next Thursday at least, when Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson is expected to arrive in Washington from Mexico, President Wilson will take no action in the Mexican situation. The president will do nothing until he has conferred with the ambassador and ascertains just what are the conditions in the country. At the cabinet meeting at which the Mexican situation was considered at great length it was decided that before Secretary of State Bryan leaves Washington tomorrow night on his lecture tour he is to turn over to the president all papers bearing on the Mexican situation.

Contradictory Reports. The president hopes to obtain from the ambassador also a statement as to the animus of the document sent by the foreign representatives in Mexico to their governments, alleging that the attitude of the United States was responsible for the weakness of Huerta and the latter's inability to put down the rebellion. The state department received several contradictory reports from Mexico today. From unofficial sources the department heard that the American consul at Durango City had been threatened and that he had asked the federal troops for protection. Later reports from Mexico created the belief here that this report was manufactured by some of Huerta's followers. No confirmation of the report could be had from any official source, the state department said.

They Returned It. The most noteworthy incident of today's developments was a despatch from the gunboat Demosio at Topobampo. Her commander reported by wireless that the California navy yard, that a few days ago a band of rebels carried off a large quantity of sugar belonging to some Americans at Topobampo. The commander said he sent word to the rebels that the sugar must be returned within 24 hours or he would land his men. In 18 hours every pound of sugar was brought back. Officials of the administration point to the incident as illustrating the attitude of the rebels toward the United States. They do not believe that a majority of the rebels are antagonistic toward the United States and are willing to concede to the demands of the American Government. The state department today received confirmation of the appointment of Gen. Felix Diaz as special ambassador to Japan, to thank the Mikado for the participation in the Mexican centennial by the Japanese Government. The mission, the department announced, was first created for Gustavo Madero, a brother of the murdered president, who was himself killed.

CHIEF RANGER RITCHIE KILLED

Government Official Fell Between Gravel Cars While Riding Between Hawke Lake and Oba.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., July 18.—(Special)—James A. Ritchie, 162 Woodward avenue, chief fire ranger between Hawke Lake and Oba, was killed last night near Oba on construction work on that section of the road. He was riding on a gravel train seated on the gravel. Suddenly it commenced to slide from under him, and apparently he was unable to catch hold of anything and fell between the cars, being instantly killed. Word of the accident was telephoned into the city last night, and this morning Coroner McCaig left for the scene. Ritchie, who, besides being chief fire ranger in that section, acted as government sealer in the winter months, is survived by his widow and one daughter.

CHINESE REBELS MET SEVERE REVERSE

Big Force of Southern Insurrectionists Defeated by One Not Half Its Strength and Early End of Revolution Is Likely, as Revolters Are Badly Disheartened.

PEKIN, July 18.—(Can. Press).—Four thousand southern rebels from Nanking Province of Kiangsu, who had crossed the Yang-Tse-Kiang to attack the northerners met with defeat today at the hands of 2000 of the loyal troops near Suohowfu, in the northwestern part of Kiangsu Province, and a short distance across the northern border of Anhwei Province. Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former provisional president of the republic, finally has taken sides in the revolt by openly proceeding to Nanking, where the southerners apparently are much disheartened by their defeat. Wu-Chang, capital of the Province of Hu-Peh, remains loyal to the government, and indications are that other centres, which had declared in favor of the southern revolutionists, are preparing to renew their allegiance. One big defeat of the revolt is practically won and the rebellion, while a substantial victory by them would result in a unanimity of sentiment in their favor in many of the southern provinces.

BRITISHERS NOT POPULAR. SHANGHAI, July 18.—(Can. Press).—An extraordinary story has been brought here from Klukiang, a treaty port in the Province of Kiangsi. During the recent fighting Mr. Duff, the storekeeper at Kuling, a mission station about ten miles south of Klukiang, tried to obtain a pass from the northern general to send provisions to the foreign residents at Kuling.

Justice Parker's Son Victim of Bullet. Shot Fired Accidentally by a Companion While Shooting at Target.

ATYERSCLIFFE, Que., July 13.—(Can. Press).—The 19-year-old son of Supreme Court Justice Charles W. Parker of Jersey City, died early this evening from a bullet wound in the abdomen. The shot was fired accidentally by a companion named Lincoln, while a party of young men were shooting with a revolver at a target. Dr. Edgar and Dr. Brown were called, but found young Parker's condition hopeless. He died while being taken to a hospital.

LARGE PROFITS IN FORTUNE TELLING. Lady Arrested by Detective Murray Had Over Six Hundred in Bills.

CORNWALL, July 18.—(Special).—The 18-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cochran, who reside on Pine street, Massena, died from the effects of swallowing carbolic acid. The mother was at work about the house and the baby was playing with another child about three years old, who evidently took the bottle from a bureau to play with.

War in Mexico Goes On. SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, July 18.—(Can. Press).—Count Romanones, the premier, after a long interview today with King Alfonso concerning the situation in Morocco, denied reports in circulation to the effect that the Spanish Government had decided to discontinue the war there and endeavor to bring about peace thru pacific measures. The premier declared that it was impossible for Spain to change or modify her present policy in Morocco.

WHY ARE POWERS SO EAGER TO HAVE UNITED STATES BLESS GENERAL HUERTA?

LONDON, July 18.—(Can. Press).—The Daily News, in an editorial today, asks why the powers who dealt in a harsh manner with the regicide Servian Government and the Portuguese Republic, and even now refuse to recognize the Chinese Republic, should be so eager to get the United States to bless Gen. Huerta. The editorial accuses the powers of doing in Mexican affairs only what financiers and concessionaries want, and thinks that President Wilson is not likely to be actuated by such motives.

DUCHESS LIKES PLAIN PEOPLE

She Intends to Make Study of Economics Before Making Home in Brunswick Palace.

Special Cable to The World. Copyrighted by The Toronto World and N. Y. World. BERLIN, July 18.—(Copyright).—"I am delighted to be living once more on a street where there are other human beings," exclaimed Princess Victoria Louise, or rather the Duchess of Cumberland, as she is now, when she and her husband went recently to their little home at Rathenow. Her honeymoon has been passed in hurrying from country to town and back again, and the formalities thrust upon her emphasized the artificiality of high society. So she is glad to be able to settle down for a little while at last among "human beings." What she means by that term may be inferred from her plans. She proposes to study the homes and home life of the married officers of her husband's regiment, whose incomes are small, and also the modes of living among the working people of Rathenow. In that way she intends to fill in the time from now until the autumn, when she and the duke will take up their residence in the great Brunswick palace, which is even larger than the huge imperial palace.

Hotelman Found Dead in His Bed. Arnold Shorer, Popular Woodstock Man, Victim of Heart Failure.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., July 18.—(Special).—One of Woodstock's most popular hotel men, Arnold Shorer, of the Hotel Oxford, was found dead in his bed this morning. Death was due to heart failure. He retired apparently in the best of health. Mr. Shorer was a Swede and came to Woodstock five years ago when he was appointed manager of the Hotel Oxford, then owned by C. A. Frye. Last August Mr. Shorer took over the proprietorship of the hotel.

Fred Cook Elected to Masonic Board. Ex-Mayor of Ottawa to Fill the Vacancy Created by S. A. Luke's Elevation.

OTTAWA, July 18.—(Can. Press).—The vacancy on the board of general purposes of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Ontario, created by the choice of S. A. Luke of Ottawa as deputy grand master, and who by reason of that position is automatically chairman of the board, has been filled by the election of ex-Mayor Fred Cook of Ottawa, who was sixth man in the field of 50 candidates for the five elective positions on the board.

Alberta Crop in Fine Shape Best in Years, Says Premier. Hon. Arthur Sifton Thinks There Will Be No Difficulty in Getting Harvest Hands—Has Been in England Arranging For Offices For Intending Emigrants.

Hon. Arthur Sifton, premier of Alberta, was in Toronto yesterday on his return from England, and went west on the Vancouver Express last night. He has been in London arranging the opening of offices in Trafalgar square, where intending immigrants and investors may obtain information about Alberta. The offices are located opposite the premises occupied by the Dominion Government agent in London. Mr. Sifton told The World that he received word from Alberta yesterday to the effect that this year's crop of wheat is in the best of shape, better than it has been as early as this in any previous season. "With there be much difficulty in getting men to harvest the crop," said The World. "Not as much as last year," Premier Sifton's reply. "In many parts of Canada and the United States work is not so plentiful as last year, and there will be more inducement on that account to draw men west for the harvest months." Asked as to the status of Alberta credit, he stated that English financiers did not seem to be discriminating between the provinces in the matter of placing money. "Of course, there is considerable tightness apparent just now," he said. "Money is harder to get than it has been, but that applies equally to the securities of all the provinces."

KING FERDINAND FLYING FROM SUBJECTS

Information From Brussels and Paris Is That Bulgaria's Ruler With Crown Prince Is Now a Fugitive—Occupation of Sofia Will Have Grave Results.

Special Cable to The World. Copyrighted by The Toronto World and N. Y. World. LONDON, July 18.—The Daily Chronicle's Brussels correspondent telegraphs: "I have received information from an exceptionally well-informed source that King Ferdinand is in flight. News to the same effect has also been received in Paris. The information there is that the king made a hurried flight with the Crown Prince Boris."

ALLIES DECLINE TO MAKE PEACE. Armies Moving On Toward Sofia—Battle Between Bulgars and Roumanians Is Reported.

LONDON, July 18.—(Can. Press).—Except a report coming by way of Paris that a battle is progressing between the Roumanians and Bulgarians at Belogradchik, 65 miles northwest of Sofia, which is not mentioned today in direct despatches received from Bucharest, the general situation in the Balkans remained unchanged. Bulgaria now is seeking thru Italy to obtain peace terms from Roumania, but no progress appears to have been made toward peace negotiations and all three of her enemies are closing in on Bulgaria with the apparent determination to dictate peace when their armies occupy Sofia.

Choked to Death by High Collar. College Graduate Fainted and Was Strangled by Stiff Collar He Wore.

(Special to The Toronto World). PITTSBURG, July 18.—Harry D. Wingert, a graduate of Western Reserve University, was choked to death here last night by the collar he was wearing. Out of college only a short time, Wingert returned to this city last evening from a western trip, and called at the office of a friend to consult him about the purchase of an automobile. Not finding his friend in his office, Wingert went into a private room and sat down to wait.

Cardinal Gibbons is Seventy-Nine. Venerable Prelate Believes He Will Die Suddenly Before Very Long.

(Special to The Toronto World). BALTIMORE, Md., July 18.—Cardinal Gibbons will celebrate his seventyninth birthday next Wednesday. In referring to the fact today, the venerable prelate said he believes he will not live much longer and that he expects this call to be sudden.

To Lay Corner-stone. The corner-stone of the new Ruthenian Church on Franklin avenue will be laid by Right Rev. Nicetas Budka on Sunday, July 20, at 3 p.m. His Lordship Bishop Budka arrived in the city last night.

SAVED FROM DEATH IN NIAGARA BY HUMAN CHAIN OF FOUR MEN WHEN HE FELL INTO THE RIVER

Garland Gets \$28,750. The dispute between Nicholas Garland and the former Town of North Toronto regarding the sewer easements thru his property, was finally disposed of yesterday, when P. H. Drayton, the official arbitrator, awarded Mr. Garland land damages to the amount of \$28,750 in full of all claims.

BRYAN CENTRE OF HOT DEBATE

Charges and Counter-Charges Follow Defeat of Resolution Aimed at Lecturing Tour. WASHINGTON, July 18.—(Can. Press).—Secretary Bryan's policy of lecturing in his vacation time involved the senate in a bitter controversy today. It began when Senator Bristow, ignoring the defeat of his resolution directed at Mr. Bryan's action, insisted upon being heard in severe criticism of the cabinet officer.

Truman Chapman of Hamilton Owes His Life to Others Who Risked and Nearly Lost Theirs in Order to Prevent Him Going Over the Falls. NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., July 18.—(Can. Press).—Truman Chapman, 22 years old, of Hamilton, Ont., was rescued from the very brink of the American falls tonight by four men, one of whom took desperate chances to reach him. Chapman was sitting on the iron railing just above Prospect Point about 9 o'clock when the letterers in the park were horrified to see him suddenly topple backwards and fall into the stream.

Church Union for Montreal. Three Congregations Will Worship Together Tomorrow and Ecclesiastical Deadlock Will Be Ended. MONTREAL, July 18.—(Can. Press).—An experiment in church union is to be inaugurated Sunday at St. Anne de Bellevue, which will bring to an end an ecclesiastical deadlock of some years' duration, and also will offer the first example of three churches uniting upon what is hoped will be a permanent basis in the Island of Montreal.

Bolt Kills Man Baby Unscathed. Farmer Meets Instant Death Near Powassan While Sitting With Child on Kneec. POWASSAN, Ont., July 18.—During a severe electrical storm which occurred here this afternoon, Thomas Stillar, a farmer of the vicinity, was instantly killed. Mr. Stillar was sitting in his home with his baby on his knee when the fatal bolt came. The baby was unharmed.

Big Hailstones at Cornwall. A strange phenomenon occurred here this afternoon during a temporary overshadowing of the sky. Following a moderate fall of rain a shower of hail came. The hail was of unusual size, and a street railway conductor picked up one at the O & N. Y. station that measured two and one-half inches in diameter. The weather was very warm both before and after the fall.

A Genuine Hat Sale. Every feature of our mid-summer sale of hats is genuine. Our Panama hats are genuine, and our imported \$5 a doz. Straws are from the most exclusive makers in London. The occasion for our sale is also genuine. We are selling out hats to make room for the beginning of operations in our fur department.