

Armed Intervention The Only Solution

American Newspaper Man
Says it's the Only Way
in Mexico.

VILLA NOTHING BUT SUCCESSFUL BANDIT

Some Interesting Side-
lights on the Characters of
Principals in the Mex-
ican Imbroglio.

"It is Jesse James against Tammany," exclaims James Creelman, the well known American newspaper man and special correspondent, who writes from Mexico City, where he has gone to observe the situation at first hand. Mr. Creelman's settled opinion is that there is no way out except by armed intervention on the part of the United States. In vigorous language he arraigns the "vicious waiting" policy of President Wilson, who, he believes, understands nothing of the situation, but who thinks that out of the welter will emerge some system of democratic government better than the Mexicans have ever had before. Nor does Creelman see any prospect of peace. He believes it to be absolutely impossible that Villa and his men will ever take Mexico City unless Huerta's army rebels, which is very improbable. It is equally unlikely that Huerta will be able in any reasonable time to defeat Carranza and Villa, and restore peace. In the meantime American, British and European citizens are being murdered, and their property destroyed. Only in intervention does he see any way out.

Villa a More Bandit.
As between Huerta and Villa, Creelman says that there ought to be legislation in choosing Huerta, drunk, corrupt, and murderer of Madero as he is. However, had conditions been in Mexico, nevertheless there is some actual government and comparative order within its jurisdiction, however despotic and grafting it may be. The Villa's rule there is nothing but anarchy and lawlessness. He believes Huerta to be a man of unusual force of character, and far superior from an intellectual standpoint to Villa, who is nothing more than a successful bandit, who kills his enemies with no more compunction than a rabbit. Huerta, of course, has no loftier motives than Villa. He has no scheme of government that he desires to carry out. He wants to work everything for himself. He too would not stop at murder to achieve his ends. He will never resign. He will fight Villa and Carranza as long as he has a man to stand by him or a weapon to use. But the means to work out for the better, down the Constitutional in short order, are not in his hands. Nothing is in prospect but years of guerrilla warfare.

Carranza a Grifter.
Creelman throws some light upon Carranza, who has been represented in some quarters as a sort of patriarch, who is unselfishly seeking his country's good, and who alone offers some hope of peace to a distracted country. Carranza, says Creelman, was imposed upon the great State of Coahuila by armed force in Madero's regime. He continued to exercise his authority only through the backing of the army. Later on Madero became suspicious as to the loyalty of the army, and instructed Carranza to organize state troops that could be depended upon to support the Government. He sent the Government 1,300,000 pesos for the purpose of organization. No state troops were raised, however, and so Madero's Minister of Finance wrote to insist upon an accounting of the money. He received in reply an insulting letter. Carranza began preparations for a rising against Madero. Just then the Government was overthrown by the

Wilson Has Helped Villa.
Huerta's Minister of Finance also sought to find out what had become of the money, but since Coahuila was in a state of revolt, nothing could be done. Carranza, therefore, may be fighting with a price on his head. If he wins he will not have to account for the money. If he loses—well, to lose in Mexico is serious enough, even if there is no money in question. It is plain that the battle is one of bandits, with not intelligent Mexicans among them. A recognition of Huerta on the part of the United States would by this time have enabled him to subdue Carranza and Villa. The action of the United States in refusing this recognition, in raising the embargo upon arms, and in keeping its violation of Mexican laws, is assisting Villa and Carranza, and is prolonging the struggle.

Some Mexicans Want Intervention.

Mr. Creelman says that every foreign resident in Mexico would welcome American intervention, and that the great mass of intelligent Mexicans would approve it. However, it is very questionable if there is any great mass of intelligent Mexicans, according to our point of view. Creelman points out that the majority of the people are Indians, who dress in blankets and who can neither read nor write. It is these people that President Wilson hopes will be able to manage their own affairs when Huerta is disposed of, and this hope, in the opinion of the correspondent, is at the bottom of the whole wretched, blundering policy of the American government. The point is, however, that while Mr. Creelman dwells upon the horrors of the situation in Mexico, the mind of President Wilson is dwelling upon the horrors of war with Mexico, and all the perplexities of intervention. What will happen after intervention? Will it not be necessary to establish another dictatorship? If it is not Huerta as good as anybody else—Toronto Mail and Empire.

PRINTING OF CRIMINAL'S PICTURES SUBJECT OF DEBATE IN SENATE

Ottawa, Mar. 5.—In moving second reading of his bill to amend the Criminal Code making it an offense to publish the picture of a person accused of or convicted of crime, Senator Choquette, in the Senate today drew attention to the recent exploits of Harry Thaw, the Canadian. The senator said that while he had long objected to the practice, he had not decided to take action until last summer, when the newspapers filled their pages with pictures of Thaw and Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, and everyone else connected with the matter. At Sherbrooke, men, women and girls had followed Thaw through the streets for the purpose of getting themselves taken in the pictures which newspapers photographers were taking of Thaw.

"The newspapers are not only satisfied to print pictures of Canadian criminals but they go to the United States and Europe in search of crime pictures," the Senator stated. He said his amendment to the Criminal Code included provision for giving a judge or attorney-general permission to authorize publication of the pictures

Dominion Has a New Information Bureau

FOR PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS

Following is the nurse's report of the St. John Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis for the month of February.

| | Children | Adults | Total |
|----------------------|----------|--------|-------|
| On list Feb. 28 | 23 | 67 | 90 |
| Dispensary | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| Days open for | 4 | 8 | 12 |
| Attendances | 15 | 49 | 64 |
| Prescriptions filled | 12 | 48 | 60 |
| Patients: | | | |
| Old | 29 | 77 | 106 |
| New | 21 | 31 | 52 |
| Discharged | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| Died | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Nurses visits: | | | |
| Old | 106 | | 106 |
| New | 52 | | 52 |
| Total | 158 | 114 | 272 |

Patients receiving milk, five.

The following amounts were collected during the month:

\$10, W. H. Thorne.
\$5 each, M. G. Thorne, Baird & Peters, Thos. Bell.
\$2 each, Louis Green, Friend, T. E. Ryder, I. Isaacs, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, D. A. Merrill.
\$1 each, Thos. Gorman, R. D. Smith, Hunter-White, T. Bullock, F. T. Kean, G. L. Barbour, G. E. Barbour, F. L. Barbour, B. S. Smith, F. H. Smith, George S. Bishop, F. H. R. E. M. Sippel, Mrs. F. C. Jones, Mrs. Royden Thomson, Dr. J. A. Leonard, Eustace Barnes, George Barnes, Friend, Mrs. Frank Peters, Mrs. J. G. Crosby, Mrs. R. B. Emerson, Mrs. F. Anderson, Mrs. J. M. Whittington, Mrs. L. Dunn, Mrs. J. Morrison, Mrs. Wm. Allison, Wm. Allison, Miss C. Reynolds, Miss C. E. Reynolds, Mrs. J. T. McPherson, Mrs. J. S. Macdonald, Mrs. S. A. Jones, Mrs. K. Schofield, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. James Dever, Mrs. H. Schofield, Mrs. G. Kimball, Mrs. M. Magee, Mrs. H. Hopper, Rev. Gordon Dickie, Mrs. Murray MacLaren.

Also to milk and eggs, Mrs. S. A. Jones, \$5.
Frick and Mrs. Ruppel, Mrs. J. H. Rive.

Had Pleasant Sleigh Drive.
The scholars of E. G. Howard's and Mrs. Turner's Sunday school classes of the Charlotte street Baptist church, West End, had an enjoyable sleigh drive to Grand Bay last evening, and returned with building machinery, patterns and stock on hand, manufactured and unmanufactured. The plan and stock lists may be examined by intending purchasers by calling at the works.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Dated at St. John, N. B., February 23rd, 1914.
W. S. SUTTON, Assignee.

WEAKNESS AND PALPITATION OF THE HEART.

When the heart begins to beat irregularly, palpitated and throbs, skips beats, and sometimes seems to almost stop, it causes great anxiety and alarm.

Many people become weak, worn and miserable, and are unable to attend to either social, business or household duties on their return were entertained in the church school room. About thirty happy young people were in the party.

FUNERAL

The funeral of Edward P. McDonald was held at nine o'clock yesterday morning from his residence, 61 Sewall street, to the cathedral where a solemn requiem was celebrated by Rev. J. McLaughlin assisted by Rev. J. O'Brien as deacon. Rev. Miles McLaughlin sub-deacon and Rev. Wm. McDonald master of ceremonies. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

When they would be in apprehension of criminals.

The government's leader, Senator Loughheed, said the enforcement of such an amendment would put an embargo on all public officers, and it was undesirable to enact legislation which could not be enforced. In his opinion Canadian public officers had the good sense and decency to protect public morals without this law being put on the statute book.

After considerable discussion the adjournment of the debate was moved by Senator Kerr, who urged that more time should be given for examination of the bill.

Hon. J.D. Hazen, Chairman
of Committee which will
Supply Data on Matters of
Interest to Canada.

Ottawa, Mar. 5.—For the purpose of properly collecting and ascertaining information on questions which are of vital interest to Canada, and become the subject of reference to the International Joint Commission, an important committee representing the Government and the Hydro-Electric Commission of Ontario, was appointed to attend at the noon's sittings of the cabinet.

The Hon. J.D. Hazen is chairman of the body and it is designed to perform a work of much utility. Marine, Public Works, Naval Service, Interior and Hydrographic Survey Departments will have properly qualified technical officers upon it.

In forming a Canadian Committee the object is similar, and in Hon. Mr. Hazen it has a head who is deeply interested in all matters affecting Canadian waterways and protective problems arising in connection with them.

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The object of such Bill is to enable the harbor-master to remove condemned vessels from any part of the City of Saint John without being liable for any further damage which may be occasioned by such vessel.

Saint John, N. B., 11th February, A. D. 1914.
HERBERT E. WARDROP, Common Clerk.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made by the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at its next session to amend the New Brunswick Medical Act so as to increase the fees on Matriculation Examinations to \$15.00; the fees on Final Examinations to \$40.00, and the Registration Fee to \$30.00. Also to permit one payment of \$20.00 in lieu of the Annual Registration Fee of \$10.00.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1914.
POWELL & HARRISON, Solicitors for Applicants.

The New Brunswick Board of Fire Underwriters.

TO THE INSURING PUBLIC:
I am directed to draw attention to section 11 of the New Brunswick Statutory Conditions which reads in part as follows:

"The insurer is not liable for loss caused by ashes being deposited in wooden vessels or by stores or stove pipes being to the knowledge of the insured in any unsafe condition of 'improperly secured.'"

PETER CLINCH, Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH- WEST MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for twenty-one years, renewable at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres can be leased to one applicant. The fee is 50 cents per acre in unreserved territory the fee must be staked out by the applicant in person, and personal application to the Agent or sub-Agent of Dominion Lands for the district, must in all cases be made and the rental for the first year must be paid to the agent within thirty days after filing application.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age and over, having made a discovery may locate a claim 1,500 feet by 1,500 feet. At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year, or paid to the Mining Recorder. When \$500.00 has been expended or paid and other requirements complied with the claim may be purchased at \$1 an acre.

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DREDGING.—Two leases of five miles each of a river may be leased to one applicant for a term of 20 years. Rental, \$10 a mile. The fee is 25 cents per acre, after the output exceeds \$10,000.

W. W. COREY, Deputy Minister of the Interior.
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(1) To enable the City of Saint John to pave any street or portion of street of sidewalks and charge one half of the cost of the same against the properties fronting on both sides of the street, the City paying the other half of such cost.

(2) To enable the said City to lay down sidewalks and charge one half the cost thereof to the owners of the properties abutting on the sidewalks.

(3) To provide that no owner of any building shall permit water to be discharged or to escape or percolate therefrom, upon or through any street, sidewalk or gutter, or to deposit or discharge into a public sewer.

Dated at Saint John, N. B., the 30th day of January, A. D. 1914.
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NOTICE

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Duties.—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within six miles of the land, or on a farm of at least 50 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required in every case, except when residence is performed in the vicinity.

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