FOR RENT The Toronto World Yonge Street, west side, corner store, south of College, good show window; immediate possession H. H. WILLIAMS & CO., 38 King Street East. PROBS: Fine and milder. FOURTEEN PAGES-TUESDAY MORNING APRIL 18 1911-FOURTEEN PAGES. UNITED STATES IS READY AN OPENING Seven Americans Killed on U.S. Side of the Line **TO INTERVENE IN MEXICO**

President Taft Says Congress Must Now Say What Steps Should be Taken - Had Conference With Ambassador Bryce-Intervention Would Mean Prolonged Conflict Against a Reunited Mexico.

Disclaimers Have

Been Made Before

LONDON, April 17.-The Morning Post, commenting on a statement of its Washington

correspondent, that no one in the United States desires the

annexation of Mexican terri-tory, says: "No doubt such

the last Mexican war, which added more than five hundred

thousand square miles to the territory of the United States,

just as they were made before

the Spanish war, which ended

in the American flag being

hoisted over the Philippines and Puerto Rico, and which

made Cuba a dependency. Peace-loving republic Ameri-cans may disclaim any desire for territorial expansion, but

whether in Liberia, the far east

or Central America, they seem prepared cheerfully to embark

on courses of policy leading di-rectly to consequences for which

they profess such distaste."

aimers were made before

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Taft feit to-night that he has done personally all that can be done by a chief executive to control the situation along the Mexican border. He and his advisers believe that now congress must say whether the situation is grave enough to warrant intervention ind its cons Thru the state department the ad-

ministration to-day reiterated the re-presentations made to Mexico that affairs like that at Douglas last week must not be repeated. Instead of awaiting the customary period for a formal reply from Mexico, the department asked for immediate assurances that there be no more fighting that endangered Americans in the border towns. Information was requested also to what measures the authorities had taken to prevent future combats THE SACREDNESS OF MARRIAGE. of this kind. To-night no reply had been received from the Mexican authorities.

The president is plainly worried. He talked but little, but the bulletins that came thru the war department and thru the press were taken to him whersure of when he gets married, or when his daughter gets married, is that the ish Empire. When he gets his license ever he happened to be and read with interest.

Talked With Bryce. The president had two important conferences. He talked with Secretary Knox in the afternoon, and to-night he upset it, or whether some other provhad a conference with Ambassador Bryce of Great Britain. The official reason of Mr. Bryce's visit was that ne came to talk about the proposed arbi-tration treaty between the U. S. and Great Britain. It is practically certain, however, that Mexico entered into the bine with the colonies and the Isle of Man on the matter of marriage with

Conversation. It is believed that the landing of British marines at San Quintin, Mexico, last week. He was able to tell the president that the landing was only after Americans came first—and British subjects asked for

Battle of Revolution Bullets Fell Thick in Streets of Douglas, Arizona -Fighting Favored Insurrectos, Federals Leaving Machine Guns Behind-May Resume To-day. AGUA PRIETA, Mex., April 17 .-

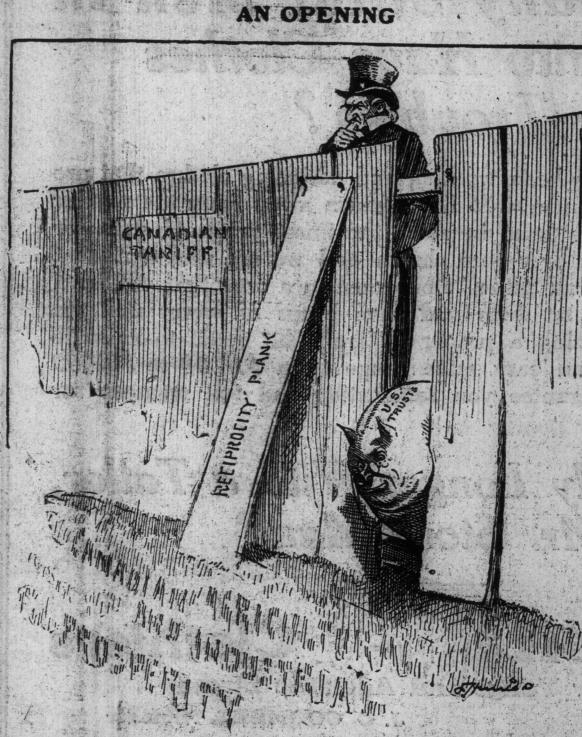
During the Most Important

(From 'The Associated Press in the Field.)-The most important battle of the Mexican revolution thus far was fought here to-day, between 1600 federals under command of Lieut.-Col. Diaz, and 1000 rebels under Balasario Garcia and resulted in the repulse of the former.

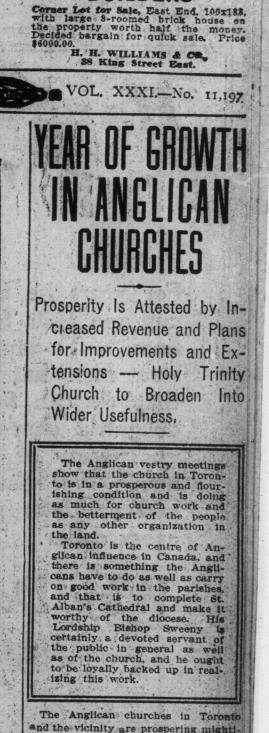
The battle, however, was not finally decisive. It lasted from 6.30 a.m. until sundown. The federal loss, estimated subdown. The rederat loss, estimated by the rebels, was at least 200 killed and wounded. The rebels gave their own loss at 20. From the beginning of the battle, re-gardless of the warring given by the United States Covernment to the lead.

United States Government to the le ers of both forces a rain of bullets poured into the American Town of Douglas, and when the day was over What the average man wants to be it was found that seven nonants residents of that city had been marriage is good anywhere in the Brit- wounded." It was a day almost of terror in Douglas.

At 2 o'clock the rebels appeared to in Canada now and goes thru a cere- have 'repulsed the federal forces at mony, he is never sure whether some every point. About this time three churchman may not come along and rebal scouts, mounted and carrying the scarlet sashes flying from both arms, upset it, or whether some other prov- which designates them on the field of ince he may move into may not de- battle, dashed out of the south excline to recognize what the King's law tremity of Agua Prieta and made a wide detour toward the east and north, completing their area of obser-



UNCLE SAM: NCLE SAM: As the late W. Shakspere says, "'Tis not as deep as a well nor as wide as a barn-door-but 't will suffice."



BUILDERS

and the vicinity are prospering mightily. The vestry reports last night told a story of increased revenue. larger givings to missions, plans for new buildings or extensions. Particularly pleasing were signs of growth in churches recently founded, and which are going ahead in the city's outer zone, by leaps and bounds. Holy Trinity decided to expend \$10,-000 on a new parish house on property

000 on a new parish house on proper on the north side of Trinity-squ bequeathed by the late Canon S ding, and Rev. Derwyn T. Owen, sent curate, was appointed rect succeed the late Rev. Mr. Pean St. James' Cathedral contrib

to missions amounted to over \$18,000 Subscriptions to the new parish hous are already over 50 per cent of the

St. Anne's will build a new Sunday

All Saint's will hold a celebration in June to commemorate its 40th anni

At St. George's Rev. Allan McEvo was appointer assistant to Vicar Rev R. J. Moore. Rev. Canon Broughall has complet

ed 50 years' so vice as rector of St Stephen's, and a suitable testimonia

St. James' -Cathedral.

temporal affairs of the church. Per-haps the most important item in the financial statement was that relating

school to cost \$45,000.

will be presented.

first-and British subjects asked for not be considered here. But the whole protection and that the British vessel country is concerned about the quesof war put the marines ashore. In connection with Mr. Bryce's visit, usage. This is not a matter of one

President Taft has shown to leaders both the senate and house the confi-man Catholic Church is merely an eight blocks from the oity. dential correspondence dealing with Mexico. He feels that since the lead-ers in congress have practically all the information he has, it is their duty to take any further action. The president has let it be known that no U. S. troops would cross the line unretary of War Dickinson confirmed sisters and of divorced persons. Non- ing the afternoon, and at: 3.45 p.m.

a conflict that would rage for months, representative organ of free church trenches. probably years. The topography of Mexico, the mountains, the insuffithought as The British Weekly is very cient means of quick communication clear on this point. It is by no means and a dozen other things that must prepared to leave the control of mar-be figured, would have to be met. In-riages in the hands of the civil power. day, was wounded in the back by a tervention would mean a long drawnout struggle, in which the Mexican It takes this ground in view of future federals and the Mexican insurrectos eventualities which may arise out of him when he was shot. might soon be found fighting side by changes in the divorce law. Furthermore, intervention be likely to dissipate all the good feeling that years of careful diplomacy created between the U.S. and the Latin-American countries.

No Excuse For Intervention. tween the United States and Mexico. I feel sure of this, tho I am no prophet," said Baron D'Estournelles De Constant, French diplomat, in an ad- ters of fact is a step backwards to- street, which is 13 full blocks from dress before the Denver Chamber of wards barbarism and superstition. Commerce to-day.

"No doubt Mexico has her internal troubles, and will take her cwn me-thod of settling them. The United sense is being talked about the increase order. States is right in policing the border but there is no necessity or excuse for international trouble."

POSTMAN ROBEED MAILS

Marked Money Found on Daniel Mc-Gurk When Taken.

single, 204 Argvle-street, was arrested their marriage laws regulated by conby Detective Guthrie on a last night charge of robbing the mails. McGurk siderations of immorality which are soldiers in squads were stationed on is on the West Queen-street route, exceptional and abnormal. The people the tablet and overlooking the town. Inspector Alexander Sutherland of the want their marriage laws to govern postoffice became suspicious and he the relations of normally decent, sane, called in the police to assist. A dollar and a fifty-cent piece were sent thru respectable people, whatever be their the mails in a letter to an address on religious idiosyncrasies. McGurk's route. Yesterday evening at 6.30 Detective Guthrie walked into The action of the General Ministerial Association in demanding a uniform the postoffice and arrested the man. A mearch revealed a portion of the money law is thoroly praiseworthy. It is not in the letter-carrier's pocket. The necessary to impute any motives beprisoner refused to make any com-

ment. The penalty for robbing the mails is of the people. Any other motive would

imposed by section 364 of the criminal rob the resolutions of their force. The especially to government employes. Weekly is prepared to take, points to provides a term of not more than 14 the broader and saner view as having years and not less than 3 years.

DAMMING LONG SAULT.

settle it and settle it right. If it de- at a future date. OTTAWA, April 17.-(Special.)-The or fraw A. April 11. "Especial." The project of the damming of the Long Sault Rapids is not dead by a long sight. Canada should be at least as free as S. grab scheme is killed were never more mistaken in their lives. Some-thing is due to happen any day now. Clines the task, another government is tration of its marriage laws.

tion of uniformity under Christian

In connection with Mr. Bryce's visit, a suggestion that there might be joint intervention in Mexico by the U.S. and England was discredited. It was pointed out that any such joint inter-vention would be construed as an ac-knowledgement by the U.S. that the nation is unable to handle the situa-tion, and that it would be almost an abandorment of the Monroe doctrine. In connection with Mr. Bryce's visit, a usage. This is not a matter of one churches are all anxious to exert power and influence when they have a chance, but they must bow to the ven the existence of the social organ-tion, and that it would be almost an abandorment of the Monroe doctrine.

man Catholic Church is merely an-line. His leg was pierced by a Mauser other logical step of that body in the bullet.

that statement to-night. No one here doubts that intervention would mean war. War in Mexico, the president's advisers say, would mean the "Ne Temere" decree, and such a tain commanding a squad in the

American Wounded, Will Die. Frank Williams, an American, while standing in the very centre of the

Mauser bullet, and will probably die. His wife and child were standing by

A Mauser bullet struck the front of We believe that the churches must the city water commissioner's office in Eleventh-street, twelve blocks from the realize that, like the Sabbath, they

were made for man, and not man for the churches. The marriage relation is the most sacred that our law recog-John Keith, employed by the Douglas nizes. It is the basis of our social Lumber Company. He was shot thru DENVER, Colo., April 17.-"There nizes. It is the basis of our social Lumber Company. He was shot thru will be no intervention, no trouble be- economy. Any attempt to base the the leg while in Eighth-street, nine operation of our marriage laws on blocks from the line. He was taken to the Red Cross Hospital. questions of belief rather than on mat-Bullets fell as far north as Twelfth-

th Mexican border, and came thicker But the people will not telerate any as evening came on. such attempt. A great deal of non-chine guns behind, retired in good sense is being talked about the increase order. Every indication points to a of divorce, and a great deal more resumption of fighting by to-morrow. about the immunity of Canada from If the Federals should prove successful, about the immunity of Canada from means that the battle will be car-

divorce. Canadians who want divorces ried to the streets of Agua Prieta with usually go to the United States for increasing menace to the citizens of them. People who regard seduction Douglas. and prostitution as less helnous than

Juarez Expects Attack. Postman Daniel J. McGurk, 28 years. tigmatism. The people do not want Mexico, to-night is expecting an attack from rebels at any time. Federal troops orked on fortifications all day, while Signalmen on the highest mountains wigwagged their reports to the city.

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MORAL REFORM UNION.

Methodists of City Form New Organization-Oppose Club Licenses.

yond an appreciation of the demands Last evening at a meeting of the imposed by section and of the criminal for the resolution of the resolution takes more "Methodist Conference and Moral Re-dvanced ground than The British form Union of the City of Toronto" was formed. Rev. J. Albert Moore during the summer months. To hold presided and J. W. L. Forster acted them in good condition, cold air and the broader and saner view as having as secretary. A committee was ap-inspired its action. The question is pointed to prepare nominations for no minor issue. The government must permanent officers and call a meeting

A resolution was unanimously adoptclines the task, another government ed protesting against the granting of



is the General Impression at Washington-Neither Democrats Nor Republicans Will Vote Solid on Reciprocity and Tariff Reform Measures.

cratic votes. A private poil of the dian reciprocity bill," said Represen-senate Democrats, which has been tative Dwight of New York, the Re-ment in the case yesterday. The in-made by The New York American, multican whin to night. The bill is quest was adjourned till a week from made by The New York American, publican whip, to-night. The bill is to-day. shows at least half a dozen members to be put on its passage this week.

who will refuse to follow the spiendid leadership of the house and vote for the farmers' free list and other down-ward revision bills that will be passed by the lower chamber. This will not prevent its passage, even tho, a number of the Democrats follow the course new indicated, and vote against the material vote against the majority of their

by the lower chamber. In a poll made by The American it was shown that if the senate Demo-crats voted solidly for the house bills a sufficient number of Republican pro-gressive votes could be secured to in-sure the passage of the tariff revision measures. It is practically certain now, however, that the Democrats will and Representative Legron of the sufficient number of the besource to in-measures. It is practically certain now, however, that the Democrats will and Representative Legron of the vote against the majority of their party. The Democratic majority in fa-vor of it has greatly increased in the debate torday. Representative Ford-ney of Michigan, a Republican mem-ber of the ways and means committee, Normal Sector of the secured of Wisnow, however, that the Democrats will and Representative Lenroot of Wisnot vote solidly.

ov note solidly. consin, an Insurgent Republican, Bailey is already secretly at work spoke at length against the bill. Reagainst the farmers' free list. He and presentatives Harrison of New York ha f a dozen of his followers are pre- and Peters of Massachusetts, Demo-paring to duplicate their tariff attitude cratic members of the ways and means of 1909, when they stood with Aidrich committee, and Representative Crumpacker of Indiana, Republican, advoon many of the most vital questions. Notably, it is understood Bailey will cated its passage." make a determined fight against free Mr. Lenroot gave an emphatic state-

make a determined ngnt against free and believe an emphatic state-lumber. It is to be observed in this ment of Insurgent policies and views, connection that it was Bailey who led Questioned from the Democratic side, the fight for the vindication of Lori- be declared that he opposed the recipmer, and it was Mr. Hines of the lum- rocity agreement because he believed trust, it is now disclosed, who it actually increased many duties. He played the chief part, not only in Mr. declared that if the Democrats were Lorimer's election, but later in direct- sincere in their desire to put more aring the Balley campaign for the white- ticles on the free list they would atwashing of the Illinois senator. tach the free list to the reciprocify One of the best-known leaders of the bill. He accused them of wanting the house informed The American corre- president to veto their free listspondent to-night that the house will when it finally passed, to make poli-

have disposed of its entire legislative tical capital for them. program by June 1. "The progressive Republicans have This leader, discussing the probable never been free traders," said Mr. Len-This leader, discussing the probable developed free traders, said Mr. Len-action of the senate, declared that root. "I challenge anyone to point to AMONG THE WELL-INFORMED any speech made by a progressive Re-MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE IT WAS publican in congress or elsewhere ad-

GENERALLY AGREED THAT THE vocating free trade. I stand for a pro-SENATE WILL PASS NOTHING- tective tarif, measuring duties by the EVEN RECIPROCITY, AND difference in cost of production at T BY ABOUT THE END OF home and abroad." NOT THAT BY ABOUT THE END OF AUGUST AN EFFORT WILL BE "Do you endotse your party's action MADE TO TAKE A RECESS UNTIL in passing the Payne tariff bill?" ask-OCT: 1. ed Mr. Cullop of Indiana.

It is the intention of the house man- ! agers now to take the farmers' free

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It is said that Senator Childs will conference committee, representing ill pay \$15,000 a year rent for the ground the Methodist Churches of the city, floor of the new Kent Building.

Where to Store Your Furs.

Furs require particular attention them in good condition, cold air and them in good condition, cold an and setting his samples, was not a traveler an even temperature is necessary. Furs also require "beating" from time to time to keep the pelt free from germs and moths. The Dineen Com-pany have a special cold storage plant. Fred Stone, who, with Dave Montgom-

KNIFE OB BIZOR MIGHT Hope was expressed that the new Hope was expressed that the new St. Paul's Church would be ready for oc-cupancy in the fall. The stippend of Canon Cody was raised to \$6000. It was the last meeting in Grace Church before moving to College Heights. Rev. E. H. Mason has been reappointed priest in charge. At St. Clement's it was decided to attempt the erection of a new church to cost \$25,000. St. Anne's will build a new Sunday HAVE DEALT DEAT Doctors Declare that Nothing in

Wound of Murdered Italian Identifies Weapon.

With the evidence of Chief Coroner Arthur Jukes Johnson and Coroner J. E. E.liott, who performed the autopsy, and the view and identification of the body of Gioacchino Veci, the Italian mu dered in the row at to Agnes-sucet Good Friday night, the inquest en-culting into the altray was opened at feat in the senate thru alleged Demo- the party will vote against the Cana- the morgue last night by Coroner J.

will be presented. The proposal of Grace Church to move into the Deer Park district caus-ed much discussion at the meeting in Christ Church, Deer Park, and the meeting adjourned for two weeks Some flembers expressed decided op-position to the dividing up of the parkin Drs. Johnson and Elliott declare that dealn was due to hemorrhage from the severed jugular vein, and describe the wound as a seven-inch cut inflicted by some sharp instrument. Dr. Johnson parish.

said that either the knife or the razor found on the premises might have in-The reports submitted to the vestry of St. James' Cathedral reflected sub-stantial progress both in spiritual and temporal affairs of the church. Perflicted the wound. He could not say that the wound indicated the use of either weapon more than the other. Dr. Elliott agreed that either might have inflicted the wound, and thought that it was more likely done with a razor than a knife Both agreed that there was no mark in the wound nor

upon any bone to show that the nick in the blade of the razor, believed to have been used, could have been caus ed in inflicting the wound.

have been used, could have been caus-ed in indicting the wound. Elow Down and Forward. Dr. Johnson declared that if the man was standing when the wound was inflicted the course of the blow was forward and down. The doctors agreed that a man who had sustained such a wound would be fatally injured, and that he could live only a few minutes and that any high excitement or exer-tion, such as walking, would hasten death. A ne doctors described a small bruise which they had found over the left eye and toward the outside of the fore-head. It was of a round shape and wound would by some instrument pointed but not shapp, as it had not pencerated the scaip. This wound was not a serious one. Mr. Kenneth Mc-Kenzle appeared for the crown, while W. A. Henderson of T. C. Robinette's firm 'appeared in the 'interest of all those under arrest.

those under arrest. All the prisoners are being kept separate at the jail. So as to secure his

absolute isolation from any of the others, Frank Russello, charged with the murder by the dead man in his last gasping utterances, is detained in the hospital ward, which is in another part "I do not," said Mr. Lenroot. "Do you consider it a violation of your party's piedge?" of the building from the other pri-In making his statement to the po-lice, Rosena Annelli, the man who de-

"If my party had kept its pledge, there would have been a minority upon your side of the house. clared that the murdered Veci charged instead of him to remember that he had been slashed by "Frank, the man without a majority," added Mr. Lenroot.

A CORRECTION.

The Andrew Darling Co. informed The World yesterday that John Mitchell, arrested at North Bay for selling his samples, was not a traveler

"I do," said Mr. Lenroot,

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The city can expropriate the C.P.R. corner at King and Yonge in order to roum it and widen the space for people any wheels. But a C.P.R. ran said yesterdath that they would lose \$12,000 worth of rent in their new building by such a setting back. That means a bill of \$300,000 to th city for the rounded front. Perhaps to company could make more room on to But it wishes to put fifty clerks on th ground floor to handle ticket-buyers an the public, and the expropriated space will be lost for that purpose. Still, th public needs call for the improvement But if the four corners are to cost ove a million, then perhaps that million would be better invested in the first section of the Tonge street tube which is morineeded than any other thing in Toroni to-day.

the teeth," repeated this statement not once, but three times. He said that he first asked Vecl who had cut him and he replied Frank Russelio. This he reto-day

C. P. R. Man Goes West.

Geo. A. Walker of the C.P.R. lega department in this city is leaving o the 24th instant for Calgary to tak peated again, saying that as Vecl passed him on his way to the street he said to him, "Keep: remembering, Frank, the man without the teeth slashed me." He mentioned at another point in his statement, that Veci had said that "Frank" had cut him. In denycharge of the law branch of the com pany's business for the Alberta o vision. Mr. Walker has for man years been associated with Angus Mas Murchy, K.C., solicitor for the O tario division, and is well-known railway men thruout the province. H entered the employ of the comparison many years ago, and is exceeding popular with his confreres at the b

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