$11,500—INDIAN ROAD—Beautiful detached residence, 10 rooms, hardwood floors and finish, hot water heating, two sun rooms, newly decorated, very attractive grounds, side drive. Terms arranged.
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WILSON TO STATE HIS MEXICAN POLICY

Note of Declaration is Being Prepared Particularly for Huerta, Britain, Germany and France, Defining the Policy of the United States in Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—President Wilson will begin in the next few days the preparation of a note addressed to the world, but particularly to Provisional President Huerta, dictator of Mexico, and the British, German and French governments, defining the policy of the United States in Mexico.

Secretary of State Bryan turned over to the president today several documents, among them all the late despatches from the Mexican capital and the notes from Great Britain, Germany and France regarding the attitude of those governments toward the American policy in Mexico. From these documents the president will obtain much of the data he will use in preparing his note of declaration.

The Developments.

This was the most important development here in the Mexican situation. The others were:

A general let-down of the strained feeling which has been in the atmosphere of Washington for several days.

A report from Admiral Fletcher, commanding the division of American battleships in Mexican waters, to the effect that Gen. Felix Diaz and his companions were quartered aboard the battleship Louisiana.

A report from the American consul at Mazatlan, on the west coast of Mexico, that the cruiser Maryland arrived there yesterday and was prepared to proceed north along the coast to the vicinity of San Ignacio, where French subjects are in danger.

The resignation of Miguel Covarrubias, the Mexican minister to Russia.

The first efforts of the president and his advisers will be to obtain a cessation of hostilities, in order that a constitutional election may be held. This will include a promise from the revolutionists that they will cease fighting temporarily, that Huerta will do the same and that the latter will agree to the holding of an election in which he is to have no part, not even the appointment of the election machinery. The United States will ask for this privilege and authority.

As was outlined in the president's speech at Mobile on Monday, he will try moral suasion first. The seeking of a cessation of hostilities on both sides pending the holding of an election will be the first step in this direction.

Lind Will Stay.

According to those who are close to the president, it is the intention of Mr. Wilson to keep John Lind in Vera Cruz until he has made his announcement as to policy, for the purpose of despatching him to Mexico City to lay the whole plan before Huerta and his advisers. This plan provides for the offer of aid of the United States in

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New Biography of Late King

LONDON, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—It is understood that King George is so dissatisfied with the biographies of his father, the late King Edward, which have already appeared that he has consented to the preparation of an authorized biography from state papers and recollections of intimate friends under the general supervision of Viscount Knollys, the late king's secretary. It is said that Lord Rosebery will be invited to write the biography.

CURRENCY BOARD TO BE ENLARGED

U. S. Senate Committee Makes Important Changes in Bill—Still Deadlock on Central Bank.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—Important changes in the administration currency bill resulted from the first day's executive work on the measure by the senate committee. The committee passed over for later action the proposition to substitute a central, government-controlled bank for the regional bank plan in the bill, on which the members were evenly divided, and proceeded to perfect the details of the measure.

The complexion of the proposed federal reserve board was materially altered by amendments adopted today, and it probably will be further changed. It was decided to increase the membership of the board from seven, as fixed in the house bill, to nine, and to eliminate the secretary of agriculture and the comptroller of currency from service on the board.

No Ex-Officio Members.

Another amendment is pending to take off the board the secretary of the treasury and to remove all ex-officio members. The committee decided to arrange the terms so that one member's service would expire each year. This provision is designed to meet the demand that the service of members of the board be given continuity to enable them to profit by their experience on the board.

It was decided to eliminate the organization committee proposed by the house bill and to have the federal reserve board appointed immediately, with the power to organize and place in operation any system devised, whether a central bank plan or a regional bank scheme is finally agreed upon.

A large part of today's session was devoted to a discussion of the number of regional banks to be created by the bill if the regional plan is maintained, but no conclusion was reached. The administration supporters in the committee endeavored to keep the number as near 12 as possible, but other members favored four, five or six banks.

The committee has temporarily abandoned all efforts to dispose of the central bank plan, on which the committee stands six to six.

POLICEMAN BREAKS LEG.

Constable McCullough (360) slipped on the sidewalk and broke a leg at the corner of King and Power streets at 1.15 this morning.

REMOVE HUERTA THEN CONDUCT ELECTIONS

President Wilson Will, It is Believed, Make Proposal in Offering New Plan for Pacification of Mexico—European Diplomats Annoyed by Delay.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29. — (Can. Press)—President Wilson has under consideration a new plan for restoring peace in Mexico which he will discuss with his cabinet Friday and make it public within a few days.

Officials were reticent as to what it contemplated. As the United States has asked not only the European governments, but those of Latin America and the Orient to withhold the formulation of their policy toward Mexico until the Washington government can make known its plans for dealing with the situation, the solution upon which the president and Secretary Bryan are working is believed to be more than any suggestions heretofore made for the pacification of the southern republic.

It is thought that in much the same way as President Wilson outlined recently to John Lind the points upon which a satisfactory settlement of the trouble in Mexico seemed to be conditioned he will repeat his suggestions, but will add the stipulation that someone acceptable to all factions be placed in provisional authority to conduct a fair and free election.

Diplomats Were Impatient.

That some comprehensive plan for dealing with the situation is expected by Europe was apparent today when the character of the representations made by the diplomats at Mexico City to their home governments became known. At the recent conference of diplomats at the Mexican capital, many of them, it was learned today, criticized the United States severely for not taking such steps as would restore tranquility. Some suggested intervention in one form or another. The French minister is said to have been among those who roundly criticized the American policy, while the Spanish minister is declared to have made caustic reference to the invasion of the rights of the Spanish nationals while the United States maintained a quiescent attitude.

Must Be Constitutional.

High officials of the government while declining to say what steps would be taken by the United States, declared that the purposes and aims of the government had been explained in the president's speech at Swarthmore, Pa., and Mobile, Ala. The American Government's course of action will be embodied in a formal note which it is expected will set forth the principle that constitutional government alone must be established out of the chaos in Mexico, and will suggest means for accomplishing that purpose.

Tho the state department has not been informed officially of the reported purpose of Gen Huerta to declare Gen. Blanquet as having been elected, it is certain that in line with previous declarations, the election of last Sunday will not be recognized as constitutional. The inability of the Huerta Government to conduct a constitutional election it is thought will lead the American Government to suggest a method of holding the elections in which safeguards and guarantees can be given which will permit the constitutionalists to participate freely.

Diplomats generally here believe that before suggestions concerning and election can be carried out, the elimination of Huerta from the situation must be accomplished.

LABOR REBUFFS PREMIER COOK

Ministry Defeated on Opposition Motion to Adjourn After a Turbulent Session.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Thursday, Oct. 30.—(C.A.P.)—The Cook ministry was yesterday defeated by 28 votes to 27 on an opposition motion to adjourn further discussion of Sir John Forrest's £3,000,000 loan bill. The premier immediately adjourned the house of representatives after one of the most angry scenes with the labor party. The latter regarded Cook's refusal of the opposition request as unreasonable and as being responsible for the incident.

The government has decided to make full enquiries with reference to the beef trust's appearance in Queensland. The attorney-general has ruled that the commonwealth has ample powers to fight the trust if American methods are reproduced.

WILL INVITE NEW TENDERS FOR TERMINALS OF I.C.R. AT HALIFAX

OTTAWA, Oct. 29.—(Special).—The tenders for the first section of the Halifax terminals for the Intercolonial Railway opened yesterday. After much consideration by Premier Borden, Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways and canals, and Mr. Fred Gutelius, general manager of the Intercolonial, it was today decided not to accept any of the bids in their present form.

Premier Borden, in whose constituency this important work, ultimately involving many millions, is about to be undertaken, will call for new tenders.

UNIONISTS STAND WITH ULSTER IN RESISTANCE TO HOME RULE UNLESS PEOPLE GIVE MANDATE

Bonar Law, Replying to Asquith, Shows No Eagerness to Confer on Lines Suggested—Unionists, and Probably Even Ulster Would Accept Result of Election.

NEWCASTLE, Eng., Oct. 29. — (Can. Press.)—Speaking from the same platform as Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster Unionist leader, Andrew Bonar Law, the opposition leader in the house of commons, tonight pledged the support of the Unionist party to Ulster even to the extent of forcible resistance to home rule. But his eagerly awaited reply to Premier Asquith's offer of a compromise on Oct. 25 consisted merely of a statement that the Unionists would consider any proposals the prime minister cared to make relative to a solution of the home rule problem if a solution were possible.

Mr Law expressed the opinion that the only logical way the government could avoid the responsibility of plunging the country into civil war was to secure a mandate from the people by a general election, which, if it favored home rule, would be acquiesced in by the Unionists. He said he could not speak for Ulster, but believed that such a result might even settle the question there.

Herring Across the Trail.

The Unionist leader compared the situation in Ulster to conditions in America preceding the civil war. He said he had urged Sir Edward Carson to attend the meeting so that the pledge which he (Law) had made at the Blenheim Palace rally in July, 1912, to support Ulster in her resistance to home rule might be made perfectly clear. The speaker maintained that the government had brought forward its land proposals in order to confuse the issue. If the government refused to go to the country the Unionist leaders would not decline the invitation to a conference, and would properly consider any proposals made to them and answer them with a real desire to find a solution.

Sir Edward Carson, who followed Mr. Law, said: "I will consider all the overtures when they are put into plain language. I will submit them with the best advice I can to those who trust me. But I will tell the government that so far as I am concerned any offer will be of no use unless it is consistent with the solemn covenant which the government has driven Ulster into.

Italy Watching U. S.

ROME, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—The Tribuna, commenting on the Mexican situation, points out the Italian interests involved.

It says: "There are about 14,000,000 Italians in the American continent whose fate would be affected if an imperialistic policy should triumph at Washington, because, in addition to meaning the conquering of Mexico, it would tend to the suppression of nationalities outside of the American. As Italy is a Latin country she is interested in the preservation of the American Latin republics."

CHOIR WILL GO INTACT ON TRIP

Mendelssohn Members Ready for Tour of England and Germany in Two Years.

Dr. Vogt, musical director of the Mendelssohn Choir, stated yesterday that in connection with the proposed visit of the choir to Europe in 1915, out of the 240 members of the choir who had been approached on the matter 220 had undertaken to make the trip. This means that the choir could go as an organization intact, and thoroly representative of Toronto.

The plans, so far as projected, provide for a five-weeks' absence from Toronto. This implies a very considerable sacrifice on the part of a majority of the members, who must give up in many cases their professional engagements and remuneration to make the trip. This, however, seems to weigh little with them in the scale with the reputation of Canadian art in Europe, which it is the general opinion the tour will greatly enhance.

It is hoped to give fourteen concerts, eight of which will be in England and six in Germany. All that remains to the probable success of the project is a guarantee fund of $75,000, and this, it is believed, will be no obstacle to those who have taken the idea to heart in the interest of local art and the wider fame of the city.

ALL GIRLS STOP WORK AT NINE

New Law Compels Even Choir Singers and Telephone Operators to Desist When Clock Strikes.

(Special to The Toronto World.)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 29.—It will not do for pony ballets to attempt to perform o'nights in Philadelphia—not if its members are honest-to-gooders, under 21 years of age—for the new labor law will not let 'em. Nor actresses of any degree who are under 21 years of age. They can't stay out after 9 o'clock at night—that is, on the stage.

This new law, affecting the employment of girls after 9 o'clock will affect also girl ushers, telephone operators, moving picture box office girls by the hundreds in the state; none in any employment may work after that hour.

"Even girls singing in church choirs may not do so after 9 o'clock," said T. Henry Walnut, one of the sponsors of the law.

THE MAHER SALE DENIED.

In yesterday's World was a report that Maher's Horse Exchange on Hayden street had been sold. Mrs. Maher, the executrix of the P. Maher estate, said the property has not changed hands, and that the most successful horse exchange carried on by her late husband will be continued at the same premises on Bloor and Hayden streets.

SIXTY PEOPLE ARE IMPLICATED

Immigration Promoters Dress Up Peasants as Wealthy Hunters and Smuggle Them Over Border.

(Special to The Toronto World.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Agent Mestrolich, who has spent six weeks investigating for Austria-Hungary the manner in which its subjects under 35 years of age are smuggled into Canada and the United States without the official consent of their government, as the law requires, sailed on the Martha Washington today.

Mr. Mestrolich said he had information which would implicate sixty persons in the steamship and railroad business. He found, he said, that immigration promoters dress up peasants as rich farmers and also as sportsmen, with a fine equipment of rifle and shooting suits and smuggle them across Hungary and Austria to Trieste and other ports, using the same wardrobe and equipment again and again. The outfit used in the plot, he said, is worth $40,000.

BRITISH VISITOR SURPRISED AT TORONTO

Sir Walter Napier, After Twelve Years' Absence, Praises Good Roads, Buildings and Lighting System—Progress of the West is Almost Limitless.

The most wonderful progress of any country in the world is the development of Canada during recent years, declares Sir Walter Napier, who, accompanied by Lady Napier, has passed thru Canada to the Pacific coast and returned after an absence of 12 years.

In an interview with The World at the Queen's Hotel last night the British visitor remarked on the wonderful growth of Toronto since he was here last. When he was here mud roads and poorly lighted streets were the rule of a city which was only about a third the size it is today. He now found a city of nearly half a million population, splendid paved streets and a street lighting system that compared with any to be found in Europe. The building activity and the size of some of the downtown structures was such as could not be duplicated in any other city in the British colonies.

About the West.

Regarding the west Sir Walter said he had noticed the same remarkable growth. Vancouver, which was only a town when he was last there, had developed into one of the most important cities in the Dominion. Medicine Hat, which had not existed then, was the most noteworthy of the newer municipalities of the west, and he predicted that it would in the future be one of the biggest centres in the prairie provinces.

That the wheat yield of the Dominion had reached two hundred million bushel mark with but a tenth of the fertile area of the west as yet under cultivation, he considered was proof enough that the wonderful development of Canada had only been touched upon. The future progress was almost limitless.

PREMIERS CLASH ON HIGHWAYS MEASURE

Party Lines Drawn on Resolution Artfully Worded by Premiers Scott and Sifton—Refusal to Back Maritime Provinces' Request for Larger Federal Representation.

OTTAWA, Oct. 29.—(Can. Press.)—Altho a variety of questions were discussed at the interprovincial conference, which concluded its three days' sessions tonight, only upon a few, including the subsidies, an increase equal to 10 per cent. of the customs and excise revenue of the Dominion, was there unanimous agreement. The subsidy decision was probably the feature event of the conference and it is said there is very slight possibility of its being granted.

Unanimous decision was also reached in asking increased salaries for lieutenant-governors and in requesting that the decision in the companies' case by the supreme court be considered final.

In regard to the maritime provinces' representation and the question of federal outlays on highways and similar public works there was a division of opinion and resolutions in connection with these matters were withdrawn.

Refused to Act.

Today's sessions were taken up in a discussion of the lower provinces' claims for consideration of federal representation. Two of the provinces Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, filed arguments in favor of the resolution, while Prince Edward Island made the special plea that eventually there would be no federal representation at all from that province.

After considering the questions involved, the following resolution was adopted by the conference:

"That this conference expresses the opinion that it does not represent the

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ELMIRA HAS NOW ENTERED THE NIAGARA POWER ZONE

Yesterday's Inauguration Ceremonies in Which Hon. Adam Beck Took Part—Many Representatives Present From Outside Points—Hydro Radials the Next Achievement Predicted.

ELMIRA, Ont., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Today was a great day for Elmira. The formal turning on of hydro-electric power, to which the residents have been looking forward since the Niagara current was installed in Berlin three years ago, took place this afternoon. Despite the unfavorable weather, a large gathering of citizens and representatives of sister municipalities were present for the inauguration ceremonies, and hailed with delight the advent of the power.

Berlin and Guelph were represented by the city councils, board of trade and hundreds of citizens, who came up by special train, the Berlin contingent being accompanied by the 29th Regiment Band. Three cars of Guelph citizens were bedecked with banners with the inscription "Guelph Congratulates Elmira."

A feature of the celebration was the Made-in-Elmira Exhibition, showing the products of the village's industries, and an electrical demonstration of household utensils and farm machinery in the skating rink, where 1000 people assembled.

Reeve I. Hillbor acted as chairman, and extended a welcome to the gathering. Congratulatory addresses were delivered by Mayor Euler, Berlin; Mayor Carter, Guelph; C. H. Mills, M.L.A.; Ald. Carter, J. Hannigan, Geo. Thorpe, president Guelph Board of Trade; H. L. Janzen, Berlin; Reeve Kerr, Elora; Mayor Armstrong, Fergus; J. W. Lyon, Guelph; Thos. Hilliard, Waterloo; J. Hurst, Woolwich, and others. The tone of the speaker's remarks indicated a joyous welcome to Elmira on entering the power zone.

Waterloo County now has nine municipalities using the power, said J. W. Lyon, one of the leading figures with Hon. Adam Beck in the hydro project.

In the evening Hon. Adam Beck officially turned on the power before a crowd that filled the rink. He predicted still further achievements for hydro and said the next one would be hydro radials. W. G. Weichell, M.P., C. H. Mills, M.L.A., and Dr. Hensberger, Berlin, also spoke.

Elmira has contracted for 200 horse-power at $38 per horse. The light consumers already number 225.

Plan No Expansion

Mr. Elliott, of the firm of Ryrie Bros., stated yesterday afternoon that the firm had no intention of establishing a branch store in Hamilton.

CASH REGISTER THIEF CAPTURED

Fred Bratt Tried Same Game Twice, But Was Caught and Soon Confessed.

Thru the prompt actions of one of the cash register girls in the Robert Simpson Company's store the police yesterday rounded up the man who, a month ago stole $100 by a simple but clever scheme. A month ago a man approached half a dozen cash register girls and curtly ordered them to get the cash ready for him and he would call for it in half an hour. In this way he got $100. Yesterday he tried the same thing again, telling the girl she was wanted on the next floor, and that he would look after the register. She walked away and informed the store detective, who held him till the arrival of Detective Taylor from the detective office in the city hall.

He gave his name as Fred Bratt, of St. Anne's Apartments, said he was married and 23 years old. He at first denied any knowledge of the previous theft, but later broke down and confessed. It is also alleged that in the same store he obtained nearly $75 by passing fraudulent cheques. On two occasions his cheques were refused, making in all half a dozen attempts at robbing the company.

Men's Fur Lined Coats.

The near approach of real winter weather brings to mind the need of a fur lined coat. The selection and splendid values offered by Dineen's, 140 Yonge street, will surely interest men who favor this comfort-creating and handsome style of coat. One of these coats lined with natural muskrat, natural otter collar, imported beaver shell, is priced as low as $55. Another attractive coat is lined with choicest Canadian muskrat, selected Persian lamb shawl or notched collar, priced $90. It would be well to see the full and varied showing at this old established fur house.

TREACHEROUS

JIMMIE—There's gratitude for yeh.