

MEXICANS UPHOLDING HUERTA IN OPPOSING U. S. MEDIATION

Big Demonstration of Students and Laborers at the Capital—Ambassador Lind Arrives and Is Closely Guarded by the Police.

[Canadian Press.] Mexico City, Aug. 11.—Students and laborers, estimated at 100,000, paraded the streets of the capital yesterday carrying banners as a token of their approval of President Huerta's stand against accepting mediation by the United States.

President Huerta had given his approval to the demonstration and he and the members of the cabinet reviewed the parade from a balcony of the palace. There was no disorder.

TWO ARRESTED.
[Canadian Press.] Mexico City, Aug. 11.—N. A. Jennings and Marvin Ferris, two American newspaper correspondents, were arrested last night after a raid by order of the Minister of the Interior. The nature of the charges against them is not made known. Jennings is a representative of the Hearst news papers and Ferris is a correspondent of a Los Angeles newspaper.

LIND HAS ARRIVED.
[Canadian Press.] Mexico City, Aug. 11.—The arrival of John Lind, the man whose mysterious mission to Mexico was the direct cause of a public manifestation yesterday in support of Gen. Huerta's attitude toward American mediation, has of itself been devoid of any thrills.

When Mr. Lind, as the personal representative of President Wilson, alighted from his train last night after a tedious day's journey from Vera Cruz, there were only a few persons about the station, who seemed at all curious to watch his movements. Numerous newspaper photographers were on hand to subject him to the ordeal of flashlights, and Mr. Lind obligingly posed for many pictures.

Has Nothing to Say.
Mr. Lind persistently maintained that tactfully since he was summoned from his home to undertake his mission to Mexico. Just what he is to do here or just when he will open negotiations for which he has come here, is as great a mystery as before his arrival. He was accompanied to the capital by Mrs. Lind, by William W. Canada, the United States consul at Vera Cruz, and by Mr. William Bayard Hale, acting under instructions of the state department.

The party was received by Nelson O'Shaughnessy, secretary of the United States embassy, who has been acting as charge d'affaires since the departure of Ambassador Wilson. Charles E. Parker, a member of the embassy staff, accompanied the party to the hotel. The police in large numbers guarded the approach to the hotel, but as the party had been made a public spectacle, they had been made a public spectacle and took little interest in the arrivals.

Visited By Commander.
Before leaving Vera Cruz, Mr. Lind was visited by General Gustavo Maas, the military commander there, he being the first official of Mexico to meet him. The visit took place at the hotel where Mr. Lind is staying. General Maas said that he would be glad to see him, but that he would not be able to do so until he had seen the ambassador.

Expected Elections.
There is reason to believe that before Mr. Lind's mission to Mexico is ended he will have suggested more than a mere fulfillment of the promise of General Huerta that elections be held. It has been pointed out that the demand would not be wholly consistent, since the promise to hold elections in October has already been made and intimations of bad faith on the part of the provisional administration are regarded as out of taste at the present time. Mr. Lind does not propose to act hastily, though he will lose no time, as it may be that all his work in Mexico will be finished within three weeks and possibly much sooner.

General Huerta persists in being unwilling to see him. Mr. Lind will transmit his communications through the charge, O'Shaughnessy of the United States Embassy.

A Brief Visit.
Mr. Lind and his wife did not come to Mexico prepared for anything but a brief visit, traveling with little baggage. The departure for Mexico was so hurried that it occurred to neither Mr. or Mrs. Lind that warmer clothing would be wanted in the uplands of Mexico. Last night Mr. Lind was without an overcoat and his wife without wraps in the cold air here.

MANY ARE FLEEING.
New Orleans, Aug. 11.—Lily and Edna Gourd, the American girls who were mistreated near Tampico, Mexico, last week, while their father bound to a tree, looked on, powerless

JACK MERRALL, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Merrall, 73 Elm street, eight months old and weighs 25 pounds.

LAD WAS KILLED.
Crushed to Death Under Wheels of Heavy Wagon.
[Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 11.—With several playmates looking on, Sam Seak, aged nine, was ground to death beneath the wheels of a heavy wagon. The boy was playing cowboy, and had been lassoed, and seeing a team pass endeavored to climb on top of the wagon to escape capture, but slipped, and the wheels went over him.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Name	Reported at	From
Hesperian	Montreal	Quebec
Zigzag	Montreal	Quebec
Manchester	Montreal	Quebec
Megantic	Montreal	Quebec
Devon	Quebec	Quebec
La Savoie	New York	Quebec
New York	New York	Quebec
Rochambeau	New York	Quebec
Montezuma	New York	Quebec
Campania	Liverpool	Quebec
Laurentide	Liverpool	Quebec
Olympic	Southampton	Quebec
Montreal	London	Quebec
Caribbean	London	Quebec
G. Waldersee	Hamburg	Quebec

ACCUSED COL. SAM OF SQUANDERING ABOUT \$180,000

Bought Land for the King, It Is Alleged, at Enormous Price.

White Elephant Unloaded on the Country for a Huge Sum.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Aug. 11.—Facts are leaking out which suggest very strongly that \$180,000 of the people's money has been wasted, according to a contention made today by the Daily Telegraph in the course of an article under the caption of "How Col. Sam Hughes Buys Land for the King."

The Telegraph states that Hon. Sam Hughes, parts of lots 8 and 9, parish of Lichine, with a combined area of about 150 acres, for \$180,000 cash.

The Telegraph then gives the following details: "On June 24, 1912, William Thomas Rodden sold to His Majesty King George V., represented by the Hon. Sam Hughes, parts of lots 8 and 9, parish of Lichine, with a combined area of about 150 acres, for \$180,000 cash."

"Most of the property lay in the rear of the Forest and Stream Club, fronting on a public road and extending in the rear to the backs of the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways. That was a distance of 1,333 yards."

An Enormous Price.
The sale price figured out at exactly \$1,200 an acre for vacant land thirteen miles from the Montreal postoffice. The price was enormous for that property. By power of attorney, Col. Roy, at that time district officer commanding this military district acted for Col. Hughes. The King, who sold the land to the old Bel-Air race track for \$45,000. Then on June 8, 1912, he bought the adjoining farm from the estate of the late Duncan McIntyre, the two blocks composing the farm that he sold to the county later for \$180,000 cash.

Too Far Out.
It was announced that the land had been purchased to enable the militia of Montreal to have a fine rifle range within easy reach of the city. A modern military rifle has a range of at least 2,000 yards. The farm in its longest dimension extends only 1,333 yards, and it is thirteen miles from Montreal.

As one gentleman expressed it today: "Either the railway passengers are to be ridged with lead, or the Forest and Stream Club will be a pretty unhealthy place at which to dine."

ACCUSES WORKINGMEN OF SHAMMING ILLNESS

Doctors Claim Malingering Is Very Prevalent Since Insurance Went in Force.

[Canadian Press.] London, Aug. 11.—The alleged great prevalence of malingering under the insurance act, which introduced compulsory insurance by workingmen against sickness and old age, created great interest in a paper read by Sir John Collier, at the International Medical Congress today.

Sir John, who is a member of the Government advisory committee on the national insurance act, thought that the accusations brought against workingmen of malingering were exaggerated.

He thought it would be unscientific to attempt to form any estimate based merely on the results of three or six months' working of the act. No one, he said, could know which view was correct until sufficient statistics were available.

It might, he thought, be necessary to take special precautions for the prevention of malingering when dealing with 13,000,000 people, nearly half of whom before the passage of the act, had not been insured against sickness. The vast majority of those who gave the impression that they were shamming, said Sir John, were those of poor physique, whose standard of health was at best far below the normal. This was especially true in the case of women.

Thousands of insured women, said Sir John, were absolutely unfit and would be permanent beneficiaries of the benefit funds. On infinitely larger class than the out-and-out malingers, according to the lecturer, would consist of patients of pessimistic temperament and mental cowardice, and the proper supervision of these on the part of the doctors would save many millions of pounds to the nation.

The question of malingering had, concluded Sir John, resolved itself into a battle in which the doctor was mostly triumphant, and X-rays had been often successfully used on the malingers.

Summer School Is Open at Goderich.
[Canadian Press.] Goderich, Aug. 11.—The Presbyterian summer school for Western Ontario under the auspices of the Synod of Hamilton and London opens here today, and will be continued until next Sunday. A large number of delegates from different points in the synod have been enrolled.

"MERE MALES," at the Children's Shelter, who are still awaiting foster homes because they are of the sex which objects to being "fussed over."



Aila Haley To Have Pasteur Treatment

Bitten by Dog That Caused Death of Boy Through Rabies, Mother of London Girl Has Decided to Take No Chances.

Mrs. Haley, of 69 Maple street, left this morning with her little daughter, Aila, for Ann Arbor, Mich., where the little girl will receive the Pasteur treatment. It is now nearly five weeks since the child was bitten by a dog in Detroit, believed to be the same animal that bit Percy Fuller, a boy who died in that city last week, suffering all the agonies of hydrophobia.

FOR WHOLE WEEK MERCURY STOOD OVER 100 MARK

All Records for Heat Waves Have Been Broken in Kansas.

At Great Bend, Thermometer Climbed Up to 110 Degrees.

[Canadian Press.] Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 11.—Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma had no relief from the extreme heat wave that for the people of the three states. Temperatures above 100 were recorded at every point where the thermometer was used. There were indications of rain and cooler weather. No rain fell during the day. The heat was terrific for days at a time. The heat was terrific for days at a time. The heat was terrific for days at a time.

Several Missouri points reported 104 degrees. Ever since last Sunday Kansas has been in the centre of the heat wave. The mercury rose to 98 last Sunday. It was 101 Monday, 102 Tuesday, 103 Wednesday, 104 Thursday, 103 on Friday, and 101 Saturday. This breaks all August records for that state, and the weather department was established 25 years ago.

Nights Oppressive.
The nights have been even hotter in proportion than the days during this period. In the evenings the last week the thermometer has stood at 99 at 7 o'clock, and not a night during the week has the mercury dropped to below 77. Friday morning the thermometer indicated the 100 mark. Cool periods followed heat waves through June. In July the heat was terrific for days at a time. Then came August and found the state dry and parched with drought. All the rivers in the state are dry, as are most of the rivers.

Damage Not Great.
Reports received from reliable sources throughout Kansas indicate that the damage is not so great as would appear from the unusual conditions. The crops are suffering, but the damage is not so great as would appear from the unusual conditions. The crops are suffering, but the damage is not so great as would appear from the unusual conditions.

BRITISH STEAMER SANK.
[Canadian Press.] Chatham, Mass., Aug. 11.—The British steamer "Paraguay," bound for Elizabeth Port for Bridgetown, N. H., with a cargo of coal, struck on Pollock Rip Shoal yesterday and sank. Her crew of five men escaped.

GOING TO EUROPE.
[Canadian Press.] Lima, Peru, Aug. 11.—Augusto B. Leguia, former president of Peru, was released from the penitentiary today. He announced that he would go to Europe for his health.

THE WEATHER.
TOMORROW—FINE AND COOL.
Forecast.
Toronto, Aug. 11.—5 a.m. Moderate to fresh easterly winds, fine and comparatively cool today and on Tuesday.

Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today: High. Low. Weather.
Victoria 80 54 Cloudy
Saskatoon 80 46 Clear
Calgary 78 52 Cloudy
Edmonton 78 52 Cloudy
Port Arthur 64 54 Cloudy
Toronto 76 50 Clear
Parry Sound 66 50 Clear
Ottawa 68 48 Clear
Montreal 70 52 Clear
Quebec 66 50 Clear
Father Point 58 46 Clear

Weather Notes.
Pressure is high over the Great Lakes and low in the Maritime and Western Provinces.
Showers are reported again in the west, while rain has fallen generally in Eastern Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Lawson Says West Is Very Prosperous
[Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Aug. 11.—There never has been any doubt as to the solid worth of prosperity of Western Canada in the mind of the foremost of American financiers, said Thomas W. Lawson, the famous financier of Boston, on his arrival in the city last night. Mr. Lawson intended to go further west, but was recalled on account of the Mexican situation. Lawson pointed out that with such a splendid prosperity as existed in the west at present, there could be no doubt that the country would be tremendously successful.

Speaking on the Mexican situation, Lawson thought the powers would co-operate with the administration of the United States.

FARMERS LOST HEAVILY IN TERRIFIC ELECTRICAL STORM

Oats Were Flattened All Through the District, Barns Burned and Cattle Killed—Around Thamesford Hail Cut the Corn to Pieces.

One of the most destructive storms of the season swept through this district early on Sunday morning, causing damage that will run into thousands, burning many barns, killing cattle and beating down the crops.

Reports are coming in slowly as a result of many of the rural telephone systems having been put completely out of business by the unusually heavy lightning.

LOST HIS CROPS.
[Special to The Advertiser.] Glanworth, Aug. 10.—During the heavy storm here early today, lightning struck the fine barn of John McPherson, on the 9th concession of Westminister, and before anything was done to save it, the structure was a mass of flames. A horse standing near by was also struck and instantly killed. Mr. McPherson lost all his season's hay and some grain.

FIVE PLACES STRUCK.
[Special to The Advertiser.] Kelley's Siding, Aug. 10.—The worst of this district today. In a short time lightning struck no less than five places, causing damage that fortunately was not serious. At J. Webb's, when a bolt struck the barn, the hay took fire at once. Hard work by neighbors and the family prevented the fire from destroying the barn, and only one side was badly scorched. At Mr. Annet's a barn was struck but no fire resulted. Wm. Wiseman's barn was also struck and a side partly torn out, together with some of the stone work. No fire resulted. At J. Webb's a bolt struck the barn, the hay took fire at once. Hard work by neighbors and the family prevented the fire from destroying the barn, and only one side was badly scorched.

BARN WAS BURNED.
[Special to The Advertiser.] Granton, Aug. 10.—Edward Stanley, residing near here, lost his fine barn, together with the season's crops, when lightning struck it early today. The barn was a fine structure, and the loss is a heavy one. The crops were also destroyed, and the loss is a heavy one.

DAMAGE WAS LIGHT.
[Special to The Advertiser.] Coldstream, Aug. 11.—While lightning struck several places during Saturday night's big storm the damage is not heavy. Mr. Frank Nicholls, of the 7th concession, had a valuable colt killed in the pastures.

The barn of Arthur Pierce, Coldstream, was struck, but not fired. The house of Mrs. Forbes, on the 10th concession, was struck, and some plaster knocked off and other slight damage done. The family were up, but not injured, although the lamp was put out by the shock.

HYDRO HIT BY THE BIG STORM
Supply for the Traction Company Gave Out Several Times Saturday and Sunday.

PRIVATE HOMES AFFECTED
Taking into consideration the severity of Saturday night's electrical storms local lighting and power systems escaped with practically no loss or interruptions. The storm, rivaling as it did the terrific disturbances of the previous night, was one calculated to do untold damage to power and light wires, but by some trick of fate those in London managed to escape.

Isolated Wires Out.
On the London Electric circuits, while there was some trouble in sections, there was not even a sign of general disturbance either on Saturday or Friday. Scattered services wires tapping the circuits for private home lighting were put out of commission temporarily. That was the extent of the lightning's damage to the private service.

The same story is true of the hydro-electric. While isolated sections of the circuits for private home lighting were put out of commission temporarily, that was the extent of the lightning's damage to the private service.

An Hour's Break.
On the Traction Company the interruptions were more frequent and of longer duration. The long wait for an hour's break in the hydro supply between 11 and 12 o'clock Saturday night.

The Traction hydro breaks on Saturday, Sunday and this morning were:

Saturday.
7:45 to 7:55 a.m.
10:40 to 10:47 a.m.
9:45 to 10:03 p.m.
11 to 12 a.m.

Sunday.
1:20 to 1:27 a.m.
1:30 to 1:35 a.m.
1:40 to 1:45 a.m.
2:43 to 2:50 a.m.
10:05 to 10:10 p.m.

Monday.
8:45 to 8:52 a.m.

Sergt. Hirtle Was Fatally Crushed
[Canadian Press.] Halifax, Aug. 11.—Sergt. E. Russell Hirtle, of the 1st Canadian Trench Battalion, was crushed to death this morning by an eight-inch howitzer gun, weighing eight tons on the hill leading from York Redoubt to the pier. The gun was being taken down to the pier by a party of gunners with Sergt. Hirtle in charge.

The brakes gave out and the gun took charge, and ran over the bank, knocking Sergt. Hirtle over with it. The deceased soldier was one of the Halifax representatives at the King's coronation.

He will be accorded a military funeral.

Two Trainmen Were Instantly Killed
[Canadian Press.] Regina, Sask., Aug. 11.—Carelessness in operation accounted for the loss of two more lives on the Grand Trunk Pacific, south of Regina, Friday night. A machinist named McQueen and his assistant Lars Oscar were cut to pieces, and a third man was seriously injured. The men were working under an engine, which for some reason was left unprotected by signals, when another engine bumped into them and the men were cut to pieces.

THREE MARQUETTE CARS DERAILED NEAR THE PORT
Three Pere Marquette passenger cars heavily loaded, were derailed near Port Stanley today at noon near the spot where the four cars were derailed last Thursday.

As far as can be learned none of the passengers were injured but the line will likely be tied up for some time. As this is a busy holiday season the result today between that place and Port Stanley was unusually heavy.

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