

STORY IS TOLD OF HUERTA ULTIMATUM FOR THE LAST TIME

Special Envoy Lind Saw Huerta at Midnight About The Note.

STRUCK OUT DEMAND

Following Conference With Representatives of the United States.

(National News Association)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The story of how President Huerta sent an ultimatum to the U. S. embassy Monday night demanding immediate recognition of Mexico by the United States was told today for the first time.

President Huerta, in replying to the note from President Wilson offering suggestions for the pacification of Mexico, rejected all President Wilson's proposals and declared that the Mexican regime must be recognized by the U. S. in twelve hours.

The Mexican minister knew the contents of the note, having had a hand in the drafting of it. Acting Foreign Minister Gamboa, objected to the aggressive tone, but the war minister and the minister of the interior thought that the tone of the note was no stronger than the occasion demanded.

Accordingly this note which had all the qualifications of an international ultimatum, was transmitted to Mr. O'Shaughnessy. O'Shaughnessy and Mr. Lind lost no time in breaking the seal. Both were amazed at the tenor of the note and the threat unless the U. S. recognize Mexico.

"I must see President Huerta at once," said Mr. Lind.

Despite the fact the envoy had not been invited to the palace and that it was nearly midnight, Mr. Lind and Mr. O'Shaughnessy jumped into an automobile and hurried to Huerta's palace.

Lights were blazing in the presidential suite. But Huerta was not "at home" in an official sense to the visitors' chamber.

Almost at once, the president entered in civilian attire.

Mr. Lind proceeded immediately upon his diplomatic work. He told Huerta of the consequences which must necessarily follow the transmission of the ultimatum to Washington. The hard lines of determination in Huerta's face relaxed as he listened patiently. Huerta paced up and down the room as he said he believed the course of the United States would wreck the Mexican government and that he did not want to plunge his already impoverished country into war.

He finally consented to cut out the demand for recognition, but no amount of persuasion could induce him to alter the balance of the document.

In the meantime Minister Urrupia, not knowing that the demand for recognition had been striken from the reply, informed the newspaper correspondents that an ultimatum had been served and that O'Shaughnessy had been given his passports.

Mr. Lind said today that the international situation was much brighter.

IS FRAMING REPLY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—President Wilson today studied the full text of the Huerta rejection of the American proposal and is mapping out the reply on which he bases his hope that Mr. Lind's mission to Mexico may be something more than an irresponsible move toward peace. The feverish tension of yesterday, following the sensational statement of Senor Urrupia, the Mexican Minister of Interior, that the relations with the United States soon would be broken, banished today and Washington officials now are prepared to accept without undue excitement the next grand stand play of President Huerta.

City Statistics

Real Estate Transfers.

Emma Carroll to James Townsend, part 27 addition to Fountain City. No consideration stated.

Emil Tschaen to Frederick M. Gunckel, part southeast section 12, township 14, range 1. Consideration, \$4,500.

Mary Rosa to Henry Rother, part 17 of the J. H. and L. Rosa addition. Consideration, \$1,00.

SUIT DISMISSED.

The suit of Lillian Moelk against James Crafton for possession of property at 610 South Twelfth street, was dismissed in the circuit court this morning. The case was dismissed by the plaintiff. A decision was rendered in the plaintiff in the court of Justice of the Peace Cheesman recently, and the case was appealed to the circuit court.

DR. FLETCHER KILLED

(National News Association) INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 20.—D. Caldwell Ingram Fletcher of this city, famous as a lecturer, globe traveler and mountain climber, was killed yesterday in a glacier at Glacier Park, Montana, according to a telegram received here today. No details were given.

WHEAT YIELD ON RICH FARM A STATE RECORD

Agricultural Agent Cobb Will Have Farm Hands Appear Before Notary Public to Swear to Facts.

County Agricultural Agent A. D. Cobb stated this morning that he will bring the men who cut, bound and threshed the wheat harvested on the farm of Oscar Rich, northwest of East Haven, before a notary public to swear to the facts concerning the crop and the record sent to the state agricultural department. The crop will be considered as a state record, according to agent Cobb.

The crop of wheat yielded sixty-two and one half bushels per acre. No farm in the state had produced the yield that this farm has per acre this year.

Mr. Cobb said the record was the result of skillful and practical farming on the part of Mr. Rich. Mr. Rich at one time harvested 100 bushels of oats per acre on the same land. A series of meetings in various parts of the county have been arranged by the agent in the interest

MAY FORCE PRISONERS TO WORK ON THE FARM

Commissioners Will Determine Matter From Report Which County Attorney is to Make September 2.

The county commissioners at their meeting September 2, will determine from the report of the county attorney whether or not the inmates of the county jail can be worked out on the county poor farm. The poor farm has been greatly in need of farm labor and according to the plan of the county officials the inmates of the jail will be worked there.

The law specifies that prisoners may be either sent to the county jail, workhouse or similar institutions, for a term to be determined by the mayor or judge of the circuit court.

The county commissioners this afternoon expressed favor toward the project of working the prisoners and Commissioner Beeson said if it is legal the men will be taken from the jail and made to repair the roads. "Hard labor is the only way to keep men from committing petty offenses such as the in-

BELIEVES DRIVER COULD GET SPEED

Zimmerman Would Like to See Geers Drive Long Sought in Race.

That "Pop" Geers, the world famous veteran race horse driver, could take Long Sought around the turf at a two-minute clip, is the firm belief of Mayor Zimmerman, who now wants to put an expert behind his 2:16½ bay gelding pacer.

"I raced Long Sought for last time and I admit I cannot get all out of him that a more experienced driver could. That horse has a two-minute gait in him and if 'Pop' Geers took the reins I wouldn't be surprised to see Long Sought take the mile at better than two minutes."

"I believe that if I put the hobbles on the horse, I could pass anything in the 17 class at Connerville Friday. I don't want to risk hobbles now because two of my friends were killed last when their horses were thrown by the hobbles. As my racing is only for pleasure, I don't feel that I can take such a risk, although I would quickly do it if I had to earn a living that way."

Long Sought is now in Connerville where he is being limbered up on the fair grounds track there by his trainers. There are two trainers from the mayor's stables who travel with Long Sought around the circuit of race courses at which Doc has entered the pacer. Long Sought will pace against a fast field in the 17 pace Friday.

MORRIS RELEASED: LACK OF EVIDENCE

George Morris, 31 Bridge avenue, who was arrested and held as a suspect for the theft of \$4 from Otto Wine, 31 Bridge avenue, was released this morning because of a lack of evidence. Wine reported the theft of the money to the police and claimed that Morris stole it from him, although he had no proof. Morris denied the theft, and the police and Wine could not secure evidence to prosecute him.

"Irreproachable." "Johnny, I'm afraid I'll have to whip you," said the mother of an incorrigible youngster.

"All right, mamma," he replied. "And after you whip me, may I have the whip to play horse with?"—Chicago Popular Magazine.

Means Plenty of Chicken. Miss Snowflake—Does yo' believe in wishbones? Mr. Jackson—W'y, it's a sign ob exceptional luck to hab a fresh one in your pocket every day or two.—Puck

On the Blacklist. Tramp No. 1—is this a good town? Tramp No. 2—No; awful! I had three jobs offered me in one day.—London Mail

The trust self respect is not to think of self.

CAMPERS OBEDIENT SAYS CHIEF LITTLE

Head of Chautauqua Police Having But Little Trouble.

Preparation of the seed bed, fertilizers, seed selection and variety will be the subjects of discussion.

The first meeting will be held Tuesday at 9 o'clock on the farm of O. H. Young, two miles north of this city of the Middleboro road. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon a similar meeting will be held at H. R. Robinson's farm between Fountain City and Williamsburg. On Wednesday the meetings will be held at Frank Underhill's farm east of Greensfork in the morning and at H. B. Macey's near Economy in the afternoon. Thursday the meetings will be held at O. E. Fulghum's in the morning and at W. P. Hunnicut's farm, southwest of Cambridge City, in the afternoon. On Joe Helm's farm the meeting will be held on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Helm lives five miles south of Richmond in Boston township.

mates of the jail are imprisoned for," said Beeson.

ON EXPERIMENTAL FARM.

The matter of the proposed county experimental farm was discussed briefly. The farm near Centerville, known as the Morton homestead which Wilfred Jessup suggests that the commissioners purchase is too small, according to Commissioner Albert Anderson. The farm should be larger than a few acres which are adjoining the homestead in Centerville according to Anderson. The Sutton farm on the National road west of the Country club is the most suitable place in the county for the proposed experimental farm, says Mr. Anderson though the cost would be too high he believes.

FAVOR PROPOSED HOSPITAL.

All commissioners have expressed themselves in favor of the county tuberculosis hospital, although they did not say they would ask council for an appropriation for it. They will be guided largely in their action by the petition and signatures presented to them by the County Society for the Prevention and Study of Tuberculosis. A campaign for money will be started by the society this fall.

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ARE FACTS WITHHELD?

More Evidence. May Ask Committee to Give

(National News Association)

ALBANY, Aug. 20.—If the assembly committee which will outline the course of procedure of the legislature in regard to the impeachment charge against Governor Sulzer, does not believe there is sufficient evidence to bring about the conviction of Mr. Sulzer the Frawley probe committee will be asked to produce additional facts of a detrimental character, it was learned today.

The committee met for the purpose of considering the facts in the order of their presentation at this meeting it was suggested that the data which is understood to have been withheld by the Frawley committee admitted to the bill of particulars which the senate and court of appeals sitting jointly will consider beginning September 18.

THREE CARLOADS OF ICE ARRIVED HERE

Local Plant is Working Day and Night to Supply Demands.

Three carloads of ice, two from Connerville and one from Warsaw, arrived here this morning. Another car is expected tomorrow morning from Warsaw and two cars are ordered from Kalamazoo, Mich., besides a carload daily from Connerville. Officials of the Rettig and Johnson ice company stated today that all of this shipped ice would be disposed of today. "We will fill the refrigerators of the meat markets and then they will not have to be supplied for several days," one official said. "They must have ice to keep their meat from spoiling. In the case of the ice cream dealers and the saloons, where we feel that a necessity is not at stake, we are cutting down the supply. As long as our machinery at the plant remains in good working order no one will suffer from an absence of ice. By working all night we can manufacture a sufficient amount to give each customer a small amount. We are making every effort to supply the demands on us and I don't think that any one will suffer."

Left Handed Stone Slingers. The right hand doubtless owes something of its prominence to the Bible. The Hebrews singled it out for special honor, and the Scriptures contain quite a hundred references in which "the right hand" is made the type and symbol of everything noble, praiseworthy and desirable. It is worth noting, however, that the tribe of Benjamin once boasted 700 left handed slingers who "could sling stones to a hair's breadth and not miss" and that among the "mighty men and helpers" of Kline David were many who "could use both the right hand and the left in hurling stones and shooting arrows with the bow."—London Standard.

Plain and Painful Talk. During a senatorial investigation on time Senator Clapp experienced great difficulty in getting some information from a nervous witness.

"Now," said the senator somewhat sharply, "out with it, my man; out with it!"

"If the committee will excuse me," said the lawyer representing the witness, "I do not like the term 'out with it.' This is not the office of a dentist."—Popular Magazine.

Merely a Matter of Spelling.

"Yes," said the very severe maiden lady, "the word 'mule' is only 'male' spelled wrongly."

"I suppose so," responded the crusty bachelor, "but according to the Latin dictionary a woman is 'mulier'."

Ladies' Home Journal.

Human Incredulity.

Tell a man that there are 270,169,325,481 stars and he will believe you. But if a sign says "fresh paint" he will have to make a personal investigation.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Residents of Ocean City, N. J., have voted to erect a new city hall.

MAKE DAILY TRIPS TO THE CITY DUMPS

Chief Orders This to Prevent Spreading of the Flames.

The fire department has made almost daily trips to the dumps around the city, which are on fire. Although these calls have not been in answer to calls, the fire chief wants to keep the dump fire limited to the dumps and prevent any spread of flames to neighboring properties or fields. There is no danger from any of the dump fires but the smoke or smudge is annoying. The fire chief and city officials believe that it is an advantage to have the dumps burn as this will eliminate disease and will keep the amount of refuse down to a minimum.

The dump fires were the results of spontaneous combustion, the damp material below the top layer of refuse becoming heated by the internal impulses until it bursts into a smoldering fire. There is little or no flame and the dumps are gradually eaten away by the slow fire.

CRAIGHEAD RETURNS

Norman Craighead, formerly of this city, has returned and will make his home here. He will engage in business at the Ford and Oakland agency in this city at the Bethard garage on Main street. He will be a partner in the business. Louis Craighead and his father, E. W. Craighead, formerly engaged in the electrical business, will open an automobile salesroom in Columbus, Ind. They will handle the Westcott car.

WAS NOT A FIGHT: FRIENDLY EMBRACE

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Locked in each other's arms in what was supposed by the police to be a fight, Everett Zimmerman and Louis Tifftron were arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Vogelsong at Sixth and Main streets. The men explained that they were merely showing their mutual affection in the embrace and demanded that they be released. They were taken to the city jail. They were fined \$1 and costs each in police court for public intoxication. Tifftron paid his fine.

Collapsible baby-carriages have almost gone out of use in Christiania, Norway, owing to the agitation against them started by a local physician, a specialist in children's diseases.

A MAN WHOM THAW MARKED FOR DEATH



WAS A CANDIDATE AGAINST LINCOLN

Herman Silver, Pioneer of West, Dies at Home in Los Angeles.

(National News Association)

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 20.—Herman Silver, a pioneer capitalist of the West and for many years a government employee, died suddenly at his home. Mr. Silver had been a figure of national importance for many years. He was born in Germany 84 years ago, and came to the United States when a boy.

The family settled in Illinois and Mr. Silver entered politics. At one time he was a candidate against Abraham Lincoln for clerk of the circuit court.

Mr. Silver was superintendent of the U. S. Mint in Denver for many years and held many other positions of trust under the government.

In 1887 he came to Los Angeles. His public life was continued here. He was president of the city council for four years and later was state bank commissioner.

The widow, a son and a daughter are the surviving relatives.

CORA KEMPER DEAD

Prominent Worker in St. John's Church.

Cora Marie Kemper, 24, daughter of John F. and Caroline S. Kemper, died shortly before 12 o'clock today at the home of her parents, 331 South Fourth street, after an illness from tuberculosis with which she had been afflicted since last February. She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Mrs. Richard Atzinger and Miss Bertha Kemper, and two brothers, Edwin and Carl Kemper. The deceased had been seriously ill for some time, and her death was expected by her family. She was a prominent and active member of St. John's Lutheran church, and up to the time of her illness was one of the foremost workers among the various societies of the church. She was prominent in all social activities among the young people of the church.

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