

AMERICANS WARNED

WILSON ASKS ALL U. S. CITIZENS NOW IN MEXICO TO FLEE FROM COUNTRY.

ULTIMATUM TO OFFICIALS

President Tells Officials of Both Federals and Rebels That United States Expects Them to Guard U. S. Subjects.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Aug. 29.—Mexico of its own accord will accept the good offices of President Wilson in settling its internal troubles, according to a message received by John Lind from the government of Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Lind will return to the Mexican capital Friday. Mr. Lind's first work there will be to get leaders of all factions together to name candidates.

Washington, Aug. 29.—President Wilson on Wednesday warned all Americans to leave Mexico at once. At the same time the American embassy and all consular representatives throughout the southern republic were instructed "to notify all officials, civil and military, in Mexico" that they would be held strictly responsible for harm or injury done to Americans or their property.

Secretary Bryan dispatched long telegrams to the embassy and all consular representatives quoting extracts from the president's address to congress, in which he reviewed the futile peace negotiations with the Huerta government and the policy the United States would pursue hereafter toward Mexico.

In these messages the consuls were instructed to render every aid possible to departing Americans, furnishing transportation and any other pecuniary assistance to the needy. They were informed that a sufficient number of ships would be provided to carry away those in the seacoast towns.

Foreign governments will be notified of the action of the United States, so that they may give similar advice, but the American consuls will help all foreigners in any emergency.

Within a day or two, an announcement is expected of the mobilization of a large number of American troops along the southern frontier to enforce neutrality in the traffic of arms and munitions of war.

First results of the president's optimism were apparent when Secretary Bryan announced the receipt of a message from John Lind, now at Vera Cruz, stating that Senor Gamboa, Mexican minister of foreign affairs, had sent a new note. Secretary Bryan described the situation as "encouraging" and commented on the fact that he had for several days used the word "unchanged." Mr. Bryan added that the Gamboa note was in reply to the supplementary suggestions made by Mr. Lind before leaving Mexico City for Vera Cruz.

The president was informed of the late developments, but offered no comment. He was particularly pleased with his reception in congress. Not only from the applause that greeted him as he began his address and at its conclusion, but through personal congratulations, President Wilson felt assured that he had behind him the undivided support of congress, irrespective of political party.

THAW WINS THREE BATTLES

Fugitive in Jail After Victory Over State of New York—Saved From Deportation.

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 29.—Harry K. Thaw won three victories over the New York state authorities on Wednesday and was locked in the Sherbrooke jail, immune for the time being from the Dominion immigration authorities, after having received an ovation from the townspeople of Sherbrooke that would have done honor to a prince of royal blood.

The three points in which Thaw's lawyers were successful in their first legal skirmish were:

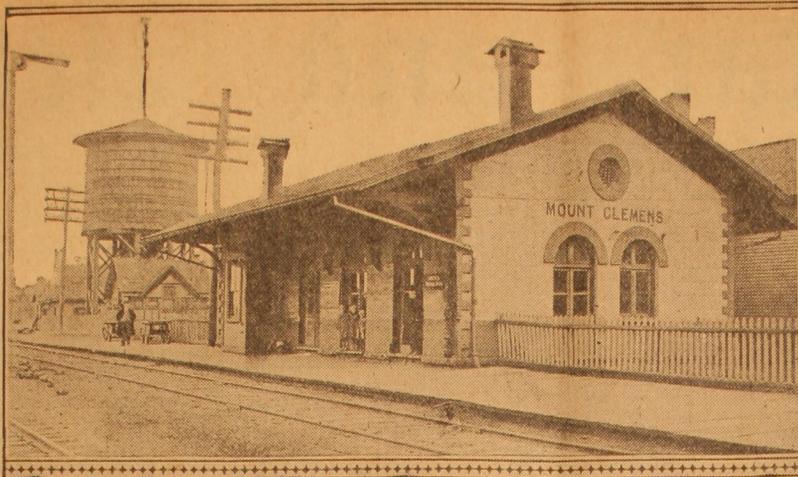
1. New York state was denied the right to be party to the proceedings in court.
2. Counsel for the state failed in their efforts to have Thaw arraigned before a magistrate and the commitment on which he is held quashed.
3. Judge Globensky granted the plea of Thaw's counsel for a discontinuance of the writ of habeas corpus which might have brought about his release. This remedied a strategic blunder made last week by Thaw's attorneys, who apparently did not realize then that in seeking their client's release they were playing into the opposition's hands.

Gaynor Announces He'll Run. New York, Aug. 29.—William Gaynor will run for re-election as mayor of New York at the head of an independent ticket. Lingering doubts as to his attitude were set at rest with this announcement by his secretary.

Disastrous Fire in Frisco. San Francisco, Aug. 29.—A loss of \$250,000 was caused by fire that destroyed a block of livery stables. One hundred and twenty-five horses burned to death. A policeman was seriously hurt trying to rescue the animals.

Soldiers Guard Race Track. Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 29.—All persons except the owners of the grounds and stables at the Mineral Springs race track were ordered kept outside the race track by Governor Ralston, who commanded the militiamen.

WHERE EDISON LEARNED TELEGRAPHY



On August 28 Thomas A. Edison is going back to Mount Clemens to visit the old passenger station where he learned telegraphy and began his career in the electrical world. He day, and it is expected that he will once more sit at his old place in the window facing the track as he did half a century ago, when both he and Mount Clemens were unknown to fame. The committee hopes to persuade the "Wizard" to send a message to President Wilson. Part of the old instrument at which Edison worked is still stored in one of the station buildings.

BANKERS WIN POINT

SENATE GETS OPINION ON THE CURRENCY BILL.

Senator Owens Sees Merit in Plan to Reduce the Quality of Bank Reserves.

Washington, Aug. 26.—In answer to the criticism of the currency bill made by the conference of bankers at Chicago, the administration's forces in the house will tighten up the lines and a more vigorous endorsement of the currency bill as it now stands will be the result.

Informal conferences of Democratic members of the house currency committee emphasized the fact that the active supporters of the president's currency plan expect to pass the measure through the house without substantial changes.

The proposal to reduce the quantity of reserves and give country banks the privilege of keeping part of their reserves in the large cities had many supporters, and ultimately may be worked into the bill in the senate, but the change is not expected in the house.

The bankers will have an opportunity to present their views openly to congress after the currency bill gets into the senate. Chairman Owen of the senate currency committee said that while hearings had not yet been arranged he expected leading representatives of the various "factions" among the bankers of the country would be invited to give their views of the bill to the senate committee.

"I see a great deal of merit in the proposal to reduce somewhat the quantity of the reserves," said Senator Owen.

The fact that the leading bankers hold differing views of the effect of the new legislation, particularly with regard to the possible reduction of loans and curtailment of credit, has led members of the senate committee to believe that a further discussion of the bill at open hearings would result in winning the co-operation and support of a large portion of the banking fraternity of the country.

NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Suicide leap, from the Masonic temple, claimed another victim when Henry Kortbagen, a painter, jumped from the roof and fell to the sidewalk on State street, narrowly missing several pedestrians.

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—All the perishable parts of Jack London's magnificent new stone castle on his ranch near Glenellen, Sonoma county, were destroyed.

Yarmouth, Eng., Aug. 25.—The hydroaeroplane flight around Great Britain, which started at Southampton, has been indefinitely postponed because of bad weather.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 26.—Officials of the Interurban Employer' union claimed that nearly 300 men were on strike, while the companies estimated the number out between 60 and 60. There was little evidence of trouble in Indianapolis.

Philadelphia, Aug. 26.—Frank L. ("Red") Donahue, star pitcher a dozen years ago, died at his home here after a long illness. He was forty-one years old. He signed with the St. Louis Nationals in 1896.

Mining Institute Opens. Duluth, Minn., Aug. 28.—Members of the Lake Superior mining institute, 250 in number, representing ore and coal interests in the states of Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois and Ohio, convened in annual session here.

Protest Against Strike Troops. Erie, Pa., Aug. 28.—Declaring their presence in the city was entirely unnecessary, the common council requested Gov. Tener to remove the state police from Erie. The sheriff and the mayor were bitterly criticised.

MAY ASSIST SULZER

SENATOR NOW IN PRISON, SAID TO HAVE EXPOSED TAMMANY CONSPIRACY.

GOVERNOR'S COUNSEL SPLIT?

New York Executive's Attorneys Are Reported to Be Estranged Over Demand for Indictment of "Boss" Murphy.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 27.—An unconfirmed report was revived among politicians here Monday that Senator Stillwell, who is now serving a sentence in Sing Sing for bribery, had made a confession to Governor Sulzer, implicating five senators, one assemblyman and several Tammany men. Asked about the report, Governor Sulzer said he was not responsible for it.

The indictment of Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall; Aaron J. Levy, leader of the Democratic majority in the assembly, and James Frawley, chairman of the committee which investigated Governor Sulzer's campaign contributions, has been requested by the district attorneys of New York and Albany counties by Judge Lynn J. Arnold of Albany, an ardent Sulzer supporter.

A possible breach in the ranks of Governor Sulzer's supporters was indicated by the statement of former Judge D. Cady Herriek, who leads the governor's legal forces in the impeachment matter, that "counsel for Governor Sulzer have nothing to do with any alleged criminal proceedings against Charles F. Murphy, Senator Frawley or Assemblyman Levy and are not pursuing any investigation of a criminal character against anyone."

"We would not be astonished if indictments were returned within forty-eight hours," said James C. Garrison, a New York newspaper man who is managing the publicity end of the governor's defense.

In support of the charge of criminal conspiracy against Boss Murphy and his lieutenants, the Sulzer followers declare they have evidence that some of the Republican assemblymen who voted to impeach the governor were told by their political bosses that unless they voted with Tammany they would be turned down for renomination.

One of these assemblymen rebelled at this coercion and he voted to sustain Sulzer. When he asked for a renomination he was told he could not have it.

"I'll tell all I know about this impeachment trick if you don't put me on the ticket," he is reported to have answered.

He was renominated.

NEW TARIFF LAW BY SEPT. 16

Simmons Predicts Bill Will Have President's Signature by That Date.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Chairman Simmons of the senate finance committee on Sunday predicted the senate could complete the tariff bill and pass it by September 5, and that the measure could be finished by the conference committee and signed by President Wilson by September 16.

Only unforeseen delay in debate will prevent the tariff bill from becoming a law by that time, in the opinion of Senator Simmons.

McLoughlin Wins Net Title. Newport, L. I., Aug. 28.—Maurice E. McLoughlin of San Francisco upheld his place of supremacy on the American lawn tennis courts of the Casino here by winning the All-Cornets' championship for the second time.

Over 12,000 Land in Gotham. New York, Aug. 28.—The beginning of the heavy autumn passenger traffic from Europe brought more than 12,000 passengers to New York on eight transatlantic liners that made port between sunrise and midnight.

THAW CHANGES PLANS

HABEAS CORPUS PROCEEDINGS WITHDRAWN BY LAWYERS.

Evelyn in Bankruptcy Proceedings Says Checks Given Her to Seek Divorce Were Not Paid.

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 28.—Thaw's attorneys withdrew the writ of habeas corpus Tuesday obtained in his behalf and the fugitive from Matteawan will not be arraigned in the superior court, as had been expected. The withdrawal of the writ may prolong the proceedings indefinitely.

Under the present commitment, Thaw's counsel assert, he might elect to have a hearing before a district magistrate or demand a jury trial before the king's bench, criminal side, which does not sit until October.

The New York state forces fighting for the return of Thaw hold that the writ of habeas corpus cannot be abandoned without formal permission of the court and that, in any event, Thaw will be forced into court even if the commitment on which he is held has to be quashed. If the state forces can make good their threat, Thaw may be discharged today and turned over to the immigration authorities for deportation before night.

Thaw spent the greater part of the day working out more details of his publicity campaign. His ambitions may be nipped to a certain extent by the curtailment of interviewers, but he can still send out statements.

New York, Aug. 28.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, testifying before a referee in bankruptcy, swore that Harry Thaw's mother had contracted to pay her \$15,000 cash and \$1,000 a month so long as she should live in return for Evelyn's entering into an action for the annulment of her marriage to Harry Thaw.

WATSON PAID BY THE WEEK

H. E. Mills Says He Hired Him for Lobby Work—Mulhall Hit McDermott.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Reiterating his charge that Representative McDermott of Illinois had "tipped him off" on numerous occasions regarding the prospects of pro-lobby legislation which the National Association of Manufacturers desired to fight, Colonel Mulhall, former lobbyist for the association, again took the stand before the house lobby investigating committee Friday. Mulhall said that he remembered specifically that in 1910 McDermott had sent him word to be on the lookout for an eight-hour law amendment to the sundry civil bill. I. N. McMichael, he said, was the bearer of the McDermott warning.

H. E. Mills of Racine, Wis., former chairman of the tariff commission of the National Association of Manufacturers, confirmed Martin M. Mulhall's statement that Mulhall advanced \$500 to the estate of James E. Watson, former representative from Indiana.

Butter Company's Plant Burns. Elgin, Ill., Aug. 27.—Less than half an hour after officials of the Elgin Butterine company had inspected the plant they had recently purchased for the purpose of determining repairs, it burned to the ground in three hours.

\$500,000 Fire in Railway Shops. Teague, Tex., Aug. 27.—Buildings covering twenty acres burned. The fire swept the Trinity and Brazos Valley railroad shops. The damage was \$500,000.

Americans Are Safe. Washington, Aug. 28.—Shirley C. Hulse and W. B. Fuller, Americans reported to have been in danger of their lives at La Boquilla, were reported safe in unofficial dispatches received at the state department.

Bryan Forgets to Go Home. Washington, Aug. 28.—The Mexican situation so absorbed Bryan that he forgot to go home, and while he waited for messages from John Lind he curled up on a couch, where he slept until morning.

ALLOTS CROP FUNDS

APPORTIONS \$46,000,000 TO BE DEPOSITED IN WEST AND SOUTH.

DISTRIBUTED IN 27 STATES

Government Has Chosen a Special Representative in Each City Who Will Serve in Conjunction With Clearing House Body.

Washington, Aug. 28.—An official statement of the apportionment of the \$50,000,000 crop-moving fund, so far as completed, to be deposited in national banks, was issued by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo on Tuesday.

The total amount allotted to date is \$46,500,000, of which \$24,700,000 goes to banks in the fourteen western states and \$21,800,000 to the thirteen southern states and the District of Columbia.

The southern banks have asked that their share of the funds be deposited in August and September, and those in the west want the money apportioned to them during September, October and November. The money will be allowed to remain on deposit on an average of four or five months. All of it is to be returned not later than next April, and the southern bankers, who get their money first, will begin turning it back into the treasury in monthly installments.

In each depositary city the government has chosen a special representative who will serve in conjunction with a clearing house committee of five to pass on all commercial paper recommended as security for deposits, and all paper before being accepted must be unconditionally recommended by this committee.

Following are the amounts allotted to each of the western states, the cities designated as depositaries and a partial list of the government's representatives:

- Illinois, \$4,000,000, Chicago, J. V. Farwell.
- Indiana, \$1,050,000, Evansville, J. W. Jehme; Fort Wayne, William P. Breen; Indianapolis, William L. Elder.
- Iowa, \$1,000,000, Des Moines; Sioux City, Martin J. Wade.
- Ohio, \$2,100,000, Cincinnati, Frank H. Aller; Cleveland, E. H. Baker, and Columbus, Butler Sheldon.
- Wisconsin, \$1,000,000, Milwaukee.
- Kansas, \$550,000, Kansas City and Wichita.
- Minnesota, \$2,000,000, Minneapolis, P. M. Kerst; St. Paul, A. M. Peabody, and Duluth.
- Missouri, \$5,000,000, Kansas City and St. Louis, E. O. Simmons.
- Nebraska, \$1,300,000, Omaha and Lincoln, A. S. Tibbets.
- Oklahoma, \$750,000, Muskogee, Francis E. Fite, and Oklahoma City, Hubert L. Bolen.
- Colorado, \$1,000,000, Denver, Richard H. Malone.
- California, \$3,000,000, Los Angeles and San Francisco.
- Oregon, \$800,000, Portland, Henry Teal.
- Washington, \$1,150,000, Seattle, Spokane, Daniel M. Drumheller.

FAMILY IN AUTO WIPED OUT

Husband, Wife, Two Children and Sister-in-Law Killed by Train in Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 28.—A whole family was wiped out on Tuesday when an automobile in which were J. F. Rowan, aged thirty-five, a steel worker, his wife and two children and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Allen Woodsmith, all of Brackenridge, Pa., was struck by a special train occupied by R. L. O'Donnell, general superintendent of the West Penn division of the Pennsylvania railroad, and officials of the company, who were making an inspection trip at Lane station, Lanesville, one-half mile east of Butler Junction on the Butler branch of the West Penn railroad.

Rowan, his wife and one child, one year old, were killed instantly, the others dying shortly after four o'clock in the home of Timothy Kennedy of Freeport, where they were taken after the accident.

Kankakee, Ill., Aug. 28.—Two people were killed and one seriously injured on Tuesday when the Big Four "White City Flyer" struck a large touring car belonging to Jacob Rediger of Chenoa. Mrs. Rediger and daughter were killed and a young son seriously injured. Jacob Rediger and an older son, who was driving the car, jumped and escaped injury. The train was running 70 miles an hour.

Passengers on the train were thrown into a panic when the gasoline tank of the automobile exploded, throwing ribbons of fire into the coaches.

Frank to Hang October 10. Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 28.—Judge Roan sentenced Leo M. Frank, convicted of the murder of little Mary Phagan, to be hanged October 10. Frank received his sentence stoically. The attorney for the defense moved for a new trial.

Quiet in Strike District. Erie, Pa., Aug. 27.—The strike situation is quiet in Erie. No outbreaks were reported and members of the state police are patrolling the industrial districts of the city and there appears to be no indication of trouble.

Jack Johnson Show Stopped. London, England, Aug. 27.—Jack Johnson's music hall engagements were "postponed" here on account of the intense resentment displayed on all sides. It is understood the postponement will be permanent.

ILLINOIS STATE NEWS

Belleville—Belleville capitalists are considering a proposition to establish a rabbit farm and raise the bunnies for their meat and hides. It is believed that the project can be made profitable.

Rockford.—By a vote of 14 to 1, the city council rejected a resolution to submit to the people for a vote the question of extending the street car company's franchise for an additional ten years.

Pontiac.—Glanders, the most deadly of horse diseases, broke out near Mason. Many valuable animals are affected. The state veterinary is killing diseased horses and has quarantined farms. Heavy money loss to farmers.

Peoria.—Ella Holbridge, inmate of Peoria state hospital for the insane, died of burns received in a fire. She escaped and went to the ruins of the distillery fire, where her clothing became ignited. She came here from Rockford.

Hoopeson.—At a special meeting of the recently organized Hoopeson Golf and Country club, officers were elected as follows: President, J. S. McFerrin; vice-president, J. H. Dyer; secretary-treasurer, F. H. Williams. A handsome clubhouse is being erected.

Peoria.—Following a conference between members of the Illinois Valley Yacht club and the Peoria Yacht club it was voted to cancel the proposed regatta of the Western Power Boat association, which was to have been given on the Illinois river on September 1 and 2.

Springfield.—After he had been pronounced legally dead, and after the Modern Woodmen had paid a policy of \$1,000 to his wife, Henry A. Miner, who disappeared ten years ago, leaving his wife, Mrs. Nora Miner, at Mulberry Grove, near Greenview, has been located at Horton, Ark.

Bloomington.—Mary Fox of London, secretary of the English Society of Quakers, was the leading speaker before the Illinois and Indiana conference of Quakers, explaining the progress of the movement in England. Jane Rushmore of Philadelphia spoke upon the work in Quaker schools.

Rockford.—While performing her household work, Mrs. Anna Parker, 118 Third avenue, this city, received a legal notice from England to the effect that she had fallen heir to a \$50,000 bequest. This sum was left the Rockford woman by her aunt, Mrs. Anna Conn of Liverpool. Mrs. Parker immediately arranged to go to England to take possession of her legacy.

Elgin.—Joe Dawson, speed demon, took his racer, met Attorney Erbslein of Chicago at the railroad station here, and proceeded to escort the latter to his racing camp on the Elgin course. A few minutes later Dawson was arrested by police officers, who charged he rounded a downtown corner on two wheels at 40 miles an hour.

Jacksonville.—Many complaints are being received from points in Morgan county concerning depredations of wolves among sheep and hogs. C. W. Watson was able to kill one of the wolves and farmers are constantly on the watch for others. It has been many years since wolves were reported in Morgan county.

Joliet.—Two Joliet men, foreigners, were arrested when Mrs. Mary Yadzge declared they had entered her home through a window and bombarded her sleeping baby with rocks. The woman rushed into the room and rescued the child amid a shower of rocks and stones. The trial of the men was postponed in the Joliet police court.

Springfield.—Jessie Glage, who is said to have served as "usher" for Frank alias Robert L. Milton, a Chicago clairvoyant, during the alleged process of fleecing Mary E. Rapp, a customer of \$3,000, will be returned to Chicago from Cleveland, where he is under arrest, to face trial on a confidence game charge. Governor Dunne issued a requisition on the governor of Ohio for his return.

Hartsville.—A three-year-old daughter of Noah Maddox, thirty-five, a prosperous farmer, was taken to Chicago after developing symptoms of rabies. Her father died after being kept in bed and muzzled for more than ten hours. Maddox and his daughter were bitten by a dog eight weeks ago. It was believed that Maddox had recovered. He went violently mad, frothed at the mouth and snapped at everything who came near him.

Murphysboro.—Continued depredations of a firebug has alarmed the residents of Carbondale and Mazoni townships to such an extent that bloodhounds have been brought into use in an effort to apprehend him. Peter Gurley and his family awoke to find their home in flames and barely had time to escape. Gurley and his son-in-law discovered that the house had first been robbed and then set on fire. A hundred persons were attracted to the scene and joined the sheriff and bloodhounds in pursuit.

Springfield.—Dr. B. A. Smith of Champaign was appointed by Governor Dunne as a member of the state board of dental examiners, to succeed Doctor Whipple of Quincy.

Centralla.—During an electric storm here a large oil tank containing about 250 barrels of oil at the Brown well east of the city was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed.

Carml.—George Creighton, twelve years old, of Chicago, and Charles Spooner, thirteen years old, of Dexter, Mo., were arrested charged with robbing the postoffice at Centralla, nine miles north of here.