

CARBAJAL QUILTS MEX CITY

Perfect Quiet Reigns After President Leaves for Vera Cruz.

SAYS HE HAS DONE HIS BEST

Aserts He Has Tried to Prevent Bloodshed, but that Constitutionalists Demanded Unconditional Surrender.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 13.—When the inhabitants of the federal capital awakened this morning the streets were empty, the barracks were deserted and the provisional president of the republic, as well as the members of his cabinet, had vanished.

Provisional President Carabajal left the city on a special train bound for Vera Cruz at 3:15 a. m.

Did His Best.

Provisional President Carabajal left behind him a manifesto to the nation saying that he had done his best in a provisional capacity to save the country from further bloodshed, but that his peaceful overtures had been met on the part of the constitutionalists by uncompromising demands for an unconditional surrender.

Two paths lay before him, he said, to fight or to accede to the constitutionalists. Under such conditions, the president asserted, that his government could no longer exist, and he concluded:

Fulfilled Duty.

"I leave the high post which I have occupied in the belief that I have fulfilled my duty towards my country and entrusting the lives and interests in the capital to the governor of the federal district.

"The whole responsibility for the future rests with the revolutionists and if I should behold a repetition of the situation, to which I am trying to put an end, the truth will be manifested once more that by violence society cannot be reconstructed."

Perfect quiet reigns throughout the city.

TO INVESTIGATE HIGH COST OF FOOD

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In the question, new legislation should be passed.

Officials said the president considered that in many cases the increases were wholly unjustifiable. When he returned from Mrs. Wilson's funeral at Rome, Ga., revolutionists already had been introduced in the house calling on the Department of Commerce and the Department of Justice to report what action they were taking. President Wilson's interest in the situation, however, was wholly apart from that and he probably would have taken action before had it not been for the death in the White House.

Special agents of the Department of Justice throughout the country and investigators of the Department of Commerce are available to collect evidence for any action the attorney general may think warranted. The Department of Labor also has a corps which has become very expert in gathering evidence of the increased cost of living.

McReynolds Moves Promptly.

Attorney General McReynolds at once replied to the president as follows: "The head of any special agency has been directed to five directions to his men throughout the country to begin investigations in order to ascertain the real facts, and I am sending the various district attorneys similar instructions. This should enable us to secure some definite information in respect to true conditions.

"May I take the liberty of suggesting that perhaps the agents of the Department of Commerce could render valuable assistance along the lines indicated.

"When we have become somewhat more familiar with the exact situation I hope to be able to make you some suggestions in respect to legal proceeding or appropriate legislation.

"The department has for some time been making investigations in various directions concerning the price of foodstuffs."

The president at once instructed Secretary Rodfish to have his agents begin similar investigations.

Inquiry Begins in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Investigation of an alleged conspiracy to increase the price of food in New York City was to begin today by District Attorney Whitman, who announced that persons having a knowledge of food prices would be given an opportunity of appearing before one of his assistants to tell their version of the upward trend of prices.

In the evening certain persons whom the district attorney has invited to attend his inquiry fail to appear, he announced that they would be subpoenaed.

Two other investigations to be set in motion today were those under the auspices of Mayor Mitchell and President Marks of Manhattan Borough. Mayor Mitchell announced that he would appoint a citizen's committee of fifty to look into the situation. President Marks will seek to ameliorate conditions through the open market committee which has been called to meet late today.

In addition to the activity of the city officials, Mrs. Julia Heath, president of the Housewives' league, has taken steps to start a food boycott as a protest against high prices. She has issued an appeal to every housewife in the country to join in the boycott.

The district attorney's investigation may lead to grand jury action.

Sausage Strangler in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—There was no change in the wholesale price of cut meats at the stock yards today except that sausage was described as "a trifle stronger."

The investigation of the alleged war rise of prices on foodstuffs ordered by the president, will be taken up, so far as Chicago is concerned, by District Attorney Wilkerson on his return from vacation tomorrow.

Port of Antwerp is Open.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The Belgian consulate today made public the following cablegram from the minister of war at Brussels:

"The port of Antwerp is open and the estuaries of the river Scheldt are open to commercial navigation. During the day there will be Dutch pilots."

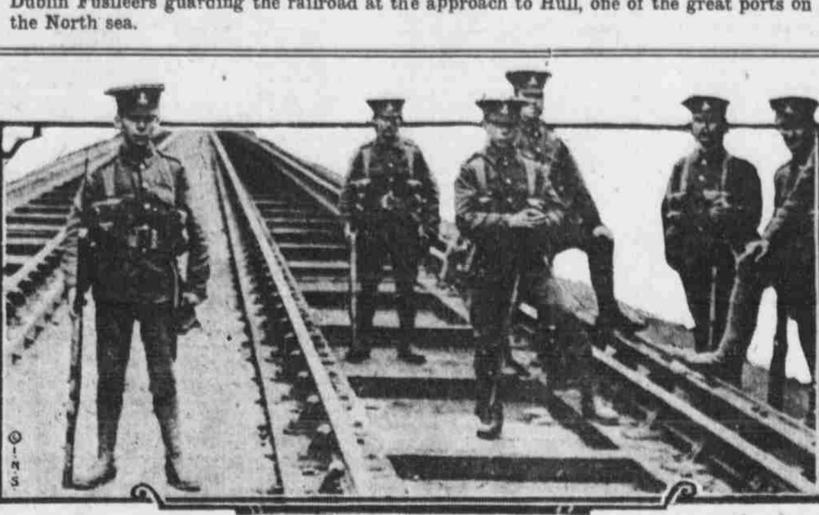
Butcher.

Commencing June 1st, Nickel Plate Road sells tickets Chicago to New York and return, \$27.00. Boston and return, \$35.00. Also variable routes. Liberal stopovers. Inquire local agent, or address John Y. Calahan, A. G. P. A., 66 W. Adams St., Chicago.

Iowa News Notes.

ENGLAND ON GUARD—Every English port and railroad is under guard these days; a ring of sentries girdles the island, so that no hostile approach is possible without immediate notice to the war office at London.

The picture shows a detachment of the Royal Dublin Fusiliers guarding the railroad at the approach to Hull, one of the great ports on the North sea.



Bill Introduced to Give Land Sites for Sanitarium Uses

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—All regularly organized and incorporated fraternal organizations would be allowed to obtain tracts of government land for sanitarium purposes for the benefit of their members under a bill introduced by Representative Baker of California, now before the house upon recommendation of the public lands committee. It follows a movement for legislation of this kind that has been carried on by fraternal associations and societies for a number of years. Many bills previously have been introduced on the subject, but they were to grant lands to these organizations by name, while the pending measure is general in scope, permitting any and all such organizations to obtain tracts for sanitariums.

The main object of the fraternal organizations is to obtain, in each case, a sufficiently large tract of land upon which a modern sanitarium may be established in an arid, semi-arid or mountainous states, in a salubrious section where the ill members of the organization may be treated and cured, particularly in cases of consumption.

The public lands committee has just reported to the house that there are large tracts of land in the public land states, which are practically useless for individual holdings. The bill permits the secretary of the interior to withdraw or reserve the land applied for, for not exceeding two years, to enable any fraternal organization to investigate and determine the condition of the climate, soil, water supply facilities and other questions, before obtaining patent. Then the organization could set not exceeding four sections of unoccupied non-irrigated, arid, semi-arid or mountainous land by placing substantial improvements, the land to be used exclusively for sanitarium purposes and if not so used to revert back to the United States.

President Wilson Appeals for Aid for the Red Cross

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—President Wilson, as head of the American Red Cross, today appealed to the American people to contribute money for the relief of sick and wounded soldiers of the warring European nations. The appeal was:

To the people of the United States:

"The present wars in Europe are certain to increase upon the Red Cross of the nations engaged a burden which demands the sympathy and aid of the world.

"The American Red Cross is earnestly desirous of assisting its sister societies in their endeavors to alleviate distress and suffering among the combatants and therefore appeals for funds to be expended impartially for the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers of the nations at war.

"Contributions for this purpose may be sent to the American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., or to local treasurers of the society in other states. I confidently hope that the humanity and liberality of the people of the United States, so often manifested in the past, will cause them to respond promptly and generously to this appeal.

(Signed), "WOODROW WILSON, President of American Red Cross."

Father of Iowa Man on Way to America is Executed as Spy

CARROLL, Ia., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Dr. G. Frutiger of this city today received a cablegram stating that his father, a Swiss, had been shot as a spy, presumably by the Germans. The elder Frutiger was on his way across the frontier between Switzerland and Germany, intending to come to America to live with his son, when he was taken and shot. Dr. Frutiger has been trying to get a cablegram through to his Swiss relatives to find out more particulars for a number of hours, and as yet is unable to reach them.

Mrs. E. M. Burke today received a telegram from her sister, Mrs. Dr. A. L. Wright, saying that she had arrived in New York on the Red Star liner, Kroonland, from London. Mrs. Wright had been one of the stranded American tourists in London and was fortunate to secure an early passage back.

FRENCH OFFICER GETS A MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY

PARIS, Aug. 13.—The first officer to be decorated for gallantry in the war is Second Lieutenant H. J. Eruyant of the Piteenth dragons. General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, in conferring the cross of the Legion of Honor on Lieutenant Eruyant said the officer with seven of his men had charged thirty times, and that Eruyant had killed the officer of the Germans with his own hands while the other members of the band were routed.

An Ideal Woman's Lavative.

No better laxative than Dr. King's New Life Pills. They help the liver and bowels by healthy action. See All Druggists. Advertisement.

German Reservists Who Return Home Must Pay Own Fare

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The indefinite postponement yesterday of the sailing of the French liner Rochambeau, the posting of notices in the French consulate that hereafter reservists anxious to join their colors should make application by mail and the fact that the German consulate is sending over only those reservists who can pay their passage, appeared to indicate today that the warping powers are not over-anxious for assistance from their reservists in this country.

It also became known that the German consulate is sending back to various cities all reservists who have come here without funds.

The halting of the Rochambeau came on orders from the home office of the French line in Paris, two hours before it was to sail. It was stated definitely at the French consulate that there was grave suspicion that German warships were lying in wait for the Rochambeau along the route it was to take and far out at sea.

The Belgian bureau announced last night that Belgium did not want any more reservists.

Rail Carriers Must Not Make Exclusive Deals with Vessels

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The interstate commerce commission today, declaring that the Western Pacific railway and the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake railroad and their connections must join the Pacific Navigation company in establishing through routes and joint fares on first-class passenger traffic, declared that if rail carriers were permitted to choose particular boat lines to establish through routes and joint rates, "they will be able to dictate who shall operate on the water and who shall not."

"The boat line which is accorded a monopoly of the through rail and water traffic, will soon be able to drive its competitors out of business," the commission holds.

"The spirit of the act to regulate commerce is to maintain free ports and to allow boat liners to engage in traffic on equal terms. To permit the rail carriers serving a port to favor one boat line or another would destroy the freedom of competition between boat lines and practically close ports to all but the favored vessels."

The Pacific Navigation company operates steamers between San Francisco, San Pedro and San Diego.

Americans from Berlin in Holland

BERLIN, Aug. 12.—(Via Copenhagen, via London, 7:30 a. m.)—A special train with 600 Americans left at 1 o'clock in the afternoon for Holland. Preparations have been advanced for the departure of other Americans. The leading banks here are now paying cash on letters of credit.

A meeting of 500 Americans in the German capital was informed last evening that many German families were ready to take stranded Americans into their homes without cost. The first on the list of those willing to do so was Adolf Wermuth, the lord mayor, who declared he would take three Americans.

The banks here also are ready to grant credits to Americans. The president of the German bank declared he would grant \$250,000 against adequate securities.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 13.—(Via London.)—The special train bringing 500 Americans from Berlin, arrived here at 2 o'clock this morning. The party, which was under the direction of the American ambassador to Germany, James W. Gerard, continued on the train to Rotterdam, whence it will sail for the United States on a steamer of the Holland-American line.

Husband Shoots Wife and Himself

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 12.—Mrs. Tillie Rolfe, 29 years old, lay in the room adjoining the operating table at the Swedish hospital today preparatory to an operation for appendicitis. John Rolfe, 39 years old, her husband, a wealthy farmer of Randolph, Kan., drove up to the hospital in a motor car.

"Oh, John, why don't you quit drinking?" Mrs. Rolfe said as he entered her room and then the door closed.

Five minutes later five shots were heard. Three bullets had entered Mrs. Rolfe's body, and Rolfe lay on the floor, a revolver grasped in his hand, with two wounds in his head. He had shot his wife and himself. Both will die.

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Revenue Will Be Hundred Million Dollars Too Low

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Ways and means to supplement falling customs receipts by other taxes during the European war were discussed today by Secretary McAdoo and Chairman Simmons of the senate finance committee and Chairman Underwood of the house ways and means committee. There was considerable talk of the feasibility of a stamp tax on checks and documents much the same as during the Spanish war and of an increased tax on beer and tobacco.

No conclusion was reached and Senator Simmons and Representative Underwood will have another conference.

It was determined to draft a bill to raise \$100,000,000 by additional internal revenue. Senator Simmons and Representative Underwood will confer on the plan again and the ways and means committee will take up the task of framing the bill as soon as possible.

Germans Accused of Violating Geneva and Hague Treaties

BRUSSELS, Aug. 13.—(Via Paris, 1:35 p. m.)—It is stated here today that the intervention of the neutral powers is to be asked for by the Belgian foreign minister, through their diplomatic representatives in the Belgian capital, in reference to alleged reported violation by the German troops in Belgium of the Geneva and the Hague convention.

M. Davignon, the Belgian foreign minister, has drawn up a long list of cases, declared to be fully attested, of the killing of the wounded, the abuse of the white flag, the killing of civilians and the seizure of private and public funds.

DEATH RECORD.

George Haecker, Ravenna, Neb., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—George Haecker, aged 30 years, died at the home of his son, John Haecker, five miles west of Ravenna, yesterday morning. Mr. Haecker has been quite feeble for several years, but when younger was an industrious farmer. He is survived by his aged widow and several children. L. D. Huffman.

MORRILL, Neb., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—L. D. Huffman, a highly esteemed farmer and citizen residing about four miles north of this place, was buried here today. He was a veteran of the civil war and leaves a widow, four sons and three daughters.

HYMENEAL.

Hobbs-Vette. AVOCA, Neb., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Mr. Emmet I. Hobbs and Miss Clara May Vette, two well known young people living east of town, were united in marriage at Nebraska City, Wednesday, by Judge Blachof. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hobbs and the bride is the daughter of Henry Vette. After a short wedding trip they will reside on a farm near Avoca.

Gold Arrives from Alaska.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Half a million dollars in gold bullion arrived on the steamer Admiral Evans from Alaska late last night. The gold was taken aboard at Seward, Cordova, Valdez and Skagway.

GRAND JURY INQUIRY ON

Des Moines Investigators Looking for Commission Men's Combine.

TO LEARN CAUSE OF HIGH PRICES

Conferences Held with Dealers of All Kinds of Produce, but Thus Far Little of Importance Found Out.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—The local grand jury has commenced investigation into the causes of undue high prices of foodstuffs, under direction of the county attorney, with a view to disclosure of the commission men's combine of the various commission houses and others to put up prices here. Conferences have been held with dealers of all kinds, but thus far it has been impossible to arrive at any results.

Morgans to Provide Money to Americans in France and Italy

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—J. P. Morgan & Co., today received the following cablegram from Morgan Hargis & Co., their Paris house:

"Please announce that we have made arrangements to meet financial requirements of all properly accredited Americans throughout France. We have also sent 500,000 francs in gold to Switzerland for use of Americans there and hope our agents, the Credit Suisse, will also be able to help out in Italy."

Proposal Made to Raise War Loans in United States

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—J. P. Morgan & Co. have inquired of the State department what the United States government's attitude would be toward a French war loan of several hundred millions to be floated in this country.

It is also understood that certain financial houses have approached the government with a view of ascertaining its attitude toward an Austrian loan for an unnamed amount.

Big Shipment of Eggs to England

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—In the refrigerators of the American liner New York, when it sails for London tomorrow, will be 30,000 dozen eggs, the first American eggs for English markets since the beginning of the European war. These eggs cost here 25 cents a dozen. They were ordered by cable from London and there were calls for more but the steamer could not accommodate them.

With the supply of eggs from Russia shut off, England had no place to turn, except America.

Gifford Pinchot Will Take Bride

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—In a telegram to Fremont Older of this city, Gifford Pinchot, the progressive leader, announced today his engagement to Miss Cornelia Bryce, daughter of General Lloyd Bryce of Flushing, L. I., formerly minister to the Netherlands.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—It was said at the political headquarters of Gifford Pinchot in this city this afternoon that he will be married on Saturday morning at the home of his mother in Saugatuck, Conn.

War Stops Copper and Gold Mining

EL PASO, Aug. 12.—Further paralysis of the mining industry in the southwest and Mexico is threatened by the European war. The copper industry is said virtually to have been killed by the suspension of demand for crude metal in Europe.

Now the gold mining industry is threatened. This is due, mining men here said today, to the shortage of potassium cyanide which is a necessary element in the extraction of gold. Practically the entire supply of this material comes from Germany.

Fashion Hint



By LA RACONTEUSE.

Afternoon Gown of Gray Satin—The waist is of embroidered maline and the revers are gray satin. The collar is white lace, which also trims the elbow sleeves. The skirt has two deep scalloped flounces and a long plaited tunic.

CATTLE RAISERS READY TO PUT STOCK ON SHOW

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 13.—(Special.)—One hundred and forty cattle entries were received at the office of the State Board of Agriculture yesterday. This was a record breaker as far as cattle entries were concerned and proves that the 1914 cattle display at the state fair will be the largest and best in the history of Nebraska exhibitions. The entries Wednesday come from the following: Shorthorn—H. C. Lookabaugh, Watonga, Okl.; Rapp Bros., St. Edward, Neb.; C. A. Saunders, Manila, Ia. Herefords—W. J. Davis, Jackson, Miss. Red Polled—Hansler Bros., Holbrook, Neb.; W. R. Hill, Alexandria, S. D.; Frank Ketterer, Bethany, Neb. Holstein—J. J. Jansen, Stanton, Neb.

King George Offers Castle for Hospital

LONDON, Aug. 13.—King George has offered Balmoral castle as a hospital for wounded soldiers.

FRIEDMAN MUST FINISH PAVING OF FORTY-FIRST

San Friedman, a contractor, has been notified by City Commissioner Thomas McGovern of the department of public improvements that he will be arrested at noon Friday if he has not resumed work of paving and repairing Forty-first street from Farrman to Emile streets. Commissioner McGovern says the contractor quit work entirely because some of his material had been condemned.

GERARD LEAVES GERMAN CAPITAL FOR AMSTERDAM

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The Morning Post's Amsterdam correspondent says that James W. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany, has left Berlin for Amsterdam.

Visitors in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—Miss Mary Moore and Miss Frankie Bullock of Omaha were in Washington today on their way home after a visit in the east. Congressman Loback escorted them through the White House and the bureau of engraving and printing, and they left for Omaha this evening.

Germans Threaten to Kill Every Tenth Person in Kalisz

ST. PETERSBURG, Via London, Aug. 13.—(4:30 a. m.)—According to a semi-official dispatch the German troops before Kalisz, Russian-Poland, have issued a proclamation stating that every tenth inhabitant of Kalisz will be shot in the event of further resistance.

A mass was celebrated today at the Russian ministry of finance in memory of M. Nikoloff, the city treasurer of Kalisz, said to have been shot by the German troops while at his post.

The Grand Duke Constantine Constantinovitch has given the famous marble palace in St. Petersburg as a hospital.

The Twenty-Year Test.

"Some twenty years ago I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes George W. Brock, publisher of the Enterprise, Aberdeen, Md. "I discovered that it was a quick and safe cure for diarrhoea. Since then no one can sell me anything said to be 'just as good.' During all these years I have used it and recommended it many times, and it has never disappointed anyone." For sale by all druggists.—Advertisement.

Japanese Merchant Ship is Damaged by Fire of British Fort

SHANGHAI, Aug. 13.—The Japanese steamer Shikoku Maru was seriously damaged today and one of its crew killed by a cannon shot fired from the British fort at Hong Kong while the vessel was entering the harbor.

The Shikoku Maru paid no attention to the harbor regulations. Two warning shots were fired over its bow, but it did not stop, and a third shell then struck it amidships.

A government tug afterward assisted the steamer to its berth.

IN TORTURE WITH ECZEMA ON HANDS

Itching Burning. Had No Rest Anywhere. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Eczema Healed.

Grylla, Miss.—"For about two years I suffered with eczema on both of my hands. At first it appeared in the form of pin-head sized vesicles filled with fluid and caused me torture with itching and burning. I had no rest anywhere. The itching and burning were so bad that I scratched. My hands were very bad.

"I got some and other salves too, but they did no good. I read the advertisement of the Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I decided to send for some for trial. After using them a few times I got relief. I bought seventy-five cents' worth of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and followed the directions given for eczema and was cured." (Signed) J. M. Langnes, Mar. 24, 1914.

RASH ON FACE AND HEAD

"215 W. 26th St., Marion, Ind.—"My baby was two weeks old when he had an awful breaking out on his face and head. It came like a rash and itched and burned so he did not sleep hardly a minute. The eczema looked like chicken-pox and pained him awfully. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and in a week or two it was well, not a pimple left." (Signed) Mrs. Minnie Clark, Jan. 28, 1914.

Samples Free by Mail

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I paid in on this policy in premiums in twenty years \$440.00 and have received in return \$443.44, \$3.44 more than I paid in, besides having the protection for \$1000.00 the full twenty years.

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Wishing you success, I am, Very truly yours, A. J. RUCKER.

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