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## IS THIS THE CAUSE OF IMPENDING WAR

One War Correspondent Bold Enough to Say What He Thinks, Tells a World of Truth in the Following.

### JEOPARDIZED AMERICAN DOLLARS THE CAUSE

Fred L. Bolt, a war correspondent who syndicates his stuff, and who is brave enough to say that few correspondents are saying, tells a world of truth in the following:

"The noisiest thing in Mexico is a jeopardized American dollar. You can hear its cries any evening on the Plazada la Cathedral.

"What," the American business man who has fled from Mexico wants to know, "are we loafing in Vera Cruz for? When are our troops going to march on the capital?"

"The American business man left Mexico City hurriedly. He left a business worth, say, \$100,000. For all he knows the federals also have burned his store and looted his safe.

"He wants to know if there are such things as the rights of property. It is the duty of the United States government, he says, to protect American business interests abroad.

"What is your business in Mexico worth?" he was asked.

"One hundred thousand dollars," he said and groaned.

"And you want the American troops to go to Mexico City and save it?"

"I certainly do. I'm an American citizen."

"How long have you lived in Mexico?"

"Twenty-five years."

"Pay any taxes in the United States?"

"Certainly not. My property is all in Mexico."

"Ever go home to vote?"

"No."

"Then you, who don't care enough about your country to live there some times or to vote or pay taxes, want American soldiers sent to Mexico City to save your property?"

"But you don't see that I am not alone in Mexico? There are hundreds—yes, thousands—of Americans in business in Mexico City."

"Exactly," spoke up one of the newspaper men. "The census of 1910 gave 15,000 Americans in Mexico and a total population of 16,000,000."

"Of the 15,000 Americans, we'll say 5,000 are men working for the big mining and oil companies for wages and small salaries. That leaves 10,000 of the big fellows. And you want 90,000,000 people to come to rescue 10,000!"

"Well, if we don't do something soon it will be impossible to do business in Mexico."

"The man who will die for my piano joined army with patriotic motives. So did the ten who died for yours. They are better Americans than you, because they stay at home and vote and pay taxes. They are producers and some day they will be—if they are not now—husbands and fathers of children."

"But doggone it! haven't I any rights at all in Mexico?"

"Not one. You knew Mexico was turbulent when you came in. You took a gambler's chance, because there was a prospect of big profits. You've lost. That's all—you've lost."

"Then all the little jeopardized American dollars clamored twice as loudly as before."

"But the army at Vera Cruz sheds few tears with the weeping American dollars!"

### ANOTHER BIG PARK OPENING

Fine Weather and Big Crowd Visit Jenner's Park Opening Day.

#### OTHER TOWNS WELL REPRESENTED

Yesterday was one of the finest and most successful days in point of crowds and enjoyable times of any of like occasions in the past. The weather was ideal and the rains of the days previously had prepared the park as one of the most inviting places to visit. Goodly crowds were present from Sargent, Comstock, Arcadia, Ashton, Rockville and the country roundabout notwithstanding the fact that farmers were busy in their fields and many could not take the day off. The band rendered splendid music during the afternoon and evening. The game between Arcadia and Comstock, resulting in a score of 5 to 4 in favor of the former. The dance pavilion was patronized even better than on former occasions. The Miller boys gave some fine wrestling exhibitions in the evening which highly pleased the crowds, with Referee Conhiser at his best. Jenner Park has just received a consignment of snakes from South America, an alligator and several other interesting things for exhibition. Late in the afternoon extended comments on the day, but it was no doubt perfectly satisfactory alike to both the park management and patrons of that splendid amusement resort.

Mr. Stansbury, father of Mrs. R. P. Starr, arrived here last Thursday noon from Idaho, for a few week's visit with daughter and family.

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### FREE TRIP TO EXPOSITION

3000 Nebraska Ladies to Compete for Free Trip to Panama.

#### HELP YOUR HOME CANDIDATES

The names of the young ladies in this locality who have been entered in the contest to win a trip with expenses paid to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition are attached hereto.

By June 17, the day proclaimed by Governor Morehead as Nebraska Panama-Pacific Dollar Day, no less than three thousand (3000) young women in Nebraska will be engaged in the taking of \$1.00 contributions for a Nebraska building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Each contributor of \$1.00 will receive a bronze medal bearing upon one side the seal of the state of Nebraska and upon the other the seal of the Exposition.

To the young lady who sends in the largest amount of money thus raised will be given a trip for one week to the Exposition with all expenses paid, or \$100.00 in cash. To the three ladies sending in the next largest amounts will be given free transportation to the Exposition, or \$60.00 in cash. To the next 250 ladies will be given gold medals of the design above described.

This is a patriotic movement to which every loyal Nebraskan will subscribe. The fact that every forty states of the Union have already raised the money for Exposition homes makes it imperative that Nebraska should take quick action.

The raising of the money through \$1.00 contributions imposes a burden upon no one and all the more glory and credit will accrue to those who make this project possible, even at this late hour.

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Mrs. Will Draper and youngest child went to Central City last Saturday for an over-Sunday visit with their husband and father. Will being so busy he could not take the time to get away from his work to make his usual Sunday home-coming.

T. D. Wilson was called last Saturday to the bedside of a brother at Plattesville, Wis., who was reported very ill.

John Lewis went to Hamilton Saturday morning last for a few days visit with his brothers.

### DAIRYMEN TO HOLD RALLY

Exhibits Comprise all Modern Appliances Used in Dairying.

#### SPLENDID PROGRAM PREPARED

The Central Nebraska Dairymen's Rally, an event of statewide interest, is scheduled for Central City, Wednesday and Thursday the 17th and 18th days of June, and the activity of those deeply interested is an assurance that great crowds will be present on that occasion. The program has been completed, and the speakers recognized throughout the west as men of authority on subjects pertaining to dairy industry. The exhibits will comprise a complete equipment of all appliances used in connection with the dairy such as milking machines, dairy utensils, stalls and stanchions, feed and litter carriers, electrical apparatus, separators and silos.

An extensive educational exhibit arranged by the University of Nebraska will be an especially valuable feature. A large exhibit of dairy cattle of various breeds will be there for your inspection. The programs and exhibits will be of deep interest to everyone, so make it a point to be present and bring your family. The rally of last year was a big success. This year a better program and more exhibits are promised.

Clark Reynolds left Monday noon to look after his land at Valentine. He will build a home thereon and after that is finished he will have no further excuse for remaining a confirmed bachelor. Warren Guile accompanied him and we understand will work there. Clark may return in a couple of weeks to look after some business interests here, or may remain at Valentine indefinitely, according to future plans.

### Automobiles Collide Without Serious Results

Last night at about 10:00 o'clock one of the Dunning boys ran his auto into the car belonging to Mr. Rettenmayer of Arcadia, resulting in the destruction of a wheel of the latter's car. The accident occurred by Mr. Dunning misjudging the intentions of Rettenmayer. Dunning

Miss Henry Young, formerly one of our most popular city teachers, but who for the past two years has been teaching at Ogden, Utah, in the city schools, and making her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hale there, arrived last Friday from a visit down in Tennessee, on her way home to Ogden, and will visit here for a week or so. Her host of friends here are well pleased to greet her once more.

Mrs. Lou Schwamer and little son left last Saturday morning for Lincoln, where she will visit a sister who graduates from the States University, and as a delegate to the P. E. O., which will be in session there this week.

### Buys Property in Loup City

J. D. Calloway, one of the leading farmers of Bristol township, has purchased the W. P. Reed property and will soon move to Loup City and make this his home. He is highly spoken of by the people of Bristol and over the county, where as an old citizen of Sherman he is most well and favorably known. Mr. Reed, we understand, will move with his family at an early date to Indiana.

Romeo Conger returned from his visit to Kansas City and other points in the "show me" state Monday noon of this week, reporting a very enjoyable time.

## HOUSE TAKES RAP AT SPELLBINDERS

Bill in House to Prohibit Cabinet Officers From Making the Chautauque Circuit in the Hereafter.

### WHAT WILL BECOME OF THE GREAT W. J. B.

Secretary Bryan's lecture tour cropped up in the house June 8th again, when Representative Britten of Illinois, republican, introduced a bill to make it a penal offense for any cabinet, officer head, or clerk of a government department to lecture for pay, other than actual and traveling expenses, and to prohibit senators or representatives from lecturing for pay while congress is in session. Offenders would be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for two years or suffer both penalties.

Mr. Britten launched a broadside in a statement accompanying his bill in which he spared no political party and included Sen. LaFollette and Representative Mudd. "This bill was prepared last September, but was not introduced when Secretary Bryan formally declared that he would lecture no more during the period," he said. "The recent announcement from Philadelphia that several members of congress and the distinguished secretary members of state had signed contracts for a period of lectures beginning July 1, is responsible for my bill."

"I am at a loss to understand how the secretary can consistently leave his office when a state of war practically exists between this country and Mexico and the foreign policy of our government is

being laughed at by every civilized nation on earth. This certainly is no time for Mr. Bryan to be hiking around the country doing one-night stands with Tyrolean yodlers, contortionists and sleight-of-hand artists, and I am equally opposed to members of congress doing this sort of thing when congress is in session.

### Items of News From Ashton

Hadie Adamski returned home from Omaha, Saturday.

Quite a number of Loup City people attended the ball game here Sunday.

A large crowd attended the graduation exercises at the opera house Sunday evening.

Miss Stella Jamrog was a passenger to St. Paul Monday, returning in the evening.

Mrs. Fairfield left Sunday for Grand Island to visit a sick relative.

J. J. Rapp and Leon Beza were business visitors to Loup City, Saturday evening.

The best game of the season was played Sunday. Ashton winning from Elba by a score of 6 to 5.

Mrs. Ojendyk and children returned home from a weeks visit in Lincoln.

Miss Mollie Sperling who has been visiting at Arlington, Nebr., the past few months returned home Wednesday.

A heavy rain with a strong wind fell Monday, the barn of Thos. Grella was moved and a good sized shed overturned.

A newly married couple that are visiting at Hrubys' were aroused Saturday night by a crowd who were after a treat and a good time.

Lightning struck Mr. Sanberg's barn Thursday, he saw the crash and got to the barn as soon as possible, and put out the fire that started in the hay mow.

It is with great pleasure that the many friends of Joe O'Brian of Ord learn that he has gone back to his first love, the U. P. railroad. Alto one of the oldest engineers in the service, Joe has determined to familiarize himself with another branch of the service and has gone on as brakeman on the Ord branch. The hope of his many friends in Loup City is that genial Joe O'Brian will go on and on, until as a merit for his service the presidency of the road will be his. Selah.

State Examiner Stapleton was here last Thursday and Friday making examination of the county treasurer's office and found everything in fine condition. We congratulate Treasurer Henry on the splendid report made by the state official.

M. C. Mulick received a letter Tuesday from a sister at Sanborn, Iowa, telling of a tornado which wrecked the east part of town last Friday killing 7 and wounding 15 people. The sister and family were unharmed.

Mrs. Gilbert was called home to Kansas City Tuesday by the serious illness of a daughter in that city.

Leon Beza, G. Polski and J. J. Rapp celebrated in Dannebrog June 5th.

Mrs. Lulu Lee-Fitzgerald left for her Colorado home this morning.

Jennie Long left Tuesday for her home at Harvard.

### Insanity Board Pronounce Patterson Sane

Last Saturday on complaint of his brother John, James Patterson of Arcadia was brought before the insanity board. The prisoner duly examined and found by the board to be sane. Even the accusing brother was not here to push his claim against James and the board

found by his talk and full account of things that there was no reason whether to hold him for insanity. He was, therefore, turned loose. The charge looked like a personal or family matter to the board. —Ord Quiz.

### Fire Totally Destroys Home

The home of Andrew Wiantowski, on the old Geitner farm, two miles southeast of this city, destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon, the cause said to be a defective chimney. Mr. Wiantowski was in Loup City at the time, was notified of the fire by phone but failed to get home by until the destruction was complete. We understand a small insurance was on home or contents.

A. D. Hinman and daughters, Misses Maud and Edna, arrived here last Friday evening on a visit to their son and brother and family. Mr. Hinman has sold his home and all but banking interests at St. Edwards, and he and daughters are on their way to California to make their future home, though they have not decided on a location. They will be here a couple of weeks.

The office hunter is abroad in the land and ye "country yokel press" is flooded with extra mail from the dear fellow who wish favorable mention of their ability, willingness and desire to serve the dear people. Have you noticed any announcement of them in the Tribune? Like all publishers we are in the business simply for health and fun (?), but the chaps that ride in our car will have to pay for the "gas" they use on the trip. —Marsland Tribune.

Latest reports from the bedside of August Beushausen are to the effect that he is failing very rapidly and fears are entertained that the end is rapidly nearing.

### Loup City a Good Business Point

If you have an idea that Loup City is not a pretty good business point let us tell you that the B. & M. at this point alone during the month of May last received and shipped out on an average of between seven and eight tons of merchandise daily in less than car load lots, beside all car load shipments of stock, grain, flour, etc. We very much doubt if any of our sister towns of like size can equal that showing.

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### Very Fortunate Auto Accident

Last Thursday, while Homer Ogle was driving home from Ravenna, where he had driven Dr. Bowman to take the train to Chicago, and when some five miles this side of Ravenna, the axle on the front left wheel of the auto snapped, the car swerving to one side plunging into a bank, which it climbed upwards a few feet and stopped. Had the accident occurred on a grade, it would undoubtedly have plunged off to one side, turned turtle and our columns made to record a fatality or at least a serious injury to Mr. Ogle, who was the only occupant of the unregenerate speed devil. It was indeed a lucky outcome.

### Progressive Convention Call

The Progressive party will hold a county convention on Saturday, June 20th, at the court room in Loup City. The business of the convention will be to select delegates to the state convention, to select a new central committee, and to transact such other business as may be for the good and welfare of the Progressive party. All Progressives are invited to attend.

E. F. Jones, Acting chairman and secretary.

Friends of Miss Nellie Jeffords will be gratified to hear that she has been awarded a scholarship in the Dagnrosch Conservatory of Music in New York City, as a result of unusual ability displayed in the past year's work there.