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GERMANS SLOWLY WITHDRAW FROM LINE ON NIEMEN

Kaiser's Army Which Penetrated Into Northern Poland Retreating Into East Prussia.

SNOW IN THE WESTERN ARENA

Only New Feature of Conflict There is Air Attack of the Allies on Ostend.

TURK POSITION IMPREGNABLE

The Day's War News

PETROGRAD dispatches says Russians are advancing toward East Prussia. The German right wing is said to have beaten a hasty retreat to within eight miles of the border.

BATTLE OF CHAMPAGNE has become less violent. Snow has interrupted fighting in the Vosges, where along the western front there is no great activity.

FURTHER ADVANCES by the Russian army which is striking into Turkish Armenia, along the shore of the Black Sea, are announced at Petrograd.

BULGARIA, considered the least likely of any of the Balkan nations now at peace to join the allies, is confronting an internal crisis over the question of peace or war. Reports reaching Paris state that Premier Radoslovoff has been overthrown by the influence of King Ferdinand because he desired immediate action against Turkey.

THE COURSE OF GREECE is still to be determined, although King Constantine, in his opposition to war, is said to have the support of the general staff.

BRITISH ADMIRALTY places at fifteen the number of merchantmen sunk by German submarines from January 21 to March 3, out of a total of 8,734 sailings and arrivals.

LONDON, March 9.—Obstinate fighting marks the battles along the eastern front on the continent, with the Germans slowly withdrawing from the River Niemen in the direction of their own East Prussian fronter. At the same time the new offensive movement against Warsaw and on the Pilica evidently has not as yet developed into the great engagement which has been expected in this locality.

In the western arena of hostilities the only new feature lately has been the allied air attack on Ostend. In the Champagne region, where the French have been assuming the offensive lately, a snow storm has given a forced rest to the troops. It is not unwelcome, for they have been almost constantly engaged for the last fortnight.

Judging from the statement made yesterday by the British admiralty it is apparent that only one merchantman, the collier Bengrove, has fallen a victim to the submarine blockade of the Germans since February 25.

The first hint of British retaliation against the personnel of German submarine raiders has been conveyed in an official statement that the officers and crew of the German under sea boat U-8, which fell a prey to a flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers ario[illegible] to hunt for submariner, will be [illegible] the usual privileges of prisoners of war.

Press comments appearing in Berlin indicates a feeling of optimism over the near eastern situation. The Turkish opinion that the Dardanelles are impregnable is being endorsed and papers express the belief that King Constantine will hold Greece to a course of neutrality.

Negotiations Opened.

BERLIN, March 9.—(Via Wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The Berlin newspapers report that negotiations between Austria-Hungary and Italy have been opened and there are good prospects of an agreement being arrived at.

The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Wednesday:

For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity—Partly cloudy; no important change in temperature.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.

Hours.	Deg.
5 a. m.	23
6 a. m.	24
7 a. m.	25
8 a. m.	24
9 a. m.	24
10 a. m.	24
11 a. m.	25
12 m.	26
1 p. m.	27
2 p. m.	29
3 p. m.	31
4 p. m.	30
5 p. m.	29
6 p. m.	27
7 p. m.	26
8 p. m.	25

Comparative Local Record.

	1915.	1914.	1913.	1912.
Highest yesterday	31	47	58	34
Lowest yesterday	23	26	33	1
Mean temperature	17	38	46	11
Precipitation	.00	.00	.00	.00

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal:

Normal temperature	32
Deficiency for the day	6
Total deficiency since March 1	31
Normal precipitation	.04 inch
Deficiency for the day	.04 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	1.57 inches
Excess since March 1	1.22 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1914	.35 inch
Deficiency for cor. period, 1913	.35 inch

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

Station and State of Weather.	Temp. 7 p. m.	High-est.	Rain-fall
Cheyenne, clear	34	40	.00
Davenport, clear	34	46	.00
Denver, partly cloudy	36	40	.00
Des Moines, part. cloudy	30	34	.00
Lander, clear	44	48	.00
Omaha, clear	26	31	.00
Pueblo, partly cloudy	32	38	T
Rapid City, clear	18	36	.00
Sheridan, clear	38	42	.00
Sioux City, cloudy	18	26	.00
Valentine, clear	18	26	.00

T indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

M. P. STOCK SHOOTS AS GOULDS GO OUT

Retirement of These Interests Anticipated by Early Advance in Rail Shares.

BUSH HEADS COMBINED SYSTEM

NEW YORK, March 9.—The retirement of the Gould interests from control of the Missouri Pacific railroad and allied properties was anticipated in the stock market by an early advance in Missouri Pacific and other Gould shares. After the announcement of the election of this new Missouri Pacific board of directors that stock yielded about a point of its rise.

Bush Heads Combined System.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—B. F. Bush of St. Louis today was elected chairman of the board of directors of the Missouri Pacific and of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern railways, and also chairman of the executive committees of both roads.

In these offices he replaces George J. Gould, who was eliminated from official relationship to the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain system at the annual meeting of the roads today.

Mr. Bush was re-elected president of the combined system. The changes made today were considered as definite in making the transfer of the control of the so-called Gould system from New York to St. Louis. Two vice presidents in St. Louis in active management of the road were re-elected.

Vice Presidents Re-Elected.

The men re-elected vice presidents were E. J. Pearson, in charge of operation; John D. Drew, accounts; J. M. Johnson, traffic, and Findley J. Shepard, in charge of the New York office. Kingdon Gould and Frank J. Gould were not re-elected vice presidents.

H. L. Utter was elected secretary-treasurer and will have his headquarters in New York.

E. T. Jeffrey, chairman of the board of directors of the Denver & Rio Grande, was not re-elected to the Iron Mountain directorate.

G. B. Hunstman, one of the former vice presidents, was elected assistant secretary-treasurer and was appointed vice president to look after the validation of stock certificates in the New York office.

The new directors are Edward A. Faust, William H. Lee and E. J. Pearson of St. Louis, and Nicholas F. Brady, Newcomb Carlton, A. J. Hemphill, Cornelius Vanderbilt and W. H. Williams of New York.

Old Directors Named.

The old directors re-elected are Benjamin F. Bush, Edgar L. Marston, Edwin G. Merrill, Finley J. Shepard and R. Lancaster Williams.

The old directors who are not on the new board are George J. Gould, Edwin Gould, Kingdon Gould, James Speyer, E. O. Adams, J. G. Metcalfe, E. T. Jeffrey and S. F. Pryor.

The new directors of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern are Nicholas F. Brady, Newcomb Carlton, A. J. Hemphill, Cornelius Vanderbilt, W. H. Williams and Festus J. Wade, a banker of St. Louis.

The directors of the Intermountain re-elected are Benjamin F. Bush, Edgar L. Marston, Edwin G. Merrill, Finley J. Shepard, Albert Wiggin and also E. C. Simmons of St. Louis and C. A. Pratt of Little Rock, Ark.

The old directors of the Iron Mountain who were eliminated in the organization of the new board are George J. Gould, James Speyer, E. T. Jeffrey, Jacob G. Metcalfe, Jay Gould and S. F. Pryor.

Postoffice Clerks Fear They Will Get No Raise This Year

Experienced employes at the postoffice, who have been counting on the usual increase in salary this year, are now fearing that the expected "raise" will not be forthcoming, because of the failure of the postoffice appropriation bill in congress.

When the new bill failed to pass, the old bill was continued by resolution for another year, and it of course makes no provision for the usual increases of salary and additions to the service.

Of course, the younger employes will get their "automatic" increases, which are governed by their length of service. But the older employes, who have passed the $1,100 limit of automatic increases and whose further salary increases depend on efficiency and are made only when special funds are available, are this year liable to be disappointed.

The situation has been forcibly emphasized to them by a published letter of Congressman Moon, chairman of the house postal committee. He wrote Postmaster General Burleson that only the strictest economy would keep postal expenditures within last year's allowance. He said that the curtailment would prevent any promotions being made.

First Assistant Postmaster General Roper has since indicated that Postmaster Wharton, along with all other postmasters, will have to bring about some economies, because of a falling off in revenues.

Democrat Launches Boom for Fairbanks

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Friends of Charles W. Fairbanks, former republican vice president, were congratulating him today on what they termed his "democratic boom for president in 1916."

At a ceremony given in connection with the dedication yesterday of Indiana's pavilion at the Panama-Pacific exposition William B. Lamar, a southern democrat, who is the United States commissioner to the exposition, said:

"Indiana is still a pivotal state in the political scheme of the nation, and who can say but that the nation may again go to that state to select its leader in the person of Mr. Fairbanks in 1916? I am a southern democrat, but I know of nothing that would influence me more in deserting my party than to have the opportunity to cast a vote for the Indiana statesman for president."

GEN[illegible] D'AMADE of the French army, in command of th[illegible]d force of Canadians, Australians and French troop[illegible]oroccan, Egyptian and Sengalese making the advanc[illegible]onstantinople.

DAHLMAN PAYS FEE; ESCAPES 13 HOODOO

Hummel Registers Candidacy at the Same Time and Receives Number of Ill Omen.

AN ACCIDENT, INSISTS OSTROM

Mayor James C. Dahlman yesterday filed in the office of the election commissioner as a candidate for re-election and narrowly escaped being the thirteenth candidate.

In fact, the mayor only escaped such a catastrophe by the sacrifice of Commissioner J. B. Hummel, whose name was ruthlessly written in blank No. 13 of the list hanging in the office by Deputy Henry Ostrom.

Mr. Ostrom declared it was accidental. "Both filings were made by Buck Taylor, superintendent of street lighting," he declared. "I didn't notice until afterward that Hummel was thirteenth."

However, this may be, it is certain that should Mayor Dahlman receive more votes than Hummel, some of the latter's friends are going to blame Ostrom.

Three city commissioners are now enrolled as official candidates for re-election, Commissioner Charles Withnell being the other member of the trio. The mayor declined to say whether his action had anything to do with his prospects of receiving a federal appointment.

Nickodamus Dargaczewski of Sheelytown has paid his filing fee.

James McDonald, one of the supervisors in the city park and boulevard department, states he has not decided whether he will resign his position and run for city commissioner. He has had a petition circulated. He says he will confer with City Commissioner J. B. Hummel, his boss, before deciding. The general practice in the city hall these days is to require the resignation of an employe who wants to run for an elective office.

From twenty-five to forty voters are registered in the election commissioner's office each day in preparation for the city election. Practically an equal number are securing naturalization papers in the office of the clerk of the district court. There is less activity of this kind than before former elections since the new law went into effect, it was said in the election commissioner's office.

Stock Quarantine Against Eastern Iowa Continued

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The Live Stock Sanitary Board of Nebraska after an exhaustive hearing has decided to allow the quarantine, which would have expired tomorrow, to die so far as it concerned Missouri and western Iowa and South Dakota, but will continue the same on all territory already quarantined against. The territory in Iowa still to be under restriction composes all of the territory east of the east line of the following counties: Worth, Cerro Gordo, Franklin, Hardin, Marshall, Jasper, Marion, Munroe and Appanoose. The board will place Dr. Day at South Omaha and Dr. Gibson, state veterinarian of Iowa, will place an inspector at Sioux City for a like purpose.

TWO LADS GET BACK SIGHT ON SAME DAY

One Shot by Airgun, Other Injured by Pitchfork—Vision Restored by Omaha Doctors.

MEET AND TALK IT ALL OVER

Harlan Hoback, 11, of Union, Neb., and Peter Duhamel, 13, of Rapid City, S. D., met for the first time Monday afternoon under circumstances which aroused the interest of even the nurses, who are used to unusual situations.

Both boys were brought to Omaha about two weeks ago for the treatment of injured eyes, the Hoback lad having been injured by a pitchfork and the Duhamel boy having been shot by a "BB" from an airgun held by a playmate.

Doubts were felt by the parents in each case as to the recovery of the injured eyes, but prompt and efficient treatment resulted in the saving of both eyes.

The youngsters were taken to their homes Monday evening. Before leaving the hospital the boys were introduced and allowed to have a little talk between themselves. They told each other how "it happened." Peter said he would be wary of airguns in the future and Harlan declared he would be guarded about pitchforks henceforth. Boyish enthusiasm manifested itself as they contemplated the delight of going outside again and viewing the wide, wide world with restored vision.

Happier still were the anxious parents when they were told they could take their sons home and that the injured eyes were saved.

Dr. H. L. Arnold attended the Hoback boy at St. Joseph hospital and Dr. Harold Gifford attended the Duhamel boy at the Methodist hospital.

The Hoback youth was helping his father, a farmer, in a barn when the pitchfork accident occured. The Duhamel boy was injured while playing with a friend who was showing how straight he could shoot with an airgun.

Czar Leaves for Finland.

PETROGRAD, March 9.—Emperor Nicholas left Petrograd today for Helsingfors, Finland.

STOP OFF IN OMAHA
THE GATE CITY OF THE WEST

In this space The Bee will print an informational series of nutshell articles telling why travelers should stop off in Omaha, which we feel sure will prove instuctive to home folks as well as to strangers. We invite suggestion from our readers to whom we will gladly credit such contributions of their's as we use, which, of course, must be kept within briefest limits of length.

WASHINGTON MOVES AGAINST MEXICO

ABANDON CAPITAL, AMERICANS TOLD TO LEAVE MEXICO

Bryan Again Warns His Countrymen to Hasten Out of Troubled Republic to the South.

CITY EVACUATED BY OBREGON

His Army Reported to Have Left Metropolis Early on Monday Evening.

CARRANZA CAPTURES MONTEREY

BULLETIN.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The Villa agency here announced tonight a telegram had been received stating that Zapata forces had occupied Mexico City today and had begun repairing the railroad northward. Communication with the border would be restored in six days, the message said.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Warning to Americans to leave Mexico has been reiterated by the State department, through the Brazilian minister at Mexico City. Secretary Bryan said tonight that the United States government would do what it could toward providing transportation for those who wanted to leave.

American Consul Silliman telegraphed from Vera Cruz today that he had been reliably informed that the evacuation of Mexico City by the forces of General Obregon began at 9 o'clock last night.

Late today the cruiser Des Moines, en route to Vera Cruz, was ordered to Progreso, where there has been local trouble and friction over Carranza's export embargoes.

Carranza Captures Monterey.

The Carranza agency issued a statement claiming that Monterey has been captured by Carranza forces, with many prisoners and a large amount of war supplies.

The State department was advised that Piedras Negras had been evacuated by Carranza troops, who went toward Nuevo Laredo after placing the official records of the town on the American side.

The following statement was issued by the department:

"The department is in receipt of advices dated March 8 from Eagle Pass stating that on the evening of March 7 the Villistas captured Allende after a fight lasting two hours. The Carranza forces are reported to be in full retreat toward Nuevo Laredo. Piedras Negras was being evacuated on the 8th. All documents and customs house books have been moved to the American side. It is stated that the railroad is being torn up from Piedras Negras to Nava. It is said that aside from the destruction of the railroad it is not anticipated that there will be any destruction of property. Piedras Negras is reported quiet and there is no exodus as yet to the American side."

Priests Must Pay Ransom.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 9.—Answering an inquiry as to the present status of the Catholic priests held for ransom in Mexico City, General Alvaro Obregon, commanding the Carranza forces at the Mexican capital, telegraphed to Adolfo Carrillo, constitutionalist representative here, today that 250 Catholic clergymen were held and that they would be kept prisoners until they had paid him $500,000.

"This is a church tax," Obregon's message read. "It is due to the constitutionalist government and must be paid. We need the money for food to relieve the suffering of the Mexican people here."

Obregon also telegraphed that foreigners in the Mexican capital were well protected and that he would continue to "care for them."

"Let Them Fight," Says Champ.

BOSTON, March 9.—Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, told callers today that intervention by the United States in Mexican affairs would be monumental folly. "Let the Mexicans fight it out as this country did in the civil war," Mr. Clark is quoted as saying. "If the United States went into Mexico it would take 100,000 men for centuries to maintain order."

The speaker spent several hours here on his way from Manchester, N. H., to Washington.

STANTON IS SUSPECTED OF ILLEGAL SALE OF DOPE

Police authorities believe that in the arrest of H. Stanton, the first dope-bootlegger in Omaha, has been brought to light. Heretofore, it has been easy enough for those desiring drugs to obtain plentiful supplies at almost any pharmacy. Since the new federal dope law has been in effect, inveterate users who have been fortunate enough to get their dope have been obtaining it from men who sell it by the "shot" "deck" or pill.

Detectives Jack Pszanowski and Del Rich after watching Stanton for some time, made the arrest. At headquarters the prisoner had a large bottle of morphine tablets, a hypodermic needle and several boxes of cocaine.

He is being held for the federal authorities and will be prosecuted for having an unregistered supply of drugs, providing a more serious charge fails.

"We will investigate the case," said Revenue Agent J. J. Drakeford, "and will prosecute the man on the charge of violating the Harrison act, the new drug law, if the evidence warrants such action."

A penalty of not more than $2,000 fine or five years in prison, or both, is prescribed for violation of the federal drug law. No minimum penalty is fixed.

HOUSE TURNS DOWN REQUEST OF GUARD FOR AMPLE FUNDS

Nebraska Legislature Rejects the $300,000 Offer of Government to Put State Militia on Efficiency Basis.

STANDS BY COMMITTEE SCALE

Provision of $37,500 is Made for Two Years or Half that Bestowed Two Years Ago.

CONTEST HEATED UPON FLOOR

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The state of Nebraska was deprived of over $300,000 offered by the government today because the legislature would not make a sufficient appropriation to enable the National Guard to put itself on an efficiency basis.

The finance committee, under the leadership of Norton of Polk, chairman of the committee, slashed the appropriation from $63,000 to $37,500 in the face of the government's offer to give the state $300,000 and besides equip the Ashland range so it would be a mobilization ground for the militia not only of this state, but of the nearby states. The committee was supported by a vote of 48 to 41. Meredith of Saunders moved to amend by making the appropriation $93,000.

How They Lined Up.

Tibbets, Meredith, Steinmeyer, Palmer, Nichols, Chambers of Douglas, Jeary, Broome, Hostettler, Cronin, ePterson, Mockett and others speaking for the increase, while Norton, Fuller, Osterman, Taylor and Hoffmeister spoke against it.

Nichols pleaded for the guard and for the appropriation. He said that in the war of the revolution the militia was first on the scene of action and the same in the war of the rebellion.

"Right now the militiamen of Texas are being mobilized on the frontier for service," said he and this state cannot take a backward step in providing in time of peace, but with danger hovering near, a National Guard which will be prepared for the campaign of hardship incident to war."

Chambers of Douglas spoke in behalf of the guard, while Howard of Douglas scored them unmercifully for what he alleged "dirty work." Taylor especially was bitter against the militia and any appropriation above the amount reported by the committee.

Their Service in Tornado.

Palmer of Douglas thought highly of the guard at the time of the Omaha tornado and said but for them there would have been much hardship and privation.

A little later the house put itself on record as being more favorable to fish than to soldiers by raising the report of the finance committee of $5,000 for the Valentine fishery to $10,000. Mr. Jeary was in favor of the increased appropriation because he had been told that fish made good brain food and as this legislature seemed to need brains more than anything else he would support the bill.

After voting down by a vote of 40 to 54 the amendment for an appropriation of $93,000 for the national guard, the house then proceeded to vote down another amendment making the appropriation about the same as two years ago, or $65,000.

How They Lined Up.

The vote on the last roll call was as follows:

Yes—	
Bates,	Anderson of Phelps,
Brant,	Barrett,
Broome,	Blauser,
Burgess,	Chambers of Thurston
Chambers of Douglas	Clayburn,
Conley,	Crinklaw,
Cox,	Dafoe,
Cronin,	Elmelund,
Dalbey,	Evans,
Dau,	Fox,
Druesedow,	Fries,
Eberman,	Fuller,
Harris,	Gormley,
Hostetler,	Greenwalt,
Hutton,	Hoffmeister,
Hynek,	Howarth,
Jeary,	Kaufman,
Kime,	Koch,
Lanigan,	Korff,
Larsen,	LaBounty,
Lundgren,	Liggett,
Mears,	Lindsay,
Meredith,	Matteson,
Mysenburg,	Naviar,
Miner,	Neff,
Mockett,	Norton,
Moseley,	Nutaman,
Negley,	Osterman,
Nelson,	Parkinson,
Nichols,	Parriott,
Peterson,	Patterson,
Ragan,	Reifenreth,
Reisner,	Reynolds,
Reynolds of Lincoln,	Rischick,
Sass,	Rudesill,
Scudder,	Scott,
Seivers	Sorenson,
Snyder,	Sternes,
Steinmeyer,	Stebbens,
Tibbetts,	Stevenson,
Woodhurst—41.	Taylor,
No—	Trumble,
Ainley,	Van Dusen,
Anderson of Boyd,	Ward,
	Mr. Speaker—48.

Impressions of Mrs. Angle's Feet Are Placed in Evidence

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 9.—Impressions of both feet of Mrs. Helen M. Angle, taken on July 1, 1914, at police headquarters in Stamford, were put in as evidence today by the state, which is trying her for manslaughter in connection with the death of Waldo R. Ballau. It is the intention of the prosecution, according to State's Attorney Cummings, to show that the bloody foot prints found in the lower hallway and in Mrs. Angle's rooms on the third floor of the Rippawam building, correspond with the impressions of the defendant's feet and that the bloody foot prints were made by Mrs. Angle.

FIRST ANSWER OF CARRANZA IS GENERAL DENIAL

Mexican Chieftain, in Verbal Reply to Wilson's Note, Says There is No Crisis in the City of Mexico.

WARSHIPS GO TO VERA CRUZ

Washington and Georgia, Which Are Now at Guantanamo, Will Proceed to Gulf Port.

CABINET CONSIDERS SITUATION

WASHINGTON, March 9.—General Carranza has made a preliminary reply to the American representations, denying generally the existence of conditions in Mexico City which the United States has called upon him to improve.

In a statement made orally to American Consul Silliman at Vera Cruz, the Mexican chief denied that General Obregon, his commander in Mexico City, had prevented food from reaching the Mexican capital or that he had sent supplies away.

Meanwhile, however, orders went forward to Rear Admiral Fletcher, commanding the Atlantic fleet at Guantanamo, to send two more battleships to the scene.

After the cabinet meeting today it was said that the sending of the additional warships to Vera Cruz was the only move contemplated at the present. The entire Mexican situation was gone over.

Washington and Georgia Sent.

Admiral Fletcher selected the armored cruiser Washington, now in Haitien waters with Rear Admiral Caperton, and the battleship Georgia, commanded by Captain Robert C. Coontz, now at Guantanamo, to proceed to Vera Cruz.

The selection of ships was left to Admiral Fletcher, and shortly after noon today he reported what orders he had given. The Washington is the flagship of the cruiser squadron of the Atlantic fleet. It carries 41 officers and 902 men and is commanded by Commander Edward L. Beach. The Georgia is one of the first line battleships of the third division. It carries 49 officers and 864 men. The Washington is a little faster than the Georgia, and both ships, starting today, should be at Vera Cruz by Thursday night.

Secretary Daniels said that the Washington and Georgia had no orders other than to proceed to that port at once. Secretary Garrison said no army movements were in contemplation. It was declared generally that the course of the United States depended upon the attitude of Carranza. Secretary Daniels said the ships at Guantanamo had plenty of marines on board.

Note is Not Ultimatum.

President Wilson today said Carranza had been called upon by the United States to protect foreigners in Mexico City. The president reiterated that the government had represented its views on what appeared to be the situation in Mexico City. He added that in all such situations it was necessary to discount reports a great deal, because, he said, certain persons would like to have the United States intervene in Mexico, even if they had to manufacture the facts on which to base the intervention.

When the president was asked if the latest note to Carranza was an ultimatum, he replied that the administration did not issue ultimatums, but expressed its views and acted accordingly.

President Wilson referred to the fear of outrages in Mexico City as being more pressing at present than anything that had already occurred. The fear was, he said, that the city would be left without protection.

No Request for Intervention.

No request had come from any foreign government, the president said, for action by the United States in Mexico, although diplomatic representatives of two foreign countries had expressed their anx-

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