THE BEE: OMAHA, SATURDAY, JANUABY 15, 1916.

FORMER NEBRASKA SENATOR **VICTORIANO HUERTA** Demands of Poor Are Heavy On **ROCHO BROUGHT** Addams and Bliss Talk Preparedness WHYLE TALKS TO LAWYERS. the Charity Workers of Omaha **DEAD IN ALIEN LAND** BACK FOR TRIAL WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 .- Two sides of Extraordinary domands continue to be ing about 100 free meals a day to these the military preparedness problem were Former President of Mexico Suc-After Pursuit Lasting Twelve made on the Volunteers of America and men. heard today by congressional committees. cumbs After Illness and Years Omahan is Finally Cap-A boy came in to the store and pre-Miss Jane Addams, president of the Salvation Army for relief of the poor Imprisonment. Women's Peace Society of America, urged tured by Secret Service. sented a note scrawled with leadpencil and sick during the bitter cold. the military committees of the house and

MAY BE BURIED SOUTH OF LINE

EL PASO. Tex., Jan. 14 .- General Victoriano Huerta, former provisional president of Mexico, died at his home here at \$:35 o'clock last night

General Huerta, who succeeded General Francisco I. Madero in executive power in Mexico City, and later left Mexico, died of sclerosis of the liver. He was surrounded by his family when the end came. His death was expected. Funeral arrangements are to be made tomorrow, it was announced at his residence tonight. It is believed an effort will be made to arrange his burlal in Mexico.

A Professions; Soldler. General Huerta was a professional sollier, and as such he had, up to the overthrow of President Francisco Madero, been known for his loyal support of existing governments.

Born at Chihuahua in 1854, he entered the military academy of Chapultepec at 17 and passed through the full course to graduation in 1875, when he was commis-Sioned second lieutenant of engineers. Porfirio Diaz was aided in his organiza-

tion of the Mexican army by Huerta. Huerta saw much active service. In 1901 he left the staff and took command of the infantry in the campaign against subsequen: Yaqui compaigns and also in the campaign in Yucatan against the Maya Indiana. As a reward for his indian service Huerta was given the rank of brighdier general.

Put Down Orozeo Rebellion. Huerta commanded all the detached government forces in the state of Guerrero at the beginning of the Madero revoution. Huerta led the army sent against Orozco and was in command at the battle of Bachimba. For this service he was promoted to major general. Because of an affection of the eyes he did not take part in the suppression of the first uprising led by General Felix Diaz.

In the second Felix Diaz revolution, which resulted in the overthrow of the Madero government, Huerta was imme-diately called to active command as the conior ranking general then in the capital. He escorted Madero from Chapultepec custle to the palace on the first of the ten days' fighting and was placed in entire command of the forces of the government. He directed the government troops during all the subsequent fighting. and the conduct of these operations led to severe criticism on the part of Madero's friends.

Huerta was the moving spirit in the consummation of the plot that resulted in the seizure of the person of President Madero and his brother Gustave.

Becomes President. Huerta took office as provisional president on February 19, 1913. Three days afterward Francisco Madero, one of his brothers who had been arrested with him and Jose Maria Pino Suarez, vice president under Madero, were assassinated while riding under guard from the palace to the penitentiary.

The crime aroused a storm of indignation throughout the United States. In many quarters there were demands for intervention, but President Taft, who was on the eve of leaving office, decided to take no action which might commit the



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Jitneer Hits Curb Rather Than a Boy

In order to avoid striking a youngster, who suddenly daried into the street hauling a toy wagon. Joe Euskirchne, jitney driver, living at 2702 South him the Yaqui Indians. He participated in Eighteenth, drove his car into the curb at Sixteenth and Williams late yesterday afternoon and wrecked it.

H. Bosens, 2417 South Seventeenth, the when he was thrown out.

ROBBED POSTOFFICE HERE For twelve years George W. Rocho escaped the avenging arm of justice.

Friday he entered the Omaha federal building in custody of two offi-Angeles.

The secret service of the United States had followed on his trail,

steadily, unforgettingly, remorselessly for twelve years. All over the United States Rocho fled. He went into Canada. He traveled into Mexico and the little republics of Central

America. Everywhere hovered over him the dread shadow of vengeance. Day and night he was pursued by the fear of capture, the corror of prison walls.

And after twelve years of this hell on earth he was captured in Los Angeles. Abandons Family.

Now he is here to answer for embezzling government funds while he was a clerk in the money order department. When he fled he abandoned his wife and four small children. The wife went bravely to work and has raised the children. She keeps a rooming and boarding

at Eighteenth and Davenport streets. She has recovered from the cruel blow and she wants nothing more to do with

A pltiful figure was Rocho as he sat in the marshal's office. His face bore evidence of his twelve-year flight.

"I'm glad it's over," he said. "All these only passenger, was slightly injured years I have feared it. Day and night the horror of capture was upon me. The

"It is almost unbelievable the destitution that we find in some cases," said Captain Kline of the Salvation Army.

We went out on one case today where we found a wretched hut with the wind blowing through the cracks and a man and wife and three half-clad children cers, who had brought him from Los huddled together on a miserable bed with almost no covers, trying to keep warm.

Of course we supplied them with coal and clothes. "I have thirty cots fixed up in the base-

emergency and they are all occupied free warm clothing. of charge every night. I am also provid-

secret service never slept. It seemed to keep me in sight no matter where I went. And so, when they got me, a burden just

seemed to roll from my back. Now I am ready to take my medicine."

Indictment is Ready.

in the clerk of the federal court's ofdice, dusty old files were opened and the indictment against Rocho was taken out. rollers. There it was, signed by Irving F. Baxter, who was district attorney at that time, and dated November 14, 1904. 11

had been ready any day these twelve Hanscom park and provide him with shates. President Roosevelt was in his first

term when the indictment was made. Woodrow Wilson was only a college president. The Panama canal hadn't been started. Twelve years a fugitive!

years.

The indiciment charges Rocho with embezzlement of money order funds on two counts, one for \$487.42, and the other for \$90. He was placed in the county

jail to await trial. Rocho was brought from Los Angeles by Dolph S. Bassett, deputy United States marshal, and "Billy" Matuskiwiz,

on a scrap of paper. It read; "Will you plass give this little boy some bod clothes for his stop-mother?

She has nothing to keep her warm in bed and a little baby two weeks old. One of your wagons was here and said you would give some bed clothes." Over 100 men were sent out to cut ice

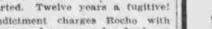
by Captain Kline. They make from 17 to 25 cents an hour as long as this work tion's army plans. lasts. A number were also put to work shoveling snow. In the last three days sixteen overcoats

were given away at the Army store to ment of the industrial home for this men who had jobs on the ice, but no They were also fitted out with shoes.

> sergeant-property clerk of the Los Apceles police.

Bassett will start back to Los Angeles once, while Matuskiwig will go on to Chicago to visit. But before he goes he will do some skating on real ice.

Marshal Flynn detailed Deputy Mar-





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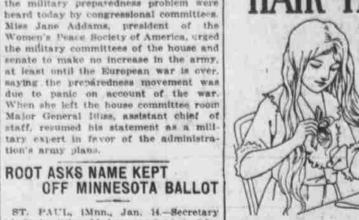


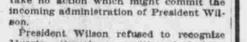
HUNDRED THOUSAND OF ACRES OPEN TO ENTRY This is a great chance for me,' said. "I haven't seen any ice for skat-WASHINGTON, Jan. 1. - Secretar ing purposes in twenty-nine years, 1 Lane today announced the withdrawal used to be a fine skater, especially on

shal Olnley to escort Mr. Bassett to about 100,000 acres is open to entry.

included in existing entries. RERG SUITS ME

ballot.





Huerta, though recognition had been granted by Great Britain. At the same time the Maderistas rallied under Venus-Ermo Cařeou senor of coaliutha; and Francisco Villa deciared against Huerta. Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson was recalled. In August President Wilson sent John Lind, former governor of Minnesota, to the Mexican capital as his personal representative. Mr. Lind presented certain proposals to Huerta, chief of which was that the provisional president should resign and permit a national election at which he would not be a candidate. Huerta peremptorily rejected these proposals.

The Mexican congress grew restive and one senator attacked Huerta in the chamber. He promptly disappeared and when his colleagues demanded an investigation Hderta marched a body of troops into the hall of congress, seized 110 deputies and threw them in jail.

His next step was to call an election at which only Huertistas were allowed to vote, with the result that he was declared president, with General Blanquet, vice president

American warships were dispatched to Mexican waters and a large number of troops were concentrated on the border. The constitutionalists advanced from the north, defeating the Huerta troops in battie after battle.

In April a party of American blue-jackets was seized at Vera Cruz and thrown into jail. Huerta refused President Wilson's demand for a formal salute to the Stars and Stripes as reparation On April 12 American bluejackets and marines landed at Vera Cruz in force and occupied the city after some street fighting in which a number of Americans were killed.

Shortly afterward a mediation proposal was made by Argentina, Brasil and Chile and accepted. Conferences were held at Niagara Falls, but brought no decis.ve result.

Leaves Mexico. Huerta resigned July 7 and left Mexico. He went to the West Indies and later to Spain. In April, 1915, he came to the United States. He jeft New York ostensibly for San Francisco. He was arrested in New Mexico June 7, charged with trying to fament revolution in Mexico. He was released on bond and rearrested at El Paso. He was held in custody until he was permitted to go to his home in El Paso because of illness. His illness grew more serious and his death followed. He was indicted the day before his death by a federal grand jury at San Antonio on the charge he was originally arrested on

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