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VILLA AND CARRANZA TO HOLD CONFERENCE

Leastwise Villa Has Sent Carranza Message Urging a Peace Conference.

The United States has been notified by General Villa on behalf of the Mexican convention

among themselves soon, some employed their power against the other means would be employed interests of the people." by the United States to relieve the suffering population f.om further devastations of the military element. On General Carranza's reply depends the next move in the situation.

Coincidentally the state deconsigned for the relief of peo- quotes from a message of Sir ple in Monclova. Consul Blocker, Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, British is endeavoring to use his good ambassador to the United States, offices to arrange for the trans- to a representative in northern portation of the supplies and un- Mexico expressing gratification til he reports the details the state to the Villa government "for department will take no further prompt action in protecting Britaction.

The announcement that Gener al Villa had initiated a movement for peace was received with sat-Enrique C. Llorente, Washington representative of the Villa-Zipata coalition called on Secretary Lansing with a ccpy of the prises. note from General Villa replying 1910 Census that the food and M, Hollar, died three miles South not more than 500 or so to a por-To President Wilson's recent pro-feed consumed by man and beast of Pilot. Point, Texas, May 28, ulation of 17,000 and more in 60 nouncement of policy. The note in the big city counties of Ten. 1915, at 8:30 p. m., was born Noitation with the Carranzistas.

dated June 11, stress is laid up- these counties, is as follows: on President Wilson's warning Washington, \$1,132,000; Knox ods." should a coalition of the \$14.918,000. factions prove futile."

General Villa says: tion involves two perils, which Here's a king's ransom; and it may frustrate the ends of revolu- goes out of these counties to ention, and impair our sovereignty. rich the farmers of other states First, the Cientificos with any and sections year by year, throne themselves with American lars sent out of Washington, American government to inter- ers; that is to say, from \$2.600 to was to know his children were er night-engineers, skilled me- mencement and which elicited we should seek means that would men and children. this is what patriotism and the the increased cost of living.

you that we take under consider- of high prices for pantry supation President Wilson's note and plies and feed stuffs? that, if you are so disposed, as . The answer is fairly simple. we ourselves are, you advise us Producers alone never settled a that we may discuss and agree market problem. Nor consumers cemetery to await final resurrecat once upon the form and terms alone. of procedure in the reorganization of the national constitutional the business men of a growing fore a large congregation of government. We have already city must bring them together. placed ourselves in touch with It is the biggest problem that May God bless the children and the chief of the convention gov- any Board of Trade has to con- may they so live in this world ernment, as well as with the com- sider; far bigger than any one or that it may be an unbroken home manding general of the army of a dezen new industrial enter- in the world to come is my pray-

the south." The telegram was signed by The acid test of success is this: General Villa and M. Diaz Lomar- Are the farmers getting more for To Drive Out Malaria
And Build Up The System do, in charge of the department their products? And at the same o fo eign affairs.

In the memorandum filed at more for their money?

the state department, General If not, a city market plan or Villa sums up with the following: scheme is a ghastly joke upon The Quinine drives out malaria, the "We of the convention govern- the city dwellers and the country

ambitions for power, nor do we Letter,

desire in any case to obtain it by FELL IN LOVE WITH means other than by the free vote of the Mexican people. But inasmuch as the desire to consult ation of a legal rexime, with constitutional sanction. is accepted by the Carranza faction, we are disposed, in the light of possible intervention in our national problems by a foreign power, to gain invite all those Mexicans to forces that he had telegraphed unite and collaborate with us in General Carranza urging a con- the work of realizing the princiference for the restoration of ples of the revolution especially peace and constitutional govern-the agrarian question, and the development of instruction for This step is the first tangible the masses; and we only except development resulting from Pres- from this invitation those who, fire truck, speeding up to 50 ident Wilson's recent warning to according to the words of Presiall Mexican factions that unless dent Wilson, have ignored the

General Villa admits to contention that there is no recognized authority throughout the country. He refers, however, to a message to him from DuVal West, President Wilson's representative stating "it gives me partment was advised by Miss pleasure to inform you of the Mabel Boardman of the Ameri- magnificent impression which the can Red Cross that the Mexican tranquillity and order which I authorities at Piedras had denied have observed everywhere I have entry to a carload of foodstuffs been, has made on me." He also ish interests."

Amazing Food Deficits.

Mr. S. H. DeVault, student in isfaction in official quarters. the University of North Carctus. lina, from Washington county, Tennessee, has run into sur-

referred appreciatively to the nessee are far above the amounts vember 25, 1833, in Catawba land that is what Hopewell lift, received two bullets through President's efforts and outlined produced by the farmers of these the purpose of the Villa-Zapata counties. The bill for imported leaders to bring about a reconcil- pantry supplies and stock feed, for consumption by the popula-In the message to Carranza, tions and domestic animals in

that the United States would be \$5,886,000; Hamilton, \$6,921,000; "obliged to decide on other meth- Davidson, \$9,960,000; and Shelby,

The total shortage of homeraised food and feed stuffs in "In our opinion, this declara- these five counties is \$38,817,000.

other group, might again en- If the thirty-eight million dolassistance. Second, should the Knox, Hamilton, Davidson, and people not submit to this, the Shelby counties, Tennessee, for American government might imported food and feed stuffs have recourse to armed interven- could be kept at home, the farm tion. In the face of these two population in these counties, in a imminent dangers, and without very few years, would be worth vene in our affairs. we think that \$3,600 apiece, counting men, we-

permit the reunion and reorgan- Here is a tremendous market ization of the constitutionalist demand for farm products, Conparty, even though it be indispen- sumers in Johnson City, Knoxsable to make sacrifices of seif- ville, Chattanooga, Nashville, esteem. We believe also that and Memphis are bewildered by

future welfare of our country re- Why do not farmers in the "In such sense, we propose to the demand, and get the benefit

They must get together, and prises.

time, are the consumers getting TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know

ment have not been animated by dwellers alike. - University News

HICKORY'S FIRE TRUCK

Showed What a Real Fire Engine is.

Monday of this week:

First Chief McAlieter while in

men, was shown the fire fighting plosives. apparatus of that city. Hickory's chief took Alderman McAlister miles per hour to show Mack how quickly she could make it. they came to an agreement constitution of the republic and This so enthused our chief that he insisted on the entire Lincolnton delegation taking a ride on city hall and backed into place to await another fire Chief McAlister at once realized that he had found his affinity: He delayed the party causing them to stay in pont company—two mills and that city longer than intended. He was so carried away with the truck that he offered to swap both of the automobiles used ty the party-a Buick and Hupmobile—for it and said he would grown to the main spur and a and officials here, fearing an atgive some boot. Finally he was regular network of side-shacks, tempt at lynching, placed the said to be cheaper than the horse hundreds of men working night til time for his trial here. drawn truck in the end, and too and day on more shacks, more dom have to use water arriving tages the company is building early enough to extinguish the fires with the chemical appara- ployes.

A. M. Hollar.

(Contributed.)

The subject of this sketch, A. County, North Carolina. Was twelve children born. Seven of high explosives. them are dead. Five are living. The following are the living: D. lar, Pilot Point, Texas. Brother months. Hollar had been a member of the Lutheran Church for many years, as being ready to meet God. The employed by the company speaks and he expressed about the same and he has use for all of them.

good as his bond, and acted ac- project in Alaska, a third was day, June 29. cordingly. He was always will- just back from superintending This play is an uproariously ing and ready with his money to concrete work in the Canal Zone, funny comedy and the plot is inhelp a good enterprise to build a fourth had spent the last year teresting in the extreme. You nearby country regions supply up his country. As a farmer he at mining engineering in South who enjoy a good comedy and was successful. He settled on America, a fifth had just com- who are not averse to laughing the old homestead in 1873, there pleted installation of an electric will find in this play something he lived on the same place until lighting and power plant on a to make you feel better if you May 29. We laid his body to rest big sugar plantation in Cuba and are feeling good and as a refreshby his companion in the Belew others had come from other distion of the just, The funeral not a man in the party looked to was preached by the writer be- be more than 30 years old .-weeping friends and neighbors.

> Take the Old Standard GROVE'S what you are taking, as the formula is printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. Iron builds up the system. 50 cents

are five men to every woman,

A Town of Maryelous Growth. Last November Hopewell, Va. was a siding on a branch line of the Norfolk & Western Railroad. the country relative to the restor- Chief McAlister of Lincolnton The Dupont de Nemours Powder South Carolina Mob Kills Offi-Co., came along and bought 1200 acres of farm land, running down

on one side to the James River. The following is taken from They strung a 10-foot barbed-The Lincoln County News of wire barrricade around the tract and began digging for foundations and putting up brick and Hickory Friday with the city of- concrete and steel buildings for ficials, he being one of the alder-another big factory for high ex-

Today the company has two huge gun-cotton plants working night and day, and a third building is going up as rapidly as ma- here this morning. terial can be dumped on the ground and hundreds of laborers

April 1 the buildings at Hope-17,000, and it is growing by leaps

and bounds, April 1 the buildings at Hopewell comprise those of the Duthree or four rows of galvanized- R. Boulware, a deputy sheriff, iron tarracks for housing the laborers. Today it has a midway extending a mile and a quar- wounded. ter along the railroad-now persuaded to leave his affinity tents, galvanized-iron sheds and negro in the state penitentiary with regret. These trucks are every imaginable shelter, with at Columbia for safe-keeping unfor the accommodation of its em-

It is the Liggest development married to Leah Seitz May 24, European war made it necessary tery. 1857. They lived together 52 for the Dupont company to build

Point, Texas; L. A. Hollar, of been going to the new town by Chester for surgical attention. Vernon, Texas; and Dallas Hol- the hundreds for the last two

Today was payday at the works, and slightly more than 12,600 meet God, and expressed himself globe. One of the timekeepers floor. writer visited him in his affliction reads and writes eight languages. The "Hoodoo" to be Presented at thing to me. He expressed a In a group of fewer than a dozen tant parts of the world. And play has no equal. Washington Star.

St. Stephen Eyangelical Lutheran

Church. Rev. E. J. Sox, pastor. Next Sunday, June 20. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Preaching Service at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by the pastor on the theme: Great Anxiety for that which is Lost and Great Joy over that which is Found.

"And the Spirit and the Bride say, Come. And let him that is athirst come: and whosoever will, let him take of take of the In the Falklan I Islands there waters of life freely." Rev. 22;-

SHERIFF DIES IN **DEFENSE OF NEGRO**

cer Who Does Duty; Negro Also Killed

Winnsboro, S. C., June 14.-A. D. Hood, sheriff of Fairfield county, and Jules Smith, a negro who was to have been tried today traveling in the former's autoon a charge of attempted assault, mobile. were killed and eight other men Mr. J. O. Deal has bought a Va., Rev. S. B. Stroup, the were more or less seriously new automobile. Granite now bride's rector, officiating. wounded as a result of an attack has 14 or 15 of the machines and upon the sheriff's party as the there will be some more in the decorated for the occasion, green negro was being taken into court, near future.

Clyde Isenhower, alleged leader of the mob, and a relative of the woman Smith, was charged with attacking, Ernest Isenhowwell flag station to a village of er, his brother; William Morrison the truck was returned to the has a population of more than Rawis, late today were indicted on the charge of murder as result of the attack.

Clyde Isenhower was shot a number of times, and died tonight in a hospital at Chester. J. received a bullet in the stomach, and is believed to be fatally

Smith was arrested in April

Sheriff Hood and his deputies, the fire is reached earlier. Hick- buildings, more sheds, to say with Smith under close guard, the store of W. W. Roseman and ory's chief reports that they selncthing of the 500 or more cot had reached the court house this Company was blown and about sheriff warned the mob to desist project Virginia has known in all but his order was disregarded its history. There has never and someone fired a shot at the been anything like it in the Old negro. The firing immediately Dominion. From a population of became general and lasted for

years. To this union there were a big new factory for turning out from Columbia here immediately will spend the summer here with very popular here. She has been after the tragedy, and Sheriff her sister, Mrs. Neil W. Clark in, in Bluefield for several years and At the railroad station it was Hood and his deputy were taken stated that Italians, Greeks, Hun- to a Columbia hospital for sur-F. Hollar, of Cisco, Texas; Mrs. garians, Poles, Jamaican negroes, gical attention, where Sheriff been spending the winter in an important position with the J. N. Caddel, of Mangum, Okla- representatives of every national- Hood died tonight. Isenhower Florida, returned home Wednes- Norfolk & Western Railway homa; Mrs. E. E. Brown, of Pilot ity, almost, under the sun, had and Stevenson were taken to day and will spend the summer Company at Bluefield and is held

Despite his weakened condition from the half dozen bullets in his a visitor in the city Tuesday. body, Sheriff Hood led the prisoner up the stairs into the courthe had deep religious convictions. men were paid off, an increase of room. The negro dropped dead, city Tuesday on his way to Kan-A few days before his death he more than 1000 since the last pay- beside the dock, and Sheriff Hood alled his children in and talked day two weeks ago. These men staggered on to the bar where a to them about getting ready to come from every corner of the court official eased him to the

The Hub.

"The Hoodoo," the play that willingness to be subject to the employes of the company gather- attracted so much attention duwill of God. His great delight ed in a Petersburg hotel the oth- ring the Lenoir College comall nice respectable citizens and chanics and high-class men-one much favorable comment from had landed from South Africa those who witnessed the produc-He loved his home and his less than two months ago, anothition at the college, will be prechildren. He was a high toned er had been employed for the sented by the same cast at the gentleman, believing his word as last three years on a raiiroad Hub Theatre in this city Tues-

No Wonder.

"No wonder the Scotch get rich," says Jerome S. McWade, the Duluth cornoisseur, laying down a magazine article about multimillionaires of Scottish blood, "No wonder."

He puffed his huge Havana thoughtfully.

"An Irishman and a Scotchman went into a saloon one day," he said, 'but the Irishman had no money." Mr. McWade blew a fragrant cloud You will get such relief and comfort! toward the ceiling.

"So they came out." he said. without a drink."-Exchange.

ourds tid Sores, other hemeties Wol'? Cen-The worst cases, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.06.

Live Items From Granite Falls!

Granite Falls, June 16,-We have been looking for the locusts in this community, but they have not made their appearance as yet.

Mr. D. H. Warlick, Miss Estelle Warlick and Mr. John W.

Dr. A. D. Abernethy's new bungalow is nearing completion. Work on the sand-clay roads is moving along nicely.

Miss Jettie Miller of Wilkesboro, who has been visiting her the truck which was done. When perhaps 500 people. Today it a brother-in-law, and James sister, Mrs. E. G. Suttlemyre on the Hickory road, and Miss Eugenia Payne of this city, returned home Sunday.

> Mr. D. A. Setzer killed what is known as a black spreading adder snake that had two legs with seyen sharp claws or nails on each foot. Numbers of people who saw it, said it was something they had never seen be-

Salisbury, June 14.-The town of Cleveland in western Rowan was visited by safe blowers at an early hour this morning. The safe holding postoffice funds in morning when a mob of approx- fifty dollars belonging to the imately 100 armed men attempt- money order department was ed to seize the prisoner. The taken. The depot was also visited but little was taken.

Mr. Foster Resigns.

Mr. H. K. Foster, for several years Farm Demonstrator for Catawba county, has resigned Of the six other wounded Earle and will probably take up similar

Miss Virginia Allen, who has field. A special train was hurried arrived in this city Tuesday and Clara Finger of this city, and is Kenworth.

with Mrs. N. W. Clark in Ken- in high esteem by all who know Mr. G. R. Boyd of Lenoir, was

Mr. Gordon Crowell of Lincolnton, spent a few hours in the Hostile Aeroplanes Bombard Karls-

The Blind Man.

A sad and wand'ring man, I stray Out in the world of woe. No eyes to view my rugged way Or teach me how to go.

In darkness I have wandered long Without one ray of light; / Some few years have passed me by Of ever brooding night.

Oh! gloomy night, how long thou art; And hast though just begun? To me there is no morning star, No moon, no rising sun.

The lofty mountains and the hills, The forest gay and green, The starry skies, the flowery fields By me can ne'er be seen.

Nature, with all her scenes so grand Is banished from my view; To work of art and all her charms I must e'er bid adieu.

hear, I feel, I smell, I taste, But that sweet sense of sight Has gone from me-forever gone; I ne'er will see the light.

Oh! Thou who hears the blind man cry And gives him eyes to see, Have mercy still and be my friend And aid and comfort me.

And when life's gloomy days are o'er Oh! bid the darkness flee! And give me peace, light, life and love And let me dwell with Thee.

Neuralgia Pains Stopped.

You don't need to suffer those agonizing nerve pains in the face, head, arm, shoulders, chest and back. Just ing, for Po-Dc-Lax is Podophyllin apply a few drops of soothing Sloan's (May Apple) without the gripe. Po-Liniment; lie quitely a few minutes. Do-Lax corrects the cause of Consti-Life and the world will look brighter. ing the flow of bile, Bile is nature's Get a bottle to-day. 3 ounces for 25c., antiseptic in the bowels. With proprat all Druggists. Penetrates without uobing.

paper are the arrows that point the way Do-Lax from your Druggist now and

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION SCENE OF PRETTY WEDDING

Miss Clara May Finger Becomes the Bride of Mr. Eugene R. Long of Bluefield, W. Va.

At the Church of the Ascension Tuesday afternoon at three Hoke have gone to Richmond, Va., Miss Clara May Finger of Hickory became the bride of Mr. Eugene R. Long of Bluefield, W.

The church was beautifully and white being the color scheme. Mrs. J.H. Hatcher rendered several beautiful selections and Mr. C. C. Gamble sang "If I Had the World to Give You," from "Midsummer Night's Dream," as a prelude to the ceremony. The bridal party entered while the strains of Lohengrinn's wedding march filled the church.

The bride, wearing a lovely white lace gown with veil, and carrying a shower boquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley, came down the aisle with her sister, Miss Gertrude Finger, maid of honor, wearing a pink silk brocade gown, and was met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Mr. Jce Wyatt of Bluefield, they having entered from

the vestibule, During the ceremony subjued music was ably rendered by the talented organist and Mr. Gamble sang Cadman's "Dawn", After the vows had been taken the bridal party left the church to the strains of Mendelshonn's

wedding march. The ushers were Mr. John Land of Bluefield, and Mr. T. M. Johnson of Hickory. Among the visitors here for the wedding were Mrs. J. D. Lopez of Miami, Fla., Mrs. Frank McCubbins of Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Long of Roanoke, Va., Mr. John Land and Mr. Joe Wyatt of Blue-

been attending St. Mary's school, The bride is a daughter of Mrs. is a trained nurse. The groom is Mrs. O. M. Royster, who has a promising young man, holding

> They will make their home in Bluefield.

Karlsruhe, Baden, June 15 .-Five hostile airmen bombarded Karlsruhe for forty-five minutes this morning. Several persons were killed or wounded. A number of places suffered

material damage, but the destruction wrought has no military importance. Karlsruhe is on the Rhine,

about seventy five miles from the French frontier. It has a popu!ation of about 100,000 and a number of public buildings of import-

Another War Debt.

London, June 15 .-- The house of commons this afternoon voted another credit of 250,000,000 pounds (\$1,250,000,000), making with previous sums a total of 862,000,000 pounds sterling (\$4.-310,000,000) already allowed for war purposes.

Services at Holy Trinity.

Rev. J. D. Kinard of Greenwood, S. C., will preach in Hely Trinity Lutheran Church next. Sunday morning and night. Every body cordially invited.

Constipation Cured Overnight A small dose of Po-Do-Lax tonight and you enjoy a full, free, easy bowel movement in the morning. No grippation by arousing the Liver, increaser amount of bile, digestion in bowels adv't, is perfect. No gas, no fermentation. no Constipation. Don't be sick, ner-The advertising columns of this pa- vous, irritable. Get a bottle of Po-