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UERTA IS SILENT WHILE U.S. RUSHES **PUNITIVE ORDERS**

ures. This latter point, however, was

Wood Would Command.

Major General Leonard Wood, chief

of staff of the army, would command

become necessary to use them.

he American forces should it finally

In the naval establishment every

thing was in preparedness for action.

retary Daniels was early at his desk

scanning overnight reports of the

Badger Arrives Wednesday.

While President Wilson's ultimatum

thirizes President Wilson to act, his

Constitutionalists' Attitude.

The attitude of Carranza and Villa,

onstitutionalist chiefs, the secretary

of state said he considered favorable

and he did not expect any complicat-

Cabinet members began arriving at

the White House before the hour set

Mann Not in Sympathy,

General comment among congress

lome, however, dissented from the

"When President Wilson comes to

will arise. This thing of making

war upon the Mexican people merely

bandit refuses to apologize is idotic."

instructed the charge to leave Mexico.

Americans Leaving, According to official advices Amer

Secretary Garrison announced that

not definite early today.

consts of Mexico.

President Will Act as MOVEMENTS TODAY Congress Approves Ports' Seizure.

MEETING IS HELD BY WAR COUNCIL

General Wood Will Command Land Forces, It Is Decided.

Vashington, April 20.—At point including a trestle 20 miles west of Vera Cruz to prevent the route to the Mexican capital being blocked. unchanged; no new proals had come from Huerta President Wilson was ly to lay the case before a

session of congress at 3

harge Algara of the Mexiembassy took a new proption from Huerta to Secre. Few orders remained to be given. Secry Bryan at 10:50 a. m. The arge described it as "hope-

Secretary Bryan left the cab-I meeting to go to the state cording to latest calculations epart ...ent to meet Mr. Algara

Secretary Bryan received acquiescence would be accepted. r. Algara's message and an- in effect extends the ultimatum until 3 ounced that it did not contain negotiations, parleys and counter propositions would be considered, howerely the full text of the com-unication to Charge O' closed. haughnessy which had been ference with the president saying the elivere dhere last night. He situation was unchanged. aid the situation was unlanged.

Presentation to Congress. The Mexican crisis today awaited ing developments from that phase, sident Wilson's presentation of the

ation to congress No further word had come from for the meeting with the result that erta and officials said nothing but the session began before the appeintomplete compliance with all the ed time. erican demands could prevent a joint session of the house and upon the outcome of the cabinet sident Wilson from appearing beate probably about 3 p. m. and ask-meeting and the action of congress.

for authority to use the army and Secretary Garrison said no order y to uphold the nation's honor and had been issued for any troop move-

ment. president returned to Washon from White Sulphur Spring at men was in hearty support of the House for a conference with president and possibilities of action. ary Bryan. This preceded a Some, however, dissented from the al cabinet meeting called for president's plan. Republican Leader Mann of the house had issued a state-

Message Outlined.

ment saying he was not in sympathy sident Wilson had outlined his with the mevement and today Senster

Bristow commented adversely upon ige last night while traveling after going over a first draft with the administration's attitude. ecretary of state submitted it to

re necessary resolutions putting at the put down insurrections or establish a stable government in Mexico

tally disclosed it was conceded in dal circles that he would ask sonauthorize what are known in war" which while not being a de-According to best inform-

Mcials these would consist of the ing: leans in Mexico already are beginning Beisure of Tampico and Vera to leave. Officials understood that

Seizure of the Mexican gunboats City yesterday for Vera Cruz.

Joint Army and Navy Board Have Made Plans For Co-operation.

army and navy board, headed by Adsion in many months. It discusss plans for co-operation of the army and navy in case it becomes necessary te adopt measures in Mexico. Major Major General Wotherspoon, assistant chief, attended the meeting.

Back to Texas City.

Houston, Tex., April 20,-The sec-ond division of the United States army friend. here on a practice march began a hurried movement back to Texas City and Galveston today on orders, from The fifth brigade was rushed aboard troop trains but the re-4. Probably a request for a special appropriation to carry out these meas-

> orders have been received. The plan was to have the fifth, numbering nearly 5000 men, ready for sailing to Vera Crus by Tuesday morning getten a feeling of uncasinee when he Mexican barbarity. if a troop movement were ordered.

Orders for Deserters.

Pensacola, Fla., April 20 .- Orders were received early today directing the flotilia of 20 torpedo boat destroyers here to put to sea this afternoon. meeting Rear Admiral Badger's fleet in the gulf and accompanying it to Tampico. Officers said the destroyers with two tenders were ready to depart. Rear Admiral Badger's ships will e at Tampico early Wednesday ac-Refugee Ship.

the Ward liner Mexico now in Mexiexpired at 6 o'clock last night, there can gulf waters for a refugee ship at d receive Huerta's latest was no doubt here that should Huerta Tampico. The war department took recede completely before congress au- options on several ships to be used as

o'clock this afternoon. No further

Senate and Congress Leaders bad to worse and eventually bring Agree to Joint Meeting At 3 O'Clock.

Washington, April 20 .- After con-No orders were issued to General ferences with White House officials action by the navy was dependent up- nee in Raleigh, George S congress leaders agreed on a joint ses- on circumstances from hour to hour. sion of both houses at 3 p. m. today and the foreign affairs committees be-Secretary Garrison said no orders gan work on a resolution.

The house upon assembling immediately and unanimously passed a concurrent resolution for a joint session

with the senate at 3 p. m.

The senate without debate adopted joint session.

******************** ment saying he was not in sympathy censuls throughout Mexico has warn-

ed all Americans to leave. Secretary Garrison conferred with General Wood, General Wotherspoon, thousand words long. He declined to to home-seekeres and is possessed of who will become chief of staff next give out copies of it in advance as marvelous natural resources. It will congress today anking for the use of Wednesday; Brigadier General Crow- has been the custom, saying he want- be the duty of the commission; just crty, placed Hinojosa in prison and follows: the armed forces of the United States der, judge advocate general, and ed to keep it under advisement to the named to arrange for this representa- sent an apology to Rear Admiral "With White House to learn details of the united States der, judge advocate general, and ed to keep it under advisement to the named to arrange for this representation and ed to keep it under advisement to the named to arrange for this representation and ed to keep it under advisement to the named to arrange for this representation. There may be to compel Huerta to apologise he will other officials of the department. It last minute, He arranged, however, to tion and decide on its extent. There may be to compell Huerta to apologise he will other officials of the department.

> The basis of the recommendations ed if the word had not become obmore serious question for consider- army. will be the Hay bill, already passed upon the Mexican people merely will be the riay bit, which will permit the ly replied that when it all came from for North it refuses to apologize is idotic." mustering into the United States army one side there was no objection. of militia organizations with their of-

day, "There will be no division be-tween the president and congress on diplomats at Mexico City had been that question. And the whole country will stand behind the president as in an effort to induce him to accede well as congress." The speaker, how-but that no representations had been the rational from O'Shaughnessy and by direct mes-ever, expressed hope of finding Mexican capital to a sages from Mr. Bryan to American peaceful solution of the situation,

MEXICO. HE SAYS

The President Says Under No Circumstances Will United States Fight Mexican People.

SAYS ISSUE IS ONLY WITH ONE MAN-HUERTA

Wilson Does Not Want War-Considers Reprisals Planned as "Measures Short

Wilson told the Washington correspondents today not to get the impression that the United States was General Wood, chief of staff, and going to have war with Mexico. He pointed out that under no circumstances would the United States fight

congress to tell of a special situation and to ask approval of plans to meet a special situation. He declared mainder of the big army unit, which the issue was only between the Unit-brought nearly 10,000 men here, was ed States and a man who calls him- "Our sympathy will ordered to march back to the coast—
60 miles. Plans were made for the self president of Mexico but whom fourth brigade to go aboard trans- the United States had never recognizports, although it was said no sailing ed as entitled t othat right.

The president said the intention of the United States was to help the found the newspapers fired with enthusiasm for war. Mr. Wilson de-clared he did not want war, but justice and that he did not consider such acts of reprisal as are planned. war, sustained by the Greytown precedent, for one,

The president said that in reality he was going to congress on an oc-casion, for which, strictly speaking, a wave of popularity for himself. it was not necessary to obtain authority but that it was his desire to

thought and purpose of congress. take steps which would fall short of declaration of war.

Mr. Wilson said the executive could take steps which would fall short of a declaration of war. , Has Not Lost Patience.

The president emphasized that he for to lose patience scemed to him an act of weakness on the part of a person strong enough to do he ought, but that he felt such incidents as recent ones might go from about conflict.

president added that he fenses at an early stage.

and he added that even the course of

action was to secure the elimination lotte; John C. Drewry, Raleigh; G. of Huerta he replied the Tampico in- H. Holderness, Tarboro; T. cident did not involve that question. Brown, Ballsbury; He replied the United States merely Winston-Salem; Leonard Turis, Pinewanted full recognition of its dignity hurst; J. A. the house resolution for a 2 o'clock and such a recognition as would and George S. Powell, Asheville, constitute a guarantee that such incidents as the one at Tampico would not recur.

Message Ready.

The reference was to Huerta's pro-Clark's Statement.

New York, April 20.—"Congress will salute to the flag by Heurta would back up the president," declared he the only kind of simultaneous salute to the flag by Heurta would be necessarily that 21 guns fired simultaneous in the salute to the flag by Heurta would be necessarily that 21 guns fired simultaneous in the salute to the flag by Heurta would be necessarily that 21 guns fired simultaneously in the salute to the flag by Heurta would be necessarily that 21 guns fired simultaneously in the salute to the flag by Heurta would be necessarily that 21 guns fired simultaneously in the salute to the flag by Heurta would be necessarily that 21 guns fired simultaneously in the salute to the flag by Heurta would be not salute to the flag by Heurta would by Heurta w

finding a made to this government in any way by other nations.

MINISTER DEFENDS MEXICAN POSITION

PRESS OF LONDON

British Papers Think The U.S.

s Foeing Different Proposition.

London, April 20 .- Mexico over shadowed all other matters in public interest here today. Important domestic politics had to give way to what has been considered here for a long time the inevitable intervention by the United States to restore order The Westminster Gazette, a leading

government organ, in expressing th view that nothing can now avert war, "or if not war," what the late William E. Gladstone would have called "mil-itary operations," says:

"One cannot priend to be surprised that this could be the end of the refusal of the United States to recognize General Huerta. There are a good many other nations which in other circumstances might have tackled the hornet's nest but this case is one in which the Monroe doctrine saddles the The Pall Mall Gazette, an opposi

commit themselves.

"Upon the United The Globe says: citizens and foreigners exposed an eventual reorganization of the whole country is a counsel of despertion adopted in th chope that all facacts of war, but measures short of servers are of opinion that this may on shore at Tampico, that States has before it a gigantic task,

The Evening Standard thinks Huer-

Mr. Wilson said the executivema Mr. Wilson said the executive could the steps which would do not be seen to be

had not lost his patience with Mexi- Men Named to Arrange For Participation of N. C. in Panama-Pacific Fair.

thought it was wise in the interests of commission for North Carolina to peace to cut off those repeated of make arrangements for the part of will not be harmed in any noon he communicated to the ministhat this state will take in the Pana-Events of the day, the president re- ma-Pacific exposition in Sen Francispeated, such as a final acceptance co next year, Announcement of the to Vera Cruz or are preparing any protocol whatever but wanted an from Huerta might alter his plans, persennel of this commission has just to leave if necessary been made from the governor's of-It, J. Reynolds, Governor Craig and other leading agoza

men of the state are of the opinion that it would be of inestimable value te North Carolina to be well repre- military control but was withstanding only by a regard for its honor and The president announced he had his sented at the expesition, since this an attack by rebels. message ready, that it was about a state offers such excellent advantages ator Bristow, "If he asks for author-ity to put down insurrections or es-tablish a stable government in Mexico

jectionable, but Mr. Wilson laughing- has not yet made any appropriation asked that a second apology be pre- pice and that said officer presented an the exposition, but such perceptage of the fort, Gentral Zaragoza; that maeder of the American squadron in tions as may be necessary will be the American flag be hoisted at a those waters; that afterwards when

> Mrs. Morgan Wins Cup. Mrs. A. J. Morgan of Larchmount,

And the whole coun- using their good offices with Huerta solf tournament, which has been in that date, and continued until now. progress at the Country club. Mrs. Morgan as winner of the journament a trophy by the Manor.

GIANT TASK, SAYS Negotiations With U.S. Are Revealed at Mexico City.

> NO FLAG CARRIED BY MEN ARRESTED

Acceptance of the Demands Means Humiliation, He Declares.

United States with heavy obligations intense interest today next ply to Huerta's refusal to com-Our sympathy with the Americans ply with the American deposition Huerta had taken— tancously. When the American government namely, that the American flag insulted and that compliance with the demand for an unconditional salute would be humiliating to Mexico.

> This statement was followed by a statement from President night, announcing that if by that Huerta advising Mexicans to time he had not agreed to the salute of the American flag as requested the which might embarrass possible future negotiations.

> outcome of the present crisis protocol to the American Charge D'Affaires, Nelson O'Shaughnessy.

by the Mexican authorities, must consult his government; that he Governor Locke Craig has named a They express belief that they would anyine the minister of this answer and this aftereventuality. Others are going not accept the idea of a signature of

Roja's Statement.

When the president was asked the Gen. Julian S. Carr. Durham; Stuart with nine marines and one officer landing direct question if the purpose of his Cramer and C. E. Hutchinson, Chardal action was to secure the climination latter. Labor C. The control of the purpose of his cramer and C. E. Hutchinson, Chardal action was to secure the climination latter. Labor C. The control of the purpose of his cramer and C. E. Hutchinson, Chardal action was to secure the climination latter. Labor C. The control of which follows:

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> "General Zaragoza immediately and without even investigating the case put the marines and the officer at lib-

The general assembly of the state terwards an ultimatum wherein he

'The term was later extended when ordered that a full investigation Speaker Champ Clark here early to-lute that would be accepted.

N. Y. defented Mrs. H. W. Fraser 4 up diplomatic negotiations were begun by day. "There will be no division be-The president revealed that foreign and 3 to play Saturday afternoon in the sub-secretary of affairs in Mexico. N. Y., defented Mrs. H. W. Fraser 4 up diplomatic negotiations were begun by made to the end that the guilty might the finals of the women's handicap the minister of war being absent at and finally that the action in question

> Further Investigation.
> "The president of Mexico when inreceived the handsome cap offered as formed of the case ordered another that the marines when detained had investigation of the facts and punish-

Mexico City, April 20.—The ment of the guilty officer, if it were proved he was blameworthy. He also ederal capital awaited with authorized the minister of foreign at fairs to express regret on account of word from Washington in reported the request of Rear Admiral Mayo relative to a salute of the course to which they seem about to mand. Morning papers pub- sulted, he proposed to show his good will toward the lished a lengthy statement by though he did not think that such a The Globe says: "Upon the United States will be laid the extremely difficult duty of protecting both its own cult duty of protecting both its own Rojas outlining reasons for the and saluted reciprocally and simul-

the blue jackets were arrested ing to international practice the sacannon after the salute to the Amertherefore the flag had not been ican flag, this was not accepted by President Huerta, who insisted upon his proposition.

Patrol Proposed. "Then the American government

brought to an end by the final decision of President Huerta within a term which expired at 6 o'clock torefrain from demonstrations affair would be presented to the "The Mexican government, believ-

ing that the salute in question was of Many American residents no importance unless previously and formally agreed upon by both parties, have prepared to stay in the proposed the signing of a protocol Mexican capital whatever the last night presented a draft of such

ter the fact that his government did

Inspired by Honor and Dignity. the The Mexican government is confident that it has observed all the require-"It should be remembered that at ments of international law, and that this time the port not only was under the refusal to yield further is inspired

> Draft of Protocol. The draft of the protocol by Mexico, refused signature by the United States

"With a view to putting an end to the lamentable incident which curred on the ninth instant at Port Tampico, caused by the detention of "We thought the incident closed nine men and one American officer; cause Mayo sent to him some time af- immediately put at liberty by General Zaragoza, commander of Port Tam-Carolina to participate in sented to him by the staff of the chief apology to Rear Admiral Mayo, comational law as "measures short knew the Maxican government had ficers providing 75 per cent of the possifier a simultaneous salute and made, it is understood, upon the recupility of the president of the possifier a simultaneous salute and the president of the possifier a simultaneous salute and ommendation of the commission.

Tampico and saluted the president of the possifier a simultaneous salute and ommendation of the commission.

The material providing 75 per cent of the possifier a simultaneous salute and ommendation of the commission. by 21 guns and besides, the severe ico became advised of the facts ha punishment of Hinojosa, stipulating expressed regret through the effice of that all this be done within 24 hours, foreign relations for the incident and be punished if any be found guilty, was due to the zealousness of a sub altern which might be regarded as excusable if it is taken into consideration

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