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THE MEXICANS ARE PLOTTING FOR REVOLUTION

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 18.—Attacks on Americans in Mexico and rumors of a Mexican invasion of Texas to avenge the teaching of Rodriguez...

Thousands of Mexican army rifles have been seized by the government and it is believed that thousands more are still secreted or stored in the hands of revolutionists.

The developments of the past few days indicate that the anti-American demonstration was a ruse to cloak the real situation...

Many persons innocent of the real movement joined the movement against Americans but later withdrew when the leaders of the uprising demanded that they pledge themselves to take part in the movement against Diaz.

The seizure of rifles were made in Mexico City at Pueblo, El Oro, Tapia and Pascho.

Secrets of arrests have been made. Troops are held in readiness for quick moving and secret police through the country.

It is evident that a great amount of money has been spent financing the present movement of the revolutionists.

It is said that more than a million dollars has been spent for arms alone.

It is believed in most quarters in Mexico that the movement has been financed in America by capitalists who are disgruntled at Diaz for his refusal to grant mining concessions.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE First National Bank OF Washington, North Carolina AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOV. 10, 1910. Includes table of Resources and Liabilities.

THE WATERWAYS MEETING ENDS

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 18.—With the closing session of the Mississippi to the Atlantic Inland Waterway Convention this morning, when the election of the next meeting place was left to the executive committee...

Congressman J. H. Small of North Carolina who delivered one of the notable addresses, goes directly to his home as does Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations...

HOME ROBBED OF \$136.00

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walls on West Third Street was robbed last night between seven and eight o'clock of \$136.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Walls and Mr. William Day were sitting in the front room of their home as in their usual custom each evening. It was not discovered until it repaired to their respective rooms for the night.

In an interview with Mrs. Walls this morning the Daily News ascertained the following facts: She states that she and her husband and Mr. Day were in the front room read and that they heard no noise in the rear room. The money was placed in a large trunk. An entrance was made through one of the windows into the bedroom.

After an entrance had been made the trunk was broken open and the money taken from a small trunk on the inside of the large one. The thieves succeeded in taking one hundred dollars in currency; one twenty dollar gold piece; one ten dollar gold piece; five one dollar gold pieces and one silver dollar. There is no clue as to the guilty parties.

Church Services. First Baptist Church—Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Mr. S. P. Willis, superintendent.

Christian Church—Rev. Robert V. Hope, pastor. Regular services Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

St. Peter's Church. Morning and evening prayer with sermon celebrated by the rector, Rev. Nathaniel Harding, Sunday morning and evening.

Free Will Baptist. Rev. J. T. Butler of the Free Will Baptist church, after being absent for two months will hold services tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock and 7 p. m. at the court house. Public invited.

First Presbyterian Church. On account of the absence of the pastor Rev. H. B. Searight in Tarboro, where he is to assist in the installation of Rev. J. E. Ballou as pastor of that church, there will be only one service in this church tomorrow morning.

Young Men's Christian League. There will be a meeting of the Young Men's Christian League tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Lighthouse Department WILL NOT COME HERE. Baltimore Md., Nov. 18.—That the deluge of protests of local business men and merchants against the removal of the local lighthouse department in the custom house had its effect was demonstrated today when Secretary Boggs of the Merchant's and Manufacturers' Association received a letter from Secretary Nagle of the Department of Commerce of Labor, denying that the government had any intention of removing the local station at this time.

WASHINGTON, NOV. 15.—A former Asheville man who is in the city tonight brings an interesting story which may lead to some clue as to the whereabouts of Miss Josephine Hood, who disappeared completely since her marriage four years ago to a man named Cavendish, supposed to be Lord Douglas at New Ibernia, La.

Miss Hood was an Asheville girl and her family has searched the earth they believe, for her. It seems that this Asheville man had known a lady, who is now Mrs. Cabell Hall of Cour D'Alene, Idaho, and this lady had a photograph of this gentleman in her possession.

Mrs. Hall was living a few weeks ago in an apartment house in the little mining town, and one day a lady passing by stopped in her room and seeing the photograph immediately recognized it, said she knew him. Then she explained that her name was Josephine Hood.

This lady not being acquainted with the mysterious disappearance of Miss Hood, later in writing to her Asheville friend, mentioned the incident as an illustration of how all the world really is after all. The clue will be investigated, although the family believe that Miss Hood met with foul play immediately after her marriage.

ON SHIP NEXT TEST. Washington, Nov. 18.—Whether an airship can land on a war vessel as easily as it can leave it is the question which is now agitating the minds of some of the officers of the navy department.

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The next step will be to test the practicability of landing on a vessel. The navy department intends to continue its study of the question by making such a test. Just when this will be made has not been determined.

Capt. Washington I. Chambers, president of a special naval board detailed to make a study and report of airship flights in their relation to naval warfare, has returned from Hampton Roads, where he was in charge of Monday's experiment. He is enthusiastic over Ely's flight.

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Mrs. Anderson's husband, August is in jail, charged with grand larceny.

She said last night that he had never been in trouble before and that she felt sure his present difficulties were due to getting into bad company.

He is charged with having stolen bedclothes belonging to Judge Alfred T. Seaman. The bedding was in the Harlem freight yard of the New Haven Railroad, having been shipped from the judge's summer home in Maine.

For three days after Anderson's arrest his wife had no idea where he was and asked the police to look for him.

He had never been away from home before without letting her know where he was. When she learned the truth she said nothing to neighbors but set out to get work.

But on account of the three-months old baby no one would employ her.

Piece by piece, every household article that would bring money was pawned or sold. At last there was so little left that only the smallest quantity of food could be bought.

The family was close to starvation when its plight became known yesterday through an anonymous letter sent to the Children's Society.

Two collections were taken up yesterday, one among the neighbors and one among the policemen of the precinct. Last night Mrs. Anderson and her children had their first real meal in more than a week, and for the first time in the same period had a little warmth in their flat.

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RAILROAD CLERK COMMITS SUICIDE

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 19.—Archie G. McKay, chief clerk for the Seaboard Air Line Railway, who committed suicide shortly before 7 o'clock last night by shooting himself through the heart with a 25-calibre Colt's revolver.

Mr. McKay shot himself at the home of J. M. Morris, another railroad employee, death resulting this afternoon.

He was in a happy mood and his death came as a distinct shock to the community.

Mr. McKay was a young man well liked by everybody and came here a few months ago from Laurinburg, where his people live. He left a tender and pathetic note to his father, telling him not to be surprised at his deed, and asking him to kiss his sisters for him, assigning as his cause for ending his life his inability to stop smoking cigarettes and drinking.

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Congressman Small Back Home From Florida.

Congressman John H. Small has just returned from Pensacola, Florida where he attended the annual Convention of the Mississippi to Atlantic Inland Waterway Association.

In response to a request from the Daily News, Mr. Small made a brief statement as to the meeting of this Association and some of his impressions on the trip.

"This Waterway Association," said Mr. Small, "was organized several years ago to promote congressional legislation for the construction of a waterway across the state of Florida, connecting the Atlantic with the Gulf of Mexico and thence an inside route from St. George's Bay on the Gulf Coast by a protected route to the Mississippi river and New Orleans. A survey with a favorable report was made some years ago for a route across the peninsula of Florida which began on the St. John's river on the East coast and thence almost a direct line to the nearest point on the Gulf coast near St. George's Bay.

Another survey was authorized by congress in the river and harbor act of March 1909, the report on which has not yet been submitted. This project is intended to be merely a continuance of the Intra-Coastal waterway from Boston to Florida, affording a protected passage from the Mississippi and Gulf ports to the waterway and ports and rivers along the Atlantic seaboard.

Congressman J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deep Waterways Association, also attended, and our purpose was to invite the co-operation of the association in the Gulf states with the Association which is promoting the construction of the Waterway from Boston to Florida.

Mr. Moore and I were most cordially received. I believe that there will hereafter be greater activity on the part of the Senators and representatives from the Gulf states in connection with these two great projects.

When asked about Pensacola, Mr. Small said, "This is a city of 30,000 people with diversified industries and possesses a magnificent harbor with a present depth of 35 feet. A large navy yard is maintained at this port."

Asked about Florida, Mr. Small said, "There were among others two distinct impressions made on my mind. One was the large number of settlers from other states who have moved into Florida, and the other was the enthusiasm of the people for Florida and the effort made to advertise the state abroad. Many people from other states have made their homes there and the movement still continues. Strangers are apparently welcomed and no discrimination is either felt or practiced against them, and they are at once adopted as a part of the citizenship. I made many inquiries and did not hear of the slightest jealousy upon the part of the native born resident against newcomers, nor of any complaint by new settlers as to the manner in which they had been received. They appear to extend a glad welcome to anyone who will settle among them and help build up the Land of Flowers."

"It is quite apparent that a large number of the people of that state appreciate the value of publicity. Every city and town has its active board of trade and one of their primary purposes appears to be the gathering of data and information regarding their community and section, and publishing it with attractive illustrations, and distributing the same throughout the country. This custom has undoubtedly helped to attract settlers to the state."

"The state of Florida is engaged in reclaiming swamp lands by drainage on a large scale. Surveys and plans have been made to contracts have been let for the drainage of thousands of acres of land in the Everglades, the result of which will be to provide a large area of most fertile lands. No trouble is contemplated in the sale of these lands, in fact much has been sold in advance of the completion of drainage."

Bank Officials in the Toils. New York, Nov. 17.—"I only wanted the money for a few days," Charles A. Belling, third vice-president of the Bronx National Bank, was recently heard to say during the night as he paced up and down the Tombs prison cell, in which he was lodged when arrested late yesterday charged with forging a certificate of stock in the bank and obtaining a \$3,000 loan from the Knickerbocker Trust Company on his security.

FIRM STOCK IS SEIZED

New York, Nov. 17.—The entire stock of Joseph Brooke & Company, and English woolen firm which has maintained a branch house here for a quarter of a century, was seized by the government tonight, in an action to recover \$200,000 damages "in consequence of fraud and other wrongful acts." Alleged evasion of customs dues, disclosed by a former employe of the firm, is the basis for the action.

With the seizure of the goods it became known that the government had recently instituted suit against the firm, but being unable to serve the summons in the action because the Brookes are at the present time in Huddersfield, England, U. S. District Attorney Wise today obtained a writ of attachment. The writ was served by U. S. Marshal Hankel upon Robert C. Herron, manager of the business, which is conducted at number 840 Broadway.

The stock is valued at almost the amount of the damages claimed by the government.

Peter Redlinger until recently a clerk in the firm's employ, gave the information on which the government acted.

Special agents were assigned to investigate his story and according to Mr. Wise, examination verified his charges that the company for years had cheated the government by undervaluation of goods and false invoices.

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