

U.S. TO INVADE MEXICO

DAILY NEWS TO OFFER MANY PRIZES FREE

Vacation trips and Other Awards to Be Made by Local Paper

FULL DETAILS ARE GIVEN BELOW

Every Reader of the Daily News Has an Equal Chance to Win a Prize and Secure a Cash Refund as Well

Take a vacation at our expense; tour the large cities of the east and the Daily News will be your host. According as the foregoing statement may sound it is true nevertheless. But the invitation is extended to the ladies only. The ladies and girls of Washington and adjoining territory reached by the Daily News.

The ladies will take an extended tour as guests of this paper, all expenses, including details to add convenience, comfort and luxury to be defrayed. The party will be properly chaperoned and the details enroute and while sight seeing will be attended to by an experienced conductor in charge of the party, who will make reservations at hotels, plan side trips, automobile excursions, secure a seat at theatres offering best attractions, locate largest department stores, most attractive shops, and act as guide and information bureau in general. The itinerary of the tour is given below, briefly, as many of the most enjoyable side trips will be planned enroute.

The party will go from Washington to Norfolk via the Norfolk Southern Railway. After a short rest and refreshments they will proceed to their reservations on one of the big liners of the Old Dominion Steamship Company where they will dine and enjoy the evening entertainment aboard ship, embarking from Norfolk to Washington, D. C., aboard the palatial steamer. Arriving at the latter city the following morning. Following the refreshing short sea voyage the party will be ready and eager for a big day of sight-seeing at the National Capital, visiting the Capital building including the Chambers of the United States Senate, House of Representatives, the White House, the mint and the United States printing where currency and postage stamps are manufactured. Art Museums, Washington's Monument, and many other objects and places of historical, as well as of national interest of the present day. The evening will be spent at the theatre that offers the best of traction, followed by dinner and a good rest in preparation for the next day of pleasures.

From Washington the pleasure seekers will proceed to Philadelphia, visit the points of interest in the Old Quaker city, travelling from there to Niagara Falls over the Lehigh Valley railway in a Pullman attached to one of their finest trains. The trip enroute through the Lehigh Valley is a wonder in itself, in the matter of sight-seeing. This beautiful valley abounds in scenery unsurpassed, varied in description and rich in splendor. Luxurious chairs of the big smooth riding Pullman add comfort and rest to the enchanting views seen from within, and the excellence of the cuisine service afforded from the dining car will tickle the hearts as well as the palates of the now enthusiastic band of sight-seers.

The next stop is at Niagara Falls, which is by far the greatest sight of its kind in the entire world; a thing which Americans have come to regard in the light of a great American institution, rather than merely a wonderful sight. Every American should see the mammoth falls as a duty aside from pleasure. It is distinctly national. To many it represents the spirit of this great country and its people. Wonderously large, tremendously great in volume, throbbing with sentiment, and embodied with force and power that

is almost beyond the power of human estimation. Niagara Falls inspires everyone who gazes into the tremendous cataract, the mere sight of the falls starts one to thinking, realizing the bigness of things, the smallness of man. It is not a sight, it is an inspiration. Something to be seen—never to be forgotten. It has the charm for man that the magnet has for steel. Created by Nature, unconquered by man, this terrific avalanche commands respect, admiration and instills wonder into the hearts of all who watch. People come from the four corners of the earth to gaze at it and feel well repaid. We at home sometimes do not appreciate our own possessions. See a few of the wonders of our own land—The Daily News makes it possible, the trip will be absolutely without cost to you.

The party will remain in the neighborhood of Niagara for two days. Trips will be arranged across the border into Canada, our robust but pleasant young neighbor of the north. Canadian customs will be observed, places of interest visited. For pleasure the time spent will be long remembered and as educational value it cannot be overestimated. After a thorough rest the travellers will resume the journey in Pullman to Albany, New York, the capital of the Empire State. After viewing the places of interest in Albany the party will take reservations on a Hudson River steamer, embarking in that manner from Albany to New York City, the mecca of the nation. Beauties of a Hudson river voyage defy description. Scenes depicting the abode of the humble fisherman up to the elaborate homes of the extremely wealthy will be viewed on the trip down this historic old stream. Old land marks will be pointed out, objects that are associated with the exploits of Henry Hudson and others of historic name.

Disembarking from the river steamer the party will make their addressees for several days in one of the large New York hotels. When refreshed members of the party will also a systematically arranged tour of New York and Brooklyn, in a manner that will enable everything worth while to be seen in a leisurely manner. Special trips will be arranged to Chateaufort, to Coney Island, etc. Visits will be made to Wall Street, the money market of the world. The great banking institutions will be pointed out and visited. The institutions of Morgan and of Rockefeller and others will be of interest. Central Park, the Zoological Gardens and other parks of note will be seen. The wealth of Gotham in splendor and on parks on Fifth Avenue, Museums, libraries of note, towering skyscrapers and the busiest trade mart of the nation. Inspect the shops where business for ladies are approved or rejected, and where they are created. Walk down Broadway and view the finest and most extensive theatrical district in the world. Luncheon at restaurants that are known by name throughout the entire world. Visit the beautiful yards lined with piles of the social leaders and millionaires. Take a trip through the East Side getting forth the best side of city life, the so-called tenement houses whose wretched work-conditions are so often mentioned. In fact, the trip will be a great education in Manhattan, about a world of knowledge, and a thing to be remembered and talked of for some time to come. You will see the National

FALL ASKS FOR 500,000 TROOPS INVADE MEXICO

MEXICAN QUESTION BREAKS OUT IN CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION TODAY.

MAY DECLARE WAR

Officials in Washington Declare that Massacre of Americans Has Created a Most Serious Situation.

Washington, March 10.—The Mexican question broke out in Congress late today. Senator Fall, of New Mexico, announced that he had prepared a resolution to authorize recruiting of an army of 500,000 to intervene in Mexico and aid the existing authorities in stamping out brigandage, who in the house Representative Mondell, Republican, of Wyoming, started debate with a speech attacking the administration's Mexican policy.

Formal request for permission to send American troops across the border to hunt down Villa and his bandits who raided Columbus, N. M., early yesterday, has been made to General Carranza by Brigadier General Pershing at El Paso through Andres Garcia, Carranza's consul there.

While a reply from Carranza is awaited, five troops of the 13th cavalry are across the border under orders from their commander, Colonel Slocum, not to go more than two miles into the interior.

Metropolis and become familiar with many things of which you have heard or read in the past. Under the guidance of a chaperone and with assistance of a conductor who make every arrangement for you, permitting you to have no other thought than of enjoyment.

Take a kodak if you wish and you will have remembrances of the tour long after it has been finished.

The party will attend theatres in New York, in houses that are famous throughout the land.

The party will leave New York on the Old Dominion Steamship, pass under the shadow of the Statue of Liberty bound for Norfolk. The short cruise will enable each member of the party to rest fully after the busy days of New York. At Norfolk a general visit will be paid to that city, taking in Ocean View Park and other places. A little rest and the returning pilgrims will take to the comfortable Pullman of the Norfolk Southern bound for Washington—then home—back to the place that after all is nearest to the heart.

But when you arrive home you are far richer than when you departed—the tour was at the expense of the Daily News. It cost you nothing, but you gained a stock of knowledge that will be useful and always a pleasure.

Friends will be interested in your descriptions of places, of people, of cities and things in general. They will gaze at your kodak pictures eagerly. Probably you will have one of yourself with the great Niagara Falls in the background, on the steps of the National Capitol or at some favored spot on Broadway with some of the great theatres or restaurants making the background. The trip will be an everlasting pleasure, highly educational, and many times in the future it will be of considerable pride to be able to talk conversation with friends of strangers with intimate knowledge of things at a distance.

The party will leave Washington about July 5th. But the prize will be awarded at the end of the next week. July is the best time for a vacation of this kind. At that time the weather is the most attractive in the country for tourists and for that reason the

BOY NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH WHILE AT PLAY

HARRY MELLBY HUNG SELF IN SWING, UNCONSCIOUS FOR OVER SIXTEEN HOURS.

SAVED BY CHANCE

Was Cut Down By One of His Play-Mates, Not to Save Him But "To See His Head Hit the Ground" When He Fell.

Harry Mellby, the eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McIlhenny, who yesterday narrowly escaped death by hanging, is considerably improved today and is now believed will not suffer any after effects from the near-tragedy. He was unconscious from 6:30 yesterday until after midnight and for some time it was feared that he would be unable to survive the strangling which he had received.

The boy, together with several other lads, was playing in the yard back of the home of F. C. Kugler on Main street. Harry was sitting in a swing while the others were playing ball. He unravelled a loose piece of string, which had been wrapped around one of the ropes and fastened it around his neck. In some manner he slipped out of the swing and was suspended by the neck. His feet were on the ground and he hung at an angle of about thirty degrees from the ground.

How long he remained in this position is not known—perhaps two or three minutes. The other boys, who saw his predicament but did not realize his danger, Frank Kugler, one of the lads who was playing with the others, took out his knife and ran up in back of Harry. He cut the string by which Harry was suspended, not through any intention of rescuing him, but "to see his head hit the ground." It was through the playfulness that the boy's life was saved. Even after Harry had been cut down, the boys did not realize his predicament and thought that he was "playing possum." They proceeded to paddle him good and hard in order to make him get up. When he failed to do so, however, they began to realize that something serious had happened.

At about this time, Mr. Kugler, hearing the disturbance, ran out in the yard. He turned the unconscious lad over and found that he was scarcely breathing. By working his arms, he managed to increase the action of the lungs. Brown was summoned and Mr. Kugler carried the boy into his house, where he remained until ten o'clock that night. He was then taken to the home of his parents. Shortly after midnight he regained consciousness.

Other Awards. In addition to six tours as outlined above the Daily News will give away five ladies' jeweled Elgin watches in gold cases guaranteed for twenty years. This make of watch is too well known to require further description. Not only are they beautiful articles of jewelry but unsurpassed as reliable time keepers. They may be used as a wrist watch, or in the regular manner.

Five Lavalieres. Five beautiful lavalieres will be awarded also. Delightful and beautiful articles, set with a small diamond, pieces of jewelry that will delight the hearts of any lady.

Cough Cures Fatal to Men. Reading, Pa.—Calvin I. Baber, six-year-old, was seized with a violent coughing attack and burst a blood vessel, hemorrhage followed and death occurred before a doctor came.

INVASION IS FORMALLY ORDERED

GENERAL CARRANZA IS REPORTED AS BEING EITHER DEAD OR ELSE HELD A PRISONER

Entire Mexico is Declared to be in a State Of Revolt and Many Uprisings are Reported Taking Place There.

RESOLUTIONS, DECLARING WAR, ARE BEING PREPARED

VILLA'S MEN ARE DEFEATED

U. S. Troops Have Returned to the Border. Funston Asks for More Men to Protect Texas Towns.

Washington, March 10.—General Funston has used four troops to protect the towns along the Texas border. He states that as long as Villa is allowed to remain at large, the entire border country will be endangered.

Troops are Moving. San Antonio, Tex., March 10.—A general activity on the part of the troops along the Texas border gives intimation of the fact that steps are being taken to prevent any further occurrences of the type that took place at Columbus, N. M., yesterday.

Villa's Men Defeated. San Antonio, Tex., March 10.—The U. S. troops who yesterday gave chase to Villa's men, have returned to the border. They report a running engagement with the bandits on the other side of the Rio Grande and state that a number of the Mexicans were killed.

GAVE OUT NEWS WHILE STILL HOT

Daily News Bulletin in Washington, Belhaven, Aurora and Bath Told of Mexican Trouble.

Considerable interest was manifested by local readers in the news over yesterday's developments on the Mexican border. The Daily News received a special bulletin, telling of the fight at Columbus, at about six o'clock. Bulletins were immediately posted in various stores in the city and an announcement of the occurrence read in the New Theatre. Due to the work necessitated by yesterday's "Trade Week Edition," we were unable to get out an extra, but managed to give out the news to the people while it was still "hot." Bulletins were also issued to Belhaven, Aurora and Bath.

NEW THEATRE TO-NIGHT
5th episode of "THE RED CIRCLE"
Edison Feature Photoplay
"The Fruth About Helen"
in 4 re-els
"The Cheetah Industry"
1 reel comedy
Prices 5c-10c

(Special to the Daily News)

Washington, March 10.—The invasion of Mexico was formally ordered this afternoon by the president.

Resolutions declaring war against Mexico are being prepared. Carranza is reported as being either dead or in jail.

Numerous minor conflicts have taken place on the border today. Entire Mexico is declared to be in revolt. Many uprisings are reported.

Congress is giving its entire attention to the Mexican situation.

The above are today's sensational developments in the Mexican situation and give the most exciting news that has developed recently. It is now apparent that a state of war exists between the United States and Mexico. How far the action will go is unknown, but it is believed among official circles in Washington that President Wilson's patience has been exhausted and that he will go the limit in punishing the bandits who yesterday slew the Americans at Columbus, N. M.

BIG TRADE WEEK STARTS TOMORROW

Fare Will be Refunded to all Out-of-Town Customers. Big Business Week Expected. Special Arrangements Have Been Made.

Tomorrow begins a week which will be of special interest to every resident of Washington.

J. K. Hoyt, Suskin & Henry.

The leading merchants of the city will start their great co-operative fare refunding sale, and will refund the railroad fare to all out-of-town customers, who buy a certain amount.

R. L. Stewart, E. L. Brooks, Harris Hardware Co., Dowers Bros, Co., J. F. Buckman & Son, E. K. Willis.

Special bargains are offered and special arrangements have been made by all of the stores that are co-operating in this great sale. Many visitors are expected in Washington during the next week to take advantage of the sale.

It is not necessary that visitors buy all of their goods at one store. They may have their fare refunded by any of the merchants of Pinetown, or by any of the merchants of Belhaven, Aurora or Bath.

The sale promises to do more towards developing business in Washington than any move that has been started in years. Great interest is being manifested by the people of the rural districts, who will also be refunded an amount equal to that which they would have paid for railroad fare. The following merchants are co-operating in this great sale:

Skating Tonight At the ARMORY Admission Free