

REYES ARRESTED BY U. S. MARSHAL FOR CONSPIRACY

Ex-Commander-in-Chief of Mexican Army Considers Arrest as Persecution

"ANIMUS NOT HARD TO FIND," HE DECLARES

Denies That he Has Aided or Abetted New Revolution in Native Land

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 18.—General Bernardo Reyes, commander-in-chief of the Mexican army during the regime of President Diaz, was arrested today on an indictment returned by the United States grand jury at Laredo, Tex., charged with conspiring against a friendly government.

He describes his arrest as "ridiculous." "I consider it persecution," he said, "and the animus is not hard to find. As I have always done, I again deny that I have in any manner aided, abetted or considered a revolution in Mexico nor have I joined in any conspiracy to secure one. He placed the blame on the Maderistas.

FOUR OTHERS ARRESTED LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 18.—Resides General Bernardo Reyes, four Mexicans of prominence and the sheriff of Webb county, Texas, are charged in indictments returned in the United States District court at Laredo today with conspiring to violate neutrality laws of the United States.

Rudolfo Reyes, son of the general; Antonio Maroon, of Monterey; Severo Vallarreal of Laredo; Amador Sanchez, sheriff of this county and the private secretary of General Reyes are those named in the indictments. Sanchez, Maroon and Villarreal were taken into custody at Laredo. Instructions were telegraphed to San Antonio for the arrest of the others.

Today's indictments came as a climax to an investigation by the federal grand jury which has been in progress for several weeks.

VIGILANCE RENEWED MEXICO CITY, Nov. 18.—The arrest of General Bernardo Reyes in San Antonio for an alleged violation of the neutrality laws has not caused the Mexican government to relax its vigilance. President Madero and his advisers believe the odds are against the success of another rebellion, but

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EIGHTEEN MEN ENTOMBED IN WEST VIRGINIA MINE ARE THOUGHT TO BE DEAD

Result of Explosion Caused by Coal Dust Was Thought to be Safe

RESCUE PARTIES

VIVIAN, W. Va., Nov. 18.—Eighteen men were killed in the bottom creek mine of the Bottom Creek Coal and Coke company here, as a result of an explosion caused by coal dust today. Four other men who were in the mine at the time of the explosion were rescued. Five of them were engineers connected with the Crozier Land association, which leases the coal to the Bottom Creek company. Immediately after the explosion rescue parties went to work and succeeded in rescuing alive Alexander Williams, an engineer and three other men. Williams' companion engineers, all of whom resided in Elk Horn, W. Va., were not found. They were W. H. Henderson, T. Williams, E. H. Hervey and Chas. Brewer.

PREMIER THINKS FOREIGNERS WILL INTERFERE SOON

China Cannot Establish Republic Quickly Enough to Prevent It, he Says

ACTS OF LAWLESSNESS ARE ON THE INCREASE

Business and Finances Are Reported to be in Very Bad Shape

PEKING, Nov. 18.—Premier Yuan Shi Kai believes China cannot establish a republic with sufficient dispatch to prevent foreign interference. Therefore he is endeavoring to re-establish the monarchy. This is his present attitude as expressed and implied to members of the national assembly, foreign ministers and others whom he has seen. The premier believes or pretends to believe that the provinces of Chi-Li and Ho-Nan are safe, although it is well known that only force retains them to the government. He says the masses in most of the provinces are not rebellious, but that the provinces seceded without giving the matter much thought and very little pressure would bring them back into the fold, particularly if Wu Chang is recaptured. Some members of the legations think Yuan Shi Kai has the capture of Wu Chang in view and that the renewed fighting around Nanking today and yesterday is preliminary to an attack upon Han Yan. Many provinces report marauding by rebel bands and there are persistent rumors that several foreigners have been killed at Shen-Si.

LAWLESSNESS INCREASING WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Affairs in China apparently have reached such a point that neither the rebels nor imperialists are able to check the acts of lawlessness. Advice to the state department today say brigandage is on the increase in various parts of the empire. Business and finances are reported to be in bad shape. From Rear Admiral Murdock, commander of the American navy forces in China, comes reports that Nanking is cut off from communication with the outside world by railroad and telegraph and that the natives are leaving in disorder. All the missionaries except three are reported to have left Nanking for Wuhs. There are no disorders in Chee Foo but many robberies are being committed in the vicinity.

Later advices from Nanking, where the decisive battle of the revolution is thought to be impending, are to the effect that all Americans are now outside the walled town with the exception of six members of the Red Cross. The naval officers report that it will be difficult to protect foreign property inside the walls because it is so widely scattered. The revolutionary forces are still concentrating. They now hold all of the territory in the vicinity of Nanking. The imperial warships captured by the revolutionaries or surrendered voluntarily after the fighting at Hankow are reported to be lying at Chin Kiang.

"LOS ANGELES CENTER OF MOVEMENT DESIGNED TO CRUSH UNIONISM"

Socialist Delegates Appeal to Labor Federation for Socialist Mayor

DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 18.—Alleging that the enemies of organized labor had made Los Angeles, Cal., the battleground of a movement declared to be designed to crush and intimidate unionism, socialistic delegates today appealed to the convention of the American Federation of Labor to help them elect Job Herriman mayor of the California city. The socialists submitted resolutions touching on the matter which were recently adopted by the executive committee of their party at the suggestion of Congressman Victor L. Berger.

CHICAGO PACKERS SECURE DELAY IN CRIMINAL TRIALS

Defendants However Were Unsuccessful in Getting Writ of Habeas Corpus

GOVERNMENT COUNSEL OBJECTS TO DELAY

Judge Frank in Saying he Doesn't Know What Good Short Delay Will do

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Counsel for the Chicago packers indicted under the Sherman anti-trust act succeeded late today in getting a delay until next Wednesday in the criminal trial, which was scheduled to begin on Monday in the United States District court.

Sharp Objection James Sheehan, of counsel for the government, made sharp objection to this delay. "It has taken eight years to get a plea of 'not guilty' from these defendants," said Attorney Sheehan to the court, "and now six months after the 'not guilty' plea has been entered, the trial has been postponed a jury. I protest at any further delay, and I submit that counsel for the defendants has but one purpose in making his request for time, and that purpose is delay."

RESTRAINING ORDER

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 18.—In the United States District court today Judge H. A. M. Smith issued a temporary restraining order forbidding the proposed consolidation of the Maple, Dillon and Hamer Cotton Mills under title of the Dillon Mills company. The order was issued in the case of J. H. Lane and company vs. M. Maple, Cotton Mills et al. The decision is expected to have a statewide effect in effectually preventing the merger of corporations without the unanimous consent of the stockholders.

POLICEMEN GUARDING EXECUTIVE MANSION AT FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY

Gov. Willson Fears Historic House May be Fired by Discharged Employee

CHICKENS POISONED

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 18.—Policemen are guarding the executive mansion of Kentucky tonight assigned there at the request of Governor Willson. Fears that the historic house may be set on fire or that food taken in for the use of the governor's household may be poisoned are responsible for the guard.

"Derned if my Cigar Ain't Gone Out."



CLAIMS THAT ROOSEVELT'S FEELING PEOPLE'S PULSE FOR A THIRD TERM

Representative Henry Not at all Backward in Saying Teddy is Trying to Discredit Taft and Wickersham, But Predicts he Will Find Road to Presidency a Rocky One—"Steel Trust Candidate."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Declaring that Theodore Roosevelt makes Alexander Hamilton look like a novice as an advocate of absolutism, Representative Henry, of Texas, chairman of the house committee on rules, issued a formal statement today in answer to the former president's views on the trust question in his recent editorial in the Outlook.

WARDAMAN MUST TELL WHAT BECAME OF MONEY

Several Thousand Dollars in State Funds Not Fully Accounted For

JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 18.—Alleging that when he retired from office in 1908 several thousand dollars in state funds were not fully accounted for, suit was filed in the chancery court of Hinds county late today seeking to have former Governor W. Vardaman, make explanation.

NOT MUCH SHOOTING

The Texas man who shot twenty-four times at his brother-in-law and missed every shot has a rival for the poor shot belt in Oklahoma where a man shot at his own head four times and missed. Then his wife had him arrested for disturbing the peace.—Houston Post.

ROMANS FIRST TO DIVIDE DAY

In 295 B. C. the Romans first divided the day into hours, when a sundial was placed in the temple of Quirinus at Rome. In the sixth century the English king, Alfred, taught his subjects to measure the flight of time by candle—three inches to burn an hour, and six candles to burn in 24 hours.



WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Forecast: North Carolina: fair Sunday and Monday; moderate west winds.

OWNERS OF OLYMPIC BRING SUIT FOR DAMAGE

Want Responsibility for Collision of Two Steamers Rightly Placed

LONDON, Nov. 18.—The hearing of the cross actions arising from the collision of the steamship Olympic with the British cruiser Hawke off the north coast of the Isle of Wight on September 20 was commenced in the Admiralty court before Sir Samuel T. Evans, the president of the court, today.

BLACKHAND LETTERS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—William B. Pettus, alias Wm. Russell, counterfeiter and self-accused murderer, was arrested in a Park Row saloon this afternoon by police inspectors who charged him with having written letters demanding \$200 under penalty of death from Postmaster Edward M. Morgan. Pettus admitted his guilt, the inspectors say, declaring that he was starving and needed a "big bunch of money to put me on easy street."

GREAT CHURCH PLANNED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—One of the handsomest church edifices in the country is to be erected here by the southern Methodists, according to plans made known tonight. Work will begin within six months. The church will cost \$500,000, which is to be raised by subscription. Almost half of this—\$217,000—already has been raised by Rev. Geo. S. Sexton, secretary of the representative southern church commission, who has made a campaign through the south to raise funds.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN HAS ACQUIRED THREE ROADS

Increases its Mileage by 33 1-3 Per Cent and is Given New Inlets

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 18.—Increasing its mileage by about 33 1-3 per cent and giving it an inlet into a very large portion of the Piedmont section of North Carolina, the Norfolk Southern railroad of the interests behind this system, have acquired the Raleigh and Southport, the Durham and Charlotte and the Aberdeen and Asheboro railroads and their subsidiaries.

GOMEZ' PLANS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 18.—Emiliano Basquez Gomez, who retired from the cabinet last August at the request of the provisional president, Senor Le Carrizosa, writes a letter to Imparcial in which he outlines the plans for a revolution, the aim of which is to overthrow President Madero and place Gomez in the presidency. He would declare the October elections void, dissolve congress and establish the ideals upon which the last revolution was founded. The movement is directed specifically against "the political arbitrariness and above all the arbitrary and violent imposition of the vice-president."

SISTERS PASS OUT TO ETERNITY ON THE FUMES OF GAS

Bond of Strong Love Severed in Most Tragic Manner at New York

NEW STOVE IN THEIR BEDROOM KILLED THEM

Doctors Believe That They Went Few Hours After They Had Retired

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—A deeply sentimental attachment that for eighty-four years bound together the lives of Mrs. Ada L. Sanford and her twin sister, Miss Eva L. Eno, who had been separated for scarcely more than a day since they were born, came to an end early yesterday morning when both were accidentally asphyxiated while asleep in the home of a great-nephew, John Eno Humason, No. 145 Wilson street, Brooklyn.

The old women whose home was in New Britain, Conn., recently completed a tour of the world, and were preparing to divide a considerable fortune among their relatives. They intended to settle on each what they believed he or she deserved from them, reserving for themselves only sufficient to carry them safely to the end of their days. The dissipation of their fortune was to have been the closing act of their lives.

When the sisters retired for the night they turned the gas low so that a small blaze would be retained throughout the night. The light was extinguished in some manner, possibly by a sudden excess pressure when the gas was turned off in the other parts of the building. The windows in their room were closed and the door was shut.

AMERICAN COMMANDER OF TROOPS ON MEXICAN BORDER WILL BE READY

Neutrality Laws Will be Enforced Even if Necessary to Use Soldiery

CLOSELY WATCHING

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Commanders of the American troops now in the vicinity of the Mexican border today were ordered to hold themselves in readiness to proceed immediately upon request from the proper federal officials to enforce the neutrality laws of the United States. Evidence of a well defined revolutionary plot which appears to have its base in the northern part of Mexico will immediately make efforts to discourage them. In this work they will have the help of the American soldiers along the border as the order today commands them to keep themselves in readiness for service. El Paso and San Antonio appear to be the centers of trouble just now according to the information of the war department. The Mexicans in those places showing great unrest and signs of political activity.