

SUFFRAGETTES ARE ATTACKED DURING SUNDAY MEETING

Mob of Ten Thousand Surrounds Women When They Gather in London

POLICE TRIED HARD TO QUIET THE MOB Officers Are Brushed Aside by the Excited Crowd Attacking Women

LONDON, March 16.—The suffragettes who again attempted to hold a Sunday afternoon meeting in Hyde park were mobbed by a crowd of 10,000 persons. For two hours the park where demonstrations until recently were held in peace, and Oxford street nearby, were the scenes of wildest disorder.

Crowd Rushes Police. The police endeavored to pilot the women to the tube station but the crowd brushed them aside and dragged the women up and down the street. In the melee one woman's eye was blackened and the clothes of all were torn and disheveled.

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PEACE TRUSTEES ASK CONGRESS TO REPEAL "NO TOLLS" LEGISLATION

Declare American Honor is at Stake in the Panama Canal Question.

MATTER AT ISSUE.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Declaring the United States ought to be the most scrupulous of all nations in the keeping of its treaty obligations, "even to its own hurt," the trustees of the Carnegie endowment for international peace tonight issued an appeal to the American people to bring about as an act of national honor the repeal of the act of congress which exempts American coast-wise vessels from payment of Panama canal tolls.

Continuing the brochure gives the history of the negotiation of the treaty, concluded on April 4, 1915, in which it is stipulated that in the event of "difficulties arising of a legal nature or relating to the interpretation of existing treaties these difficulties shall be referred to the permanent court of arbitration at The Hague."

MAGNITUDE OF THE MEXICAN TROUBLE IS BEING COVERED UP

Public Anxious for Peace Has Now Become Pessimistic Over the Situation—War News of the Day from Mexico City.

MEXICO CITY, March 16.—There is a wide variance between official and unofficial reports received in the capital regarding the magnitude of Mexico's latest revolution.

Information from sources heretofore reliable makes it appear that Carranza's revolt is far more formidable than the government reports would indicate.

According to the government the rebel governor of Coahuila holds no towns, commands not more than 400 men and is chiefly occupied in running away from the government troops.

Private Advice Received. Private advices say he holds Lampazos and Bustamante, in the state of Nuevo Leon and Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, in the state of Coahuila and that he has at least 4,000 men, many of whom are state troops under his command.

Accurate information is difficult to obtain and there is reason to believe that even the government has been badly informed in many cases.

GONZALES ARRIVES. NEW YORK, March 16.—General

Fernando Gonzales, for several years one of the principal aides of ex-President Porfirio Diaz, who went to Europe in 1911, in the same ship with the exiled president of Mexico, arrived here today on the steamer Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, on his way to Mexico City.

General Gonzales denied that he was the bearer of dispatches from Porfirio Diaz to the new Mexican government but said he would visit President Huerta.

"I assure you," General Gonzales said, "that my trip to Mexico has no political significance. I am simply returning to attend to some private business. I am not bringing any messages from former President Diaz."

WONT OBEY ORDERS. MONTEREY, Mexico, March 16.—Some 400 federal troops in the army of General Chico Campos refused to obey orders yesterday when commanded to go from Gomez Palacio on the eastern border of Durango, to Parras in Coahuila, to oppose rebel bands in that state.

BATTLE TAKES PLACE. MONTEREY, Mexico, March 16.—General Tracy Aubert on his march to Lampazos was opposed by the rebels at Villalidame, 5 1/2 miles north of Monterrey. A battle ensued and the Carranzistas fled.

General Trevino has received instructions to exercise the most rigorous measures in his campaign against the Maderistas. He has refused, however, to follow such instructions and has resigned as governor of the state of Nuevo Leon.

FEDERAL PLUMS ARE TO FALL SLOWLY FROM THE WOODROW WILSON TREE

Chairman McCombs and Democratic Leaders Hold Conference.

THEIR DECISION.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Conferences between national chairman William F. McCombs and democratic leaders today brought out the fact that the administration intends to proceed slowly and carefully in filling federal offices throughout the country. It is expected however, that when the extra session of congress begins on April 7 there will be a long list of appointments ready for confirmation.

TRUST BUSTING WILL BE CONTINUED THROUGH NEW ADMINISTRATION

Department of Justice is Planning to Make New Inquiries.

MANY ON LIST.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Trust investigations begun during the Taft administration are being continued with unabated energy by Attorney General McReynolds. New inquiries are expected as soon as the forces of the department of justice can reach them.

St. Patricks Day.



First signs of green in the spring.

MANY IMPORTANT QUESTIONS NOW KNOCKING FOR ADMISSION AT DOORS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS

Congressional Circles Keeping Eyes Turned Towards the White House for Developments at that Important Point—Panama Canal, Woman Suffrage, the Philippines and Other Important Issues Showing up.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Congressional circles are keeping a close watch on the white house for any indication of a change of sentiment toward the consideration of other subjects than the tariff at the special session that is to convene early next month.

It has become increasingly evident with each day of the last week that currency reform, Philippine independence, Panama canal tolls, woman suffrage and other leading issues are to be forced upon the attention of the country, before the tariff session is well begun and that it will be difficult to withstand the pressure to have them taken up for action before adjournment.

President Gets Appeals. President Wilson has had numerous appeals made to him to include other things than the tariff in his program for the session. The impression prevails among democrats at the capital that congress will be given an opportunity to take up currency legislation and some other matters, after the success of tariff revision has been made sure.

be evaded in the opinion of democrats of both houses who have been advocates of the repeal of the free toll provision in the law which will become operative as soon as the canal is opened next fall. President Wilson's attitude on the subject has not been made known; but many prominent democrats assert he would welcome a repeal of the free toll provision before it goes into effect.

Progress on Tariff. The tariff revisionists of the house are making headway in committee and will be ready when the extra session convenes. The democrats have virtually finished with the fourteen schedules of the Payne-Aldrich law and will take up administrative features of the tariff schedule tomorrow.

Many Minor Changes. Democratic tariff measures of the last congress have been followed in the main though many relatively minor changes have been made. There has been some additions to the free list

of the present law. The fight against free lemons has been compromised with an agreement for a substantial cut in duty. There have been numerous reductions agreed upon in the big schedules.

Chairman Underwood and his associates who have been working on the revision plan since January expect the house to pass the committee's division bill without much opposition. The more radical revision forces of the senate have developed additional strength and it is claimed now that the house bills will be passed quickly by the senate and that in some cases the house rates may be cut even lower.

SPENDS QUIET SUNDAY. WASHINGTON, March 16.—President Wilson again escaped the stares of the curious and worshipped inconspicuously today at the First Presbyterian church.

DOUBLE SUNDAY TRAGEDY IN LITTLE GEORGIA TOWN

Illinois Man Kills Fiance And Then Turns Pistol On Self.

MACON, Ga., March 16.—After vainly endeavoring to effect a reconciliation with his fiancée, W. P. Mize, of Sycamore, Ga., today shot and killed Miss Clinnie Hall, of Gordon, Ga., and then committed suicide. The tragedy took place in a local boarding house and was witnessed by several persons living in the house.

DR. FRIEDMANN RETURNS. NEW YORK, March 16.—Dr. Friederick Franz Friedmann returned here today from Canada and made preparations for visiting twelve patients in Bellevue hospital tomorrow.

GEORGIA FLOOD CAUSES THE DEATH OF NIGHT WATCHMAN

Crest of Stage Has Been Reached at Augusta and Macon.

ATLANTA, March 16.—One loss of life was reported today by the flood waters in Georgia which have inundated the lowlands along the Savannah and the Ocmulgee rivers. William Wilson, night watchman for the interstate chemical company, was drowned when a break in the levee of the Ocmulgee caused the flooding of almost the entire fertilizer factory district of Macon. Wilson's body was found with the arm crooked about the top wire of a submerged fence.

CHILD LABOR GIVEN HARD KNOCK AT CONFERENCE

Resolutions are Adopted at the Jacksonville Sunday Meeting.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 16.—A resolution which declares that the employment of child labor has brought reproach upon American industry, while only a small percentage of factories recruit their working forces from juvenile toilers, was enthusiastically adopted here this afternoon at a mass meeting held under the auspices of the National Child Labor conference, in session here. The resolution urgently requests the National Manufacturers' association to aid in the abolition of child labor, and asks the co-operation of every American social service and welfare work organization.

UNCLE JOE CANNON DEPARTS FOR HOME HAPPY WITH WORLD

Ends Forty Year Service for Country in Washington Circles

ILLINOIS POLITICIAN IS WELL CARED FOR Ex-Congressman Has Some Bank Stock to Tlido Him Over

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Joseph Gurney Cannon, private citizen "west home" today after nearly forty years of public service.

Unattended, the erstwhile chief of the house, picked up his grip sack and started for Danville, Vermilion county, Illinois.

"Uncle Joe" and two big cedar boxes left together. The boxes contained the private letters and documents of a long series of years in the midst of Washington's political turmoil. It took weeks to sort them out from the accumulation of the former speaker's letter files.

"Well, I'm through," sighed "Uncle Joe" as he straightened up after closing the last box, shook the dust from his hands and ruffled his scanty gray hair.

"I've had a devil of a job getting rid of stuff. I must have had thousands of newspaper clippings and cartoons, besides my letters and papers. They were all worth keeping when I gathered them and I had a pretty hard time weeding them out. Most of them were clever but scarcely of a complimentary nature," said "Uncle Joe's" keen gray eyes twinkled reminiscently.

"What are you going to do back home?" he was asked. He rubbed his head reflectively, heeled himself to the edge of the table, wrapping his long legs about the back of a chair and began:

"Well, my business is in pretty good shape. I've got a little bank stock and that is pretty well organized. My farm land is well handled. I guess I'll just look around a little bit. When I was young I wanted to travel but I was too busy earning a living. Now I don't care much about it. The folks are planning a grand trip around the world, China, India, Japan, the Philippines and all the rest of it."

"Uncle Joe" stroked his beard a moment and then leaning forward confidentially remarked:

"But, I'm not going. I may take a little run through Mississippi and Arkansas, where I want to look over

GIGANTIC HAUL MADE BY NEW YORK BURGLARS IN BUSINESS SECTION

Property Valued at \$350,000 Was Taken by the Gang Sunday. EAST SIDE JOBS.

NEW YORK, March 16.—An east side burglary, perpetrated by clever crackmen some time today, netted the thieves the largest haul obtained in New York city in many years. Martin Simons and Sons, pawnbrokers in Hester street, were the victims and the property stolen includes \$250,000 worth of jewelry, diamonds and other precious stones and \$100,000 worth of negotiable securities.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Forecast for North Carolina: fair Monday and Tuesday, rising temperature Tuesday and in extreme western portion Monday, moderate west winds becoming variable.