GOVERNOR CRAIG IS AWAITING THE OFFICIAL REPORT

Knows Nothing of Freight Rate Conference Except from Newspapers

DESIRES AMICABLE RATE ADJUSTMENT

Ready to go to Raleigh at Any Time in Connection with Rate Question

the conference at Old Point Comfort and the corporation commission.

that the differences between the peo- threatened with execution. ple of North Carolina and the rail-

submit to me any basis of settlement I shall carefully consider the same patched. and pass upon it after mature deliberation. This is a matter of the highest importance. state. It has received the attention of the men of the state most interested in our prosperity.

"A public sentiment has been aroused that demands the just settlement of this question of great significance; a settlement just to the railroads and just to the people. "I am ready to leave for Raleigh at any time that my presence may be demanded by this matter," said

Governor Craig, in conclusion. "Nothing shall delay it or be in the way, so far as I am concerned." No Recommendation, Chairman Travis, of the corpora-

tion commission, stated at Raleigh yesterday that the conference had failed to reach a complete agreement on the freight rate question. He said that the proposed reduction would be presented to

CONSTITUTIONALISTS GET

CITY OF SAN LUIS POTOSI

derful Story of the Rout

EAGLE PASS, Texas, July 27 .- Not

also reported, but not verified, that

in the state of Sinaloa, have surren-

of Tuesday, the federals surrender-

ing on that day. The constitution-

cannon and 1,500 prisoners.

both sides.

in Piedras Negras early today. It is was left hanging.

ing continued on Monday and part mock's body.

tire train load of provisions and muni- reach the fugitive.

\$2,500 Automobile and Pony Contest.

Hermanas, a distance of 500 miles. Everything is quiet at Dunbar.

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5 VOTE COUPON

The Asheville Citizen

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Address

of Federal Troops.

Horcasistas Brings In Won. Swung to a Telephone Pole

only Torren, but the city of San Shake, a negro, was lynched here late

Luis Potosi, capital of the state of today by a mob which captured him

that name, has been captured by con- after an all-day search through

stitutionalists, according to Lieuten- swamps. The negro was swung up

MEXICO MUST ACT AT ONCE SAYS THE U.S. GOVERNMENT

Representations, Drastic in Phraseology, Are Made To Mexican Government-Demands Prompt Arrest and Punishment of Soldiers Who Shot Chas. B. Dixon.

representations, the most drastic in and Chihuahua. The demand that phraseology that have been made the soldiers at Juarez be court-marsince the present administration came tialed and that the guilty be punished into power, were made to the govern- is a much more pointed request than ment in Mexico today.

The United States government de- American government. Although Mcbetween representatives of the railroads and the corporation commission except what I have seen in today's papers." declared Governor Craig last night, when asked for an gration official, at Juarez, Mexico, but and the American consul at Chihuahua expression concerning the ending of the immediate release of Charles Bis- was ordered to go to the extreme of the conference between the railroads sell and Bernard McDonald, mining precaution. managers, imprisoned by federal sol-"I have always earnestly desired diers at Chihuahua city and said to be department a short time today confer-

So serious were these incidents regarded in official circles that they later that the investigation constitutroads might be amicably adjusted," garded in official circles that they later that the investigation constitut-continued the governor. "If they be overshadowed largely the theoretical ed the only action that would be not adjusted before the meeting of considerations of policy which the vis- taken for the present but that the the general assembly, I feel sure that it of Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson American government intended to purthe general assembly will take vigor- has brought to a climax. The ambas- sue its inquiries vigorously. ous action to remedy, in some meas- sador himself was so exercised over ure, the injustice that the people of the developments in Mexico that he the state have suffered by discrimi- dictated two strong telegrams, one to nation against them in freight rates, the embassy at Mexico City and the Whenever Mr. Travis, as chairman other to the American consul at Juaof the corporation commission, shall rez, and while Secretary Bryan slightly modified their tone, they were dis-

Ambassador Wilson declined to discuss the affair but he will probably alia. It affects the explain his views on such happenings and the two men taken to the city of highest importance. It affects the when he meets President Wilson at 2 and the two men taken to the city of welfare of all the people of the when he meets President Wilson at 2 Chihuahua where news of their imo'clock tomorrow for a general explanation of conditions.

The president has Ambassador Wil-The president has Ambassador Wil-son's long report, and today he studied government, the constitutionalists, acit carefully. After an early conference tomorrow with Secretary Bryan he will be prepared to inquire of the ambassador what remedies he would

Silent Now. In the meantime, the ambassador would given o inkling of the recom-mendations he has in mind, beyond lermo Porras, former secretary of

American citizens. Governor test, will make him an important fac- the Mexican authorities that Dixon ward the Huerta government on ac-

GEORGIANS LYNCH NEGRO

WHO KILLED A MERCHANT

After An All-Day Search.

DUNBAR, Ga., July 27.-John

to a telephone pole in the heart of

No Excitement.

WASHINGTON, July 27 .- Strong | count of yesterday's events at Juarez has heretofore been voiced by the

> Secretary Bryan was at the state ring with subordinate officials in the Latin-American division. He stated

Reports Confirmed.

Telegrams corroborating press acounts of the shooting at Juarez reached the state department today There is little information about the status of McDonald and Bissell. appears that they were en route Parral in an automobile to bring out refugees when arrested at Santa Rospending fate was carried to the border by Americans. While the demands cording to reports here, are making every effort to gain favor with the United States by affording all possible protection to Americans and their in-

Pleaded for Release.

the general statement that his plan state of Chihushus, also interceded would counsel friendly relations befor the release of Dixon, after contween Mexico and the United States ference with the United States offiand protect likewise the interests of clals,, who represented to the Mexicans the grave impression that had The ambassador's long experience been produced in Washington by the with outbursts against American cit- news of the shooting of the inspector. izens such as those against which the The demand of Consul Edwards was American government lodged a pro- in vigorous language. First telling

(Continued on Page Two.) OWNERS WILL ATTEMPT GENERAL RESUMPTION OF COPPER MINES TODA

Militia Cannot Wait On the Copper Companies to Play Waiting Game.

ant Colonel Luis Horcasitas, of the to a telephone settlement and his constitutionalists force, who arrived body riddled with bullets. His corpse tles will blow and call back to the Shake was supposed to be the copper mines those employes of the also reported, but not verified, that burglar who last night shot and dan-five cities of Culiacan and Mazatlan, gerously wounded J. F. Hammock, a temorrow morning, if the operators local merchant. Hammock visited dered to the rebels. Horeasitas saye his establishment late last night and carry out the wishes of the state he was overtaken at Cuatroclenegas discovered a negro in the act of military authorities in control of the Friday last by a body of constitustrike zone. Decision to attempt a out, the intruder loaded a shotkun general resumption of work was tionalist cavalry which had taken which he found in the store, and reached at a conference between representatives. part in the assault on Torren. Fight- emerging fired two charges into Ham-Sheriff Daniel Crune and General P. L. Abbey, today, the officials pointing out Hammock was able to give a deto the operators that with the entire scription of his assallant, and citizens organized militia of Michigan guardallsts captured a carload of ammuni- armed themselves and started in puring the Houghton company tion, many rapid-fire guns, twenty suit immediately. Bloodhounds today their requests for protection had been Losses led the searchers to the edge of a complied with and that the state were unknown but were heavy on swamp fifteen miles from here, where ould not afford to have the comthe negro was captured. Members panies play a waiting game in an at-At San Lais Potosi, Horcasitas said, of the posse were forced to wade tempt to "starve out" the union men. the constitutionalists captured an en- through water up to their necks to While this conference was in session the union leaders were address-Four thousand men It is said that Hammook recoging a mass meeting of several thouhave been dispatched to attack Sal-nized Shake as the man who shot sand men, women and children in a tillo, according to Horeasitas, who him. Hammock was taken to Macon, kating rink in Larlum, urging the reported that he did not encounter a where he was placed in a hospital. single federal between Zacatecas and It is thought that he will recover.

The meeting adopted a protest against the presence of troops, in a communication addressed to Governor Ferris. This was carried to Lansing tonight by C. E. Mahondy, vice-president of the Western Federation of Miners.

tion by the military as well as the unions. While the strikers and their families were marching through the streets a battalion of infantry under Major Kramer was sent through La-Thousands of spectators watched the rival parades, but the

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., July 27.



DO GROW!

Growing "Some".

PRESIDENT WILSON ASSURED THAT HIS PROGRAM OE.CURRENCY REFORM WILL RECEIVE FAVORABLE ACTION

Republican Leaders, Anxious To Get Away from Seething Capital Have Decided That There Is Nothing to be Gained by Delaying Tariff Bill with Useless Amendments-Other Gossip.

dent Wilson has received assurances strength of their opposition. split amongst democrats of the house perfected there and given the enrency action until the December ses-

the president and his | congressional delay. advisers have been encouraged at the prospect of the tariff bill much largto push the revision bill rapidly dur

ing the coming week. While the democrats of the house ers and President Wilson believe the floor. measure can be whipped into shape

Greeks Refusing Even

Three Days' Truce.

TURKEY'S ACTION.

gram of currency reform will receive taken into a caucus with the back- ocratic tariff. When these are offavorable action at this session of ing of the president, Democratic These assurances have Leader Underwood, Speaker Clark pected to lead a hard fight for their been made in the face of the sharp and Chairman Glass, and could be banking and currency committee, and dorsement of the democratic party. in spite, also, of the desire of many Further efforts will be thus made this democrats in the senate to delay cur- week to bring the house committee members together on the bill, but

Rapid Work. The tariff bill has gone through two or three weeks. The wool schedule has been practically completed yesterday, and the earthencurrency committee have found it ware tariff will be taken up tomorimpossible to agree on the Glass- row, with Senator Stone in charge of Owen currency bill, the house lead- the debate and amendments on the

Interest in the revision has flagged in a democratic caucus if necessary throughout the week, and indications to adopt that course. The president point to less republican opposition as has been conferring with "insur- the bill promises. Senator LaFollette

WASHINGTON, July 27 .- Presi- their views and ascertained the has employed two experts for many weeks in the preparation of substifrom leaders in congress that his pro- It is believed the bill could be tutes for many schedules of the demfered the Wisconsin senator is ex- growing crowds following. adoption, and democratic leaders are looking forward to that phase of the bill as most likely to cause delay. Senators LaFollette and Smoot will

offer substitutes for the democratic woolen tariff. In the last two session.

Rapid progress has been made on istration is prepared to push the curhas engineered fights in the senate, and rency measure into the house without resulting in the adoption of a compromise woolen bill, the measure later vetoed by President Taft. A concerted effort is to be made on the repuber than had been expected. Repub- its early stages in the senate with lican side to break up the democratic street." lican senators, defeated at every turn unexpected rapidity. Few members ranks on the free wool issue, but in their efforts to amend the bill, have attempted to make general democratic leaders insist their woolen going to defy the authorities and have given way on much of their op- tariff speeches, and it is believed the tariff will go through by a safe mar-

Mexican Situation,

the legislative departments to form- struggling people. ulate any definite expressions as to a Mexican policy. The president has encountered fur-

ther opposition in the senate, to re-

(Continued on Page Two.) FOREIGN NAVAL FORCES HAVE DISARMED REBELS

Looting.

disarmed the Shanghai rebels and jured. that Chinese bluejackets are patrolng the borders to prevent looting. According to a dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Shangai, dated midnight, Sunday, an armistice has been house banking and currency commit- tween leaders of the rebels and government forces. The correspondent cars filled with tourists overturned. says there was no fighting Saturday

"It is now generally admitted," says the Daily Telegraph's Peking Blanche Chalfont, Shinnoston, W. correspondent, "that the situation cannot be solved by force of arms. Peking already has dispatched all send it to the democratic house cau- her possible troops and unless Moncus, which failed on Friday, was golia and Manchurla are abandoned. further reinforcements are impossible. Three northern troop ships escorted by two gunboats are due any for North Carolina: Thundershowers moment at Shanghai wit hreinforcements for the arsenal."

MRS. PANKHURST MILITANT LEADER 'S AGAIN IN JAII Out on License, She Uses

Her Liberty to Stir up Another Riot

POLICE TOO MUCH FOR THE RIOTOUS CROWD

Fun Starts When Irate Woman Invites Mob to Wreck the Premier's Residence

LONDON, July 27.-Sylvin Pank hurst, the militant suffragette, who was out on license under the "cat and moves law," was the leader of a which surpassed all previous Sunday afternoon affairs of the sort. During the rioting which followed Miss Pankhurst was rearrested and taken to Holloway jail.

The meeting, held in Trafalgat square by the Men's Federation for Woman's Suffrage and the east-end branch of the Woman's Social and Political union, had been announced in advance, and this fact, and also a rumor that a charge upon Premier Asquith's residence was planned, brought enormous crowds into the

"On to Downing street," was the watchword, and but for vigorous work by the mobilized police, who arrested Miss Pankhurst and twenty men and women supporters, there would have been window smashing and perhaps worse damage at the premier's house. The procession of men and women marched from White Chapel to Trafalgar square with constant!

Played "Marselliaise." It entered the square with the bane playing the Marseillaise and planted banners on the plinth of the Nelson column. Miss Pankhurst made dramatic appearance from among the crowd and was dragged to the plint amid great cheering.

an impussioned speech, "The time for speaking is over." "Deeds, not words, she said. wanted. Let us all go to Downing

She concluded by saying she was carry resolutions to the premier's position; and the democrats propose debate will be meager during the next gin of democratic votes and without residence herself. A roar of approval greeted this announcement, and in ar instant Miss Pankhurst, with a bun-Congress is standing by as to the die of papers in her hands, was swept Mexican shuation, waiting for an out- off the plinth by the mob and the come of negotiations now going on in square was a mass of excited and The huge crowd, Miss Pankhurgt

leading, moved down Whitehall foward Downing street. A platoon police, which had come at double quick from Scotland Yard, formed a cordon across the road, which was effectively aided by a blockade of wheeled conveyances. Mounted police rode into the crowd, scattering it and driving the people down various streets, while officers in plain clothes got possession of Miss Pankhurst after a fist fight with her bodyguard of east-end youths. The mounted men cleared a way

for the prisoner to a cab. Miss Pank-Chinese Bluejackets Patrol hurst was driven to Holloway jail to serve the remainder of her sen-Shanghai to Prevent Any tence or stay until she is again released through a hunger strike. In the station house she struggled desperately with the officers and smashed a window with a ruler. After Miss Pankhurst had been

LONDON, July 28 .- A dispatch to taken into custody, two women were a news agency from Shanghai says arrested for throwing stones at Mr. the foreign naval detachments have Asquith's windows. During the rioting several policemen were badly in

TWENTY-SEVEN HURT.

BOULDER, Colo., July 27 .- Twone ty-seven persons were injured, some seriously, in a wreck on Switzerland trail, near here, today, when four

The cars were on the Rio Grande, or Sunday and that the southerners Bouler & Western railroad. Among the probably fatally injured Martha Chalfont and Miss

> All suffered internal injuries and cuts from breaking glass.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 27 .- Forecase Monday and probably Tuesday, light to moderate variable winds.

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gents" one by one, and has secured has not yet entered the debate. He BALKAN CONFERENCE IS EXPECTED TO OPEN AT

RIVAL PARADES

CALUMET, Mich., July 27,-Whisnen to stand fast.

FOUR KILLED IN WRECK.

ADMINISTRATION HAS NEW PLANS REGARDING PENDING CURRENCY BILL

ference of Committee

WILL VOTE ON IT

LONDON, July 27.-The Balkan conference is expected to open at fronted by apparently irreconcilable Bucharest Wednesday, but meantime differences among democrats of the announced to permit negotiations beserious fighting continues. The Greeks refused Bulgaria's request for even a three days' truce and, after heavy fighting, have gotten through Krefina administration tonight changed its Pass, defeating the Bulgarians at plans for getting the measure are leaving Shanghai disheartened. Simekle capturing three siege guns through the committee and the house. and driving the Bulgarians back on The Greeks claim they annihilated the whole left of the Bulgarian take the unfinished bill out of the army and that they have forced the hands of committee democrats and Bulgarians back siong the Struma valley to Djuma, on the Bulgarian

day conferred with President Wilson. The bill will be kept in the con-No news was received today of ference of the committee democrats, fighting on the Servian frontier, but the large numbers of wounded men this week, according to the new plan arriving in Belgrade indicate severe and they will be forced to vote on the essentials of the measure. The administration supporters believe

Representative Ragsdale, who cl-Bulgaria, and no further advance of fered the Henry-Ragadale insurgent Turkish troops has been reported. The amendments to the bill; Represent-Turks claim their spoils at Adrianople ative Bulkeley of Ohio, Represent-consisted of 150 guns. 60,000 rifies ative Eagle of Texas, and Repre-and 1,000,000 sacks of corn. There are frequent reports of atro- four members listed as doubtful. If cities and massacres by Bulgarians the disagreement of these four canand Turke. Izzet Pusha, the Turkish not be disposed of by discussion and

The administration forces appar-

The concert of the powers seems

Porte, however, has disavowed the ac- to 3. tion of its troops in penetrating old

engagements.

ly to occur at Struma.

commander in chief, reports that Buil argument, they will be voted down. garians murdered 200 Ottoman soldier. Then the administration will decide who had been taken prisoners near what further course to pursue with Four persons were killed and one Kizley Edinje, while an admission of the bill.

BUCHAREST WEDNESDAY Serious Fighting Continues, Bill Will Be Kept In Con-

Democrats.

tee on the pending currency bill, the The scheme of Chairman Glass to frontier. Unless peace speedily is negotiated another great battle is like- abundoned after Chairman Glass to-

as powerless as before to adopt any they will be able to out-vote the sounited action against Turkey. The called insurgents by 10 to 4, or 11

was seriously injured last night when Turkish massacres of Armenians at the Copper Country limited, on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul rail- Constantinople in a report that a vanced the belief that the president, road, running between Calumet and number of Moslems have been sendespite the unhappy outlook, would Chicago, struck a tree which the tenced to death or to long imprison- be able to get his bill through both wind had blown across the track at ment for implication in the massa- ends of the capitol, practically un-

Sunday was a day of demonstra-