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CITIZEN WANT ADS

BRING RESULTS

PRESIDENT AUTHORIZED TO ACT: MEXICAN PORTS WILL BE SEIZED

CURTAIN RISES ON FIRST ACT TAMPICO AND VERA CRUZ WILL BE IN HANDS OF THE UNITED STATES WITHIN NEXT 48 HOURS, ACCORDING TO PLANS

No Orders Issued to Army or Navy Last Night, but Conference at White House makes Neces- Packed House and Galleries Assemble to Hear the "Democratic Was sary Plans for the Landing of Marines and Bluejackets at These Ports to Seize and Hold Customhouses Upuroarious Cheers Grert President

RESOLUTION GIVING PRESIDENT **AUTHORITY PASSED BY HOUSE**

Senate, However, Blocks Immediate Action by Holding Up Resolution. Prepares Substitute Resolution for Consideration Today

American flag was held up growing out of the arrest at early today through opposition in the senate to the form jackets. of the joint resolution approving President Wilson's purposes, as it passed the house last night. A recess of the senate was taken at bate. For several hours it

American bluejackets at resolution.

Substitute Resolution.

United States in Mexico, "in velopments, however. view of the situation as pre-sented by the president in brought out the fact that,

the substitute resolution.

U. S. WILL ACT.

possession of the Mexican tomorrow. customs houses at Tampico It set forth: and Vera Cruz.

of marines at these two im- exists in Mexico, the numer- they could be up and sway in case the Mexican government there was no night practically was isolated. President Wilson, Secreta- their property in that counries Bryan, Garrison and try, the impossibility of se-Daniels, Major General curing protection of redress an outbreak while feeling is at the desire the American people fully to

and navy will be issued to- its international obligations, authorities do not look for any outmight, was the announcethe unprovoked insults and ment made after the conferindignities inflicted upon anxiety here over the situation. There

breaks among the people, particularcourt upholding as constitutional by in El Paso. There is no real Kansas fire insurance law of 1909.

Justice McKenna, for the major ence, action temporarily being deferred until congress acts on the joint resolution armed forces in occupation approving the president's in large parts of Mexican river.

anxiety nere over the satistion. There Justice McKenna, for the majority are in this city and along the river, of the court, declared insurance had subject to call, 20,000 troops available for instant action. A supply of 2500 terest as to distinguish insurance from rifles consigned to the rebela at Juares today was sent across the with the business of running a hotel.

WASHINGTON, April 21 purpose of using the armed -Action by the army and forces of the United States navy of the United States to to enforce its demands force Huerta to salute the against General Huerta,

House Passes Resolution.

The resolution passed the house tonight by a vote of 337 to 37, after a spirited dethe senate was taken at larger than the senate senate was considered by the senate foreign relations compared that he has full constitutional authority to act, is waiting for congress to express its approval before ordered by the senate senate foreign relations compared to the phraseology of the resolution was apparent. Many senators, among them a few democrats, objected to singling out General Huerta as an individual, and wanted to amend the resolution ate, or a recess until early to morrow.

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The house adjourned undering Tampico and Vera til 10 o'clock tomorrow, and Cruz to be seized, and other President Wilson, worn out,

touch with the president In a spectacular midnight said the steps which would to the army, and remarked that the session the senate discussed be taken by the United the house resolution briefly. States "short of war" were tion was aimed entirely against Senators objected to individ- of a-nature which would not Huerta. It was said that one of the ualizing Huerta, and a sub-require formal notification stitute resolution was agreed to powers in the same sense upon by the foreign rela. as a declaration of blockade tions committee giving the or other preliminaries to president broad authority to war. Foreign governments deal with indignities of the will be kept informed of de-

his message." while the American navy
President Wilson had re- probably would block Mex"Little Chihuahua" Being Americans Included, Actired early, but Secretary ico off from commerce with Tumulty, Secretary Garri- the United States, it would son, Postmaster General not interfere with the pas-Burleson and Vice-President sage to and fro of foreign Marshall, Acting Chairman vessels, though cargoes dis-Shively and other adminis- charged on the shore might tration leaders, conferred on be held at the customs houses.

Sub Preamble.

Senator Lodge presented WASHINGTON, April 20 a substitute for the pream--In forty-eight hours, pos- ble of the resolution reportsibly less, the United States ed by the committee which government will have taken he will seek to have adopted

"That the state of unrest, Detailed plans for landing violence and anarchy which portant coast fowns were ous unchecked and unpuncompleted at a conference at ished murders of American tary commander instructed that any that President Wilson has been mis-road wire. the white house beween citizens and the spoliation of Wood and Rear Admirals by diplomatic methods in present high tension. Fiske and Blue, and John the absence of lawful or effective authority, the inabil- operation of soldiers and police in "No orders to the army ity of Mexico to discharge

territory have become intol-

and the duty to protect its citizens and its international rights, require that such a course be followed in Mexico by our government as to compel respect and observ-ance of its rights."

The Resolution.

The joint resolution passed by the house and which was before the senate at a late hour tonight, read as

"A joint resolution justifying the employment of the armed forces of the United States in enforcing certain demands against Victoriano Huerta. Resolved by the senate and house of representatives in congress assembled, that the president of the United States is justified in the employment of the armed forces of the United States, to enforce the demands upon Victoriano Huerta for unequivocal amends to the government of the United States for affronts and indignities committed against this government by General Huerta and his representatives."

During the evening there were in formal conferences of democrats and republicana, and opposition to the phraseology of the resolution was ap-

president pointed significantly to the fact that no orders had been issued constitutionalists need not be nervous over the situation, for the present ac-

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BY AMERICAN TROOPS

Guarded Against Any

Outbreak.

CONFERENCE HELD

EL PASO, Texas, April 20,-"Little

Chihuahua," as the Mexican section

ty per cent, of the inhabitants of the

This and other precautionary

loday at a conference between Mayor

Kelly and Colonel C. A. P. Hatfield,

commanding the troops at Fort Bliss.

At the army post the cavalrymen were ordered to sleep with boots and

saddles at their sides, and it is said

of an alarm in less than five minutes. At Juarez Colonel Avila, the mili-

are the American authorities to use

every precaution against provoking

Colonel Hatfield and Mayor Kelly

agreed on many details for the co-

Meanwhile the city was quiet. The

shot at once. He is determined, as that the boat carried the flag,

was sent across the with the business or a railroad.

"That the self respect and GLYDE G.GLEMENT

Guilty" When Arraigned in Court.

WILL BE PLACED ON TRIAL THURSDAY

With Clement Waives Arraignment.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., April 20.—

Clyde C. Clement, the college boy who has been in fall here since February 3, jointly charged with Miss Fleda Pendleton, a girl telegrapher, with the murder of a two-manths-old prominent business men. baby found drowned, is not yet ready for trial. He so stated when ar-raigned in the Court of General Ses-

Members of the house went to bed instead of waiting for the senate to reconvene. Crowds thronged the senreconvene. Crowds thronged thron on duty for emergencies, but no movethis afternoon and heard the clerk of in the future from similar invasiona.

Persons who were in clai who was in conference with the solemn charge that he did away with A meeting was held yesterday

peace and dignity of the State". "What say you?" asked the clerk at the conclusion of his long recital-"Are you guilty or not guilty?" "Not Guilty"

"Not guilty", answered the prisoner (Continued on Page Seven).

REMAINING IN MEXICO

cording to His Statement

ico are moral and civilized".

PRESS today. He continued:

understand this".

LAW UPSULD.

WASHINGTON, April 20-The right

of states to regulate insurance rates

Justice McKenna, for the majority

Young Man Pleads "Not Several Meetings Held Yesterday by Leading Business Men.

> RESORT SECTION TO BE PROTECTED

Girl Who is Co-Defendant Indications Last Night That Affair Will be Amicably Adjusted.

> putting the meeting on record as opposed to this or any other sanital lum in what is known as the resor

Not only that, out steps will b steps taken looking to repretend after hearing that at executive quarters there was a construct the house had adopted the let-up in the late hours. Clerks were the prisoner's dock for five minutes the first of the house had adopted the let-up in the late hours. Clerks were the prisoner's dock for five minutes the prisoner's dock for five minutes the first of the firs

> ness men met to discuss with F. L. Seely and consider the effect which the proposed sanitarium would have on resort interests. J. A. Nichols was selected chair-

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FOURTEEN HOUR BATTLE BETWEEN STRIKERS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

Leader of Strikers Finally Killed and Tent Colony

of this city is known, and where six- foreigners, Americans included, who rado national guard in the Ludiow district today culminated late tonight in the killing of Louis Tikas, leader of the Greek strikers and the destruction of the Ludiow tent colony improve this opportunity to show the district today culminated late tonight world that his government and Mexmeasures were determined on late This statement President Huerta by fire. Reports received here late dictated to THE ASSOCIATED tonight place the dead at thirteen, including eleven strikers, one soldier "I desire to make it plain to the and one non-combatant.

The military force totals about 100

soldier or civilian making wanton or informed on this point and that he provocative use of fire arms should be will inform the American congress and fully four hundred armed "In fact, the American flag has nothing to do with the case, and I

PROLONGED CHEERS GREET THE ENTRANCE OF THE PRESIDENT

Does not Ask Declaration of War but Authority to Deal With an Outlaw and Usurper Congress Gives Him Authority

IN MEXICAN WAR DRAMA WHEN

PRESIDENT READS HIS MESSAGE

President" Ask Congress for the support of the Army and Navy

in Forcing Huerta to Salute the American Flag as Ordered

WASHINGTON, April 20
—The house tonight by a vote of 337 to 37 voted to end the period of watchful but fruitless waiting which has characterized the government's Mexican policy, and went on record as sustaining the president in his determination to enforce reparation from Victoriana Huerta and his adherents for repeated stood Champ Clark, who only two or three weeks ago found himself arrayed against his chief in the latter's program touching the Panama tolls question.

Introduces Wilson,

The speaker finally rapped for order and the silence of the dead fell out the house as Speaker Clark stepped forward and said: "Gentlemen of the senate and house, his adherents for repeated men of the senate and house, insults to the United States I present to you the presifing and the United States dent of the United States government. Only four dem- with a special r ministration, three of them ing, another intense silence being from Mississippi and generally known as "little navy" men. The other democrat voting "no" was Henry George of New York.

The result of them ing, another intense silence, and President Wilson began reading the message which is destined to write the opening chapter of American intervention in Mexico.

The result of the vote was eeted with loud cheers. noor A meeting was held yesterday morning at Grove Park Inn when thirty of Asheville's pronenent busithe house.

> Mexican war drama which admiral Mayo in the whole of demand, and to insist that the form of the United States should be at 3 o'clock this afternoul, when President Wilson laid when President Wilson laid part of the Huertalistas," floors a land to the Huertalistas, the form of when President Wilson into before the joint session of congress his request that he be authorized to take what steps he sees fit to wipe out the insult to the American flag and to force the apology which the Mexican dictator has refused.

House Packed.

doors on the south side, Sen- of the unfortunates filling the outside ators and representatives,
newspaper men and specta-After an all day battis armed the official report from the commander at Port Tampico received by the Mexican government there was no night practically was isolated. All the boat which landed and telephone wires were down and telephone wires were The military force totals about 100 and fully four hundred armed strikers were said to be in the hills at the foot of Hastings and Berwind canyons and along the Colorado and Southeastern tracks. The district was in a high state of excitement.

Citizens are arming themselves in Trinidad.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Fore ast for North Carolina: Fair Tuesday; Wednesday fair, warmer interior.

BIG BLAZE AT PEORIA.

PEORIA, Ill., April 20.—Fire early tonight swept over three blocks, destroying the cattle feeding barns and a block of baled hay.

American nation in a state and affronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and astronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and astronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and affronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and astronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and affronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and affronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of Hastings and affronted the dignity of the Units at the foot of War with Spain. Nobody tried to stop this tribute to America's chief executive.

Minute after minute passed while the hitherto pent up emotions of a loyal people found expression in the presence of the "democratic war president." The object of this tribute, apparently calm and self possessed, repeatedly bowed his acknowledgements. Back of him (Craitment and affronted the dignity of the Units at the dignity of the Units and affronted the dignity of the Units at the dignity of asked congress to declare the ing with an outlaw and ursu

stood Champ Clark, who

the house.

The first curtain on the "I therefore felt it my duty to

possible, such being the desire of the president, the house resumed its routine business. The ninety-five sen-ators filed slowly out of the chamber and there was nothing to indicate that

Dictated Yesterday.

Burned.

Burned.

Never had a "curtain raiscongress was about to strengthen the president's arm in his action against Huerta, the dictator.

President Justified, One hour and twenty minutes for the house were packed to overflowing; the atmosphere was tense with suppressed excitement which found vent in the remarkable demonstration of patriotic enthusisment of the armed forces of the Units against Huerta offers all guarantees to fourteen hour battle between striking to indicate that congress was about to strengthen the president's arm in his action against Huerta, the dictator.

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