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SOLDIERS AND WAR CRAFT -**BEING MOBILIZED IN TEXAS**

The United States Will In All Probability Invade Mexico in The Near Future

TROOPS ENROUTE

Possible Trouble Brewing For Soldiers and Navy Now Being Assem-bled Near The Mexican Border

insurrection has been going on and there has been going on and there has been face fighting between the insurance and the military authorities of President Diaz wherein many lives have been lost. The situation has grown so neute and all foreign interests have been in danger and the fact that President Diaz is seriously ill and a reign of terror is expected throughout the Republic in the event of his death, the United States has been called upon by the foreign powers to make a demonstration in Texas and near the Mexican bords in the hope of quelling the ill turbances which are hourly growing more riotous. There is no official amountement from Washington that this government is

ern waters is said to be for the purpose of practicing manoeuvres. However, this pretense has been abandoned by the army officers in charge of the movement. The Department at Washington is attempting to have this impression created throughout the country, yet it is privately admitted that trouble is expected in Mexico and that the United States troops will be compelled to cross the border and takes an active hand in putting an end to the revolution now going on.

President Diaz is 88 years old and feeble. The strain of the revolution from ether parts of the country.—

feeble. The strain of the revolution now active in twenty-one of the thirty states of the republic of Mexico has told on him. This government is in receipt of information that Diaz cannot survive many days. No attention is paid to telegrams from the city of Mexico stating that Diaz is in robust health and takes his usual daily walk.

Alleged news of this state that feeble. The strain of the revolution from other parts of the country.—
now active in twenty-one of the Manufacturers Record.

Alleged news of this character has been manufactured and sent out by the Mexican government ever since

the revolution started.

As a matter of fact the censorship in Mexico has been no strict that the real state of affairs is known only to

the administration.

The Diaz administration is a one-man administration. It has been for years dominated wholly by Diaz. The men associated with him have utilized their positions in the direction of feathering their own nests.

The death of Diaz, it is understood in Washington and the seal of the seal of

Washington, will mean the col-spee of government in Mexico, the evolt of the army and chose in gen-

eral.

Hundreds of millions of dollars worth of property belonging to foreigners will be wholly at the mercy of a hungry horde of insurrectos undisciplined and irresponsible. The insurgents have only the shedow of an organization,

For Home-Grown Products. A splendid advertisement of oppor a report by Agronomist J. L. Burgess of the State Department of Agriculture on estimates of food products of the laws regarding scales, weights shipped into the State in 1909. Mr. and measures

Total. \$11,863,169 54
This total, estimated as representtive value of one-fifth of the shipments of food supplies into North
Durelina, is not to be taken as an ination of North Carolina's inability to raise them. There is not an item in the list which cannot be supplied by North Carolina; that is, as far as its farm possibilities are concerned. Nor is the exhibit intended to sughe strongest warships have been his to Galveston while others being held in readiness to produce to the scene of the stronges. Nor is the exhibit intended to suggest that each farmer raise everything in the list.

leans to the belief that within the next few days the United States will be actively engaged in warfare in Mexico in the interest of American and foreign interests.

Every order emanating from the department at Washington has been done with secrecy and the mobilizing of the troops and war-craft in Southern waters is said to be for the purchased to tobacco cotton and the source of the troops and war-craft in Southern waters is said to be for the purchased to tobacco cotton and the source of the troops and war-craft in Southern waters is said to be for the purchased to the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and that the cereal district is not well suited to tobacco cotton and the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and that the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and the continue to make tobacco cotton and the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and the continue to make tobacco cotton and the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and the continue to make tobacco cotton and the continue to make tobacco its money crop, and the continue to make tobacco cotton and the continue to ma

No money has been appropriated for maneuvers. All the army and navy funds are low. Nevertheless commissary and quartermaster offi-cars have been instructed to pur-chase without limit as to amount and time. Never in the history of war naneuvers has the coast artillery seen summoned to the front. Pracically the entire coast artillery strength from Long Island Sound to the Gulf of Maxico has been sumoned to make ready to proceed to

The entire force of 20,000 men is now in motion towards Texas and southern Celifornia.

The naval forces are enroute to the South and things are likely

to begin to start along the border a helping hand.—American Issue.

Attacts School Principal.

A severe attack on achool principal, Chas. B. Allen, of Sylvania, Sa., is thus told by him- "Formore than three years," he writes, "I auffered indescribable torture from rhoughtlam, ilver and stomach transle and discussed kidneys. Allemeters, but four botales of this section full records over the entire

TO REMEDY COMMON EVIL.

Housewives To Look After Sher

The organization of the House hundred women of the city met and elected officers and trustees.

The club is the first of its kind ever formed in this country, says a dispatch, and with the establishment tunities for profitable investment in of the society many others will prob-farming in North Carolina is given in ably be started in other leading cities. The purpose of the organiza-

men use to grope their way into the West and take up quarter sections, arranging at the same time a proper defense against the Indians and praying nightly that in good time a railroad would pass near their property and enable them to market whatever their lands could be persuaded to yield. "Go West young man!" met with a hearty response and de-spite many and great obstacles the West was won and most of those who went into the new country eventual-

ly gained wealth and prosperity.

Some people think that with the passing of the opportunity in the West there is no futher chance to emigrate. Yet the South offers opportunities incomparably better than any the West ever did or could of- own lands, who would frown at the constitute a board of equalization fer. We have no lands to give away it is true, but it is possible to buy a fair acreage in the South for about what the trip West used to cost. Moreover the land that would be obtained in the South is good land, capably of producing the finest crops and so situated that these crops can be easily marketed. The climate, here is far and away better than the climate in the West, and there are just about as good people in the South as can be found anywhere in the world .- Columbia (S. C.) State.

Help Enforce the Law.

After July 1, 1911, near beer joint will be a thing of the past, but this does not mean that illegal liquor selling will cease. If the blind tiger cannot hide there, he will find another cover, and it is all important that officers and citizens of their

community be vigilant. The one error that temperence reformers too often make is that they expect the law to enforce itself. This mistake many of us made two years ago and because of it, there has been liquor lawlessness in some parts of the State. Do not suppose that the legislation enacted by this general assembly will cause the regeneral assembly will cause the re-bellious blind tiger to quit his law-lessness, but use the law as means to compel him. For the next twelve months throughout this state, there must be an active campaign for the execution of the law. Let every good citizen and faithful officer lend

A Florce Night Alarm

AMENDMENT TO THE LAW PROTECTION **REGARDING LISTING TAXES**

wives' Weights and Measures Protective club was perfected recently at Indianapolis, Ind., when several of The State's Burdens of The State's Burdens

Labor and Soil Improvement.

The best way to solve the labor problem is through soil improvenent. It is better for one man to cultivate ten acres of land that will produce two hundred bushel of corn and ten bales of cotton than for three men to cultivate thirty acres to get the same amount of products. The one man of the ten acres gets as much per day for his labor as all three men get who have to cultivate the thirty acres. As a farmer your wages depend upon cost of produc-

tion. You should let it sink down into your thinking works frequently that there can be no high wages for the average farmer who gets his living by farming the land, (and not by farming other people) except through economic production and economic distribution. There can be no economic production except through soil impovement. There can be no economic distribution (or sientific marketing) except through class orgizanation and co-operation.

High price labor and scarcity of abor are blessings in disguise for county, and the county commissionthe Southern farmer. Necessity will ompel the farmer to put into practice intelligent methods and econon ic principals. He must get out of the old stupid, careless and indifferent way. He must put life-giving humus into his dead soil and deepen the soil until it will yield the highest return for the labor invested. He two assessors were appointed for must realize that his soil is his capi- each township to assess the real estal stock and that in any kind of business that does not show an in-crease in the capital stock (soil fer-county will visit each township and tility) must stagnate and in the end with the assistant assessor appointed result in failure.

There are thousands of farmers in sessment. The county assessor and North Carolina, men who own their the board of county commissioners a of working at 75 cents a day, for the counties, their work being when at the same time they are cultivating depleted soil-dead soilthat does not yield them 60 cents a day for their labor, and if the cost the commercial fertilizers, upon which they foolishly depend for results, and cost of mule power and mule feed are deducted the wages will amount to less than nothing net at the end of the year. The reason for such disappointment and failure exists in the fact that this class of farmers have not waked up to the fact that their wages as farmers depends primary upon the productive capacity of their soil.

An Alamance County farmer said to the writer last summer; "I have been increasing my corn yield ten bushels per acre for three years in succession and have gathered a corn crop from the land each year, and have not used as much commercial fertilizers as the average farmer uses." When asked how he did it, his answer was short and simple; "I sowed crimson clover in the corn at last working." It cost about \$1.50 per acre to seed the land in clover. and yet there are 8 2-2 guano farmers who spend freely \$4.00 or \$5.00 per acre to apply a mixture of small amount of chemicals with brick dust and sand and who consider it extrav-agence to spend \$1.50 per scre for a real soil building crop. But it is not our purpose here to go into de-tails. The point we want to stamp indelibly upon the minds of every Farmer's, Union man is theimportance of fewer acres with a system of improvement, for it is the only sure way, the safe way and the easy way to farm successfully, regardless of scarcity of cheap labor. Any oth-er kind of farming is speculative, uncertain and disappointing.—Car-olina Union Farmer.

STATE APPOINTS ONE

And With Assistance of County As-

sessors Will Pass on Property

From May 1st, to July 1st

Each Year.

The machinery act passed by the legislature, which provides the ma-

chinery for levying taxes, is different

from former acts in several partic-

ulars. In the first place, the time for which property on hand shall be listed

is changed from June 1st to May 1st, and the date on which county com-

missioners shall meet to levy taxes is

changed from June to August, so

shall be in before the tax levy is made,

Heretofore taxes were levied before

law are in sections 15 to 25. It is provided that the state tax commi

-which is the corporation commis-

sion-shall appoint one county tax

assessor, a resident freeholder of the

til July 1st. Heretofore the com-

missioners appointed a tax-taker for

each township and every fourth year.

when real estate was to be assessed,

tate. Under the new arrangement

for the township will make the as-

his entire time for three months of

them in their duties and the work of

the township assessors is to be gone over jointly by him and the county

commissioners and the assessments

revised. All assessments are to be made as near as may be to the true

value in money. The county boards

of equalization meet on the second

Monday in July for the performance

Section 42, with reference to bank

taxation, is changed so as to allow banks "also to deduct accrued and

amount not exceeding five per cent of the bills receivable of said institu-

tion to cover any other bond or in-

stallment of debts, and also an

amount equal to the true value of

any sharesof stock owned in other

North Carolina corporations upon

explained that under present law the

of their duties.

that all the property for assess

the assessment was made.

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ers shall appoint a tax assessor for each township, to be known as assisttant tax assessor, who shall begin Nyals Rheumatic Remedy their work May 1st and continue un-

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subject to review by the state tax The Ward Drug Co. The county assessors is to be appointed by Apr. 1 and he can devote Exclusive Agents In Nashville

each year to his duties at not more than \$4 a day. The assessing of NEW BARBER SHOP property is to begin May 1 instead of June 1. The county assessor is to Equipped with visit all the townships and confer with the township assors and instruct Latest Improved Fixtures

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which the tax is paid by the corpora-tion issuring same." Mr. Doughton, chairman of the finance committee,

Metal Roofing

explained that under present law the banks were paying more than their share of taxes, and the added exemptions was a recognition of this fact, and while the banks had asked for a great deal more concession than this gave them, he thought it was fair and just to adopt the section. Section 43, reports from corporations, permits corporations to deduct "the value of the shares of stock legally held by such corporation in other corporations incorporated in this state and paying taxes on its capital stock in this state," etc. An unsuccessful effort was made to change this section. For All Kinds of Tinning. **Guttering** and

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