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MINISTER CALDERON DID NOT INTEREST SECRETARY LANSING

Bolivian Minister, After Hearing Lansing, Didn't Mention Arbitration. If Break Should Occur at End of The Week Gen. Funston Will Be in a Position To Defend The Border Adequately and Reinforce Pershing's Expedition.

Washington, June 26.—Efforts toward Latin-American mediation in the Mexican crisis, favored by Carranza officials, collapsed today without having reached the stage of a formal proposal to the United States.

It was made plain by Secretary Lansing to Ignacio Calderon, minister of Bolivia, who called with the intention of asking whether the United States would entertain an offer of the services of its southern neighbors to aid in averting war, that the Washington government sees nothing in the situation that would warrant arbitration proceedings.

Mr. Lansing talked with the minister for half an hour and is understood to have told him that the blame for the grave outlook rested squarely upon General Carranza. The attitude of the United States was so fully outlined that Mr. Calderon did not mention directly the original purpose of his visit.

When the minister left the State Department he said the time "seemed inopportune" and that for the present the diplomatic representatives of six South and Central American countries who had approached the Mexican embassy on the subject of mediation and received assurances that the Carranza government was favorable to the principal would not tender their good offices to the United States. He indicated that the attempt to arrange mediation might be renewed if General Carranza's reply to Secretary Lansing's last note furnished any basis on which the proposal could be founded.

Waiting on Carranza.

The United States now is waiting for Carranza's final word in reply to the note sent yesterday demanding release of the prisoners taken at Carrizal and a formal diplomatic announcement of intentions.

The note reached Mexico City late last night. Special Agent Rodgers reported its receipt, adding that he had failed in his first efforts to place it in the hands of the Carranza minister of foreign relations. Undoubtedly it was delivered today. Officials looked for an answer within a day or two at most.

Meanwhile both Congress and the War Department put new urgency into their preparations for war. There were indications that should a formal break occur toward the end of the week, General Funston will be in a position to defend the border adequately and reinforce Pershing's expedition, although aggressive action may be delayed somewhat.

Reduction in Prices

The prices for admission to the Hurdle Mills Dramatic Club at the Auditorium on Friday June 30th will be as follows: General Admission 20 cents, reserved seats 25 cents, children under 12 years old 10 cents. The object of this entertainment is to raise money to help build a church at Hurdle Mills and you are cordially invited to come out and help in this worthy cause.

PROGRESSIVES LIE DOWN COMPLETELY

Will Not Put Ticket in The Field But Vote to Endorse Hughes.

Chicago, Ill., June 27.—By a vote of 31 to 15 the Progressive National Committee late today went on record as being opposed to putting a third ticket in the field. The committee voted down a motion to substitute the name of Victor Murdock of Kansas, to fill the vacancy caused by the declination of Theodore Roosevelt to head the Progressive ticket.

The Progressive National Committee tonight voted to endorse Chas. E. Hughes for President. The vote was 32 to 6, with nine declining to vote on the ground that the committee was exceeding its power in taking such action.

Hughes Sends Telegram.

New York, June 26.—Chas. E. Hughes Republican nominee for President, sent a telegram to O. K. Davis, secretary of the Progressive National Committee, tonight welcoming the support of the Progressive party and arranging the present administration for its "weakness and incertitude."

In making public the contents of the telegram, Mr. Hughes also gave out a letter he had written to Col. Roosevelt in which he declared that the nation was indebted to the Colonel "for the quickening of the national spirit and for the demand for an out-and-out 100 percent Americanism."

The candidate told Col. Roosevelt that he had "sounded the trumpet that shall never call retreat, and it wants you to feel that I wish to have all the aid you are able and willing to give."

The letter closed with an expression of a wish by Mr. Hughes to see the colonel soon.

The telegram to Secretary Davis was in response to a telegram from the secretary notifying Mr. Hughes that the Progressives had endorsed him.

"I welcome the support of Progressives," Mr. Hughes' message read. "We make common cause in the interest of national honor, of national security, of national efficiency. We unite in the demand for an undivided and unwavering loyalty to our country; for a whole hearted patriotic devotion overriding all racial differences. We want a revival of the American spirit—a nation restored. We insist upon prompt and adequate provision for the common defense; upon the steadfast maintenance of all the rights of our citizens and upon the integrity of international law."

"The most serious difficulties the present administration has encountered have been due to its weakness and incertitude. I am profoundly convinced that by prompt and decisive action tragedy would have been prevented. We strongly denounce the use of our soil as a base for alien intrigues, for conspiracies and the fomenting of disorders in the interest of any foreign nation, but the responsibility lies at the door of the administration. The moment notice is admitted, responsibility is affixed. For that sort of thing could not continue if the administration took proper measures to stop it. That responsibility the administration cannot evade by condemning others."

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Card of Thanks.

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The demand for young North Carolinians whose education and training qualify them to take responsible places in the State's advancing development in Agriculture, manufacturing, and other productive enterprises, grows apace. Of the ninety young men who were recently graduated from the Agricultural and Mechanical College, practically all had positions waiting for them on the day of their graduation. These young men are taking their places not merely as leaders in the State's material growth, but in its solid progressive citizenship as well. The announcement of this great technical institution appears in this issue.

STATE OF NORTH CARO., UNITED CONFEDERATE REUNION

Annual State Reunion. At Wilmington N. C. July 26, 27 1916.

To the Comrades of Camp Jones you have been especially invited by the State Commander, to attend this reunion, you are promised a hearty welcome and free accommodations for those who desire such, also special reduced rates at the Hotels and Boarding houses for those who care to go. I will be glad if all comrades who expect to attend will notify me as early as possible, so that I may be able to report, as early as is convenient; I have from the State Commander James I. Metts the assurance that they will endeavor to make all who can attend comfortable and happy.

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Com. Camp Jones No. 1206, U. C. V.

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