

Trouble Between Carranza and Villa Arouses Anxiety

A Clash Between Them May Stir Up A Demand For American Intervention--Mediation May Be Abandoned

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The report of trouble between Carranza and Villa arouses considerable apprehension.

Men in the confidence of the revolutionary agency here declared today there had been no split between the two leaders, and that if Villa had seized the telegraph offices, he acted entirely upon his own authority as chief of the northern military zone.

General Villa's action in resigning his commission and imprisoning Carranza leaders is not accepted by constitutionalists here as meaning a permanent breach between the two chiefs.

Carranza's representatives here made the explanation to rid themselves of trouble-some politicians who have been associated with Carranza, issuing orders without authority which embarrassed his movements.

Officials of the Washington government were manifestly impressed by the turn of events but declined to comment.

Rafael Zubaran and Luis Cabrera the constitutionalist representatives who conferred in Buffalo yesterday with the American commissioners, returned to Washington today and maintained strict silence as to the result of their mission.

NIAGARA FALLS, June 17.—The unsatisfactory talk between the American delegates and the constitutionalist representatives at Buffalo rumors of friction at Niagara between Carranza and Villa officials and stories of federal successes at Zetecacas produced a confusing situation for the mediation board today.

The American delegates declined to divulge what they had learned in Buffalo from Rafael Zubaran and Luis Cabrera, personal representatives of Carranza, but spoke of the conference as clarifying and valuable.

The constitutionalists had explained with emphasis that a prominent constitutionalist alone would be accepted by them for the presidency. The Huerta envoys insist that they never will accept a constitutionalist.

It is expected that when Minister Naon of Argentine returns here on Friday they will have a full conference to determine whether in view of the disagreement the mediation proceedings should be continued.

The Huerta delegates think the threatened break between Carranza and Villa should persuade the United States to agree to the selection of a neutral man for provisional president. They say the new administration soon would crush the constitutionalists because a reorganized government could get arms and financial aid without difficulty.

Waiting on U. S.

NIAGARA FALLS, June 17.—On word from Washington depends the next move in mediation. Justice Lumar and Frederick W. Lehmann early today telegraphed to the capital a 1,000 word report of their conference yesterday at Buffalo with Rafael Zubaran and Luis Cabrera, authorized representatives of Carranza.

A general feeling here that the United States possibly may inaugurate a direct change of policy has been produced by the uncompromising stand of House, Eubank and Cabrera the American allies of Carranza and Villa, respectively, in their opposition to Carranza's action.

Wedding Of Interest Took Place Yesterday

MISS JESSIE WYATT BECOMES BRIDE OF T. C. ETHERIDGE OF SNOW HILL.

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon in Bridgeton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wyatt, which is beautifully located on the banks of the Neuse river, when their daughter Miss Jessie Gentry Wyatt, wedded Mr. T. C. Etheridge, of Snow Hill, N. C. The home was artistically decorated in sweet peas, ferns and palms, and the guests assembled and were greeted by Mrs. Ernest Green, in her charming manner, Miss Eulalia Willis in her most genial way showing the guests to the southern balcony where a delicious fruit punch was served; Mrs. Thomas Caraway and Miss Mollie Heath, gracefully presiding over the punch bowl. In the balcony, the guests were shown to the gift room where the popularity of the contracting parties was manifested by the gorgeous array of handsome and useful presents.

As the guests gathered in the West parlor, in the alcove of which was a beautifully improvised altar of white lilies and ferns with numerous candle lights, the mellow glow of which added to the enchantment of the decorations; Mrs. Jane Meadows presiding at the piano in the adjoining room, accompanied with Miss Cora Munger, violinist, rendered with rare expression Schubert's Serenade, and as the sweet strains of the serenade gradually died away, the familiar Lohengren's wedding march wafted the air, the maid of honor Miss Beattie Wyatt, sister of the bride, entered, wearing white chiffon and carrying a bouquet of maids pink roses, followed by the bride on the arm of her father, Mr. W. F. Wyatt, where they were met at the altar by the groom, Mr. T. C. Etheridge and his best man, Dr. Raymond Pollock.

The bride was gowned in the most becoming gown of wisteria with hat of harmonizing shades, and carrying a bridal bouquet of white roses and ferns. The marriage ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. McWhorter, of the Methodist Episcopal church which was followed by Mendelsohn's Wedding march.

Immediately following the ceremony the bride and groom under a shower of congratulations and best wishes, drove to the Station, where they departed for a tour through Western North Carolina of several weeks. They will make their future home in Snow Hill.

The bride is a young woman of unusual popularity and talents, the groom being a very active and popular business man of Snow Hill, and the happy couple carry with them the best wishes of not only New Bern and Bridgeton but of the many friends in the surrounding country.

NEW BERN CITY LEAGUE

Next Game Saturday, Ghent vs. Railroaders.

STANDING OF CLUBS

Table with columns W, L, P.C. and rows for Single Men, Railroaders, Married Men, Ghent Club.

Coachman Mayhew and General Glegg and some of Constitutionalists reverse on land and sea.

Enlils Babak, head of the Huerta delegates, said today that he and his associates would do everything in their power to prevent a break in negotiations.

Shamrock, IV., Lipton's Latest Challenger, Heats Shamrock III



SHAMROCK IV. The new boat of Sir Thomas Lipton, is, in his opinion the greatest yacht that ever put up sails. Sir Thomas says that there is no doubt that his boat will be the winner in the International Yacht races at Sandy Hook, in September.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUERS MEET AT WILMINGTON

SEVERAL HUNDRED PRESENT FROM ALL PARTS OF NORTH CAROLINA

WILMINGTON, June 17.—The annual convention of the Epworth League of the North Carolina Methodist Conference is being held in Fifth Street Methodist church, this city, tonight and continuing through Sunday.

There are several hundred young people from all parts of Eastern North Carolina in attendance. Prof. A. B. Underwood, a member of the faculty of the East Carolina Teachers' Training school, is president and Miss Lizzie Hancock of New Bern is secretary.

An interesting program has been prepared for the occasion. There are a number of notable speakers during the conference including Rev. Dr. F. S. Parker of Nashville, Tenn., general secretary of the Epworth League of the Southern Methodist church; Rev. R. L. Davis, superintendent of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League; Rev. G. T. Rowe, presiding elder of the Greensboro district; Rev. H. M. North, presiding elder of the Durham district, and W. V. Martin of Georgia.

The Southern Railway To Run Excursion

TO GIVE PEOPLE AN OPPORTUNITY TO SEE "THE LAND THE SKY."

The Southern Railway Company will run their annual excursion to "The Land of the Sky," Tuesday, June 23.

The train will leave Goldsboro at seven o'clock in the morning and arrive in Asheville at seven fifty-five on the same afternoon. The round trip fare is six dollars from Goldsboro and the tickets are good returning on any regular train up to and including Saturday June 27th. The tickets are also good for stop overs beyond, Ridgecrest.

Those who go on this excursion will have a fine time to visit Waynesville, Black Mountain, Lake Toxaway and other places of interest in the Western part of the State. It is expected that a number of prominent people from this city will take advantage of this low fare to see the beautiful scenery of Western North Carolina.

MANY NEW POSTMASTERS NAMED FOR THIS STATE

LARGE NUMBER OF CHANGES MADE IN OFFICES IN THIS SECTION

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The following North Carolina postmasters were appointed today:

Alliance, Pamlico county, Samuel M. Campen; Atlantic, Carteret county, Wm. H. Holt; Dixon, Onslow county, H. Lizzie Foy; Edgemont, Caldwell county, Judson J. Coffee; Hollyridge, Onslow county, Cleveland C. Hines; Ingalls, Avery county, James M. Phillips; Kuhns, Carteret county, James H. Young; Marines, Onslow county, Edward B. Smith; Mesic, Pamlico county, Festus Mayo; Richards, Pender county, Bailey T. Ramsey; Sterns, Polk county, Nellie M. Cunningham.

North Carolina postmasters have passed the examinations and been appointed permanently as follows:

Alvin, Duplin county, Wm. G. Korngay; Barkers Creek, Jackson county, Blanche M. Allison; Cove City, Craven county, John F. Heath; Cullaska, Macon county, Lillie Moore; Cumberland county, John A. Smith; Elase, Cumberland county, Oscar L. Codgell; Genoa, Wayne county, Wm. F. Moore; Meritt, Pamlico county, W. C. Kee; Padgett, Onslow county, K. Padgett; Plet, Haywood county, Robert H. Platt; Quebec, Transylvania county, Wm. G. Henderson; Portsmouth, Carteret county, Wm. H. Babb.

OFF TO WILMINGTON

Local Epworth Leaguers Off To Attend Meeting.

Miss Lizzie Hancock, State Secretary of the Epworth League, left yesterday afternoon for Wilmington to attend the annual meeting of that organization which began there yesterday. Wilkie Chadwick, president of the local Epworth League and R. W. Media will leave for Wilmington this morning to attend the meeting. It is understood that an invitation will be extended to the Leaguers to hold their next convention in this city.

Among the out-of-town Leaguers passing through the city yesterday en route to Wilmington were Misses Alma and Lena White of Belhaven, Misses Maud Bryant and Ruth Bell of Belhaven.

DR. J. M. PARROTT MAKES STRONG ANNUAL ADDRESS

Urges Many Forward Steps For Advancement.

ASKS STATE'S SUPPORT. Made A Strong And Interesting Appeal For Fraternalism.

(Special to the Journal.)

RALEIGH, June 17.—At the 61st annual session of the North Carolina Medical Society, held in Raleigh, Tuesday, Dr. James M. Parrott president, of Kinston, made his annual address emphasizing the plans and purposes of the society, leading to high ideals of service. He highly complimented the work of the public institutions established for mental and physical relief and asked for these the society's support.

Of the Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Montrose, Dr. Parrott said in part: The tuberculosis sanitarium at Montrose already has done a great deal of good in spite of its rather checkered career. It is well located and in time will prove of inestimable benefit to our people. It is now in much better shape than ever before. It has recently come under the immediate care of the Board of Health, and has at its head as superintendent one of the ablest health men in the South, Dr. L. B. McBrayer. Dr. McBrayer has had a broad experience in sanitary work, and is especially well equipped to discharge the manifold and irksome duties of his office. The tuberculosis work in North Carolina is in good hands now. I congratulate the State Board of Health and the State at large on Dr. McBrayer's selection.

It is high time to take the progressive steps projected by the Board of Health in dealing with tuberculosis. It is a disease which is frequently acute, most often chronic and always degenerative. The educational value of the State Institution will prove to be very great. No one can over estimate the good to be accomplished by properly training the consumptive how to live. If for no other reason, this feature of the tuberculosis institution will more than repay all the money which has been, or will be, spent on it. We do not, however, have to depend on this feature of the work alone to justify its existence. We have every reason to believe that ours will soon equal, in smaller proportions only, the work done by older and larger sanitariums for this disease, and we can in all fairness expect equally good results. From its beginning to a recent year, Gaylord Farm Sanitarium had cost \$278,000.00 and the patients who had been restored to health there had earned \$706,000.00 and have a capacity appraised at two and a half millions. These figures are practically striking and convincing.

Practically one death in nine is due to tuberculosis. Its death rate equals that from typhoid fever, scarlet fever, smallpox, diphtheria, cancer, diabetes, appendicitis and meningitis. There are approximately 500,000 sick from it all the time. Fifty per cent of the deaths from it occur during the prime of life, the money and time spent in preparation for life's work then availing nothing. It brings sorrow and poverty, and frequently leaves children wards of the State, or mayhap preys for degeneracy, crime and prostitution.

By education and otherwise, the death rate from tuberculosis has been reduced from 200 per 100,000 population in 1900 to 149 in 1912. The State has made no mistake in erecting the institution for this disease; on the contrary, it is the highest evidence of constructive Statesmanship. Its care has been committed to the medical profession, and happily will we bear the burden, and proudly will we meet our obligation. With confidence, I appeal to the profession for its hearty response and support for this Sanitarium.

Our Vital Statistics, says: I want to call your attention to a matter of real concern, not only to the people of our State, but to the profession also. It is a matter of much more than passing moment, and I regret that I cannot dwell on it to the extent its importance demands. I refer to the Vital Statistics Law. It is almost, if not quite, a vital matter to all health work. I wish I could impress those physicians who have not already appreciated its value with the importance of this law. According to recent census, the death

WILL GIVE WITT LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR FEW WEEKS

General Superintendent Is Not To Quit Road.

NEW MAN IN PLACE. Mr. Witt Desires Time To Recuperate From Attack of Appendicitis.

NORFOLK, June 17.—Following the announcement of his rumored resignation, W. A. Witt, general superintendent of the Norfolk Southern Railroad, stated yesterday that within the next few days he would be granted an indefinite leave of absence to recuperate from a severe attack of appendicitis. "I expect to be granted a leave of absence within a few days," said Mr. Witt. "I am just recovering from an operation for appendicitis and need a vacation. While I expect to be all right within the next few weeks, my successor will be appointed within the next week."

Mr. Witt, who is regarded as one of the most capable railroad men in the South, began his railroad career as a dispatcher and operator with the Southern Railway. He was with the Chesapeake and Ohio for twenty-one years in various capacities, and was superintendent of the Florida territory of the Seaboard Air Line during the administration of C. H. Hix. He came to the Norfolk Southern when Mr. Hix became president about eighteen months ago.

Joseph R. Young, president of the Norfolk Southern, declined to discuss the matter before leaving for Richmond yesterday morning to attend the annual meeting of railroad presidents.

When asked who he thought his successor would be, Mr. Witt said that he thought J. D. Stack, assistant general manager of the Oregon and Washington Railroad and Navigation Company, was being considered.

"I am not positive about his present position, but I have heard that a man named Stack, is being considered and he has been or is connected with the Oregon and Washington Railroad and Navigation Company," said Mr. Witt.

Centenary Methodists Will Picnic Today

TRAIN WILL LEAVE THIS CITY AT 8 O'CLOCK—MANY GOING.

Today the members of the Centenary Methodist church of this city will go to Morehead City where they will spend the day enjoying the numerous pleasures to be found at that delightful resort.

A special train will be employed in carrying the large number of members and their friends and this will leave the Academy Green at 8 o'clock and everyone who intends making this trip, is requested to be on hand that hour.

Those who have not already secured tickets can purchase them from A. E. Hibbard, or J. G. Delemar at the train.

THE PRESBYTERIANS WILL PICNIC TOMORROW

The congregation and Sunday school of the Presbyterian church will spend tomorrow on their annual picnic at Morehead City.

The Committee in charge of the excursion has chartered the Norfolk Southern's motor car to make the trip. The car leaves New Bern at nine thirty and on the return trip will arrive in New Bern in the late afternoon.

rate in North Carolina is 16.9, the highest of any state save New Hampshire, and is within three decimals of that. Our death rate is practically double that of Washington which has the lowest—8.5.

The Vital Statistics Law is the key to all sanitary work, and as soon as thoroughly understood and we become accustomed to it, we will recognize its worth, and its apparent burden will be lessened, if not entirely disappear. I appeal to every doctor in North Carolina to give this law his earnest and cordial support.