

## HUERTA TO BROOK NO INTERFERENCE

### Stated Officially He Will Not Resign As Ruler Of Mexico

#### Warning Note To Outsiders--Washington Government Keenly Interested In The Declaration Of The Mexican Minister Of The Interior--Constitutionalists Seek Repeal Of The Embargo On Arms--Developments Becloud The Situation

Washington, Aug. 4.—Official Washington read with keen interest the declaration of Aureliano Urrutia, the Mexican minister of interior, that Provisional President Huerta would not resign and moreover would brook no interference on the part of foreigners in his administration.

While no plan that the American government had had under serious consideration involved any direct interference in Mexican administration affairs, the admitted attitude of the president is one of opposition to the recognition of the Huerta regime.

Without the recognition of the United States, leading Mexicans have hitherto claimed Mexico would not be able to extricate itself from its financial difficulties.

It is believed here that pressure would be brought to bear to persuade Provisional President Huerta to resign. The announcement that he has determined not to do so has beclouded the situation somewhat and has spurred the Constitutionalists to further activity to obtain the repeal of the embargo on arms. They claim that if they do not get arms the revolution will be a protracted struggle. With munitions of war they say they can quickly bring matters to a crisis.

General Eduardo Hey, who has been selected by the Constitutionalists as their spokesman, is now in Washington and will present this view to the senate foreign relations committee during the present week. Having taken part in many battles, Hey is familiar with the military situation in Mexico and is prepared to answer all questions as to aims and aspirations of the revolutionists.

Hay first came into prominence during the Madero revolution, when, as a young engineer of Scotch-American parentage, educated at Notre Dame

university, he took up arms against the Diaz government. He distinguished himself in many of the early battles, and especially at the Casas Grandes, Chihuahua, where he led a famous charge, in which he was wounded several times and lost his left eye. Secretary Bryan was at his desk in the state department today.

**SLAPPED ON BACK; NECK BROKEN.**

Chester, Pa., Aug. 4.—Urbah Washburn, watchman, is in the Chester hospital with his life despaired of, because James Wilson slapped him on the back and broke his neck. Once before Washburn had his neck broken, but it was sutured together with silver wire. For years he has gone about his work, which has been of the lightest kind. When Wilson slapped him on the back Washburn fell to the ground unconscious. After he was taken to the hospital an x-ray was taken and then for the first time it was learned that his neck had been broken at some previous time. His relatives were sent for and they admitted that five years ago Washburn fell from an eight-story building and broke his neck.

**Dangers of Carelessness.**  
Lion Tamer (to assistants)—You've left his cage open again. One of these days some one will come along and steal him.—London Opinion.

Lay hold on life with both hands. Wherever thou mayest seize it, it is interesting.—Goethe.

## NOTED PORCH CLIMBERS ARE JEWEL ROBBERS

New York, Aug. 4.—Two brothers, classed as porch climbers and rated by experts as the best thieves of this sort this country has ever been troubled with, are thought to have stolen the \$100,000 worth of jewels belonging to Mrs. Charles Cary Rumsey, daughter of the late E. H. Harriman, taken from her summer home at Nar-

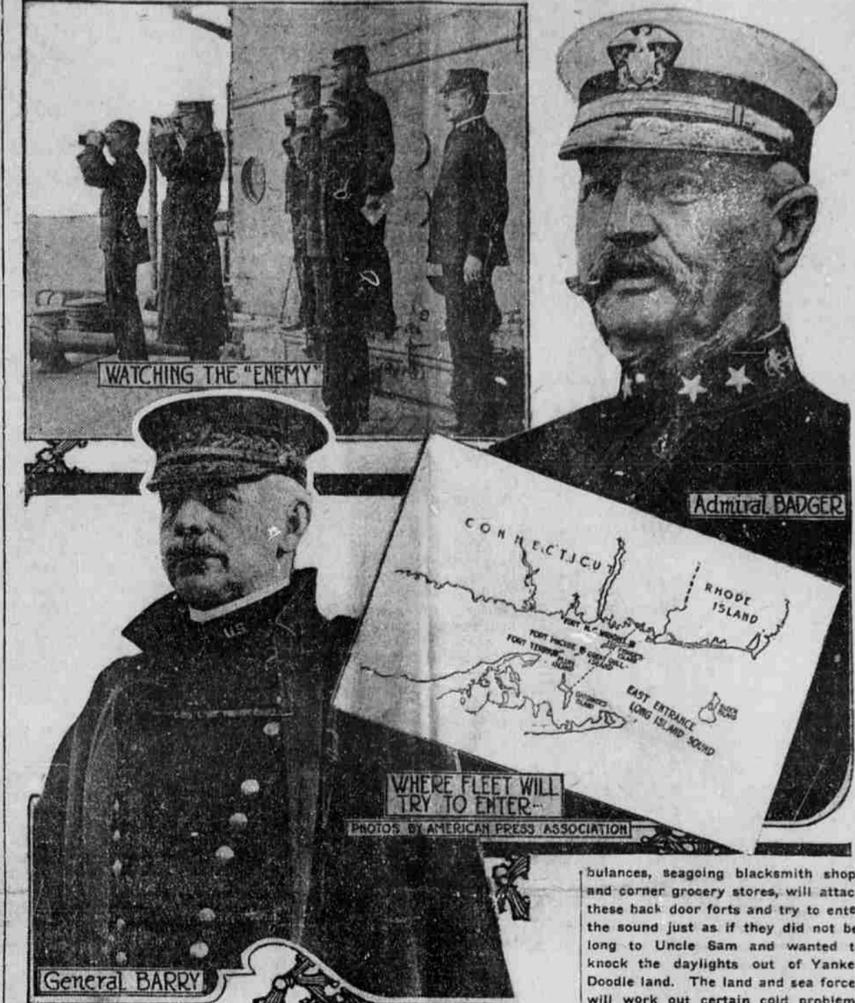
ragansett Pier. These brothers made things hot for wealthy summer colonists at the pier several years ago. They were suspected of the thefts at Narragansett and Newport last summer, which totaled \$300,000 and which were never solved. The brothers are members of an international gang.

## INTERRUPT SERVICES AND PRAY FOR EMMELINE ARE HURT FATALLY

London, Aug. 4.—The suffragets have adopted a new plan to bring their demands before the public. The militants are indulging in organized interruption of the morning services at St. Paul's cathedral. When the officiating clergyman reciting the litany reached the passage, "Show thy

pity to all prisoners and captives," about 20 suffragets seated below the pulpit rose and sang: "Save Emmeline Pankhurst; spare her, spare her, give her light and set her free." The congregation remained quiet. Vergeers approached the women and urged them to withdraw. The militants protested, but went out quietly.

## NORTH ATLANTIC FLEET WILL TRY TO JIMMY OPEN THE BACK DOOR TO NEW YORK HARBOR



New York, Aug. 4.—The North Atlantic fleet is going to try to jimmy open the back door of New York city the week beginning August 3 and ending August 9. It'll be so scientific and theoretic that no bad blood will be spilled. There are two doors to New York harbor. The front door is by way of Sandy Hook. This is well defended by forts with disappearing guns and sudden surprises in the way of submarine mines. The back door is by way of Long Island sound. Forts Terry, Michie and Wright are located at the eastern mouth of the sound and form the defenses to the back door. These forts have been placed on a war basis for the purpose of this test and are to be manned by twenty-two full companies of coast defense artillery. The north Atlantic squadron of twenty battleships and twenty-six torpedo boats and ten submarines, with a flotilla of floating am-

## BESIDE CENTENARIAN JOHN D. SAYS HE'S A BOY

Cleveland, O., Aug. 4.—"I'm still a boy," John D. Rockefeller, 73 years old, told Ebenezer Roberts, 105 years old, as the two met after church services. The multi-millionaire saw his older friend first. He rushed up to him. Mr. Roberts greeted him cordially. "I once was a boy, but I'm an old man now," he told the oil magnate. Mr. Rockefeller laughed and replied: "Well, I once was a boy and I am still a boy."

**Mine Disaster in Scotland.**  
Glasgow, Aug. 4.—The Cadder pit, 12 miles from Glasgow, is on fire and 23 miners are entombed in the coal mine.

## 3 VICTIMS ARE DEAD

Springfield, O., Aug. 4.—Arthur Detrick of Kenton O., James May of Springfield and Don Tegard of Cincinnati, who were burned severely when an explosion occurred in a garage, died in the city hospital.

## 29 ARE HURT

Hammond, Ind., Aug. 4.—Twenty-nine persons, all of Chicago, were injured when Martin Roy, chauffeur of the auto bus in which they were riding, drove into a culvert to avoid running down 4-year-old Mary Bankow howas here. The bus turned over on the occupants, but with one exception none of the injuries was serious. Martin Roy was cut about the eyes, and it is said he may lose his sight.

**More Like a Lover.**  
Miss Sweet—My brother is wedded to his art. Mrs. Rinnick—Wedded? Nonsense! He's perfectly devoted to it.—Exchange.

One life, a little gleam of time be- fore two eternities Carlyle

## SON HELD FOR MURDER

Zanesville, O., Aug. 4.—As a result of the sudden and mysterious death of Mrs. Will Prazee, 48, of Zanesville, the police arrested the woman's son Ernest, and a neighbor, Harvey Roberts, on suspicion, and are holding them until the completion of an autopsy.

## CLEVELAND'S FATAL FIRE

Cleveland, O., Aug. 4.—One was killed and 10 persons injured by jumping from windows when fire broke out in the Granger apartment house. The man killed was J. V. Anderson, a roomer in the house. Two firemen were injured by flying glass. The loss is estimated at \$30,000.

## STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

Piqua, O., Aug. 4.—Alford M. Fry, a contractor, was probably fatally injured when struck by an automobile driven by O. O. McFarland. Fry was riding a bicycle when the accident occurred.

## DEATH TOLL MAY EXCEED TWENTY

### Result of the Double Explosion In Pennsylvania Mine.

## TWO FIRE BOSSES STILL IN PIT

### First Explosion In the Colliery Said to Have Been One of Dynamite, Which It is Believed Liberated a Large Body of Gas That Let Go Just as the Rescuing Party Nearer the Tunnel—Bodies Recovered.

Tower City, Pa., Aug. 4.—The number of dead as a result of the double explosion at the East Brookside colliery of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company was increased to 19 by the death at Pottsville of John Lorenz, mine superintendent. Daniel Farley and John Fessler, fire bosses, are still in the pit in spite of the unusual efforts which have been made to rescue them. It is now almost certain that they are buried under a big fall of rock, which occurred in the vicinity of the tunnel, where the first explosion occurred. A large force of men has been working in the fall in an effort to recover the bodies.

Charles Portland, who was the contractor for the tunnel in which the first explosion occurred, has made arrangements to bury his nine workmen who were killed. Seven of them will be buried at Tower City at one service and the collieries in the West End will be closed as a tribute to them. The funerals of the American-speaking workmen will be held at different times during the week.

The theory of the miners as to the cause of the accident is that the first explosion was one of dynamite, probably caused by the laborers in the tunnel striking a dual cap in the debris with their shovels, setting off 175 pounds of dynamite which had been carried into the mine by the tunnel workers.

This explosion, it is believed, liberated a large body of gas, which exploded just as the rescuing party neared the tunnel, killing five of the six in the party.

Of the dead seven were mine officials. They were working about the colliery inspecting as is custom on days when the colliery is idle. An examination shows that almost all of the American workmen died as a result of being poisoned by the after-damp, while the foreign workers were mostly all mangled and killed by the shock.

**Senate Opposes Protectorate.**  
Washington, Aug. 4.—A proposed protectorate for Nicaragua, embraced in a treaty suggested by Secretary Bryan, probably will be abandoned because of adverse action by the senate foreign relations committee. Chairman Bacon was instructed to ask Secretary Bryan to transmit a new Nicaraguan treaty, limited strictly to the proposed \$3,000,000 purchase of canal route and naval base concessions.

## LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

**CHICAGO, Aug. 4.**  
Cattle—Beef, \$6.00@6.10; Texas steers, \$6.75@7.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@6.00; calves, \$5.00@6.00.  
Hogs—Light, \$8.00@8.25; mixed, \$7.50@8.00; heavy, \$7.25@7.50; roughs, \$6.75@7.00; pigs, \$6.00@6.25.  
Sheep and Lambs—Native sheep, \$4.15@4.25; yearlings, \$5.00@5.50; native lambs, \$5.00@5.25.  
Wheat—No. 2 red (new), \$1.15@1.17 1/2; Corn—No. 2, 63 1/2@64; Oats—No. 2 white (new), 43 1/2@44.  
**CINCINNATI, Aug. 4.**  
Cattle—Steers, \$5.00@5.40; cows, \$3.00@3.25; heifers, \$3.00@3.40; calves, \$5.50@6.00.  
Hogs—Fackers, \$6.10@6.40; common sows, \$6.00@6.25; pigs and lights, \$7.00@7.45; stags, \$5.25@5.50.  
Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$2.25@2.35; lambs, \$4.25@4.50.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.15@1.17 1/2; Corn—No. 2 mixed, 71 1/2@72; Oats—No. 2 mixed, 42 1/2@43; Rye—No. 2, 62 1/2@63 1/2.  
**EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 4.**  
Cattle—Market steady. Calves—\$6.00@11.50.  
Hogs—Heavy, \$9.50@9.60; mixed, \$9.00@9.25; Yorkers, \$9.75@9.85; pigs, \$9.75@9.80; roughs, \$8.25@8.50; stags, \$7.00@8.00; dairies, \$9.25@9.75.  
Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$4.00@6.25; wethers, \$5.00@5.45; ewes, \$2.50@4.75; mixed sheep, \$5.00@5.25; lambs, \$5.50@7.25.  
**PITTSBURG, Aug. 4.**  
Hogs—Heavies, \$9.20; heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, \$9.80.  
Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$5.35; lambs, \$7.25.  
**BOSTON, Aug. 4.**  
Wool: Ohio and Pennsylvania XX, 29@29 1/2; delaine washed, 27@28; three-eighths and half-blood combed, 24; delaine unwashed, 22; fine unwashed, 26@27.  
**TOLEDO, Aug. 4.**  
Wheat, \$9 1/2; corn, 72; oats, 44 1/2; rye, 55.

## NAVAL BASE IN BERMUDA

### Is Contemplated By The Government Of Great Britain

### British Raise a Problem of Tremendous Import.

## THREATENS MONROE DOCTRINE

### Other Nations Likely to Follow Suit If England Changes Her Naval Policy In American Atlantic Waters. Official Washington Aroused by the Report of John Bull's Contemplated Step—Portection of Canal Route.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Interest has been aroused in official circles here by a report reaching the state department that Great Britain is contemplating establishing a great naval base in the Bermuda Islands. It is stated authoritatively that the British government has made inquiry concerning the plans of the United States for the protection of the Panama canal route, and it has been suggested that this indicates an intention to safeguard the shipping through the isthmus as is done in the Mediterranean.

Officials realize that the problem raised is a tremendous one, involving as it may the very life of the Monroe doctrine, and marking perhaps a complete revolution in foreign naval policy in the Western Hemisphere. For it is expected that if Great Britain changes her naval policy in American Atlantic waters, other European nations probably will follow suit. While these changes may be expected in the Atlantic waters and the West Indies, officials likewise realize with the opening of the canal the United States must contend with Japan for the domination of the Pacific.

The British royal navy abandoned its naval stations in this country about 10 years ago, when the United States gave up the idea of the construction of the Nicaraguan canal and set about digging the big waterway across Panama, whose approaching completion bids fair to revolutionize international relations.

If Great Britain undertakes to establish herself in Atlantic waters, however, the proposed Bermuda station, near Hamilton, would occupy a formidable position. The present equipment there is meager, but the garrison consists of two companies of artillery, a company of engineers and a battalion of infantry.

By way of looking out for future contingencies at the Pacific terminal of the Panama canal, the British claim ownership of Clipperton Island, probably the finest deep water harbor in that part of the Pacific ocean.

## INSPECTOR IS NAMED

Columbus, O., Aug. 4.—E. D. Harrington of Columbus has been appointed a drug inspector, at a salary of \$1,200, by State Food and Dairy Commissioner S. E. Strode. The position was provided for by the last legislature, which passed a law empowering the state food and dairy department to inspect drugs and pass upon their purity, the same as they do foodstuffs.

## BRUTALLY ASSAULTED

Washington C. H., O., Aug. 4.—George W. Duffy, 69, a veteran of the civil war and grocer of this city, was brutally assaulted in a living room in the rear of his grocery. His skull was fractured and he may die. Robbery was not the motive of his assailant, as Duffy's money and jewelry were not taken.