No reply was received at the state department from the Mexican government to either of the communications sent to President Huerta from Wash-

ington. It was intimated that this government is no longer expecting a reply to either of these notes, and it is hinted that this lies in the fact that steps were taken by Mr. O'Shaughnessy to head off a response

It is known that on Tuesday the Mexican cabinet busied itself with drafting a reply to the first note from Washington regarding the safety of the deputies, which was pronounced in Mexico City as of intemperate language. Advance information was received in Washington that this reply was to be a very sharp retort to the United States.

Much significance is attached to the meeting of the diplomatic corps in Mexico City upon the call of the Spanish minister, dean of that body since the retirement of Henry Lane Wilson. All the members of the diplomatic corps are in accord with President to the last." Widson so far as their attitude in regard to the imprisoned deputies is con-

The greatest perplexity is admitted by high officials as to what is going to happen next in Mexico. It is not even known whether Huerta intends to go ahead with the elections or not.

Plans for keeping an American naval force in Mexican waters also commanded attention, in view of the strained situation following so closely Huerta's announcement that his government's permission for the presence of American men-of-war would not be renewed this month, and the announcement of this government's intention to accomplish this end without conflicting with the laws of Mexico by chang-

ing the details of ships. It was made plain that the Washington government was determined to have naval representation ready for any eventuality, and some observers thought the next step toward a culmination of the situation might be forced over that point.

There is greater anxiety in administration circles now than at any time since the arrival of John Lind, President Wilson's special envoy, in Mexico. It is feared, because of acts in Washington and Mexico City, that a positive rupture may prove unavoid-

President Wilson followed up his sharp note of Monday, which practically demanded that the lives of the imprisoned deputies be safeguarded by Huerta, and which Foreign Minister Moheno declared to be "intemperate," with a second note. It was much more severe in its terms and notified the Mexican government that any new administration set up as a result of election on Oct. 26 would not be recognized by the United States government.

SULZER GUILTY ON ARTICLE 1

Convicted of Making False Statement

of Campaign Fund. formation from the impeachment court in Albany, N. Y., whose final deliberations are secret, Governor William Sulzer was found guilty of having made a false statement of campaign contributions, the charge set forth in article 1.

The seven other articles are yet to be voted on. The reported vote was 39 to 18. The two-thirds required for conviction is 38. A change of two votes

would have saved the governor. Four court of appeals judges are said to have voted not guilty-Chief Justice Cullen, Willard Bartlett, William E. Werner and Emery A. Chase. There was no separate ballot as to the validity of impeachment articles

1, 2 and 6. The court decided that article 4 was broad enough to cover the Peck testimony in the trial of William Sulzer.

Woman Denies She's Witch. Accused of practicing the black art, Miss Ellen Shoemaker, a resident of Bloomsburg, Pa., comes out in a statement to the public, in which she says she is not a witch and knows nothing of witchcraft. She says that any one accusing her of being responsible for the death of a Bloomsburg man and woman by reason of the "spell" she put over them, will be arrested.

Smallest Woman in Iowa Dead.

Miss Ruthey Howes, who is dead in Albin, Iowa, at the age of sixty-six years, was reputed to have been the smallest perfectly formed woman in the state of Iowa. She was thirty-seven inches tall and weighed sixty pounds. Miss Howes was a remarkably beautiful and attractive woman. She was a school teacher and a musician of considerable ability.

Said Wilson Had \$2,000,000 of His. Daniel Remngton, seventy years of age, tried to see President Wilson in Washington, saying that the latter had \$2,000,000 of his money locked up in his desk. Remington, who says he is from South Dakota, was arrested by the White House police and sent to the Washington Asylum hospital.

Timithy Lester Woodruff, lieutenant governor of New York for three terms (1897-1903) was born at New Haven, Conn., on Aug. 4, 1858. Me took up his residence in Brooklyn in the spring of 1881 and entered politics in the same year, when he joined the Brooklyn Young Men's Republican club.

'At the Republican national conven tion in 1908 Mr. Woodruff made the speech nominating the late James S. Sherman for vice president.

ABOUT 500 ARE RESCUED Captain Tells of

Blast Was So Terrific That Country For Miles Around Was Shaken as Though By an Earthquake.

More than 400 Welsh miners per ished, it is believed, from fire and afterdamp in the Universal colliery near Cardiff, Wales. A terrible explosion shattered the works sortly after 931 men had descended into the pit.

About 500 were brought to the surface alive by rescue parties. The rescued miners, the members of the lifesaving gangs and the officials of the mine declared that they could hold out no hope for the miners still below.

The men brought to the surface were found on the east side of the mine, where the ventilation remained fairly good. On the west side, where the explosion occurred, fire soon added its terrors and the rescue parties were unable to make any progress.

All the men in the east side of the mine reached the surface, but 418 were still in the workings in the west side, which were on fire. Colonel Pearson, chief inspector of mines, in giving this information, added: "The fire is in the intake airway and everything is being done to cope with it. We are hoping

Most of the rescued men presented a pitiable appearance. Nearly all were suffering from burns, shock or the effects of poisonous gases. It is feared a number of them will die.

So violent was the explosion that the country for miles around was shaken as though by an earthquake, and it was feared at first that all the entombed men had been burned to death or blown to bits. Cardiff trembled from the shock.

The day shift of 931 men descended the shafts in the cages. An hour after- stewardess, in charge of H. P. Miller, wards a deafening report brought the residents in the vicinity of the mine running to the pit head, where they found that the ventilating and hoisting machinery at the top of the shafts had been blown to atoms by the explosion. A man who had been working sixty feet away had been decapitated by the force of the blast.

Rescue parties of miners were soon on the scene making preparations to save their comrades. The fiery reputation of the mine, however, gave little hope that any of those below could be

The families of the miners rushed to the mouth of the pit, frantic in their Carmania that she was hoping to be grief and anxiety and determined to sacrifice their own lives if necessary in an attempt to save those penned in the shaft. Hundreds of others, led by curiosity or the desire to give aid, clustered about the pit mouth.

Special trains and automobiles bearing rescue apparatus, medical supplies, doctors and nurses sped to the scene. A first aid hospital and a temporary morgue were erected side by side not far from the shaft opening.

extent that hundreds of constables keep the grief-stricken relatives of the arrived and lowered boats, which could penned-up miners from danger.

When the call was given for volunteers to enter the mine at the risk of dusk. The Kroonland put away boats, their own lives, hundreds of miners According to seemingly accurate in- dashed forward and begged to be allowed to join in the relief work.

> Seriously Wounded by Bomb Thrower. Jerome Rose, owner of one of the most prosperous farms near Montrose, Pa., was called into his yard at midnight and two dynamite bombs were burled at him.

> Both of the bombs exploded, and one inflicted injuries which probably will result in the death of Rose.

His wife, Mrs. Clara Rose, and Leon Granger, of Montrose, who was said to have been a frequent caller at the Rose homestead in the absence of Mr. Rose, were arrested.

A man rapped at the front door of the Rose home, and when Mr. Rose opened the door he was informed that an old friend of his wanted to see him out at the road gate.

Mr. Rose walked down the path with the stranger, and when he was near the road the caller suddenly ran to cover. A bomb was hurled through the air at him. He dodged to one side and the bomb fell on the grass and exploded. The concussion knocked Mr. Rose down, and as he regained his feet he staggered twoard two persons,

whose shadows he saw in the dark. As he did so another bomb was thrown. He ducked his head, and as it passed him he heard the fuse hissing. The second bomb exploded before it touched the ground. This tore great wounds in his chest and face, ripped one leg open and so severely injured his face that if he recovers he probably will lose the sight of one eye. The persons who threw the bombs ran down the road, escaping in a carriage.

Bankers Honor Pennsylvanians. One of the most signal honors ever paid to Philadelphia financial institutions was conferred by the American Bankers' association in Boston when assembled in a convention representing every city in the United States, William A. Law, first vice president of the First National bank, of Philadelphia, was elected first vice president of the organization.

Falls 200 Feet and Lives. Fred Clappin, engineer on a mine locomotive at the Continental colliery at Centralia, Pa., stepped from his engine, lost his footing and plunged 200 feet down a chute to a counter gangway, where he lodged in loose

coal from the strippings. Rescuers hurried into the mine, expecting to find his mangled form in the pocket of the chute. They found him crawling through a heading. He was considerably cut and bruised.

Commander of Doomed Ship Gives Details of Disaster Which Cost 136

The steamship Kroonland, bringing nearly a hundred survivors of the Volturno disaster to New York, has developed a flaw in her crank shaft, which is retarding her speed.

Captain Francis Inch, of the Volturno, sent his story of the disaster which cost 136 lives by wireless from the Kroonland, on which he is being brought to New York, to the officers of the Uranium line.

'At 6.50 a. m., Oct. 9, 1913 latitude 49.12 north, longitude 34.51 west, fire was reported in hold No. 1 by the chief officer," Captain Inch's narrative reads. "At 6.55 a. m. flames were burning through No. 1 hatches, setting fire to the forecastle and all deck fittings. I slowed the ship down and kept her before the wind to enable us to put the steam extinguishers in operation, also three fire hose from deck connections. light and imprisoning the watch below, who were burned to death in the forecastle.

"A series of explosions now occurred, wrecking the saloon and hospital amidships, the compass and steering gear being also damaged by the explosions. I gave orders to get help by wireless as soon as the flames burnt the hatches.

"It seemingly being impossible to save the ship, I had boats provisioned and swung out. The ship was rolling heavily. Boats Nos. 13 and 5 were smashed, but No. 2 was lowered in after holding the office nearly fifteen the water with cabin passengers and chief officer. After this boat left the ship she capsized, throwing her occupants into the water. She afterwards righted herself and several of the crew got back into the boat, the chief offi-

cer being one of them. "The No. 6 boat was lowered and got away safely, filled with steerage passengers, in charge of Fourth Officer Langsell. The No. 7 boat on being lowered was caught under the stern of the ship, the boat being wrecked.

"Meanwhile the chief engineer, two seamen and myself fought the flames. gave orders to send no more boats with us by 11 a. m. Life belts were put on each passenger. The passengers now became calmer. Food was served

"At 9 a. m. the bunker was found to be ablaze. It being impossible to stop the fire in the bunker on account of gases, the water tight covers were closed and water poured down the No. 2 hatch into the fire, but the fire was gaining all the time.

"At 11 a. m. the Carmania arrived The excitement grew to such an and lowered a boat, but could not reach the ship on account of the high were placed on duty around the head seas. I asked the Carmania to look for of the mine. Lines were formed to the No. 2 boat. The steamship Seydlitz

> "Several steamships had arrived by A which made four attempts to come alongside, but were swept away each

"At 9.30 p. m. the saloon and chart house were blazing. The deck, bridge and all before the unnel were burning fiercely. Our pumps and dynamo stopped for want of steam. The Marconi operators were working with the accumulators until 11 p. m., when the magazine on the bridge blew up, carrying the aerial away.

"Several boats by this time were lying off the ship. They induced passengers to jump and they were rescued by boats. The fire meanwhile worked through the women's steerage to the after end of the ship, but we kept the knowledge of this from the passengers, who were quiet throughout the rest of the night.

"The chief engineer, the Marconi men and seamen and myself passed the night making small rafts in case the fire burned through the deck before

daylight. "At 5.15 a. m. the first boat arrived. Weather and sea having moderated, boats were enabled to come alongside the ship, which enabled passengers to embark quickly. All the steamships around the ship sent boats. Now we were enabled to load three boats with passengers at once. The passengers left in an orderly way and there was no panic, women breaking down and crying when help was alongside, and all, about 400 passengers, were off the ship by 8 a. m. I searched the ship myself and found no one else on board, so decided to abandon her, as the No. 3 hatch was well alight by now, so with remainder of the crew I embarked on board the Kroonland.

"The ship was abandoned in latitude 49.30 north, longitude 34.57 west."

Woman Killed Four Step-Children. Mrs. Ellen Etheridge, the second wife of J. D. Etheridge, a farmer, of near Waco. Texas, has confessed that she murdered two of her step-children last June, and two on Oct. 2, by administering poison, according to a statement given out by the prosecuting at-torney. She said she was jealous of her husband's eight children.

The Champion Hen. Upon hen "C-543" the Oregon Agricultural college in Corvallis, Orefon, has conferred the title of "the greatest hen in the world." She has just laid her 283d egg with-

in a year, making what is said to be a world's record. "C-543" was hatched April 29, 1912 and began laying at the age of five

and a half months. The former record was made at the Oregon college farm in 1911, when a hen laid 282 eggs in a year.

Girl Kills Her Father.

Shot through the heart and lungs Sea Disaster during a family quarrel at his home, 23 North Mississippi avenue, Atlantic City, N. J., Nicholas Mancheri, a Pennsylvania railroad employe, died in a few minutes.

Margaret, the man's twenty-threeyear-old daughter; two younger brothers and three sisters were seen flying from the house after the shooting. Margaret admitted to the detectives that she had done the killing.

At the city hall the children stated that their father had an ungovernable temper and had frequently abused them. When he returned from work, they said, he seized his sixteen-yearold son, Anthony, by the throat. Margaret interfered to protect the boy, and the father, turning on her, declared he would kill her. He drew a knife, they said, and darted toward the girl, who ran to a closet and procured a revolver and shot him.

Dentist Falls Dead Treating Patient. While treating a patient in his office in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dr. Albert C. Hayes, a dentist, fell over dead. He had shown no sign of illness, and when The flames were gaining rapidly, a patient came to his office he began reaching the height of the foremast work, talking as he worked. His conversation suddenly ceased and he fell to the floor. The frightened patient found the doctor was dead and then called for help.

> New Postmaster For Reading. President Wilson sent to the senate the nomination of Charles N. Seitzinger to be postmaster at Reading, Pa. Mr. Seitzinger is a prominent labor leader and by trade a cigarmaker. He was one of sixteen Democratic candidates for the position to succeed A. M. High, who died two months ago

> Scalded to Death In Bath. Henry W. Judd, a wealthy retired business man and a director in several local corporations in Cleveland. Ohio, was scalded to death in his bath tub. It is supposed he fell into the tub and was unable, because of his enfeebled condition, to climb out.

Jilted: Nailed Cross to Girl's Home, Following Miss Anna Solla's refusal to wed him him, Vincenzo Nenchia nailed a cross, draped with crepe, on the door of the Solla home in Garfield, N. J. The girl declared it was a sign away, as I had received word from the of a vendetta threatening death. Nenchia was arrested.

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HARRY KELLER,

HARRY KELLER, Audito

A UDITOR'S NOTICE.—In re Assigned Estate of Frank P. Bartley. In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, No. 45, The undersigned, an Auditor, having been duly appointed to make distril ution of the funds in the hands of Homer P. Barnes, assignee of Frank P. Bartley, an insolvent, to and among the creditors of said estate, will meet all parties interested at his offices in the Masonic Temple, Bellefonte, Pa., on Thursday, the 6th day of November, A. D., 1913, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where you may be heard if you so desire, otherwise be forever debarred from making any claim against the said estate, more especially the fund hereinbefore mentioned.

W. HARRISON WALKER, Audit

CHARTER NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, October 29th, 1913, by Lyman W. Medes, John B. Meek and Peltiah P. Gotham, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be cailed State College Billiard & Bowling Company, the character and object of which is the letting, hiring, renting and use of billiard and pool tables, bowling alleys for playing innocent games, and the sale of pipes, tobaccoes, cigars and confectioneries, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

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