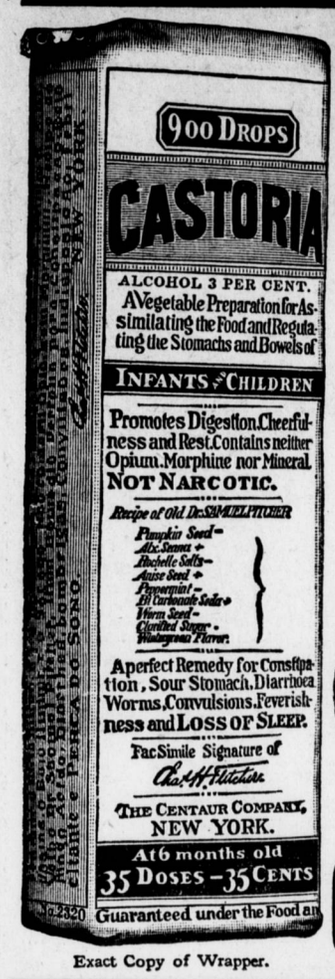


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## WOMEN IN TEARS AS THEY SEE "OLD GLORY"

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places on the left of the center. Finally Rear Admiral Badger, in supreme command, with the officers of his staff in full dress white uniforms, took their places at the right of the center.

As the signal was given by Ensign McDonnell, standing almost on the spot where, as chief signal officer on the day of landing, he had four of his men shot down by his side, he and the other members of the gallant quartet hauled away on the halyards, the bluejackets snapped their rifles to present arms, the admirals stood at salute and the band broke into the stirring strains of the American national anthem.

**Minnesota Salutes**

Just as the big banner broke out and was caught and extended by the full sweep of the afternoon breeze the first flash and roar came from the saluting bridge of the Minnesota. The thunderous report sent a thrill through the men standing at attention and facing the flag, for only five days before similar reports meant death-dealing shells were being hurled into the naval academy while the whole city was rattling under the rifle fire of the Americans and Mexicans.

During the full period of the twenty-one-gun salute the battalions stood at present arms and the admirals with their right hand at their caps. About the plaza American civilians and British and French spectators stood bare-headed. Only a few Mexican residents of Vera Cruz were in the throng and these stood apathetic and silent during the ceremony. From among the half-Indian workmen about the railroad yard who witnessed the scene came a few vivas and some cheers. Emotion on the part of the American refugees was everywhere noted and not a few of the American women who recently had been in fear of their lives in inland cities wept with relief when they saw the emblem which guaranteed their safety floating above them.

**Federals Taken Prisoner**

Six federal soldiers who wandered too close to the American lines were captured yesterday by marines. There is no desire among the Americans to attack or in any way assume the offensive against the Mexicans, so when the marines found themselves in possession of a squad of Huerta's soldiers they did their best to entertain them. They gossiped with the Mexicans regarding the news beyond the lines and after a field luncheon shook hands with them and sent them away.

**Seize British-Owned Piers**

Rear Admiral Fletcher last evening seized the piers, yard and buildings of the Terminal Company, a British-owned concern, control over which he regarded as necessary in order to facilitate the resumption of normal business activity of the city. The admiral had been endeavoring to rent the property, but could not come to an agreement with the managers. W. Morcom, manager of the Mexican Railway and president of the Terminal Company, called on Rear Admiral Cradock, of the British cruiser Essex, and related the circumstances to him. The admiral advised Mr. Morcom to present his claims to the British foreign office.

For the operation of the property the military authorities are using railroad men who have just arrived in Vera Cruz and who offer their services in any capacity.

Sleeping on the stone flagging of the jail patio, with insufficient food, no sanitation and threatened every night with assassination by drunken jailers, is the experience of the Americans and other foreigners, including women and children, confined at Cordoba. Their release to-day has been promised by General Maas in reply to a request from American Consul Canada through a messenger who returned to Vera Cruz to-day.

**Mechling Detained**

W. H. Mechling, of the Geological Survey of Canada, who has been for some time in Mexico in behalf of the Universities of Harvard, Pennsylvania and Columbia, spent two days at Cordoba. He was detained, but not put in jail, and finally was permitted to proceed here as an Englishman, though he is in reality an American. The prisoners are herded like cattle and are jeered almost constantly either by the keepers or the Mexican inmates of the jail. They are permitted to have food and drink only when the whim suits the jailers and kept in a state of terror by frequent threats of death. Among the prisoners is a young American woman with a 4-month-old infant. There are several other women and children and the total number of all nationalities, according to Mechling, is eighty-five.

That President Huerta has decided not to attempt to try conclusions with the American forces near Vera Cruz is indicated by a report brought to the city by passengers arriving from the outlying districts. The passengers said they saw Colonel Maas, former commandant at Vera Cruz, and his men making their way farther into the interior from Soledad. With him were the few cadets who escaped from the naval academy after the battle fought there in the second day's engagement.

The American forces are tolerant of almost all Mexicans who enter their lines and it is not improbable that any Mexican officer might with safety openly enter and depart from the city.

Rodrigo De Llano, newspaper reporter of Mexico City, came into Vera Cruz yesterday. He visited the American headquarters and surveyed the entire field of operations without molestation. He plans to return to the capital with his story on the first train he can get to take him out.

## MEDIATORS READY TO PAVE WAY TO PEACE

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must have a good effect in the situation.

**Report on Flag Raising**

Stirring scenes to the south of the United States almost had reached a standstill. The only feature early to-day to disturb the peaceful routine if Vera Cruz over which the Stars and Stripes now wave, was the probable landing to-day of military forces from the transports and the assumption of supreme command by Brigadier General Funston. The seaport rapidly was going back to its business. The terminal company which controls tracks, wharves and warehouses and other freight handling facilities resumed operations. That was reported by Rear Admiral Fletcher to the Navy Department early to-day. His report of the hoisting of the colors stated.

'The United States flag was hoisted over hotel terminal, headquarters of the naval forces on shore, in presence of the commander in chief, the commander of the naval forces on shore, their staffs, a regiment of seamnen, a regiment of marines and numerous other naval officers and civilians.

'The band played the Star Spangled Banner, and the Minnesota fired a salute of 21 guns. The scene was most impressive and cheered by the civilians present."

Secretary Daniels was much pleased to-day at the receipt of a despatch form Admiral Fletcher stating he had published this proclamation.

"It is gratifying to note that all business is resumed in Vera Cruz and good order prevails. Citizens may pass freely in the streets both night and day and resume their usual customs."

One of the sidelights incidental to the re-establishment of order in Vera Cruz was contained in Admiral Fletcher's report of arms seized form the inhabitants there. The list shows:

Rifles 6,000; shot guns 4,000; revolvers 1,3500; swords and other weapons 1,000; besides 133,000 rounds of ammunition, 6,000 pounds of powder and 86 cases of fuses.

Rear Admiral Fletcher reported to Secretary Daniels to-day that "there appears to be no immediate need for provisions for the inhabitants of Vera Cruz."

"The amount of provisions in sight available for purchase is variously estimated at form one to two weeks, exclusive of a considerable quantity of supplies in the railroad terminal yard not yet unloaded," the report stated.

**Some Foods Scarce**

'It is probable that a cargo of foodstuffs comprised of whole corn, beans, rice and limited quantity of sugar will find a market here in the near future. The local supply of fresh garden produce is still limited but will doubtless improve as the back country is opened up. Fish is cheaper and more plentiful because none can be shipped to the interior. Milk is scarce. Beef cattle, in considerable numbers, are reported to be fairly near Vera Cruz, but the owners fear to drive them in without any armed guard to protect them. There is no ice. The ice plant was damaged by gunfire and the reserve supply has been entirely conumed. Our force will repair ice plant.

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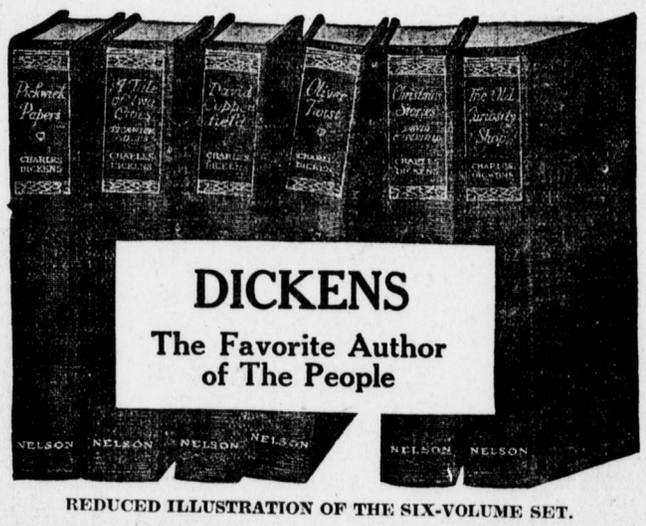

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## AMUSEMENTS

**YIDDISH OPERA**

Edwin A. Relkin will present Mlle. Regina Prager and K. Juvelier, surrounded by a competent company, in "The Jewish Mother" at the Majestic Theater to-night. This is an opera to be sung in Yiddish and promises to be one of the best things done here this season by any of the companies sent here under the direction of Edwin A. Relkin.—Advertisement.

**"LITTLE LOST SISTER"**

Virginia Brooks' great white slave play, "Little Lost Sister," comes to the Majestic for three days, beginning Thursday. There will be a daily matinee. "Little Lost Sister" has met with unusual success. Perhaps the one big reason for this is the fact that the story is true and the presentation is accurate. Both the writer of the book and the dramatist have studied hard, diligently and faithfully the conditions which cause young girls to go astray. And they have written a wonderful play. Every member of the company playing "Little Lost Sister" made a study of the levee district of Chicago before Ed Rose would consent to rehearse the play.—Advertisement.

**ORPHEUM SAYS GOOD-BY**

The very least that can be said for the Keith bill at the Orpheum this week is that it is a fitting farewell offering of a fine season. After that some other complimentary remarks might be in order, and deservedly so. For the current bill is a rattling one, clever and diverting throughout, and meritorious, too. Chief of the features is probably Dunbar's Nine White Hussars, which is easily the handsomest act of its kind ever seen here. The members wear stunning white hussar uniforms and make a striking picture grouped in band formation and playing with stirring effect. Several patriotic numbers are contained in their program and their rendition of the "American Patrol" is especially well done. Their phrasing and shading stamped them above the usual run of musicians and they played together with intelligence and reading that never once lapsed from uinson or harmony. Forming a double quartet, they also sang charmingly and with a richness of volume and expression an old military ballad that was irresistible in its pathos and stirring in its appeal. "Butch" McDevitt, the "millionaire for a day," gave a brilliant and witty talk on some of his strange experiences after he showed a very interesting moving picture of his trip to Washington when he took his statue to the national capitol. Mr. McDevitt will interest and entertain the most fastidious. Comedy, song, manual dexterity and beauty all have their fling at the remainder of an offering that deserves capacity audience twice each day for the Orpheum's last week of the current season.

**AT THE COLONIAL**

"Mother Goose," a pleasing musical comedy with musical interpolations, is again causing a small jubilee at the Busy Corner. It is now just one year since this infectious comedy with its pretty scenery and clever and youthful players scored a hit at the Colonial and this week they will probably duplicate their former hit. Anyway, unusual sized audiences delighted in their efforts yesterday. A fine vaudeville bill is grouped about them.

**PALACE THEATER**

Murdock MacQuarrie, Pauline Bush and Lou Chaney will be shown tomorrow at the Palace Theater in a Gold Seal two-reel drama, "The Embezler." According to the play, a sinister family skeleton overshadows and threatens to wreck the lives of two innocent persons—until the workers of evil defeat themselves by the same methods with which they at first gained ascendency over others. John Spencer had been a criminal at one time in his life—he feared the iron hand of the law. But as much as he feared the law falling upon his shoulders and forcing him to answer for his misdeeds of long ago, he loved his daughter. For her he sought to do right. Pauline was ignorant of her father's past and she idolized him as a good father and a man of principles. Was it a tragedy that she learned her mistake? Could she continue to love her father after knowing the truth about him? These are all questions that make "The Embezzler" a play wtih depth to it, yet one which has a broad appeal for everyone who knows the deepest emotion of the human heart-love. "At the Hour of Dawn," a big three-reel Gaumont production with an all-star cast, will also be shown. This is heralded as the greatest spectacular masterpiece ever produced in motion pictures. "A Joker comedy, "The Luck of Hog Wallow Gulch," which is a biting comedy, rife with laughing situations and brilliant business from beginning to end. The tenderfoot little understands the West and when he falls into the hands of a desperate gang he is at a loss to know how to act. But he acts at last.—Advertisement.


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**ANOTHER MASTER PLAY**

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