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RESCUE PARTIES AT WORK

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Eccles, W. Va., April 29.—Hope that some of the 178 miners, imprisoned in Mine No. 5 of the New River Collieries Company, wreck with Mine No. 5 by an explosion yesterday, might still be alive stirred the throng on the mountainside shortly before noon.

Eight bodies have been recovered from shaft No. 6 and sixty-seven men were taken out alive.

A rescue party was dropped down shaft No. 5 soon after 8 o'clock and got within 129 feet of the bottom.

The progress of the cage was stopped by broken and twisted timbers and a heavy fall of earth.

When it was found No. 5 was burning the entrance was closed and the entrances to No. 5 workings were bratticed.

Most of the miners are American but a number of foreign born workers, of the bodies recovered eight were white Americans, one negro and two foreign born.

The explosion was terrific. A rumbling noise was heard through the town and as residents rushed to the entrances of the mines, pieces of cars and other debris shot from the mouth of No. 5 shaft.

Many of those rescued said they were overcome by the gas fumes before they knew what had happened.

Two coffins of Cincinnati are being brought here during the day.

Chief Henry made the No. 6 workings after midnight this morning and found much debris.

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MRS. SINCLAIR IS RELEASED

Author Says He Did Nothing But Walk Along Street With Crepe Tied on Arm

New York, April 29.—Upton Sinclair, his wife and three women were arrested to-day after a demonstration at the offices of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in the Standard Oil building.

The woman carried an American flag into the offices and described herself as Mrs. Belle N. Silverman.

A woman, who said she was a Socialist, invaded the outer offices of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in the Standard Oil building to-day and sought to interview him with reference to the coal miners' strike in Colorado.

Mrs. Silverman thought to place this message before young Rockefeller: "I am an American citizen, standing at your door, waiting for just a word with you. Will you grant me this request? My question will be brief and to the point."

The prisoners were taken to the Old Slip police station, where Mrs. Sinclair

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Acapulco, Mexico, April 29.—Refugees are fleeing from the west coast of Mexico through all ports of exit, and by every available vessel.

Veracruz, April 29.—No American troops were landed from the transports here during the night. The transport Morro Castle, with 900 marines aboard, arrived here early this morning.

Portland, Ore., April 29.—At least four persons lost their lives in a fire which started early to-day in a thickly settled residence block on the east side of the river here.

Washington, April 29.—An attack by Government forces upon the town of Puerto Plata in the Dominican republic was reported to-day by the State Department.

New York, April 29.—The market closed heavy to-day. Early strength was not maintained, prices yielding on raising of special issues.

New York Closing—Chesapeake and Ohio, 51%; Lehigh Valley, 126; Northern Pacific, 109; Southern Pacific, 89 1/2; Union Pacific, 152 1/2; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 97 1/2; P. R. R., 110; Reading, 161 1/2; New York Central, 88 1/2; Canadian Pacific, 189 1/2; Anaconda, 71 1/2; U. S. Steel, 57 1/2.

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These are the representatives in the United States of the "A. B. C." powers of South America—Argentina, Brazil and Chile. They will act as the mediators between the United States and Mexico in an attempt to settle the war.

One great difficulty to be faced by the three is the fact that their governments have not recognized Huerta as president of Mexico, and thus their dealings with him must be through other governments which have recognized him.

However, the fact that they are the most powerful South American nations is expected to make Huerta pay more attention to them than he would to Europeans.

Washington, D. C., April 29.—An armistice in the difficulties between the United States and Mexico has been asked of this government and General Huerta by the South American envoys who have undertaken to avert war through mediation.

Ambassador Da Gama, of Brazil, to-day notified Secretary Bryan that this had been determined upon as the next step in the negotiations and that General Huerta also had been notified.

The proposal for an armistice was communicated to President Wilson from the State Department by telephone. Though no announcement has been made it was authoritatively learned that this government would accept the conditions provided assurances are given that, in addition to a halt in military operations there would be no civil uprisings against American citizens or other "intoward" incidents which might prevent peace.

After an hour's conference to-day the mediation envoys, Mr. Da Gama, Mr. Noan, of Argentine, and Mr. Suarez, of Chile, determined that further negotiations necessarily must proceed without the vacillate interference of Ambassador Da Gama, who went to the State Department to acquaint Secretary Bryan of the course thus far taken in the peace plans.

The Brazilian minister in Mexico City was notified and he communicated the information to General Huerta.

U. S. Will Likely Accept The communication addressed to both governments by the mediation envoys forms proposals each government to declare an armistice. It was pointed out by officials here that, in all probability, the United States would accept the proposal, notwithstanding the fact that this government has not recognized that a state of war in Mexico exists insofar as the operations of the United States are concerned.

Despite this fact, however, it is believed that the Washington government would not put any barriers in the path of the progress of mediation, particularly at such an early stage of negotiations. Officials here also believe that General Huerta would accept the first proposal.

The proposal for an armistice, it also was learned, does not include any reference to the Constitutionalist in Mexico, the United States and Huerta merely being called upon to cease all military operations pending further mediation proposals. Consideration of the Constitutionalist situation, it was stated, probably would be involved in the next step to be taken after an armistice has been agreed to by the principals to the present difficulties.

Under the armistice, in accordance with international proceedings, neither the Huerta government nor the United States would put in any demands for war. Plans for possible conflict would proceed, but the armistice would prohibit actual hostilities in the field and any extension of military movement by either side. In Mexico people would be permitted to go where they pleased unmolested. It would simply establish a truce.

Attention was called here to the statement issued by President Wilson in accepting the good offices of the South American governments in which

Huerta Has No Idea of Retiring; Zapata Will Join Federals

Parris, April 29.—A dispatch to the Matin from Mexico City dated Tuesday says: "President Huerta says he has no idea of retiring from the presidency and also that he never thought of treating with Rear Admiral Fleischer."

"Zapata with 18,000 adherents offers to join in a fight against the Americans. The city is calm. All manifestations have been prohibited. Nothing seems to indicate a state of war but enlistments continue."

"The public services are beginning to run after a few days' interruption."

(Other War News on Page 6)

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Not Denied That Pittsburgher Will Harmoniously Assume Control; the Wages May Fall

Three points of interest hold the steel world's attention this week—the reported change in management of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, which, while not altogether denied, is officially called premature; the price recession on billets, and the prophesying of wage reductions.

Regarding the report about Donner taking over the Pennsylvania Steel Company, the Philadelphia News Bureau, a financial publication, to-day says:

The reports from Pittsburgh as to changes in the personnel of the Pennsylvania Steel Company officers are premature. As was announced last week, some changes in the administration of the affairs of the company are in contemplation and will probably be announced at the annual meeting next month.

Tentative plans have been modified by the death of Mr. Baer, who was a director of the company and who took great interest in the management of the property.

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GEORGE F. BAER, LATE RAILROAD HEAD, LAID AT REST IN READING

Many Prominent Railroad and Financial Men Attend Funeral Service

Philadelphia, April 29.—The body of the late George F. Baer, president of the Reading-Jersey Central system, who died last Sunday night, was laid at rest to-day in the family vault at Reading, Pa., after simple funeral services had been held in his Philadelphia residence and at his home in Reading.

Many prominent railroad and financial men of New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey along with hundreds of employees of the Reading system paid their last respects to the dead president. Among them were Governor Tener of Pennsylvania; Mayor Blankenburg of Philadelphia; President Rea, of the Pennsylvania Railroad; E. T. Stokesburg, the Philadelphia financier; J. P. Morgan.

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THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Unsettled weather, probably light showers this afternoon or tonight; Thursday fair; colder tonight and Thursday.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Showers tonight, colder in north and west portions; Thursday cloudy and colder; moderate southwest to northwest winds.

River The Susquehanna river and its principal tributaries will fall tonight and probably Thursday. Some of the smaller tributaries may rise as a result of the showers indicated within the next twenty-four hours. A stage of about 7.4 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Thursday morning.

General Conditions The disturbance from the Southwest is now central over Western New York State. Light local showers have fallen in the Middle Atlantic and New England States.

It is 2 to 12 degrees colder in the middle and upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, over the northern portion of the Lake region and in Northern New England.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 60; 2 p. m., 71. Sun: Haze, 5:00 a. m.; sets, 6:56 p. m. Moon: New moon, first quarter, May 3, 1:20 a. m. River Stage: 8.1 feet above low water mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 68. Lowest temperature, 49. Mean temperature, 58. Normal temperature, 56.

MARRIAGE LICENSES George W. Shaffer and Mary C. Varner, Mt. Union. C. L. Shepley and Jean Fishel Robinson, city. C. Floyd Hopkins and Harriet F. McCreary, city. C. Walter Yeast, Taomsy, Philadelphia, and Mary Rebecca Shutter, Steelton.

BECKER TRIAL NEXT WEEK

New York, April 29.—The second trial of Charles Becker, former police lieutenant, for the murder of Herman Rosenthal will begin next week.