



REFUGEES FROM THE HORRORS OF MEXICO PASS THROUGH CITY

Tell of Insulting of American Women and Spitting in Face of "Cowardly Yankees"

WOMEN WERE TRUE BLUE

Declares United States Must Intervene if Its Citizens Are to Live in Strife-torn Land

Enroute to his home in Philadelphia following a hair-raising escape with his family from troubled Mexico, Michael J. Slattery, a third-part owner in a \$5,000,000 gold mine near Guadalajara, passed through Harrisburg.

Slattery, his wife, their two small daughters and some eighteen other Americans went through some hair-graying experiences in trying to escape from the country of the Huertistas. The Americans finally made their escape from Manzanillo on the Mexican coast to San Diego and thence to San Francisco on a freighter. The freighter was thirty-six days out of Hong Kong with several hundred Chinese coolies aboard.

"We have spat in your faces and we have insulted your women," said the officer. "What in hell have we got to do to make you cowardly Yankees fight?"

"If the United States does not intervene and show Huerta and Villa and Carranza and all the rest of them that it isn't safe to attack America," said Slattery, "no American ever got into Mexico with safety again."

Late News Bulletins

READING WINS HALF MILE. Finals in the half mile run resulted as follows: Hendricks, Reading, first; Britsch, Tech, second; Sellers, Steelton, third; Johnston, Central, fourth; Redcay, Reading, fifth. Time, 2:09.2-5.

TECH BIG FAVORITE IN ANNUAL STRUGGLE FOR TRACK HONORS

Thousands Crowd Island Park to See Eighth Annual High School Meet

THE GIRLS? ARE THEY OUT?

Records May Be Shattered Before Start of Relay Late This Afternoon

Technical High Harrisburg, Reading, Central High, Harrisburg, Steelton.

In the order named these schools are looked upon as the most likely winners at the eighth annual Pennsylvania high school track meet which started promptly at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Municipal Field on the island.

"All out for the trial heats in the one-hundred yard dash!" shouted Arthur H. Hull, clerk of the course, at 2 sharp and the stand filled with colorful, joyful, hopeful boys and girls from the high schools of Central Pennsylvania grew suddenly silent.

Expert Shattered Records. Fair skies and a track in ideal condition made the day a perfect one for the making of good time and indications were at a late hour this afternoon that many a record will be broken in the finals.

DONNER NOW HEADS PENNA. STEEL. BIG THINGS LOOKED FOR

Has Fine Record For Developing and Rehabilitating Huge Industries

WAS MADE BOARD CHAIRMAN

At a meeting of the directors of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, in Philadelphia yesterday, William H. Donner was elected to fill the newly-created



WILLIAM H. DONNER

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TENER PLACES THE BLAME FOR HIGHWAY HOLD-UP ON POWELL

Governor Refuses Request of the Auditor General For Deputy to Defend Him

SUSTAINS GENERAL BELL

Sharp Criticism of the Course of Auditor General Runs Through Letter

Governor John K. Tener to-day sent a letter to Auditor General A. W. Powell, in which he not only upheld Attorney General John C. Bell in his refusal to assign one of his deputies to represent the Auditor General in mandamus proceedings brought as a result of the controversy over the payment of revenue from automobile licenses to the State Highway Department as required by law, but informed Mr. Powell that he approved of all the Attorney General had done in bringing actions against the Auditor General.

The letter was sent in response to an appeal made to the Governor by Mr. Powell when the Attorney General had refused his request to assign Deputy Attorney General J. E. B. Cunningham to defend him in the mandamus proceedings brought by Mr. Bell to compel payment of the automobile license money to the Highway Department as provided by the motor vehicle license act of 1913 or to give him an allowance for counsel fees.

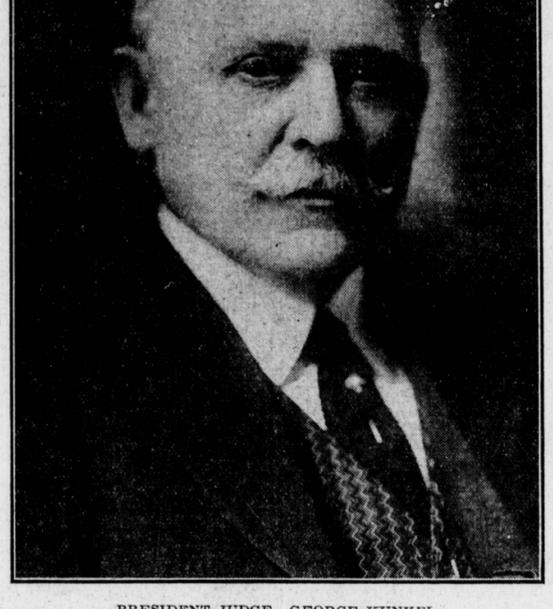
The Governor's Letter. In his letter the Governor says: "May 14, 1914.

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CENTRAL PENNA. IS URGED TO TURN OUT BIG KUNKEL VOTE

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Judge Kunkel's campaign in his home district has swept everything before it. No other candidate has been able to gain a foothold in Central Pennsylvania. So unanimous is sentiment in his favor at home that many of his friends do not realize that a serious contest is being waged for his nomination and that other candidates are striving by every means in their power to gain support and influence.

"Get an Elevator!" Pleads the Trousered Dr. Walker

Goodness Only Knows How Anyone Can Climb Penny Steps Dressed in "Those Horrid Skirts"

Dr. Mary Walker—the first woman, remember, who ever wore trousers in this country—was in Harrisburg an hour early this morning. And in that one hour Dr. Walker took occasion to say what she thinks about the Pennsylvania Railroad for not having an elevator for passengers in the Harrisburg station.

U. S. AWAITS REPORT ON DISAPPEARANCE OF PRIVATE PARKS

Huerta Government Has Promised Full Investigation, Says Spanish Ambassador

MEXICANS REACH WASHINGTON

Principals in Niagara Falls Conference to Be Spanish Ambassador's Guests

Washington, D. C., May 16.—State Department officials awaited to-day a reply from the Huerta government to the urgent inquiry made by the Brazilian minister in Mexico City at the request of Secretary Bryan for information concerning the whereabouts of Private Samuel Parks, Spanish Ambassador Kiano to-day received a dispatch from the Huerta government promising immediate investigation.

Neither, however, has been able to report to Washington the Mexican commander's account of just what happened. War Department officials say they assume Parks met his death in the manner unofficially reported. Secretary Bryan declined to make public the text of the representations made by him to General Huerta through the Brazilian minister other than to say that they were "urgent."

Kept Light Burning. Last night's reports corroborated to-day from Vera Cruz by American Consul Canada, that Tuxpan, on the east coast of Mexico, is in the hands of Constitutionalists, raises a question as to the possible occupation by the Constitutionalists of Lobos Island, which lies only a few miles off Tuxpan. The Huerta lighthouse keepers turned over the lighthouse to the American

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Promoter Wanted by Police Tried to Make Victim of Dr. J. W. Hill

Chicago, Ill., May 16.—The name of the Rev. J. Wesley Hill, of New York, formerly of Grace church, Harrisburg, figures in correspondence of J. H. Barrett, accused of engaging in fraudulent mortgage proceedings. Barrett, for whose arrest a reward has been offered, it appears from his correspondence had addressed letters to Hill and had interested him in his schemes. The officers say that Hill backed out before Barrett procured any money from him but he will be called upon as a witness against the promoter.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair to-night and Sunday; moderate temperature. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair weather and moderate temperature to-night and Sunday; light to moderate northwest winds.

General Conditions. A disturbance over the Susquehanna, reaching far to the northward, has caused showers generally over the Rocky Mountains, over the Pacific Slope and in the Southwest Plains States in the last twenty-four hours.

Put Your Signs Where People See Them. Merchants and manufacturers can reach the public with equal advantage. When you advertise you want to reach the public.

BRYAN APPROVED CANAL TOLLS PLANK, SAYS SENATOR WALSH

Was Largely Responsible For Its Insertion in Democratic Platform

Washington, May 16.—The statement that William Jennings Bryan deliberately approved the tolls exemption plank of the Democratic platform as a member of the subcommittee on resolutions which prepared the platform, was made in the Senate to-day by Senator Walsh, of Montana.

PITY "DEAF" MEN WHO BLOW SAFE OF HERMAN CIGAR CO.

Strangers Ask Numerous Questions in Sign Language About Establishment

When two strangers who appeared and behaved like deaf mutes called at the offices of the John C. Herman cigar company at New Cumberland yesterday afternoon and evinced a keen interest in the interior arrangement of the plant the employees felt only pity for them.

Aged Mother Sends Pascal Hall Dollar to Buy His Tobacco

Pascal Hall got a dollar yesterday from his bent and gray-headed mother in the South Carolina foothills.

Bank Stock Brings Top-notch Prices at Public Sale Today

Thirty-five shares of bank and public utility stock were sold this morning in front of the Court house. The stock was an accumulation of securities offered by several estates. The prices received were much higher than ordinary.

Shammo Says He Is Not For McCormick

The following statement was given to-day by Calder E. Shammo, candidate for Democratic nomination for the Legislature in the city district:

How to Vote for Judge Geo. Kunkel

- Ask for a Nonpartisan ballot and mark it: GEORGE BONNER, GUSTAV A. ENDLICH, ROBERT S. FRAZER, J. J. KINTNER, GEORGE KUNKEL, HAROLD L. ROBINSON, EMORY A. WALLING, WM. WILHELM

GIVE STRIKERS A CHANCE FOR JOBS

Outside of preparations for the big meeting at the Colonial Theater tomorrow night strikers spent a quiet day. Railroad officials also reported nothing of any special interest to-day.

DR. NOBLE RESIGNS AS HEAD OF DICKINSON

Special to The Telegraph. Philadelphia, May 16:—Dr. Eugene Allen Noble yesterday resigned as president of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., and the resignation was accepted at a meeting of the Board of Trustees at the University Club, this city.

Penny Sends Letters to Men Telling Them to Report Monday Morning

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Lack of Financial Support of College Causes Dissatisfaction in Management

Special to The Telegraph. Philadelphia, May 16:—Fire was discovered in a Reading Railway mail car filled with matter at Royersford this morning. The flames spread rapidly and the car was run to Linfield, where the flames were extinguished, but not before half of the mail was destroyed and badly damaged.