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GEN. FUNSTON GIVEN FREE HAND IN PURSUIT OF VILLA BANDITS; CARRANZA ASKS TO CROSS LINE Opening Gun of Convention to Be Fired in Grace M. F. Fortress Indicate Close of

Will Move U. S. Troops Across Border to Kill or Capture Villa at Nightfall; Proposal of Carranza to Bring His Troops Into United States to Pursue Outlaws Regarded as Favorable

500 MORMONS ARE IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Raiders Are Moving Toward Settlement After Making Attack in Arizona; Carranza Regrets Massacre and Compares Situation With Indian Troubles of the Eighties

By Associated Press
Washington, March 11.—Instructions conveying authority to General Funston to dispatche a defensive expedition into Mexico in pursuit of Villa and his bandits are to-day in General Funston's hands.

Secretary Baker specifically referred to the expedition as "defensive" in line with the administration's policy of regarding its action as one to repel invasion.

exterminate the Villa bandits, General Carranza, in an official com-

eral Carranza, in an official communication delivered through Consul Silliman, has asked the United States for permission to send his troops into American territory if necessary in pursuit of outlaws.

Administration officials regard General Carranza's proposal as favorable. It seems to indicate that he will not protest against American troops on Mexican soil, as had been feared. Practically such a reciprocal arrangement probably never would result in a single Carranza soldier crossing the line, as the possibility of bandits taking refuge in American territory is

Would Satisfy Carranza

to-day how the proposal would be received, but it is known that the administration realizes the necessity of avoiding a break with Carranza as the Mexican situation is not to grow into the status of armed intervention. Secretary Baker to-day referred to the American expedition as a "defensive" one. This was regarded as a significant indication of the administration's policy to make it clear that it is proceeding with scrupulous regard for the sovereignty of Mexicand entirely in aid of the constituted authorities.

Will Start To-night

Up to noon to-day no American troops actually had crossed so far as was known here and it was believed anone would start moving before night. All arrangements are being left in the hands of Major General Funston. Villa was to-day reported moving southeast and with not more than 300 men Last night's report gave his force as 3,000 but that is believed to include sympathizers in his territory. By his movement southeast it was thought a threatened attack on the administration of the market. men Last night's report gave his force as 3,000 but that is believed to include symbathizers in his territory. By his movement southeast it was thought a threatened attack on the American Mormon colony at Casus Grandes had passed for the present.

Mormons Want Aid
Senator Smoot, of Utah, received telegrams to-day from Mormon leaders urging him to impress upon the War Department the danger to the colony at Casus Grandes. The colonists want to reach American soil. Senator Smoot took up the question with the war department and was as
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THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 22 degrees; Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: The Donaldson Paper Company on March 1 sent a special circular to its customers on the paper market to-day make it impossible to issue a price list of that would be of service, owing to the daily advances in all kinds of match and the paper market to-day make it impossible to issue a price list of the daily advances in all kinds of

River
River will rise slightly.
Its branches will fall slowly or remain nearly stationary, except the lower portion of the West Branch, which will rise somewhat to-night. A stage of about 4.9 ft. is indicated for Harrisburg Sunday morning.

General Conditions

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The storm that was central over the Upper St. Lawrence Valley on Friday morning, has moved off northeastward. It caused light snow and rain the last twenty-four hours from the Lake Region and Upper Ohio Valley eastward to the Atlantic coast.

It is 12 to 22 degrees warmer in the Upper Mississippi and Upper Missouri Valleys and in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and slightly warmer over the southeastern and southwestern districts.

Temperature: S a. m., 22. Sun: Rises, 6:22 a. m.; sets, 6:08 p. m. Moon: Full moon, March 19, 12:27 p. m. River Stage: 4.7 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterdny's Weather Highest temperature, 40. Lowest temperature, 30. Mean temperature, 35. Normal temperature, 33.

FUNSTON TO LEAD EXPEDITIONARY FORCE INTO MEXICO



MAJ GEN BREDERICK FUNSTON U.S. MOUNTED MACHINE GUN TROOP

Under command of Major-General Frederick Funston, the heroic captor of General Aguinaldo in the Philippine Insurrection, at least 8,000 American troops, composed of cavalry, infantry, artillery and machine gun detachments, will go into Mexico in an attempt to capture the outlaw Villa, who led his men in a raid on Columbus, N. M., killing sixteen Americans. It is expected that the men will be sent over the border in three or four columns in the hope of making a ring around the bandit leader.

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Villa had told one of the officers that by the bandits. the bandits. "I want to go to my baby," Mrs.

Days of the Exhibit

TO MOTHERS

and at ten months begin to stand. At one year it should start to walk. At two years a baby should be able to put two words together.

Can your baby do all of these things? Will you see to it that your baby is norma land healthy and receives the start that will make of him or her a splendid citizen? "Save the Boby; Save the Nation!" You will be given a chance to learn more than you already known about HOW you can improve conditions for your baby. "Baby Week" will start officially in Harrisburg next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Babies need fresh air night and day. Open windows at night means a well baby. Closed win-dows at night means a sick baby. Which shall it be?

Dr. L. Emmet Holt says that in

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MAYFLOWER AT OLD POINT

\$100,000 TOBACCO FIRE

Louisville, Ky., March 11. Fire that swept the tobacco rehandling plant of Tunkerson and Company, here, early to-day, caused a loss estimated at \$100,-

FORMER A. O. H. HEAD DIES

Authorities say that a baby conths old should sit alon apported. At from eight conths it should start to

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PRICES OF PAPER PUBLIC INTEREST GOING UP; MAY BE IN "BABY WEEK" IS INCREASING

Mills 4 Months Behind Orders Prominent Physicians Will Ex-With Situation Growing amine Babies on the Different

cial and economic problems of our day. "A nation may waste its forestry its water power, its mines, and to some degree, even its lands; but if it is to hold its own in the struggle for supremacy, its children must be conserved at any cost. On the physical, intellecutal and moral strength of the paper.
"The mills are four months behind on orders and the indications are that this condition will become more

"It is not unlikely that in a short ime price will cease to be a factor and the question will be one of obtain-ng raw materials in sufficient quanti-ies to meet the normal demand. ties to meet the normal demand.
"The manufacturers have reserved
the right to bill paper at the market
price at the time of shipment.
"We will protect our regular customers in every way possible, as it is
our earnest desire to co-operate with
them

them.
"You may rest assured that any orders you send us will have our most careful consideration in the way of service and price."

DIES ON WEDDING DAY

Reading, Pa., March 11.—Two hours before the time for his daughter's wedding William E. Ebert died at his home in Topton. The wedding day was hastened because of his serious illness, but before his daughter could become the bride of Jonas K. Schott, Mr. Ebert succumbed to pneumonia. The wedding took place soon after. Syracuse, N. Y., March 11.—James E. Dolan, for for years national presi-dent of the Ancient Order of Hiber-nians, died here to-day. The wedding took place soon after.

QUINCY BENT, NEW STEELTON PLANT HEAD, IN CHARGE



QUINCY BENT General Manager Steelton Plant

Pennsylvania Steel Co

Protests Against Seizure of U. S. Ship by British

By Associated Press
Norfolk, Va., March 11.—The yacht
Mayflower with the President and
Mrs. Wilson aboard arrived off Old
Point at 1:30 this afternoon. The
vessel left Washington last night and
cruised down the Potomac river and
Chesapeake bay on a week-end rest
trip for the President. The Mayflower
continued on past Old Point towards
Newport News. Washington, D. C., March 11.—A protest against the seizure of the American steamer Edna by a British cruiser was placed before the State Department to-day by Representative Kuhn, of San Francisco, on behalf of the vessel's owners.

MORGAN HOMEWARD BOUND London, March 11. — J. P. Morgan sailed to-day from Liverpool for New York on the Philadelphia.

NO NEW LOAN New York, March 11. — J. P. Morgan and Company announced to-day they had received no suggestion that the British Government desires to issue another loan in America either secured or unsecured.

GREAT LAYMEN'S

Be Fired in Grace M. E.

BIG MEN WILL SPEAK LOSSES ARE RESPONSIBLE

Leaders in Home and Foreign Paris Asserts Large Number of Fields Will Address Gatherings

Copenhagen, March 11.—A local newspaper says the Norwegian stemmer Bergen met on Thursday in the southern part of the North Sea a German flotilla of fifty dreadnaughts, cruisers and large destroyers of the latest type.

The largest ship in the fleet was the new dreadnaught Hindenburg. One squadron was steaming in an easterly direction followed by two airships.

200 Young Italians Are Ready to Enlist Should **Uncle Sam Need Soldiers**

Railroads to Be Given 30 Days to Answer 8-Hour Day Demands

Chicago. March 11.—Railroads of the country will be given thirty days in which to reply to the demands of their 400,000 trainmen employes for an eight-hour day and time and a half for over time, W. S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers announced to-day. It is reported 98 per cent. of the men voted for the demands.

Bill" Flinn Likely to Take to the Warpath

Pennsylvania Steel Co.

Quincy Bent, who was appointed general manager of the big steel plant at Steelton Tuesday, has assumed his new duties and is now in charge at the steel of the steel of the plant at Steel of the steel st

at Steelton Tuesday, has assumed his new duties and is now in charge at Steelton and Lebanon. He has spent the past few days in going over the big plant organization and familiarizing himself with the details.

Mr. Bent is 36 years old and is the son of the late Major L. S. Bent, who in the early eighteen-nineties was president and later a receiver for the Pennsylvania Steel Company. Mr. Bent's connection with Pennsylvania attel dates from 1991 when he graduated from WiWilliams College. He came to Steelton for training in steel plant operations under H. H. Campbell. In 1902 he was transferred to Lebanon and later was placed in charge of the blast furnaces there. In 1909 he was made assistant to President F. W. Wood, of the Maryland Steel Company, Sparrows Point, Md., in which position he has been in charge of considerable construction which has been carried on there.

Protests Against Seizure of

Churchill Expects to Die inWar; Hence "Warning"

London, March 11.—From a friend of Winston Churchill, whose word can absolutely be relied upon, your correspondent heard the following extraordinary explanation of the reason which impelled the Colonel to deliver his famous speech of warning last Tuesday. If Churchill were a Scotchman he might be described as "fey." According to the story, Churchill is convinced he will not come through the war alive.

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"I know I shall be killed," he fold his friend, "and before I die I want to make my mind easy." This was preceding the debate, when Churchill stated the grounds of his uneasiness, prominent among them being an apparent belief that his own actions were responsible for the country being deprived of Lord Fisher's service at the Admiratly.

DRIVE ON VERDUN SEVEN AMERICANS MISSION MEET | ENDED BELIEF OF ON STEAMER SUNK OPEN TOMORROW FRENCH MILITARY WITHOUT WARNING

Fortress Indicate Close of Disastrous Effort

Dead and Injured Influenced Diminishing Intensity

Lisbon, March 11.—The Portuguese in cabinet has resigned to give place to a national defense government which is now being formed. Tranquility prevails throughout the country.

BY SUBMARINE All Are Rescued When Norwegian Bark Silius Is Torpedoed; Three of Crew

CONTRARY TO CENTRAL

ment as Serious

Are Drowned; Attack Is

Viewed by State Depart-

The opening meeting of the big Laymen's Missionary Convention Movement in this city will be held to more row afternoon at 3:30 o clock in Grace missionary speakers will fire the opening guns of the campaign.

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who will man the and the supplementations of the supplementation of ANOTHER HENNINGER SUICIDE

Chambersburg, Pa., March 11.—Bert Henninger, elder son of Clay Henninger, the head of baseball here, and xponent of the game in the Cumberland Valley for 2 years died in Mt. Hope Sanatorium, Baltimore, last ni, he after cutting his throat with a piece of glass he broke out of picture frame. He was 36 years, and until five days ago seemed in perfect health. Clay, a brother, but a few years younger, hanged himself a year ago next week. Both were athletes and baseball players.

SENATE COMMITTEE ENDORSES ACTION

Washington, March 11 .- The Senate Foreign Relations Committee to-day unanimously endorsed the action of the President in sending American troops into Mexico to capture Villa and his raiders.

GERMANS TAKE BIG STRETCH OF GROUND

positions 1400 yards wide and about two-thirds of a mile deep south of Ville-aux-Bois, near Rheims, was announced to-day by the war office.

VILLA IS NOW AT ASCENCION

Washington, March 11.-Latest reports of the whereabouts of General Villa say he reach Ascencion, south of Palomas, some time yesterday with 300 followers after his flight following the attack of Columbus. This information reach here to-day in a message to the Carranza embassy from Consul Andreas Garcia at El Paso.

VIOLENT FIGHTING AT VAUX

Paris, March 11 .- There is still violent fighting for the possession of the fort at Vaux, according to an announce ment of the French war office this afternoon.

LEG FRACTURED AT PIPE BENDING

Harrisburg.-While unloading coal at the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Works this afternoon, John Send lech 29 North Tenth street had his right leg fact a he as agen to the larrisburg Hospital for treatm

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Edwin Bronwayell, Marysville, and Mary Anne Rohr, Mechanicsburg, Daniel Edwin Henry, Jr., and Mary Edith Shearer, city, William Henry Earney, York, and Edna Grace Crone, Dover, Pa. Lloyd W. Fissel, Linglestown, and Sarah M. Matzinger, Suscurbanna aship.