

AUSTRIAN HEIR AND HIS WIFE SHOT TO DEATH AFTER ESCAPING BOMB

Archduke Franz Ferdinand and Morganatic Spouse Assassinated by Youth in Streets of Sarajevo After Infernal Machine Hurlled by Anarchistic Compositor Fails to Explode Until After They Pass.

COURTS OF EUROPE PLUNGED INTO MOURNING; AGED EMPEROR MAY NOT SURVIVE THE SHOCK

Sarajevo, Bosnia, June 28.—The Archduke Franz Ferdinand, heir to the throne of Austro-Hungary, and his morganatic wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, were assassinated while driving through the streets of this city this morning. They were shot to death after escaping a bomb that was thrown at their motorcar and warded off by the archduke's own arm.

LINER CALIFORNIA ON ROCKS OFF IRISH COAST

Ship with Over 400 Aboard Reported in Dangerous Position on Toy Island.

WARSHIPS ARE STANDING BY

Special Cable to The Washington Herald. Londonderry, Ireland, June 28.—The Anchor Line steamer California bound from New York to Glasgow was grounded tonight on the rocks of Toy Island, which rendered the island invisible.

COURTS OF EUROPE SHOCKED.

Assassination of Austrian Heir and Wife Shocks Rulers. London, June 28.—The terrible news from Vienna has thrown all courts of Europe into mourning.

COMPLETE HISTORY OF MAN.

Missing Half of Ancient Tablet Found in U. S. Philadelphia, June 28.—The missing half of the clay tablet, the other half of which has just been translated by Dr. Stephen Langdon, of Jesus College, Oxford, and bearing upon the early history of man, has been found in the University of Pennsylvania.

VILLA ORDERS TROOPS BACK FROM THE FRONT

Reported to Have Discontinued March on Mexico City to Force Show-down with Carranza. Special to The Washington Herald.

WOMAN KILLS A BIG BEAR.

Special to The Washington Herald. Libby, Mont., June 28.—Last Thursday Mrs. Tom Fleetwood proved that she had a steady nerve and a good eye when she shot and killed a black bear, weighing 300 pounds, near the Brooks camp.

ROYAL PALM SPECIAL IN DITCH

Special to The Washington Herald. Richmond, Ky., June 28.—Queen and Crescent southbound passenger train, No. 11, the "Royal Palm Special," running between Chicago and Jacksonville, was wrecked this afternoon about a mile from this place.

BRIDGEGROOM SETS 'EM UP.

Special to The Washington Herald. Winstead, Conn., June 28.—John Graves, merchant and bridegroom of a few days, his partner, John Bianchi; Peter Martin, a telephone lineman, and John Flynn, bookkeeper, are under arrest in Canaan as the result of minors having imbibed lager beer at a serenade given to Mr. Graves and his bride a few evenings ago.

GARRANZA'S AGENTS HERE DENY "BIG BUSINESS" IS SUPPORTING REVOLUTION

Statements of Financial Activity of American Oil Interests in Fomenting Mexican Trouble Emphatically Refuted in Bitter Replies from Sherburne G. Hopkins and Other Members of War Chief's Junta in the Capital.

ENVOY IN GREECE QUIT, IS BELIEF

Overwhelmed by Atrocities, Minister Williams Is Said to Have Resigned.

BRYAN MUM ON REPORT

Secretary Denies Diplomat Cabled His Resignation—Public Criticism of Albanian Ruler Started Trouble.

GALE DELAYS ARRIVAL OF ADMIRAL FLETCHER

Dolphin Docks at Navy Yard Just Two Hours Late, Making White House Conference Impossible.

PLANS HERE NOT MADE KNOWN

A severe squall on the Potomac last night delayed the arrival of Rear Admiral Frank Friday Fletcher from Vera Cruz about two hours. Coming all the way here on the Dolphin to confer with President Wilson relative to the Vera Cruz situation, it is very likely his mission was so important he would have gone to the White House last night but for this delay.

DUEL TO DEATH FOLLOWS HOLD-UP

Bodies of Prominent Detroit Manufacturer and Unknown Man, Clasp Revolvers, Found in Street.

JAIL WINS A GOOD COOK.

Special to The Washington Herald. St. Joseph, Mo., June 28.—Ben Black pleaded guilty in the criminal court today of burglary. His loot had been only a few cents.

WHITE HOUSE BANNER NAILED TO MAST? NO, 'T WAS A SAD MISTAKE

Old Glory Flies During Storm, but Is Promptly Hauled Down When President Finds Out.

MOTORCYCLE FOILS BANDIT.

Special to The Washington Herald. Grand Forks, N. Dak., June 28.—Throwing his motorcycle into high speed when confronted by a masked hold-up man, who, at the point of a revolver, ordered him to halt and hold up his hands, James Senning escaped being the victim of a daylight robbery six miles from the city yesterday afternoon.

MOTHER'S FEARS REALIZED.

San Bernardino, June 28.—Antonio Espargado, aged seventy-six, died here recently. The mother, Mrs. A. Espargado, aged 119 years, took the death without feeling, apparently, for she said to her friends: "I always knew he would die. I knew that I could never raise that boy."

TWO KILLED IN WRECK.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 28.—Engineer James Webb and Fireman John Healy, both of Bowling Green, were killed and Pilot George Hampton was scalded, probably fatally, when a Louisville and Nashville train was wrecked near Trenton today. About a dozen passengers were injured, but none seriously.

CITY LASHED BY FURY OF STORM

Wind Leaves River View, Md., Resort a Twisted Mass of Debris.

SUBURBS ARE HIT HARD

Trees Damaged in Capital, Window Panes Smashed, and Traffic Tied Up—Lightning Plays Pranks.

Leaving in its wake a mass of twisted trees and partially wrecked buildings, the wind, rain and electrical storm, which swept Washington and vicinity last night, caused \$100,000 damage.

CHALLENGE TO NEWSPAPER.

Carranza's representatives backed up their denials with a challenge to the New York Herald, which is printing the correspondence, to show in any way that the Carranza revolution had ever been financed from American or foreign sources.

MR. HOPKINS WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THAT HE HAS ACTED AS HENRY CLAY PIERCE'S COUNSEL WHILE PROMOTING THE CONSTITUTIONALIST PROPAGANDA HERE, DECLARED THAT MR. PIERCE WAS ENTIRELY WITHIN HIS RIGHTS AND DUTIES AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN IN SEEKING TO PROTECT HIS OWN INTERESTS IN NORTHERN MEXICO.

Mr. Hopkins contended that Mr. Pierce's sole purpose in urging the isolation by Carranza of the railroads in Northern Mexico into a separate system, with a civil management, was to protect his own and the holdings of other Americans which were threatened by the continued military management.

Other efforts by Mr. Pierce, he contended, related solely to the reopening of Northern Mexico to his oil business, which had been interrupted by Huerta. The letters passing between Hopkins and Mr. Pierce and between Hopkins and constitutionalist officials were taken, so Hopkins says, from his desk a few weeks ago. A man entered his office at night through a transom and removed the documents from his desk.

While the letters themselves show on their face that Hopkins was doing everything possible to promote the interests of the Pierce interests in Mexico, there is no evidence that he succeeded in getting very far with Carranza.

In fact, the latter has manifested an apparent indifference toward his suggestions in favor of Mr. Pierce's interests. This fact was pointed out by the constitutionalists here as proof that Mr. Pierce's influence did not extend beyond the Gulf coast.

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U. S. GUNS SILENCE FIRE OF FEDERAL BATTALIES BESIEGING CITY IN SANTO DOMINGO

American Government Intervenes in Southern Republic Revolution—Gunboat Ends Bombardment of Puerto Plata After President Bordas, Head of Beleaguering Army, Had Failed to Heed Repeated Warnings—Action to Protect Foreigners.

BRITISH CONSUL WOUNDED BY THE REBELS; ONLY FEW SHOTS NEEDED TO STOP FIRING

The United States has intervened in the revolution in Santo Domingo in order to protect Americans and foreigners in the besieged city of Puerto Plata. Under instructions from the Navy Department the gunboat Machias on Friday entered the harbor at Puerto Plata, and with her guns silenced the main battery of the federal artillery which was bombarding the city.

TWO CHILDREN DROWN, BABE KILLED BY TRAIN

Bathing Girls Meet Death in Deep Hole, and Boy Under Wheels, in Alexandria.

PALL BESETS MERRYMAKERS

By STAFF CORRESPONDENT. Alexandria, Va., June 28.—Three accidental deaths of children was the Sunday toll here today. Two met death by drowning below the city, and one was killed by a railway train at the Potomac Railroad yards.

The two children drowned were Loretta Kelly, thirteen years, daughter of Mr. Kelly, 1315 South F. street, and Helen Leona Downey, three years old, daughter of Mrs. E. M. Downey, 711 Gibson street, both of this city.

The victim of the railroad accident was Charles Brawner, three years old. The boy was killed at the Potomac railroad yards by a southbound Southern Railway passenger train.

The victims of the double drowning were in bathing only a short distance from the shore. They walked arm in arm into what is known as a suck-hole, fully ten to fifteen feet deep. Both went down together and never came up again. There were fully a dozen people on shore who witnessed the accident. William E. Hinken, Emmett L. Finks and William Kelland set to work to recover the bodies, diving for them.

An hour after the accident Hinken recovered the body of the Kelly girl, at a point near where she was drowned. Finks later recovered the body of the Downey girl at a point nearby.

The coroner could not be found at the time and the inquest was postponed until tomorrow.

Both bodies were brought to Alexandria on a train and taken to Wheatley's undertaking establishment. More than a hundred picnickers came up on the train that conveyed the bodies.

The Downey girl was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly and their daughter for the day.

The double drowning caused a pall among the excursionists who were spending the day in the vicinity of the Dyke. Besides her mother, two brothers and two sisters survive the Downey girl.

Charles Brawner, the three-year-old son of Elmer Brawner of Del Ray, was struck and instantly killed by Southbound passenger train No. 15 at the Potomac railroad yards. The lad was left sitting in a small wagon, it is said, while his father went for ice to the iced station nearby. The child got out of the wagon and was in the act of crossing the track when the train struck him.

An inquest was held over the body of the child by Coroner R. J. Yates after which it was removed to the home of his father in Del Ray and prepared for burial.

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