

# WILSON IS FIRST VICOR WAR OF DIPLOMACY President Wilson's Personal Representative Unofficially Received by Minister Gamboa of Mexico.

### BOTH CAREFULLY AVOID POLITICS Said to Indicate Disposition of Huerta to Learn Char- acter of Message Car- ried by Emissary.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 12.—The first skirmish in the diplomatic war between Mexico and the United States took place today, and was won by John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative, when he managed to be received unofficially by Foreign Minister Frederico Gamboa. Both Mr. Lind and Senor Gamboa insist that no great importance be attached to the visit. The Mexican government is still insistent that it will not deal with Mr. Lind officially nor listen to any suggestions from him as to mediation or to any proposal emanating from his government.

### Visit Is Short.

The visit of Mr. Lind consumed but a few minutes of Senor Gamboa's time, and few persons knew that it had been made. The time selected for the call was when few visitors were at the foreign office, and a disposition was shown in the department to cloak it with secrecy.

### Finger Shot.

When the excitement started I had a revolver in my pocket, but no shells and I lost it in the scarp I "soaked" the gun about two weeks ago and had just got it and of course when the pawnbroker gave it back to me he didn't give me any ammunition and I had none. I suppose I lost the gun when running across the street, but I didn't miss it or notice that the end of my finger was shot off until after I had Murphy.

### Says City Is Liable.

According to the judge, the city laid itself liable for damages by turning the fire hose on persons standing on the sidewalk, such an act is a legal assault. Speaking of his arrest, he said:

### Washington Encouraged.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—News from Mexico City that John Lind, personal representative of President Wilson, and Frederico Gamboa, Mexican minister of foreign relations, had established unofficial relations today by a personal meeting, brought encouragement to administration officials here. It was felt by them that the first step in the program of the American government to throw its influence in the direction of a quiet and peaceful settlement of the revolutionary troubles had succeeded.

### Two Vessels Started.

Within the last forty-eight hours the navy department has started two light duty vessels for Vera Cruz to aid in the work of picking up Americans along the east coast of Mexico desiring to return home. The navy now has on the eastern Mexican coast the battleships Louisiana, Michigan and New Hampshire, the cruiser Wheeling and the collier Neptune at Vera Cruz, and the battleship South Carolina at Tampico; and on the west coast the armored cruiser Pittsburg, supply ship Glaeuer and collier Justin at Guaymas, and the auxiliary cruiser Buffalo and gunboat Yorktown at Topolochampo. The battleship South Dakota is en route to Guaymas and the cruiser Tacoma and gunboat Nashville to Vera Cruz.

### International Aspects.

Certain international aspects of the situation here have added interest to Mr. Lind's mission in Mexico. It became known that Japan, which had hitherto recognized the Huerta government, had practically decided not to receive General Felix Diaz, special ambassador to express thanks for the participation by Japan in Mexico's centennial a few years ago. Likewise, the state department of the British government explained that it as well as Germany and France had recognized the Huerta government after Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson had made a congratulatory

# SIX SHOT IN RIOT AT I. W. W. MEETING

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of the last chorus the speaker, Morgan, was introduced. The chorus of the song went something like this:

Oh, Mr. Blockhead,  
You were born by mistake.  
You take the wrong road,  
You make me ache.  
Tie a rock to your neck  
and go surly to the lake.  
Do this for liberty's sake.

The words were sung to the tune of "It Looks Like a Big Night Tonight." The men who had planned to stop the meeting stood before the speaker and sang the real words to the tune. They knew that the real words were the more significant.

### Speaker Derides Steele.

After the speaker had taken the platform he said:

"There is one man that is missing in this crowd. He is the one man whom I would like to take by the neck and hug." The words were said sarcastically and Axel Steele muttered that Morgan would soon get the opportunity to "hug."

### Fight Starts; Shots Fired.

The fight had started. The crowd surged and Axel Steele's men battled as comrades of old. Scarcely ten seconds had elapsed until the shooting began. Then the crowd made a rush for places of safety. Among the few left were the injured. The wielder of the revolver fired a shot at Axel Steele and he fell to the ground, and another shot must have hit two men.

### Banner Disappears.

The stand on which Morgan was speaking when the riot was started was taken to the police station where it will be held as one of the exhibits in the case. The banner used by the organization disappeared in the excitement.

### Blames Steele.

"Steele is the cause of it all," he shouted. "He said he would make me quit speaking and break up the meeting and he has done so. First he was in the cause of the shooting and the blame for the whole thing."

### Increases Size of Publicity Committee

A meeting of the publicity bureau of the Commercial club was held yesterday afternoon, and, at the suggestion of Wesley King, chairman of the finance committee, that committee was increased from five to eleven men. The original committee consisted of Joy H. Johnson, Charles Tynge, W. E. Wallace, H. G. Whitney and Mr. King, and the names added are those of Malcolm McAllister, D. S. Spencer, E. O. Howard, W. H. Child, George Austin and O. L. Cox. The members of the committee will meet at 12:30 o'clock Thursday morning to complete plans for increasing the publicity fund to \$30,000 a year.

### Railroad Ad Men To Return Today

The railroad advertising men, who went to the Yellowstone park a week ago after visiting for several days in Salt Lake City, will return here today. Some of the men said before leaving that they would be here for a day or two on the return. Will G. Farrell, secretary of the Commercial club, said last night that he understood some of the men had asked for Pullman reservations for Friday, which would indicate that they would be here until then.

### Huerta Denies Rumor.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—The Matin having cabled President Huerta that some anxiety had been caused by dispatches received here concerning the relations between the United States and Mexico, has received the following message from Mexico City:

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### MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 12.—Socialists, immoral dances, anti-Catholic press reports and the action of mine owners in S. D. were scored today in the resolution of the American Federation of Catholic Societies.

Delegates representing the 3,000,000 Catholics in the various countries voted unanimously to telegraph Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst of Pleasanton, Cal., mother of William Randolph Hearst, as well as the various members of the Hearst family in lead, to wire J. E. Haggin of New York, president of the same, and to urge the federal government to take the necessary steps to prevent the work of the Hearst family in the world, and to prevent the work of the Hearst family in the world, and to prevent the work of the Hearst family in the world.

### Urgent Order Lobbying Foreign Farmers Insurgent Democrats Want Warehouse Receipts Used for Credit in Federal Reserve Banks.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The fight of so-called "insurgent" Democrats to broaden the power of farmers and cotton raisers to use warehouse receipts as security for credit with the proposed federal reserve banks, dominated today the caucus of the Democratic members of the house over the Glass currency bill.

### Defends Measure.

Chairman Glass again defended the bill on the ground that it gave the farmer ample power to use his warehouse receipts as security for rediscountable loans. He said that the bill would not only benefit the farmer, but also the merchant and the industrialist.

### MULLHALL FROM LONG EXAMINATION Chief Witness in Lobby Probe Ordered to Rest by Physicians.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—With its principal witness, Martin W. Mullhall, III, the house lobby investigating committee today was forced to adjourn until Thursday. In the meantime Mullhall, who says he has been literally worn out by the strain of continual examination before the congressional investigators, will rest under the care of a physician in an attempt to fit himself to resume his testimony.

### MRS. SULZER TAKES BLAME FOR TROUBLE

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that the proceedings were out of order under section 4 of the constitution. The point was overruled by the chair.

"Nobody is crucifying William Sulzer," the next witness, Assemblyman Corliss, the next speaker. "He has crucified himself. If he were impeached he would not dare go on the witness stand. We don't want to impeach Sulzer. We should much prefer that he come before the bar of his house and explain these charges away—but he can't."

### Question Legality.

Mr. Gibbs added that in the history of American government no public official had been impeached for offenses committed prior to his taking public office.

"Why impeach the governor if he has committed a crime?" he asked. "Are the courts sufficient to deal with such a matter. I assert that if the governor had been guilty of murder prior to his taking office he could not be impeached."

### CLAYTON'S NAMED TO SENATE VACANCY

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tion of the legislature were convened, it would require considerable time before proper legislation could be obtained. In either of these contingencies the state of affairs would be a very serious one. A considerable period of time of its right to equal representation in the senate in determining important legislation now pending.

### DIAZ NOT TO SAIL FOR JAPAN TODAY

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 12.—General Felix Diaz will not sail tomorrow for Japan. Instead, he will, with his party, tour Quebec, London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna and St. Petersburg, and reach Japan by the trans-Siberian railway.

### SCHOOL CENSUS LESS INSTEAD OF GREATER

That an actual loss occurred in the school population of Salt Lake City during the last year was discovered by the board of education last night when the reports on the annual census recently completed were presented.

### Army Orders.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Captain Paul T. Hayne, Jr., Twelfth cavalry, will proceed to cavalry camp, Winchester, for temporary duty, thence to Fort Leavenworth for duty.

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