HUERTA IS STUBBORN BUT MAY WEAKEN --- LINER MONTCALM'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM FIRE

HUERTA TO RESIGN IF POWERS BACK UP THE UNITED STATES

RELUCTANT TO YIELD TO UNITED STATES ALONE-ATTACK UPON HUERTA'S LIFE-GENERAL FELIX DIAZ IS UNDER ARREST IN HAVANA

ifest any enthusiasm over the made until such reply is reprospect of Huerta tendering his ceived. resignation. It was learned from Manufaction and tionalists. is preparing for the result of

forced into military service. opinion of Washington, expired last night. It is probable the Berlin, Nov. 8 .- It is reported

and from their places of employ-

inet yesterday discussed what ted States alone.

quire a formal answer.

(Special to the Daily News) | course the United States should Mexico City, Nov. 8-Although take in the event of Huerta failunwilling to admit another fail- ing to resign but no decision was ure on the part of Washington to announced. A formal reply bring about the elimination of from the Mexican government Huerta, John Lind, President had not been received up to a Wilson's personal envoy never- late hour last night, and no detheless failed yesterday to man- finite announcement can be

a person in the close confidence | Nogales, Nov. 8 .- The capital of the provisional president that city of Chihuahua, on the Mexi-Buerta is determined to reject all can Central railway, has fallen the demands set forth in the lat- into the hands of the Constitu-

sich rejection. Conscription of Havana, Nov. 8 .- General Felthe federal army is actively in ix Diaz was placed under arrest progress. For the last four days last night, accused of shooting all able-bodied Mexicans found Pedro Guerrero, the young Mexon the streets have been pressed ican wounded by a bullet during into the ranks. Employees of the altercation Thursday evennewspapers and other establish- ing, when Diaz was stabbed ments requiring night work are twice. It is said that Guerrero in fear of seizure as they go to is likely to die of his wound.

ment, for many such have been Mexico City, Nov. 8 .- What is believed to have been an attempt The so-called ultimatum of upon the life of Huerta was made the United States was merely a yesterday afternoon. While the suggestion indicating what would president was driving along the be acceptable to them, and it is causeway a man sprung from generally understood that as Hu- the bushes, seized the horses and erta is unwilling to accept the flourished an automatic revolsuggestion it is up to the United ver. The horses reared and States to make the next move. striking the man with their hoofs There is no time limit in the he was found to be fatally injursuggestion but the limit, in the ed when placed under arrest.

United States will now put its here that Huerta is willing to propositions in the form of a de- retire from the presidency of mand in writing, which will re- Mexico providing the European powers will back up the demand of the United States, so that he Washington, Nov. 8-The cab- may not have to yield to the Uni-

HEALTH OF PREMIER BORDEN NOW CAUSING SOME ANXIETY

SUFFERING FROM NERVOUS TROUBLE AND INSOMNIA HE HURRIES SOUTH TO A FAMOUS HEALTH RESORT IN VIRGINIA

on Saturday published contra- few days in New York. tion of Premier Borden's health. the other hand, says that the ad-

the safety of the city from

fire which the authorities

should no longer allow to

exist. As a result of the ex-

istence of a planing mill at

the corner of Fifth street

and Fraser the insurance

rates in the entire block are

made prohibitive. Not only

stands in greater danger of

being wiped out by fire with

a factory of such a char-

acter situated in a congested

portion of the city. In the

interests of the city general-

ly the council should take

immediate action to have

this menace removed, but in

doing so the proprietors of

the business and the own-

ers of the building should

be reasonably indemnified

for the losses and expenses

plant will entail.

Ottawa, Nov. 4 .- Local papers for a holiday after spending a dictory reports as to the condi- The Evening Free Press, on

The Evening Journal says ministration of the government there is no truth in the report is telling upon Mr. Borden sevthat Mr. Borden is seriously ill. erely, and physicians have orderbut that he is slightly indisposed ed him to take a complete rest. and will go to Virginia Springs The Free Press adds: "Had it not been for Premier Borden's health parliament would almost cer-tainly have been called to meet in November. However, a threat-A MENACE TO ened nervous breakdown has kept THE CITY'S SAFETY parliament from opening on time

serves to bring to the notice } tes." of the public a menace to Close persona' friends of Mr. Borden say that he is suffering from a nervous trouble and insomnia. They believe that a short holiday will make him fit for work again.

CANADIAN STEAMER ESCAPES DISASTER this, but the entire city

Has Narrow Escape from Conflagration at Sea

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Nov. 8 .- The Canadian Pacific liner Montcalm, which has just arrived at Avonmouth, reports severe weather on the trip over and that she lost traction and terminal company a derrick and one lifeboat. In was settled late yesterday throwhich the removal of the bustible saved the ship's eargo. settlement.

FOUR JOY RIDERS DEAD

Auto Ran Into Another Packed "Bull Moose" Political Party Has Trying Hard to Have Home Rule With Women

(Special to The Daily News.) Los Angeles, Nov. 8.—Seven

POLITICALLY DEAD

Breathed its Last

(Special to The Daily News.) Atlanta, Nov. 8 .- Senator Robwomen were packed in an auto ert Lafollette admits here that ed and the rest badly injured. | breathed its last.

Mayor Pattullo leaves for Victoria on Monday morning in connection with city business. The following open letter from the ex-mayor of the city to Sir Richard McBride may be expected to appear in the Empire on Monday evening:

"Sir Richard McBride, Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir,-His Royal Nibs the mayor left for Victoria this morning to interview you with regard to the city's spondoolicks. This is the fourth trip that His Mightiness has made this year at the expense of the taxpayers and we are getting tired of it.

For God's sake don't help him to get the dough. Already this year they have sold thirty-five times more debentures and have secured almost as much money as the two previous years put together, and where last year at this time we were at our wit's end to meet our checks on current account, this year the city is lousy with money, and all this in spite of the fact that this is the most stringent year in a decade. If His Nibs gets any more money I will sure blow up. I feel now flatter than an inflated balloon with the wind out of it. It is far better that the city should be ruined than that my stinking cussedness should remain unsatisfied.

How I wish I could find words to express what I feel without getting into trouble. As it is they hold me down to such generalities as "thieves," "grafters" and "assassins," and these are about worn out.

The worst of this autocrat who is going down to see you is that he knows I am a political fakir and the people believe him, and my job is about done. Ho, Ho! He, He! Ha, Ha!

> Yours, "EX-MAYOR."

OVER THE FRASER

and Cost Nearly Million

(Special to the Daily News) \$750,000 and \$1,000,000.

STRIKE IS SETTLED

(Special to The Daily News.) Indianapolis, Nov. 8 - The strike of the employees of the

IS OPENING BRANCH STORE AT FT. GEORGE

Open Branch in the Interior

Vancouver, Nov. 8.—Messrs. ing's train for Fort George steamer Prince Albert at the coal about 141/2 knots, and she was Society fancy work "Kewpic," Armstrong and Morrison have where he will open a branch dock this morning was the victim declared to be a splendid sea etc., for Xmas. Demers. 262tf been awarded the contract for store. Mr. Wark has made a ed his removal to the hospital. A the building of the substructure number of trips into the inter- large chunk of coal fell out of for the big Kettle Valley bridge, ior and is thoroughly familiar the bucket as it was being hoistwhich will span the Fraser river with business conditions. He is ed and struck him on the head, at Hope. The structure will be greatly impressed with the possi- cutting a deep gash. Canadian Pacific Liner Montcalm one thousand feet in length and bilities at Fort George, which is cost when completed between the busiest town in the interior at present. He shipped a stock Eye Came in Contact With Hot of goods in a couple of weeks ago so that he will be ready to open up shortly after his arrival there.

Judgment Reserved

(Special to The Daily News) travelling allowances.

KING GEORGE ENERGETIC

Problem Solved

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Nov. 8 .- The frequent visits of the king's private secwhich yesterday ran into a smal- Roosevelt is politically dead; that retary to Premier Asquith revivler car, the result being four kill- the "Bull Moose" party has es the report that His Majesty is trying hard to have the Home Rule problem solved.

WINNIPEG-MONCTON

Officials of the Transcontinental Commission Expects the Good **News Any Moment**

(Special to The Daily News.) Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The news that the National Transcontinental Railway is connected up from Moncton to Winnipeg is expected at almost any moment at the office of the transcontinental commission.

PROFESSOR AT OXFORD

Dr. Charles Sherrington to Succeed Professor Cotch

(Special to the Daily News) London, Nov. 8 .- Dr. Charles Sherrington, of Liverpool University, who is well known in Canada and holder of honorary degrees both of Toronto and o Harvard Universities, has been elected Waynflete professor physicology at Oxford, in succession to the famous Professor Cotch.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Government Program for Opening on February 3rd

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Nov. 8,-The legislative program for the session of parliament beginning February 3 was announced yesterday. It shows the Liberal government's plan is to take up the Home Rule

BAIL APPLICATIONS

Implicated Make Application to Supreme Court

(Special to The Daily News.) Vancouver, Nov. 8 .- Applications for bail in the case of one handled herself splendidly on her in the disturbances at Extension she touched at the Brazilian port allow the judge to go over the de- ing Punta Arenas. positions.

LONGSHOREMAN INJURED

Piece of Coal

W. H. Wark left by this morn- man working in the hold of the her trials the Malaspina made A large assortment of Royal of an accident which necessitat-

ACCIDENT TO FIREMAN

Poker

A fireman named Cragg, employed on one of the locomotives used in hauling rock from the excavation for the railway terminals was admitted to the hos-Vancouver, Nov. 8 .- Justice pital about 8 o'clock last night. falling the derrick struck a box ugh the efforts of Governor Ral- Cassels yesterday reserved judg- One of his eyes came in contact of phosphorus on the aft deck ston. The employees won the de- ment in the case brought by the with a hot poker hanging up in and ignited it. Only the prompt- mand for arbitration but noth- Crown against Justice Clement the cab which he did not see on ness of the men in jettisoning ing was said as to the recogni- recover he sum of \$4294, an al- account of the darkness. It is the remaining boxes of the com- tion of the union in the terms of leged overcharge by the judge for feared he may lose the sight of the eye.

DEMANDS UPON THE HOSPITAL SHOW A LARGE INCREASE

FINANCES IN GOOD CONDITION - ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT IS ORDERED FOR THE NEW OPERATING ROOM.

For the ten months ending rate, which would effect a con-October 31st the number of pa-siderable saving. tients treated in the Prince Ru- A letter from the matron was pert General Hospital is 43 per received suggesting that suitable cent. greater than the number electric light installation be pro-LINE CONNECTED UP treated during the same period vided for the new operating room last year, according to the report so that night operations can be made by Managing Secretary performed, also that the old Wright at the regular monthly operating room be renovated to meeting of the board yesterday be used as a maternity room. afternoon.

A vote of thanks to the city committee. council for its grant of \$10,000. The house committee reported which has been paid, was unani- that an order had been sent for mously carried, as well as a vote three sterilizers for the operatof thanks to the Ladies' Auxiliary ing room, also that supplies to for its loan for the purchase of the amount of about \$1,100 had sterilizing apparatus for the new been ordered from Ingram & Bell operating room.

cation before the meeting, a let- The house committee presentter from Dybhavn & Hanson so-jed its report as to the tenders for liciting a share of the insurance groceries for the month upon the on the hospital building. This list that was submitted. This was referred to the finance com- showed that Mussallem had been

mittee with power to act. reading the accounts drew at- for the month were as follows: tention to the fact that the city Mussallem & Co., \$232.95; Thos. light department made a mini- Bramley, \$236.45; Lynch Bros., mum charge of \$10 per month \$237.15; Williams & McMeekin, The power actually used comes \$245.80. very much under that amount. The reports of the house and and it was suggested that an ef- finance committees were received fort be made to have the power and adopted and the board adcharged at the ordinary light journed.

This was referred to the house

to be shipped in two shipments There was only one communi- with an interval of three months.

the lowest tenderer and he was The chairman of the board in awarded the contract. The prices for power for the new elevator. \$241.45; Central Cash Grocery,

NEW FISHERY BOAT MALASPINA SHOWS SPEED ON MAIDEN TRIP

NOW ROUNDING SOUTH AMERICAN COAST ON HER WAY FROM THE CLYDE TO WATERS OF PRINCE RUPERT

Victoria.

Turned out at the yards of the OF NANAIMO RIOTERS Dublin Dockyard Company, the Malaspina was sent to the Clyde to have her engines installed and Hundred and Twenty of Those she was dispatched from Greenock on September 9 for the North Pacific coast by way of Straits of Magellan.

The little vessel must have

Francisco for fuel, as her bun- sion since 1891. James P. Noble, a longshore- ker capacity is none too large. On

Vancouver, Nov. 4. - Fast | boat. With her arrival here the bill first, and they express con- steaming time is being made by fishery craft will be overhauled fidence in being able to have it the Dominion fishery protection and may be placed in service before the end of the year. A sisthrough parliament and a law by cruiser Malaspina which is now ter boat to the Malaspina is now on passage from Greenock to under construction at Dublin.

GREAT SCIENTIST DEAD

Enunciator of Theory of Evolution and Friend of Darwin

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Nov. 8 .- Dr. Alfred Russell Wallace, the eminent British scientist, is dead at the hundred and twenty men who are initial trans-atlantic trip, for af- age of ninety-one: He was an alleged to have been implicated ter twenty days steady steaming eminent naturalist and attracted much notice as far back as 1853 and Nanaimo during the mine of Rio de Janeiro. After taking by his book "Travels on the Amtroubles were made to the Su- on additional fuel, the fishery azon." In 1858, while down with preme Court before Chief Justice cruiser departed from that port fever in the Moluccas, the idea Hunter yesterday. An adjourn- on October 3, and by this date of the evolution theory occurred ment was made till Tuesday to the smart packet should be near- to him. He drafted his first notes upon it and sent them to Dar-Given good weather, on the win in England while the latter Pacific, the Malaspina should ar- was on the eve of publishing his rive at this port toward the end own exposition of the theory, the of the month. While steaming result being the reading of a a Fifth street barber shop health resort in the United Sta- Will be Thousand Feet in Length W. H. Wark Left this Morning to Bad Gash on Head From Falling up this coast, the vessel will pro- joint paper on the subject. He bably put in at Coronel and San had enjoyed a government pen-

We take especial pleasure in announcing our program for To-Night. We consider it one of the very best that has ever been shown in the Empress Theatre.

"THE VICTORIA CROSS"

This is a magnificent reproduction of the immortal "Charge of the Light Brigade"

This is unquestionably the greatest "Race" picture ever produced. There are also splendid views of this famous

race course.

"DIRBY DAY AT CHURCH HILL DOWNS"

"PATHE'S WEEKLY " Is particularly interesting this week.

"THE RANCH WIDOWER'S DAUGHTER"

Is a high class western comedy from the Essanay studios.