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I. En nota número 1990 de 15 de los corrientes,  
2178. dije a usted lo que sigue:

"Habiéndose declarado neutral este Gobierno Político a la lucha intestina que conmueve a la República, rompiendo el pacto que tenía celebrado con el Gobierno de la Convención de Aguascalientes, en virtud del Manifiesto a la Nación que con fecha de hoy se ha expedido por todos los elementos que forman esta Administración, mientras que no lleguen a constituirse legalmente los Supremos Poderes de la Unión que deben regir toda la República Mexicana, de que seguirá formando parte integrante esta entidad federativa, se servirá usted manifestar si reconoce y se adhiere al Plan de este Gobierno y en este caso, deberá rendir desde hoy todas y cada una de sus cuentas, informes y demás reglamentario, a este mismo Gobierno y sujetarse y obedecer todas las disposiciones que se dicten, y serán basadas en la Carta Magna de la Nación."

Como hasta la fecha no se ha servido usted contestar la preinserta nota, me permito recomendarle lo haga desde luego, para saber si se adhiere o no al Plan de este Gobierno.

Renuevo a usted mi atenta consideración.

PATRIA, CONSTITUCION Y PAZ.

Mexicali, Baja California, octubre 28 de 1915.

El Gobernador y Comandante Militar.

Por el Srío.Gral.

El Oficial 1<sup>o</sup>.

Señor Lic.


José Hinojosa,

Cónsul de México.

San Diego.

Cal.

# WESTERN UNION



# TELEGRAM

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, VICE-PRESIDENT

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, VICE-PRESIDENT

RECEIVER'S No.	TIME FILED	CHECK
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SEND the following Telegram, subject to the terms  
on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

OCTUBRE 21 DE 1915.

SENOR JUAN DE HERAS.

324 N. Main ST. BAKER BLDG # 6.-LOS ANGELES CAL.

FAVOR AUMENTAR TIRO MANIFIESTO EN TRES MIL EJEMPLARES  
MAS, AGREGANDO EN PARRAFO RELATIVO INFORME MEJORAS: SE FORTALECIO EL  
RAMO DE GUERRA, CON GRAN GRUPO BATERIAS, MUNICIONES Y ACEMILAS, POR VALOR  
DE CUARENTA MIL DOLLARS. SALUDOLO.

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324 MAIN ST. BAKER BLDG ROOM 6.--LOS ANGELES CAL.

SIRVETE OCURRIR TELEGRAFO POR CUARENTA DOLLARS PAGO  
MANIFIESTO. PREGUNTALE JUANITO SI CUMPLIO MIS TELEGRAMAS. RECOMIEN-  
DOTE MANIFIESTO EN HOJA GRANDE, TIPO CLARO. SALUDOTE.

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THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

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Ensenada Mex 27 Oct

Don Esteban Cantu Mexicali

Sinceramente felicitos por ma-  
nifeste del dia 15 que acabo de co-  
municarse por telefono de Tijuana  
el cual comunico a mi vez coronel  
Benedicta quien lo ignoraba ambos pro-  
testamosle adhesion Respetuosamente  
J. Belendez

# WESTERN UNION DAY LETTER

Form 2589

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, VICE-PRESIDENT

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, VICE-PRESIDENT

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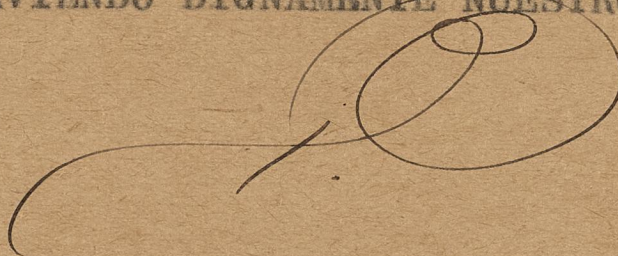
SEND the following Day Letter, subject to the terms  
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OCTUBRE 27 DE 1915.

SEÑOR INSPECTOR ADUANAS, T. BELENDEZ.

TIJUANA B. CFA.

MUCHO CELEBRO SIGAMOS SIEMPRE UNIDOS PARA SALVAR  
ESTA REGION, SIRVIENDO DIGNAMENTE NUESTRO PAIS. SALUDOLO.



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3. The Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward this day letter over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

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In further consideration of the reduced rate for this special "**DAY LETTER**" service, the following special terms are hereby agreed to:

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TELEGRAM

THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

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7 Ex 33 via San Diego

Ensenada BC 25 Oct

Gobernador y Comandante Militar  
Sr. Esteban Mexicali

Empleados esta aduana felicitamos a  
U por la patriótica y digna actitud  
observada gobierno según Circular  
de 15 actual Reiterándole como siempre  
nuestra adhesión y respeto "patria" sus  
sitación y Paz. El Admin  
y Miranda

# WESTERN UNION DAY LETTER

Form 2589

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NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, VICE-PRESIDENT

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OCTUBRE 27 DE 1915.

SEÑOR ADMINISTRADOR ADUANA.

ENSENADA B. CFA.

MUCHO CELEBRO SIGAMOS SIEMPRE UNIDOS PARA SALVAR  
ESTA REGION, SIRVIENDO DIGNAMENTE NUESTRO PAIS. SALUDOLO.

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THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

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Ensenada Mex 25 Oct 1915

General Esteban Cantu Mexicali

Honorable manifestarle Jefe oficiales  
y tropa esta guarnicion felicitando  
sinceramente y calorosamente por su  
manifiesto expedido a la nacion fecha  
15 actual adhiriendose como siempre  
y de buena voluntad a sus nobles ideales  
Saludos Respetuosamente. Justin Mendicta

# WESTERN UNION

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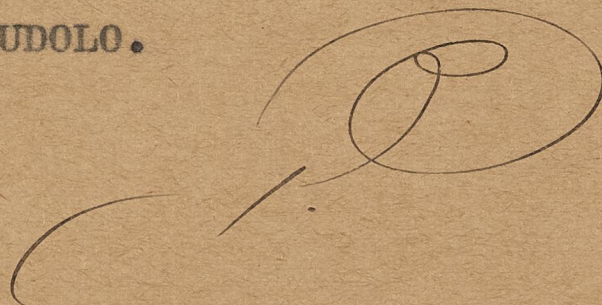
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THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

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*6 Oct 19 pd*

*Tijuana Mex 75*

*Coronel Comandante Militar Mexicano*

*Conforme participaste que dar  
enterado Circular quince actual rela  
tiva manifiesto a la nacion. Te li  
citamosle por su elevado patriotismo  
protestandole adhesion.  
Mayor Miguel Comuna*

# WESTERN UNION

# DAY LETTER

Form 2589

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, VICE-PRESIDENT

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, VICE-PRESIDENT

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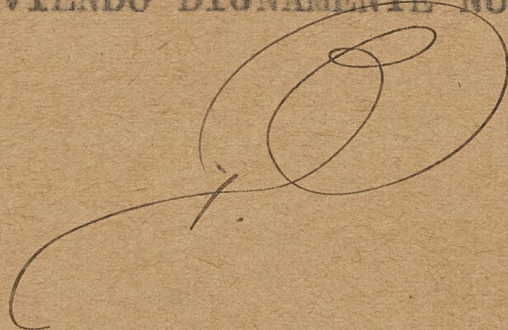
SEND the following Day Letter, subject to the terms  
on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

OCTUBRE 27 DE 1915.

SENOR MAYOR MIGUEL CARMONA.

TIJUANA B. CFA.

MUCHO CELEBRO SIGAMOS SIEMPRE UNIDOS PARA SALVAR  
ESTA REGION, SIRVIENDO DIGNAMENTE NUESTRO PAIS. SALUDOLO.



*York*  
*P. J. B.*



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2. In any event the Company shall not be liable for damages for any mistakes or delay in the transmission or delivery, or for the non-delivery, of this day letter, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum of **FIFTY DOLLARS**, at which amount this day letter is hereby valued, unless a greater value is stated in writing hereon at the time the day letter is offered to the Company for transmission, and an additional sum paid or agreed to be paid based on such value equal to one-tenth of one per cent. thereof.

3. The Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward this day letter over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

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6. The Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the day letter is filed with the Company for transmission.

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**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY**

INCORPORATED

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

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THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

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D. Gobernador y Comandante Militar Mexicali

Esta Corporacion en sesion extraordinaria de hoy acordó lo siguiente: El Ayuntamiento de Ensenada aprueba y hace suyo en todas sus partes el manifiesto de fecha 15 del actual lanzado por los representantes del pueblo del distrito norte de la Baja California Honorable Comunicado

# WESTERN UNION



# TELEGRAM

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# WESTERN UNION



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OCTUBRE 28 DE 1915.

SEÑOR PRESIDENTE MUNICIPAL.

ENSENADA B. CFA.

MUCHO CELEBRO QUE ESA H. CORPORACION COMO PRIMERA  
VOZ DEL PUEBLO DE ESA MUNICIPALIDAD ESTE UNIDA A LOS TRABAJOS  
Y ASPIRACIONES DE ESTE GOBIERNO. AFECTUOSAMENTE SALUDOLO.



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# TELEGRAM

THEO. N. VAIL, PRESIDENT

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Con Esteban Centu

Mexicali

Honorable en felicitad a Ud por sus  
alto patriotismo con motivo manifestado a  
la nacion Saludable Respetuosamente.  
Alberto Samano

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Tia Juana, Cal. - Octubre 25 de 1915.

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Número de orden. 327

Número de Registro. 1

Reconociendo y adhi-  
riéndose al Plan de ese  
Gobierno.

*Al Exp<sup>to</sup> del Ma-  
nifiesto*

A las 7 p.m. del sábado 23 de los corrientes, tuve el honor de ser favorecido con la respetable Nota de esa Superioridad, girada por la Sección Ira. bajo el número 1988 con fecha 15 del mes en curso, en la que se sirve comunicarme haberse declarado neutral ese Gobierno Político a la lucha intestina que conmueve a la República, rompiendo el Pacto que tenía celebrado con el Gobierno de la Convención de Aguascalientes, en virtud del Manifiesto a la Nación que con la propia fecha 15 del actual fué expedido por todos los elementos que forman esa Administración de su merecido cargo, mientras que no lleguen a constituirse legalmente los Supremos Poderes de la Unión que deben regir toda la República Mexicana, de que seguirá formando parte integrante esa Entidad Federativa; sirviéndose por tal motivo esa Superioridad pedirme le manifieste si reconozco y me adhiero al Plan de ese Gobierno, advertido de que en tal caso deberé rendir todas y cada una de mis cuentas, informes, etc., etc., a ese propio Gobierno de su digno mando, debiendo sujetarme y obedecer todas las disposiciones que se dicten y que serán basadas en la Carta Magna de la Nación.

En debida contestación tengo la honra de expresar a usted que, con todo gusto reconozco y me adhiero al Plan de ese Gobierno de su digno cargo; de acuerdo con lo expuesto en la atenta Nota a que tengo el honor de referirme.

Me es altamente grato aprovechar esta o-

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-casión para renovar a usted las protestas de mi  
más atenta consideración.

PATRIA, CONSTITUCIÓN Y PAZ.  
EL CONSUL.,

*Remisado*

Al Señor Coronel Don Estéban Cantú,  
Gobernador y Comandante Militar del Distrito Norte  
de la Baja California.

MEXICALI, B.C.



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San Diego, California,  
Octubre 30 de 1915.

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Su atenta comunicacion de fecha 15 de los corrientes, girada por la seccion 1<sup>o</sup> de ese Gobierno bajo el numero 1990, me deja enterado de la actitud que asumira para lo sucesivo esa Administracion, interim, se establece el tan deseado orden Constitucional en nuestra desventurada patria.

Mas que el Manifiesto lanzado a la Nacion, son los hechos mismos que justifican la actitud de ese Gobierno. Por un largo periodo de tiempo, se ha sostenido esa administracion, sin mas elementos que los que produce la region misma, sin exacciones, sin imponer gravamenes onerosos, sin confiscar propiedades y sin recurrir a auxilio extraño, y ha logrado imprimir a sus actos el sello de una gran moralidad administrativa.

Es de publica notoriedad, que durante el regenteo de esa administracion, se ha conservado en esa region en medio de una paz inalterable y envidiada por todos, el imperio de la ley y de la Constitucion, y se han llevado a cabo en ese mismo periodo obras de trascendencia que forman notable contraste frente a la demodora labor que ha desolado gran parte del pais.

Si pues, la actitud de ese Gobierno, impregnada de Mexicanismo, es impedir que se destruya lo que se ha salvado del naufragio nacional, es decir de todo buen Mexicano ayudarle a tan meritoria labor, para que al establecerse los Poderes Nacionales, vuelva a su dependencia de territorio, salvo el caso de una nueva Division politica de la Republica, por que se ha demostrado que puede y debe constituirse en estado. Y ojalá que esa obra, y esa actitud sean el sólido cimiento para la reconstruccion National, cualesquiera que sea el Jefe del Gobierno de la Republica.

Me es grato así, por las razones que dejo expuestas, adherirme al Plan de ese Gobierno, y como le manifesté a Ud., desde el dia primero del venidero Noviembre principiare a funcionar con el caracter de "Agente Comercial del Gobierno de la Baja California" y a partir de esa fecha seran rendidas todas las cuentas a ese gobierno de quien recibire ordenes.

Si mis indicaciones respecto a la division del trabajo fueron aceptadas, le he de estimar se sirva girar oficios a los Agentes de Calexico y Tia Juana manifestandoles su dependencia de esta oficina y decirme al mismo tiempo de que seccion o de cual funcionario de ese Gobierno debo depender yo, para que en lo sucesivo dirigir allí mis comunicaciones.

Reitero a Ud. las seguridades de mi mas atenta consideracion.

*Jose Haurfan*

Al C. Crel. Esteban Cantu, Gobernador y Comandante Militar de la Baja California.

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SERVICIO CONSULAR MEXICANO

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Num. de orden

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Numero de registro

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Neutralidad del Gobierno Político de la B. California.

Caléxico, Cal., 20 de octubre de 1915.

*Handwritten signature and initials*

En respuesta al atento despacho de Ud. num. 1989 fechado el 15 del actual, tengo el honor de manifestarle que reconosco y me adhiero al Plan de ese Gobierno en el que declara su neutralidad en la lucha que ensangrienta el suelo de nuestra Patria y que obedeceré y me sujetaré a todas las disposiciones que se dicten basadas en la Constitución Política de México. Quedo enterado de que en lo sucesivo deberé rendir a ese Gobierno, mis cuentas y demás informes reglamentarios.

Al protestar a Ud. mi subordinación, hónrome en reiterarle las seguridades de mi más atenta consideración.

El Cónsul.

*Handwritten signature*

Señor Coronel D.

ESTEBAN CANTU, Gobernador y Comandante Militar de la Baja California.

MEXICALI, B. Cal.

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Núm. 800.-

Octubre 14/15  
Recibo, agrade-  
ciendo a ese Gobierno  
y al pueblo que repre-  
senta su adhesión  
al plan de neutra-  
lidad a la lucha  
internina que aflige  
a la patria, iniciado  
por este Gobierno, fe-  
licitandolo por su digna  
actitud al estar  
siempre dispuestos  
a apoyar la paz  
bajo el regimen Consti-  
tucional que deben de  
ambicioner todos los  
pueblos cultos, permitiendome  
citar a Ud para el dia de manana  
para discutir y dar a luz la  
forma del manifiesto  
fierto que debe de dirigirse  
a la nacion:

Tengo el honor de remitir a usted en una foja  
útil y para conocimiento de esa Gobierno Político del  
muy digno cargo de usted, un tanto del acta de la se-  
sión extraordinaria que se verificó por este H. Ayun-  
tamiento el dia doce de los corrientes, para acordar  
la contestación que debia darse a la invitación que tu-  
vo a bien hacerle ese Gobierno, para que expresara su  
opinión respecto de la actitud que deberá adoptar con  
motivo de los acontecimientos que se han venido desa-  
rrollando en el Pais; siendo dicha opinión, como apa-  
rece en el documento que en copia me honro en acompa-  
ñar, la de que este Cuerpo Edilicio se adhiere al Plan  
de entera Neutralidad que inicia ese Gobierno.

Al hacerme el honor de participar a usted el  
acuerdo de esta H. Corporación, me es grato protestar-  
le las seguridades de mi mas atenta y distinguida con-  
sideración y particular aprecio.

Const. y Reformas.- Mexicali, B. Cfa. Oct. 13 de 1915.

El Presidente Municipal.

Francisco S. Montejano

Al C. Coronel Jefe Político del Distrito,

Presente.

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1869 B.

Se ha recibido en esta Jefatura Política el atento oficio de usted, número 800 de 13 de los corrientes, con el que remite un tanto del acta de la sesión extraordinaria que se verificó el día anterior por ese H. Ayuntamiento, en la que se trató de emitir una opinión acerca de la actitud que se deba adoptar con motivo de los actuales acontecimientos políticos en el resto del País.

Este Gobierno Político agradece a ese H. Cuerpo y al pueblo que representa, su adhesión al Plan de Neutralidad en la lucha intestina que aflige a la Patria, iniciado por este Gobierno, felicitándolo por su digna actitud al estar siempre dispuestos a apoyar la paz bajo el régimen constitucional que deben ambicionar todos los pueblos cultos, permitiéndome citar a usted para el día de mañana, para discutir y dar a luz la forma del Manifiesto que deba dirigirse a la Nación.

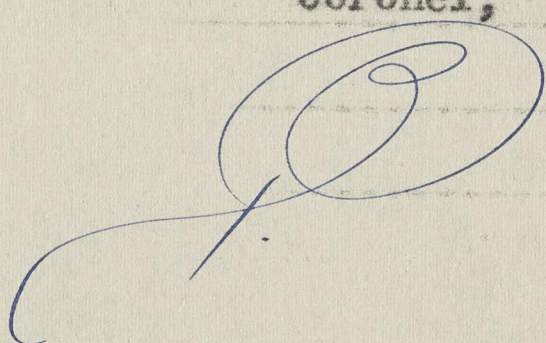
Renuevo a usted mi consideración.

CONSTITUCION Y REFORMAS.

Mexicali, Baja California, a 14 de octubre de 1,915.

El Jefe Político.

Coronel,



Al C.

Presidente Municipal.

Presente.

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S e s i ó n. extraordinaria del dia doce de Octubre de mil novecientos quince.

Bajo la presidencia del C.primer Regidor Francisco L.Montejano y con asistencia de los C.C.Regidores propietarios Tomás Rivera, José M. Castro, Santiago Bareño, Carlos Cota y los suplentes Francisco Borquez, Florencio Monreal, Francisco Flores, Diego Ceseña y Síndico suplente Manuel N.Mendoza, se abrió la sesión siendo las cuatro de la tarde, hora que fue señalada para el objeto en el correspondiente citatorio y avisos a los vecinos de esta Municipalidad. Leida el acta de la sesión ordinaria de fecha dos del corriente y puesta a discusión sin ella fue aprobada por unanimidad.

En seguida el C.Presidente tomó la palabra y manifestó a los C.C. Regidores presentes, así como a los vecinos que tuvieron la vonda de concurrir a esta sesión extraordinaria en obsequio a la invitación que para tal objeto se les hizo: que fueron en número de quinientos veintiuno, que con motivo de las condiciones excepcionales de anarquía y miseria por que atraviesa en estos momentos lo demas de nuestra República y habiendo sido invitada esta H.Corporación Municipal por el Jefe del Gobierno político del Distrito como una de las partes integrantes de él a fin de que expresara su opinión sobre la actitud que dicho Gobierno deba adoptar en vista de los acontecimientos que se han desarrollado hasta hoy en el País como resultado de la revolución, debía ser declarada la neutralidad en este Territorio a toda lucha intestina debiendo tener presente al dar nuestra opinión que en casi cinco años que llevamos de presenciar la guerra fratricida y anarquía que consume a nuestra Patria, han convertido a nuestro México, antes uno de los mas prósperos Países latino-americanos, en una verdadera ruina siendo la muerte por violencia o por hambre; el robo, el asesinato y demas atentados los actos normales, ha dispuesto el que lleva la palabra, citar a los miembros de esta Corporación para tener esta sesión extraordinaria, habiendo hecho otro tanto con los vecinos de esta ciudad, por referirse a un asunto que se relaciona con los destinos de la Nación en esta parte de la misma y que debe ser tratado con conocimiento de los habitantes que forman esta Municipalidad.

En vista de la exposición que antecede hecha por el C, Presidente Municipal, los C.C.Regidores discutieron sobre la contestación que debia de darse al Jefe del Gobierno de este Distrito, pues los ideales de este Cuerpo Edilicio siempre han sido desde su fundación, el respeto a la Ley única forma en que se consigue la Paz y con esta el engrandecimiento de nuestra amada Patria; que nunca ha estado de acuerdo con la revolución y anarquía que ha existido en la mayor parte del País y que afortunadamente no ha llegado hasta nosotros, por la cordura y altruismo de los habitantes del Distrito, por lo que no habiendo estado de acuerdo nunca con la revolución sino en conservar la Paz en este Distrito como hasta ahora se ha podido sostener, se adhiere este H.Cuerpo Edilicio al plan de entera neutralidad que inicia el Gobierno Político, estando tambien de acuerdo en que se haga saber a la Nación por medio de un MANIFIESTO que se publique, autorizando al C.Presidente para que lo firme en nombre del H.Ayuntamiento y del pueblo de esta Municipalidad.

En seguida fue asentada la presente acta en el libro de acuerdos y leida por la Secretaría se aprobó por unanimidad siendo aplaudido el acto por los concurrentes y firmada por los miembros de la Corporación y Secretario que da fé.-Francisco L.Montejano.-Tomás Rivera.-José María Castro.-Santiago Bareño.-Carlos Cota.-Francisco Borquez.-Florencio Monreal.-Francisco Flores.-Diego Ceseña.-Manuel N.Mendoza.-A.Y.Lelevier.-Srio.-Rúbricas.

Es copia fiel de su original que se compulsu y certifica para remitir un ejemplar al C.Jefe del Gobierno del Distrito con atento oficio como contestación al en que pide la opinión del H.Ayuntamiento. Doy fé. Mexicali., Baja California, a doce de Octubre de mil novecientos quince.-

El Secretario.-



*A. Y. Lelevier*



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Núm. 801.---

*A su expediente*

Por el respetable oficio de usted núm. 1869 de hoy, he quedado enterado con agradecimiento de la felicitación que se ha servido dispensar el Gobierno del digno cargo de usted por la actitud de este H. Ayuntamiento que me honro en presidir, así como de la cita que para el día de mañana ha tenido a bien acordar con el fin de discutir y dar a luz la forma del MANIFIESTO que deba dirigirse a la Nación, y tengo el honor de manifestar a usted en debida contestación, que estaré con toda oportunidad presente en las oficinas de ese Gobierno no el día de mañana.

Al hacerme el honor de contestar a usted su respetable citado oficio, me es grato protestarle las seguridades de mi atenta y distinguida consideración.

Patria, Constitución y Paz.

Mexicali, Baja Cfa. a 14 de octubre de 1,915.

El Presidente Municipal.

*Francisco L. Montejano*

*A. Lelevier*

Al C. Coronel Jefe Político del Distrito, P

Presente.

# WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

Form 260

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, VICE-PRESIDENT

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

BELVIDERE BROOKS, VICE-PRESIDENT

RECEIVER'S No.	TIME FILED	CHECK
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SEND the following Telegram, subject to the terms  
on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

OCTUBRE 20 DE 1915.

SENOR JUAN DE HERAS.

324 N. MAIN ST. BAKER BLDG # 6.

LOS ANGELES CAL.

SIRVETE AGREGAR EN FECHA MANIFIESTO: DADO EN MEXICALI  
DEL DISTRITO ETC. DE LA REPUBLICA DE MEXICO ETC. SALUDOTE.

## ALL TELEGRAMS TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

To guard against mistakes or delays, the sender of a telegram should order it REPEATED, that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. For this, one-half the unrepeatable telegram rate is charged in addition. Unless otherwise indicated on its face, THIS IS AN UNREPEATED TELEGRAM AND PAID FOR AS SUCH, in consideration whereof it is agreed between the sender of the telegram and this Company as follows:

1. The Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any UNREPEATED telegram, beyond the amount received for sending the same; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, of any REPEATED telegram, beyond fifty times the sum received for sending the same, *unless specially valued*; nor in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruption in the working of its lines; *nor for errors in cipher or obscure telegrams.*

2. In any event the Company shall not be liable for damages for any mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for the non-delivery, of this telegram, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS, at which amount this telegram is hereby valued, unless a greater value is stated in writing hereon at the time the telegram is offered to the Company for transmission, and an additional sum paid or agreed to be paid based on such value equal to one-tenth of one per cent. thereof.

3. The Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward this telegram over the lines of any other Company when necessary to reach its destination.

4. Telegrams will be delivered free within one-half mile of the Company's office in towns of 5,000 population or less, and within one mile of such office in other cities or towns. Beyond these limits the Company does not undertake to make delivery, but will, without liability, at the sender's request, as his agent and at his expense, endeavor to contract for him for such delivery at a reasonable price.

5. No responsibility attaches to this Company concerning telegrams until the same are accepted at one of its transmitting offices; and if a telegram is sent to such office by one of the Company's messengers, he acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender.

6. The Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the telegram is filed with the Company for transmission.

7. *No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.*

**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY**

INCORPORATED

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

## CLASSES OF SERVICE

### TELEGRAMS

A full-rate expedited service.

### NIGHT TELEGRAMS

Accepted up to 2.00 A.M. at reduced rates to be sent during the night and delivered not earlier than the morning of the next ensuing business day.

### DAY LETTERS

A deferred day service at rates lower than the standard telegram rates as follows: One and one-half times the standard night letter rate for the transmission of 50 words or less and one-fifth of the initial rate for each additional 10 words or less. Subordinate to the priority of transmission and delivery of regular telegrams. Must be written in plain English. Code language not permissible.

Telephonic delivery permissible. Day Letters received subject to express understanding that the Company only undertakes delivery of the same on the day of their date subject to condition that sufficient time remains for such transmission and delivery during regular office hours, subject to priority of the transmission of regular telegrams.

### NIGHT LETTERS

Accepted up to midnight for delivery on the morning of the next ensuing business day, at rates still lower than standard night telegram rates, as follows: The standard day rate for 10 words shall be charged for the transmission of 50 words or less, and one-fifth of such standard day rate for 10 words shall be charged for each additional 10 words or less. Must be written in plain English. Code language not permissible. Mail delivery, postage prepaid, permissible.



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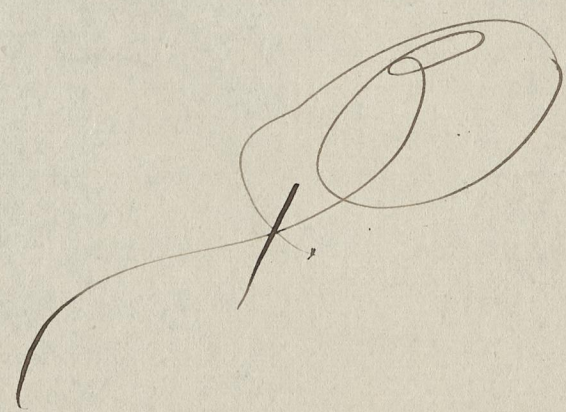
Habiéndose declarado neutral este Gobierno Político a la lucha intestina que conmueve a la República, rompiendo el pacto que tenia celebrado con el Gobierno de la Convención de Aguascalientes, en virtud del Manifiesto a la Nación que con fecha de hoy se ha expedido por todos los elementos que forman esta Administración, mientras que no lleguen a constituirse legalmente los Supremos Poderes de la Unión que deben regir toda la República Mexicana, de que seguirá formando parte integrante esta entidad federativa, se servirá usted manifestar si reconoce y se adhiere al Plan de este Gobierno y en este caso, deberá rendir desde hoy todas y cada una de sus cuentas, informes y demas reglamentario, a este mismo Gobierno y sujetarse y obedecer todas las disposiciones que se dicten, y serán basadas en la Carta Magna de la Nación.

Reitero a usted las seguridades de mi atenta consideración.

PATRIA, CONSTITUCION Y PAZ.

Mexicali, Baja California, octubre 15 de 1915.

El Gobernador y Comandante Militar.



Señor

Cónsul de México.

California.



Sección I.

Núm. 964.

*Don asistente*

Me es satisfactorio confirmar a Ud. el mensaje que con fecha de ayer, se envió a ese Gobierno de su digno mando, que a la letra dice:—"Este Ayuntamiento se adhiere, en todas sus partes, a la iniciativa de neutralidad propuesta tan patrióticamente por ese Gobierno, estando de acuerdo en que se haga saber a la Nación por medio de un manifiesto; autorizando al C. Presidente para que lo firme en nombre de este H. Ayuntamiento, de Ensenada.

Protesto a Ud. las seguridades de mi atenta y respetuosa consideración.

CONSTITUCION y REFORMAS.-Ensenada, B.Cfa. octubre 14 de 1915.

El Presidente Municipal.

*Chacnik*

Al C.

Jefe Político del Distrito.

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Dadas las condiciones anormales porque desgraciadamente atraviesa nuestra infortunada Patria, debido a la lucha fratricida que cada vez más la desgarrar y ensangrienta y aunque en esta parte del País no ha llegado ni llegará la ola destructora que todo lo aniquila, gracias a los reconocidos sentimientos altruistas de los mexicanos de este Distrito y a la lealtad y buen criterio de todos los servidores de la Administración pública del mismo, sin embargo, ha llegado el tiempo oportuno para manifestar a la Nación, ya que el Gobierno Convencionista a que nos habíamos sometido ha desaparecido de hecho y por derecho, que, este pedazo de la Patria amada permanecerá enteramente neutral como hasta hoy tácitamente ha permanecido en la triste lucha que embarga a nuestros demás hermanos en el corazón de la República, rompiéndose por consiguiente el PACTO que había celebrado este Gobierno con el de la referida Convención, tan solo por su noble idea de coadyuvar a la pacificación del País, mas no por sostener o fortificar un partido político en la lucha; y en esa virtud me permito someter a la consideración de ese H. Cuerpo edilicio como primera voz de la voluntad de un pueblo, mi iniciativa de neutralidad, para que si tenéis a bien aceptarla desde luego proceder a dar a conocer a la Nación nuestra actitud inspirada sola en el respeto, bienestar y progreso de esta parte de nuestra querida Patria.

Reitero a usted mi atenta consideración.

CONSTITUCION Y REFORMAS.

Mexicali Baja California a 9 de octubre de 1915.

El Coronel Jefe Político.

Al C. Presidente del R. Ayuntamiento.

Presente.

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