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FOREIGN INTERVENTION ONLY FORCE THAT CAN SAVE CITY

(Scripps News Association)
Havana, Sept. 15.—It is feared that the rebel Guerra will attack this city despite the efforts of the government to repulse him and regardless of the letters and advices sent to the Cuban government by President Roosevelt. From the outside, it seems more likely that insurgents are getting their army into the best shape possible before making any attack. It has been impressed upon Americans that only American intervention can save the city from capture.

This afternoon it became officially known that the insurgents were successful at Fajay this morning and are now advancing. Three of the Loyalists were killed during the battle, but how many insurgents are dead, is not known.

CABINET IN SESSION
Havana, Sept. 15.—President Palma and his cabinet are in extraordinary session today. President Roosevelt's letter is being considered. Two thousand troops have been drawn from Cienfuegos to protect the capital. The residents here are in a panic, as they fear a bombardment by Guerra with his rebels.

THREE THOUSAND LOYALISTS
Havana, Sept. 15.—Two thousand soldiers arrived from Cienfuegos this morning to defend this city. These, besides the police and a number of volunteers, make three thousand men which are now to protect Havana and its citizens.

GUERRA IN STRIKING DISTANCE
Havana, Sept. 15.—Guerra with his rebels are in striking distance of this city and the Loyalists have been driven into the suburbs of the town. Guerra and Castillo are planning to join forces for a combined attack on the city. If this is done the insurgents will then outnumber the government forces, two to one.

AMERICAN SHIPS IN HARBOR
The American battleship Des Moines arrived in the harbor today and is now anchored beside the De'aware.

PALMA ADMITS ITS WEAKNESS
Washington, Sept. 15.—It is announced today that Palma, two days ago, notified this government that he would be likely to be unable to hold the advancing forces, and neither could he protect the American interests in the vicinity of Cienfuegos. This is likely what promoted President Roosevelt into such celerity in writing official to the Cuban government.

MARINES CONCENTRATING
Boston Sept. 15.—Sixty marines were ordered to proceed from the Charleston navy yard at once to Norfolk Virginia to board the cruiser for Cuba.

Portsmouth Sept. 15.—Sixty-six marines under Captain Natch left here today for Norfolk, enroute to Cuba.

The war department at Washington has received cables from Consul Sleeper to day that there is much uncertainty regarding the status of the plantations of the Americans, which were yesterday reported to be destroyed.

Authentic denials of the report have been received. Consul Holida cables from Santiago that there is no active operations by insurgents in the province but five hundred men under arms are ready to take the field when orders are received.

FIGHTING REPORTED
(Scripps News Association)
Havana Sept. 15.—Fighting is reported to be in progress at Elcano, ten miles from this city.

BANK RUN ENDED
(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco, Sept. 15.—The run on the Hibernia bank is practically ended. The withdrawals have fallen to almost normal, while the deposits are normal.

A few were in line this morning and upon their reaching the window of the paying teller, were confirmed with great piles of gold decided to let their deposits remain.

TO SIGN TREATY OF PEACE

(Scripps News Association)
San Jose, Costa Rica, September 15.—The fourth article of the treaty of peace between Guatemala, Salvador and Honduras, which was signed on board the Marblehead on July 20, provided that within two months of that date the contracting parties sign a general treaty of peace, friendship and commerce, etc. San Jose, the capital of Costa Rica, was designated as the place where the representatives of the treaty powers should meet. In accordance with the terms of the treaty the government of Costa Rica sent invitations to the governments of Guatemala, Salvador and Honduras, inviting them to arrange for a meeting of their representatives at San Jose on September 15, for the purpose of signing a general treaty of peace, friendship, commerce, etc. This day was selected, because it is Costa Rica's Independence day. The invitations were cordially accepted and today the representatives of the three treaty governments met here in a formal manner. They were received by the President of Costa Rica and a number of high officials and the meeting was opened in the presence of the diplomatic representatives of nearly every American republic.

GREAT RECEPTION FOR ROOT

Cartagena, Columbia, September 15
General Reyers, president of Columbia has arrived here to take charge of the arrangements for the reception of Secretary Root. Mr. Root will be pressed to land and spend several days. John Brett, United States minister is also here. The populace is enthusiastic, the belief being current that Secretary Root's visit will presage the coming of entente cordiale between Columbia and Panama who have been estranged since the revolution of Panama in 1902.

ANOTHER STEP

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago Sept. 15.—Judge Windes of the circuit court today sustained the Muller law which permits the city of Chicago to issue certificates for seventy-five millions of dollars. The proceeds to be used in the purchase of street railways. The court declared that there was no equity in the Seeling bill of restraint which sought to restrain the city from issuing the certificates. It is conceded that the case will be carried to the appellate court and also to the supreme court of the United States.

ATTEMPT TO MURDER M. WITTE

(Scripps News Association)
Wiesbaden, Rus., Sept. 15.—An attempt was made today to assassinate Count Witte who is here for his health and had just decided to undergo a surgical operation.
A Russian student named Rosenberg, armed with a bomb, a revolver and dagger, attacked the Count at Seder, a watering place near here. The Count was leaving his carriage to enter the baths, when the would-be assassin approached. Detectives, who were guarding the statesman, seized the student and took him to jail. The attack caused the Count to pale slightly, otherwise he was unaffected. As soon as the young man had been overpowered Witte turned, thanked the rescuers and then went into the baths.

MONTANA REPUBLICANS MEET

(Scripps News Association)
Helena, Montana, September 15.—The Republican state convention meets here today for the purpose of nominating one candidate for congress and one justice of the supreme court. The convention will be called to order this afternoon and it is expected there will be about 540 delegates. The representation is based on the vote for Congressman J. M. Dixon two years ago, allowing one delegate for every seventy or major portion of seventy votes cast for Dixon. There will also be three delegates-at-large from every county. Dixon has announced that he will not again be a candidate for renomination and there are now several candidates for that nomination, among them former Senator Lee Mantle and C. N. Pray. There will be probably a contest in the delegation from Sanders county, where two Republican factions are making war against each other.

BRITISH MARKSMEN COMING

(Scripps News Association)
London, September 15.—The Rifle Team of the Queen's Own Westminister Volunteers, comprising the best marksmen of the army, sailed today for New York, to compete with members of the Seventh regiment of New York in the contest for the Sir Howard Vincent Shield at Creedmore, L. I., on October 2 and 3. The team and its officers is as follows: Captain Shattock, commanding; Lieutenant Lowe, Quartermaster Southall, Sergeant Tyrall, Lance Corporal Fulton, jr.; Bugler Halls and Privates Sheppard, Roche, Gill, Stocker and Thompson. Sheppard, Tyrall, Fulton and Halls were members of last years team, which defeated the team of the Seventh Regiment.

SAW SATIN ROYAL WIN

Deputy Sheriff Tom Johnson has returned from Salem where he attended a convention of Oregon sheriffs. He reports a two days' session well attended and much benefit was derived from the meeting.

Tom saw the big race, the greatest race that has been seen in Oregon for many years. "The mud was nearly six inches deep all over the track," enthusiastically related the sheriff. "Satin Royal was not the favorite in the race but when the two leaders came up the stretch, Satin Royal was hub and hub, and about eight feet from the wire was a nose ahead. His opponent broke and ran under the wire ahead of West's horse. The following two heats were the hardest fought races I ever saw. Neither horse broke and Satin won by a nose once and by seven inches once. N. K. West is happy today."
Mr. West was unable to enter Commonwealth as no competitors would enter against him. West, with his string of four, leaves tonight for North Yakima.

IN VIRGINIA

(Scripps News Association)
Norfolk Va., Sept. 15.—W. J. Bryan was tendered a reception today at the home of ex-governor Tyler.

GRAIN MARKETS

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, Sept. 14.—Wheat opened at 71½ closed at 71; corn opened at 47½, closed at 47½; oats opened at 52½, closed 52½.

ODD FELLOWS MEET IN TORONTO

(Scripps News Association)
Toronto, Ont., Sept. 15.—The session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, Partriarchs Milant, Independent Order of Odd Fellows which opens here today, has attracted more than thirty thousand members of the order from all parts of the United States, Canada, and other parts, to this city. Even Mexico and Sandwich Islands are represented by delegates. The convention, which will formally open this evening with a big reception to the Sovereign Grand Lodge officers, will last eight days and promises to be unusually interesting. The Sovereign Grand Lodge has not met here since 1880. Then the sessions were held in the old Parliament building on Wellington street. This year the session will be held in the new Parliament building in Queen's Park. After the convention the delegates will take several side trips, including visits to Niagara Falls, the St. Lawrence River, Thousand Islands, Lachino Rapids and Montreal.

GREELY SUCCEEDS CORBIN

(Scripps News Association)
St. Louis, Sept. 15.—Lieutenant General Corbin, in command of the Department of the Missouri, retired today not only from the command of the Department but from active service. Major General A. W. Greely, heretofore commander of the Department of the Pacific, became his successor in command of the Department of the Missouri today. General Greely did valuable service in San Francisco after the earthquake and fire in that city.

OPPORTUNITY IN SOUTH AMERICA

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, Sept. 15.—Minister Barrett of Columbia has arrived in Guayaquil to meet Secretary of State Elihu Root. After traveling forty days, covering sixteen hundred miles across several ranges of mountains on mules, says the region traversed, is in his opinion, offers the best opportunity for development in all South America.

NON PARTISIAN RECEPTION

(Scripps News Association)
New Orleans, Sept. 15.—Efforts are being made to make Bryan's reception here on the 24 of September non-partisan. The Louisiana Republican club will participate.

PLOT AGAINST STOLYPIN

(Scripps News Association)
St. Petersburg, Sept. 15.—The police have unearthed a new plot to kill Stolypin. The assassin was to have escaped in a motor car and consequently no automobiles are allowed to approach the palace.

SEATTLE STREET CAR DISASTER

(Scripps News Association)
Seattle, Sept. 15.—As a result of a street car accident in this city one man is dead, another fatally injured, and a score seriously injured. Shortly after midnight three street cars dashed down First Ave. to Pioneer Square and ended their flight at the tottem pole in a mass of tangled wreckage. The disaster was caused by a trolley bay on a Ballard car breaking which caused the rush down the hill at a terrible rate of speed. The run away car crashed into another of the same line and the two struck a Queen Ann car which was loaded with passengers. Alexander Simms, a teamster, was instantly killed, his body being crushed into a pulp. A Denver man, whose name the authorities have been unable to learn at this time is thought to be fatally injured. His skull is fractured. W. Bruce Gamble, motorman and conductor Wenling and Ralph Pusffolo, motorman, are also badly hurt and it is feared that they will also die. Among the slightly injured are Dr. Palmer and Ex-governor McGraw.

LAWSON GOES ABROAD

(Scripps News Association)
Boston, Mass., Sept. 15.—Broken in health by the effects of the tiring effects of his wife's illness, and bent with sorrow and grief, Thomas Lawson the laborman's friend, is going abroad for an indefinite stay. He has issued a circular to stock holders.

LONGWORTH NOMINATED

(Scripps News Association)
Cincinnati, O., Sept. 15.—Congressman Nicholas Longworth was nominated for re-election to congress from the first district this afternoon.

FALLIERES IN DANGER

(Scripps News Association)
Marseille, France, Sept. 15.—After learning of a plot to assassinate President Fallieres, six anarchists were arrested here today.

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We are receiving daily the Latest Styles in Ladies' Coats, Suits, and Skirts. These garments come from the greatest fashion center of the United States, New York, where we have a residence buyer who is in position to get the very latest.

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ANOTHER JESSE JAMES GANG

(Scripps News Association)
Bismark, N. D., Sept. 15.—Ten masked men, mounted on horses, rode into Underwood, fifty miles from here this morning and blew open the safes of the Security State Bank and the First National Bank, and secured a total of twelve thousand dollars in cash. Two citizens who objected to the robbery, were held until the job were completed. It took two hours for the robbers to do the work but people were frightened, due to the explosions, and dared not leave their homes. As soon as the ten men had cleaned the safes of all available cash, they rode away as they had come. Several posses were immediately organized and are hot on the trail.

Got Your Books Yet?

We are having a large sale on second hand books and there is every reason why you should have them. The books are good and the saving is worth while. It is important that you pick as early as possible because assortment may break at some point or your choice of the better of the second hand ones become limited. We can do you good on everything in school supplies.

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