

# ROAD TO JUAREZ STAKE IN FIGHT

### General Orozco Plans March South to Intercept Navarro's Force.

## TOWN IS STILL SAFE

### Friction Among Rebel Leaders Is Ascribed as Cause of Ineffectiveness of Revolution-Blanco Is Stubborn.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 9.—Members of the revolutionary junta state tonight that General Orozco will not force this afternoon by 250 men under General Casillas, will start south to contest the road to Juarez with the Federal General, Navarro, who is reported about 30 miles away.

If this process true, it ends for the time being, at least, the threat against Juarez. It was Casillas and not Blanco who spent Tuesday night 12 miles east of here, across the river from Ysleta, at a village known as Saragosa. It took him until this afternoon to make the junction. He had a brush with the Federals last night, but eluded them.

### Sixteen Reported Wounded.

A more serious fight occurred between unidentified forces opposite Fort Hancock, 40 miles east, last night. Sixteen participants were wounded. The report of the fight came to Fort Bliss from American soldiers guarding the border. Some of the wounded reached the Texas side and were cared for by the Americans.

Plans of the insurgents were at six and seven during the forenoon. The junta was divided as to whether Orozco should remain in this vicinity nursing a feverish hope that Blanco would come to his aid, or abandon the campaign for retreat.

A member in favor of the retreat stated that Orozco's forces had been purposely announced as larger than really was the case. All told, he said, the insurgent force has not numbered more than 350 men. This was the real reason that Juarez was not attacked.

### Food Not Contraband.

After much consultation of the law, United States Customs Officer Oliver has stated that food may be taken across the boundary. The Mexican government has not declared provisions for anything else contraband of war. To do so, it is said, would be to recognize the belligerency of the provisional government. The American troops merely have to prevent the crossing of arms, men and to preserve the neutrality of American soil.

Gonzales, provisional Governor of the State of Chihuahua, has repeatedly ordered Blanco to join the detachment threatening Juarez, but Blanco apparently acknowledges no superior. This friction accounts largely for the ineffectiveness of the revolution to date.

## BATTLE IS NEAR AT MULATO

### Dorantes Dodges Rebel Trap by Night March in Mountains.

FRESIDIO, Tex., Feb. 8, by courier to Santa Fe, Feb. 9.—The Federal troops and Federal troops are lined up for what is expected to develop into a decisive battle in the Mulato territory. General Dorantes, of the Federal army, led his forces around a rebel trap in the mountains and succeeded in reaching Ojinaga in safety on Tuesday, promises he will proceed to Santa Fe to give battle to the insurgents tomorrow.

Dorantes' flight was spectacular. He led his soldiers in a forced march of 60 miles across the mountain trails at night.

About 450 well armed insurgents are encamped at Mulato. When warned that Dorantes was coming, from Coyahu, they made a dash to intercept him, but they arrived an hour too late.

## WOMAN ACCUSED OF FRAUD

### Mrs. Alice D. Gauld, of Portland, Defendant in \$250,000 Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Alleging that her sister, Mrs. Alice D. Gauld, of Portland, Or., had obtained possession of the \$250,000 estate of her mother, Mrs. Isabelle Van Winkle, by fraud and duress, Mrs. Isabelle M. Romane, of this city, began suit here today to annul the proceedings by which Mrs. Gauld secured the bulk of the mother's property.

The complaint alleges that a few months prior to the death of Mrs. Van Winkle, Mrs. Gauld visited her at her home here and persuaded her to deed the estate in trust to her to be distributed to the various heirs after the mother's death. Mrs. Romane complains that no such distribution had been made and that Mrs. Gauld is enjoying the annual income from the property. Mrs. Van Winkle was the widow of one of the city's earliest pioneers.

The foregoing dispatch was read over the telephone to Mrs. Alice D. Gauld, and she said she knew nothing about it. Mrs. Gauld lives at the J. G. Gauld street, at the residence of J. G. Gauld.

## EXPLOSION BURNS SAILORS

### Gun-Charge on the Dolphin Injures Two Men at Port au Prince.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—An explosion of a saluting charge of a gun on the American gunboat Dolphin, now at Port au Prince, Hayti, caused "extensive superficial burns" to two of her crew, according to a telegram received by the Secretary of the Navy today from Captain Laws of the vessel. An eye of one of the men was injured.

None of the members of the injured Dolphin immediately left Port au Prince for Guantanamo, Cuba, where the United States Atlantic fleet is engaged in battle practice. The Dolphin will return to Port au Prince.

## ROBBER GETS LIFE TERM

### Fox Confesses Car Holdup—Confederate Is Captured.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9.—Louis Fox, the youthful robber who, with a companion, held up and robbed a Venice suburban car January 25, pleaded guilty today and was sentenced to life imprisonment. The other robber, whose name Fox gave as Sam Parson, was captured today at Willits, Mendocino County.

## MEXICAN TROOPS, OFFICIAL AND TWO GENERALS PROMINENT IN COMBATTING REBELLION.



ABOVE, INFANTRYMEN ON GUARD DUTY—BELOW (LEFT TO RIGHT), MANUEL COSIO, MINISTER OF WAR; GENERALS GREGORIO RUIZ AND RODRIGO VALDEZ.

## NEW FATHER FOUND

### Defense Says He Was Falvey, Not Lucky Baldwin.

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## COUPLE MUCH TOGETHER

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## ARIZONA VOTES "YES"

### Majority for Constitution Is Heavy. One County Against.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 9.—Hopes of the anti-constitutionalists that the vote to ratify the constitution would not be more than 40 per cent of the whole were dashed tonight when returns from the principal towns of nearly the 14 counties of the territory indicated a favorable vote that frequently ran as high as 3 to 1.

## OREGON SYSTEM ADOPTED

### California Senate Votes for Initiative and Referendum.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 9.—Senator Grover's constitutional amendment providing for the initiative and referendum was passed by the Senate today by a vote of 35 to 1. Senator Wright of San Diego voted against it.

## PATIENT SAYS DOCTOR ROBBED HER.

### San Francisco, Feb. 9.—Dr. Frank Wesley Carpenter, a well-known physician of this city, was arraigned in the Police Court today on a charge of robbery, his accuser being Mrs. M. R. Davis, a patient, who alleges that the doctor forcibly robbed her of several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds. According to Mrs. Davis, Dr. Carpenter, after rendering her helpless by a blow in the face, took from her a chamois bag, containing valuable gems.

## STATE ROBBED OF MILLIONS

### Submerged Land in Illinois Stolen by Private Corporations.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 9.—Representative D. M. Chipperfield today presented the report of the submerged lands committee in the House. Simultaneously the report was offered in the Senate and presented to Governor Deneen.

## GHOULS ROB GRAVE

### Body of Relative of W. L. Scott Stolen From Mausoleum.

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# GILL, UNYIELDING, ATTACKS SYSTEM

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Neither Dilling nor his friends have the inclination to hurry matters. When asked if he would be prepared to take office Saturday, Mr. Dilling said:

"I feel it my duty to qualify Saturday, or as soon thereafter as convenient to all concerned. A few days will not matter, and I shall not urge any undue haste.

## CONCERN TO CANVASS VOTE

"The City Council will meet tomorrow night to canvass the election returns and a statement will be given to the City Controller setting forth the result of the election. I expect to take over the office of Mayor as soon thereafter as possible."

Earlier in the day Mr. Gill issued the following signed statement:

"About one year ago I was elected to the office of Mayor, after having successfully competed for the nomination under the direct primary act. I immediately ascertained upon the assumption of my office that the price of my official tenure was the surrender of my official independence or constant warfare with those whom I had defeated at that primary. I chose to be independent, and as a result have been recalled.

"While, in my opinion, the petition for my recall was fraudulently obtained, and easily proved so, I surrendered what advantage that fact gave me, and submitted to the result of an election called upon a resolution in plain violation of the city charter and tainted with fraud and illegality in its every step, and to the holding of it during unlawful hours.

"It is distasteful in some respects to surrender a position taken from me, but I believe it has been, by the unscrupulous use of a larger sum of money than has ever been used in any previous half a dozen campaigns in this city and by the use of methods which might well make a pirate blush. Being fully aware of my ability to hold my office throughout my term should I so desire, I, however, keenly regret the business depression which this ceaseless agitation and newspaper war has caused to those who have so generously supported me heretofore and in the campaign just closed—the business interests of Seattle. Their interests are vastly superior to mine and only in deference to the welfare of the city, and in the hope that peace may restore prosperity, I shall on Monday, February 20, at noon (the earliest date on which I can do so with safety to my bondsmen), turn over the office to Mr. Dilling, unless unforeseen contingencies should arise.

## System Is "Un-American."

"As to the effect of this action upon the city's finances and securities I cannot be held responsible, and can only hope that my action is for the city's best welfare.

"No official, however well intentioned, no matter how rosy his views, can hold this office under the present un-American system of government in this city, without surrendering his honor and his independence, or finding, as I have found it to be, his official robe a veritable shirt of Nessus.

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### 72 Suits Selling From \$20.00 to \$30.00

### 68 Coats Selling From \$13.50 to \$25.00

### All New Late Fall Models

### Tailored Skirts \$7.50 and \$5.95

—Selling from \$7.50 to \$15.00 each, on sale in two different lots. Panama and serge cloth models in black, dark navy blue and brown, in various gored and plaited models, with trimmings of stitched bands and cloth-covered buttons.

### Heatherbloom Petticoats \$1.95

—Black heatherbloom petticoats with section ruffle, bands and tucks; others have knife-pleated or embroidered flounce.

### Men's \$1.75 Shirts 85c

—Made of fine percale in neat figures and stripes. Made with attached or detached cuffs and the bosoms are either plain or pleated. All sizes.

### Men's 75c Night Shirts 50c

—Night shirts for men of a fine quality cambric, made extra long and full, with a "V"-shape neck. Trimmed with fancy colored bands, tailor stitched. Deep cuffs on the sleeves and side pockets. In sizes from 15 to 19.

### Full Length Curtains 47c Each

—Curtains of cable and Nottingham nets, in white or Arabian color, in a large variety of patterns; 2½ and 3 yards long, 45 to 50 inches wide. Selling to \$3.00 a pair. A sample line.

### CLEANUP SALE OF HOUSE DRESSES

### \$1.35 House Dresses, Cleanup 89c

—Ladies' house dresses of percale and made with turn-down collar and long sleeves. Has one pleat over each shoulder. In cadet, navy, gray and black figured.

### \$1.50 to \$2.00 House Dresses, Cleanup 98c

—A special lot of one and two piece house dresses. The one-piece dresses are made of light and dark percales and plain colored chambray; some have Dutch necks and others with turn-over collars and come in all sizes.

### \$1.75-\$2.00 House Dresses, Cleanup \$1.29

—One-piece house dresses with high neck and turn-down collars, made of plain blue chambray with pleats over the shoulder or seersucker gingham and percale, with trimmings of straps and buttons.

### \$2.25-\$2.75 House Dresses, Cleanup \$1.98

—Best grade of house dresses of light striped or checked percales, with pleats over the shoulders and buttoned all down the left side and trimmed with fancy banding. Has Dutch neck and short sleeves with turn-back cuffs. Bias bandings on the skirt.

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