

VILLA FORCES WILL SHELL MATAMORAS

Attackers, Decisively Beaten in Attempt to Storm Town, Decide to Use Artillery.

FIRST ATTACKS COSTLY

American Officials in Brownsville, Tex., Apprehensive Last Missiles Fall in City—Wounded Frenzied Over Rio Grande.

BROWNVILLE, Tex., March 28.—Grave apprehensions were aroused among officials here today by the report that Villa officers have decided the defenses of Matamoros, opposite here, must be reduced, presumably by artillery.

The probability that artillery shells would fall in Brownsville was indicated by the wounding of two persons in the residence section here yesterday by stray rifle bullets, during the first assault on Matamoros trenches. This assault was a costly failure of the Villa forces. Their losses were officially given as 100 killed and 400 wounded. Carranza losses were 15 killed and 50 wounded.

Three Cavalry Charges Fail.

General Emiliano P. Nafarrate, commanding the Matamoros garrison of 1200 men, gave the Associated Press this account of yesterday's cavalry attacks:

"There were three separate cavalry charges. In the first, led by General Jose E. Rodriguez, not more than 500 men participated. The second was made by about 600 men, under Commander-in-Chief Cabral. The third assault comprised about 2000 Villa troops. Like the other two, it was beaten off.

"The Villa troops came to within 50 paces of where we entrenched. Then we would turn the machine guns loose and mow them down."

General Nafarrate said he would defend the city to the limit. Four flags captured yesterday, today, he said, were flying from his headquarters today, the band played in the plaza and men and women of Matamoros celebrated, filling the streets with colorful flags. One flag is inscribed "Second Brigade, M. Chao." This battalion, Carranza officials said, was almost wiped out. Both Villa and Carranza soldiers were killed. Carranza flags were killed carrying this flag. Another flag is inscribed "Villa Brigade." These and the other two captured banners were hoisted on the city walls.

Carranza General Wounded.

General Precipio Elizondo, of the Carranza garrison, was wounded seriously. It was said the bullet which hit him was fired by one of his own men.

General Nafarrate announced that of the 10 Carranza dead five were killed when an overenthusiastic Lieutenant ordered his men to charge a party of Villa soldiers gathering dead and wounded in front of the trenches. A skirmish resulted, in which the Carranza soldiers were repulsed. One Carranza soldier captured a horse in the night, was stood up against a nearby wall and shot.

When General Manuel Chao's brigade crossed, his officers say, they once reached within 10 feet of the trenches, when by some blunder a retreat was sounded.

Three miles to the rear the Villa wounded were ferried across the Rio Grande. Automobiles on the American side picked them up and rushed them here. All available cots in the city were called for.

Reports of Dead Conflicting.

Reports of the Villa dead conflict. The American count, Jesse H. Johnson, had a report of 200 killed and 200 wounded. Many bodies lay in the sun today in the open space before the Carranza trenches. Two hundred Villa wounded are housed in Brownsville.

Villa officers said today they were not discouraged and asserted General Jose Rodriguez in supreme command of the attacking troops, had decided that the best works must be reduced.

The Villa lines today lay near Las Ruinas, four miles southwest of Matamoros. General Urdanabai, with a force of Carranza troops said to number 1200, is known to be a few miles south of Matamoros and it is believed may be in touch with the Carranza troops reported aboard the transport Oaxaca, at the mouth of the Rio Grande.

Three Americans who preferred to remain on the Mexican side are housed in the United States consulate at Matamoros. The Carranza consul here captured a report that 60 Villa troops had been captured, but denied a widespread rumor that they had been executed.

MRS. ALA MARSHALL DIES

Prominent Albany Woman Succumbs to Heart Trouble.

ALBANY, Or., March 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Ala R. Marshall, resident of Linn County for about 40 years and a member of one of the county's most prominent families, died suddenly from heart failure at her home in this city just before noon.

Mrs. Marshall's maiden name was Mattie Wallace. She was born 48 years ago in Tennessee. When 19 years old she came to Oregon with her parents, the family settling near Lebanon. She was married to Mr. Marshall 21 years ago and they resided continuously on a farm east of Albany until they moved to this city two years ago.

She is survived by her husband and two children, Floyd and Ruth Marshall, both of Albany. She leaves the following brothers and sisters: Dr. J. P. Wallace, ex-Mayor of Albany; W. L. Wallace, S. O. Wallace and Mrs. James Keebler, of Lebanon; Francis Wallace, of Tallman; and Robert Wallace and Mrs. Bertha Hawkins, of Portland.

Her father, Brad Wallace, ex-County Treasurer of Linn County, who celebrated his 83rd birthday three weeks ago in a family reunion at Mrs. Marshall's home, also survives her.

HOT LUNCHES PLANNED

Vancouver Schoolchildren Found to Be Eating Cold Food at Noon.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 28.—(Special.)—The question of furnishing hot lunches for the school children is being taken up by members of the West Side Parent-Teacher Association. The proposition will be discussed at the next meeting, to be held April 7, in Franklin School.

It has been found that 80 pupils at Franklin School failed to eat hot lunches and investigation has disclosed the fact that children thrive better after having had a good lunch and a hot dinner or lunch.

The hot lunch at noon time was worked out successfully at Hazeldean three years ago. This is a country school.

HEIRESS WHO ELOPED WITH A DOORMAN.



—Copy right by Underwood & Underwood. MRS. JAMES MURRAY, FORMERLY ISABEL BERNHIMER.

LOVE SCORNS RICHES

Heiress and Doorman-Husband Ignore Parents' Pleas.

ELOPEMENT IS SENSATION

Servant in De Luxe Apartments in Which Bride's Millionaire Father Resides, Rejects Money Offered for Annulment.

NEW YORK, March 24.—(Special.)—Scorning further riches and the luxuries that might be lavished on her by her millionaire father for love as the wife of the doorman of the de luxe apartment-house in which her parents reside, Mrs. James Murray, 19 years old, is cleaving the desperate efforts of her relatives to have her forsake her husband and return to her former home of wealth.

And James Murray, the doorman-husband, is just as impervious to handsome monetary offers from his wife's parents, who are seeking to induce him to give up his bride. All he wants is to be "left alone" in his happiness with his bride.

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The marriage of the accomplished heiress to the doorman was the result of a sensational elopement, following a secret courtship, the duration of which has not been revealed by the principal characters.

The prospect of the parents annulling the marriage may be hindered by the daughter's declaration: "I will never leave Jim as long as I live!"

VIZIER PROMISES HELP

ORDER GIVEN FOR PROTECTION OF FOREIGNERS IN PERSIA.

Presbyterian Mission Board Not so Apprehensive as at First for Safety of Workers.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The Grand Vizier of Turkey has issued instructions to his subordinates that all inhabitants of the mob-ridden section of Persia, including the thousands of Christians in the vicinity of Erzurum, must be protected, according to advice received from the State Department today by the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions.

Reports from Erzurum, made public yesterday, announced that the large village of Gulpashan had been destroyed. Its men shot and its women hanged. A massacre impends, according to this message.

The communication from the State Department was signed by Robert Lansing, counselor of the department, and was written yesterday.

"Mr. Lansing advises us," said George T. Scott, assistant of the board, "that Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople had communicated to the Grand Vizier the request of the State Department for protection of Americans in the vicinity of Erzurum. The Grand Vizier, the letter says, expressed the belief that the reports of outrages there were inaccurate and that Mr. Morgenthau would immediately instruct his subordinates to protect all inhabitants of the section, including, of course, the Christians."

Mr. Morgenthau's cablegram, the letter said, was dated March 24, but did not reach the State Department until yesterday, March 26, having been delayed in transit for two days.

Mr. Scott added that the board was not so apprehensive at present as to the safety of American missionaries in the district as it had been before.

REGENTS OUT OF POLITICS

Opinion Holds Party Qualifications Do Not Exist for University.

SALEM, Or., March 28.—(Special.)—In an opinion today, asked by Governor Whycombe, Attorney-General Brown held that there are no political qualifications for regents of the University

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VETERANS MEET AGAIN

COMPANY M, SECOND OREGON VOLUNTEERS, REUNION HELD.

Gathering at Woodburn Great Success and Those Present Favor Continuing Annual Meetings.

WOODBURN, Or., March 28.—(Special.)—The second annual reunion of Company M, Second Oregon Volunteers, held here Saturday night, was a great success, and those present were in favor of a continuation of the annual gatherings. A dinner was served after which hours were spent in exchanging reminiscences of the days when those present fought in the Philippines.

The roll showed a total of 108 officers and enlisted men, of whom 29 were present and 11 reported by letter or telegram. Nineteen are dead. The others, precisely one-half of the company, were not accounted for. Efforts are to be made during the year to locate more of the veterans. It is proposed to hold the third reunion March 26, 1916. The date was selected on account of it being the anniversary of the battle of Malabon, in which Company M played a prominent part.

Captain J. M. Poorman presided. When the veterans were dismissed at a late hour only a few retired, many preferring to spend the rest of the night in swapping yarns.

Announcement was made that a camp of Spanish War Veterans will be organized in this city in the near future, with a probable membership of from 40 to 50. Many veterans residing in the locality, among them Second Oregon men and men from other companies, have endorsed the proposal.

Members of other organizations present Saturday night as guests of Company M were Charles E. Waite, Thirtieth Minnesota; Art Arnes, Fortyninth Iowa Infantry; L. Hanes, Third Wisconsin Infantry; W. J. Uppendahl, First South Dakota Infantry; W. W. Hill, First Nebraska Infantry; H. L. Moore, Battery B, Oregon Artillery.

WILSONVILLE HOME BURNS

Neighbors' Bucket Brigade Fails to Save Newspaperman's House.

WILSONVILLE, Or., March 28.—(Special.)—In spite of efforts of a "bucket brigade" formed by neighbors, the home here of David Morrison, of the Evening Telegram, was burned this afternoon.

Neighbors managed to save most of the contents of the library and some of the household furniture. The loss is estimated at \$2000. The fire was caused by a defective fuse.

Well-to-Do Britons Go to War.

LONDON, March 10.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Eleven Britishers, who gave up responsible positions on sugar plantations in Hawaii



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DUNDEE GROWERS ELECT

W. S. ALLAN CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF FRUIT ASSOCIATION.

Prize Crop of 1914, Although Less Than Normal, Brought Profit, It Is Said. Big 1915 Yield Is Indicated.

DUNDEE, Or., March 28.—(Special.)—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Dundee Fruitgrowers and Packers, held here yesterday, the following officers were elected: W. S. Allan, president; E. W. Meyer, secretary; Hans Nelson, Henry Holmeyer and Lee J. Eddens, directors.

Last year's prune crop was about 60 per cent of normal, but the entire crop was readily disposed of at remunerative prices, it was reported. The stockholders expressed satisfaction with the year's results.

Advice were received from Eastern brokers that the product of the Dundee Fruitgrowers and Packers was the best on the market.

John S. Edwards has had charge of the packing department during the two seasons the plant has been operated. At present the prune trees are heavily laden with bloom and, with the continued favorable dry weather, a bumper crop is practically assured. Cold rains any time in the next week would be likely to cause damage, it was said.

TRAIN HITS CAR; NONE HURT

Auto Owned by Jacob Struss, of Salem, Has Narrow Escape.

SALEM, Or., March 28.—(Special.)—One man and two women had a narrow escape from death here today, when an automobile in which they were driving was struck by a Southern Pacific passenger train at Twelfth and State streets.

The automobile, which is owned by Jacob Struss, a farmer living north of Salem, was going in a westerly direction on State street, when the locomotive crashed into it. It was struck a glancing blow and knocked from the track. None of the occupants of the car was injured, and the machine was only slightly damaged. The man driving the car answered the description of the owner, the latter's identity having been obtained through the number of the car.

Ex-Employe Is Accused.

Joseph Hayes was arrested Saturday by City Detectives Hyde and Vaughn on a charge made by his former employer that he appropriated for his own use insurance premiums which he collected, crashed into it. It was struck a glancing blow and knocked from the track. None of the occupants of the car was injured, and the machine was only slightly damaged. The man driving the car answered the description of the owner, the latter's identity having been obtained through the number of the car.

In 1913 the death rate of infants in England was 100 per 1000. In 1914 it was 70. The figure has been declining for a number of years.

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