

# MEXICANS GIVE UP ARMS AT NOGALES

Sonora Governor Takes Steps  
to Avert Further Firing  
Across Border.

## PEACE APPEARS RESTORED

American Consulate Violated and  
One Clerk Shot—Washington  
Regards Act as That of  
Irresponsible Persons.

NOGALES, Ariz., Aug. 29.—General Plutarco Elias Calles, military governor of Sonora, issued a manifesto tonight ordering all civilians in Nogales, Sonora, to deliver their firearms and ammunition to the general military headquarters at once to avert further fighting across the border.

The manifesto was distributed in the form of a handbill and resulted in many rifles, pistols and much ammunition being surrendered to the military authorities.

General Calles apparently has complete control of the situation across the line tonight, and no further trouble is anticipated. The Mexican town is under martial law.

Brigadier-General De Rosey Cabell announced tonight that everything was quiet here and that reports of large bodies of Mexican reinforcements south of Nogales, Sonora, were but idle rumors.

The American commander said there had been no trouble of any kind on the border since last night, and none was anticipated, as everything was quiet and peaceful here.

U. S. Consulate Violated.  
Violation of the American consulate at Nogales, Sonora, on Tuesday by armed Mexicans and the wounding of a consular clerk were made known today by E. M. Lawton, United States Consul, at the Sonora city just across the line.

Consul Lawton said that during the skirmish Tuesday afternoon, between American soldiers and Mexicans, armed Mexicans entered the American consulate at Nogales, Sonora, forced Vice-Consul McGuire and Consul Clerk E. Tooly to leave the consulate at the points of their guns. Tooly was shot and wounded. An investigation was in progress, Consul Lawton reported.

The American list of dead was increased to four early today when Lieutenant Luke W. Loftus, wounded in action during Tuesday's skirmish, died in the base hospital. His home was given as Laredo, Texas.

A report was received here today that a force of Yaqui Indians was camped one mile from Nogales, Sonora, and commanded by General Arnulfo Gomez. This has not yet been fully confirmed.

Old Trenches Manned.  
It was also announced today that, while the Mexican soldiers manned the old, abandoned trenches used during the revolution, at the time of the shooting Tuesday, no new entrenchment work had been done since the skirmish of Tuesday.

Citizens of Nogales, Ariz., were making preparations today for any emergency. Automobiles were registered and assigned for taking women and children out of town should any further trouble develop.

Another conference was held between General P. Elias Calles and General De Rosey Cabell at the consular bridge at noon today. General Calles announced he had sufficient forces on the border to keep the peace on his side of the line.

More U. S. Troops Arrive.  
American troops from nearby posts were arriving here today to reinforce the soldiers patrolling the border. It was generally