

THE COOS BAY TIMES BULLETIN

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 21, 1914.

OVER 200 MEXICANS KILLED IN BATTLE AT VERA CRUZ

Shooting continues and Admiral Fletcher announces that he will turn Fleet's big guns on Mexicans unless they stop.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

GALVESTON, TEXAS, April 21—

More than 200 Mexicans were killed at Vera Cruz. A large number were wounded but the exact casualties cannot be obtained.

U. S. THREATENS TO USE

BIG GUNS AGAIN.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, April 21—A dispatch from Rear Admiral Fletcher received at 7:30 p.m. announced that desultory firing was in progress. He said that he was hoping that part of Vera Cruz in vicinity of the railroad yard, custom house and consulate.

Rear Admiral Fletcher warned Gen. Maas that the big guns of the American fleet will be used unless he stops his men from firing. Fletcher said that he had fired only when his men were fired upon so far. There are now about 1,000 American Marines and Bluejackets in town.

AMERICAN VICTIMS OF

BATTLE OF VERA CRUZ.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

GALVESTON, TEXAS, April 21—

The American Marines killed at Vera Cruz were Coxswain Shoemaker, Corporal Huggerty, seaman Polansett all three were of the battleship Florida. Thirteen of the 500th man could not be located. The wounded included are C. D. Cameron, J. E. Floss, C. L. Leahy, U. Schwartz, seaman of the Florida, Elizabeth Gensbarn, of the Florida, L. D. McMillan Private, of Marine Corps from transport Prairie.

ATLANTIC FLEET IS

IN VERA CRUZ HARBOR

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

VERA CRUZ, April 21.—Rear Admiral Bridger commander in chief of the American fleet, has arrived here with five ships. He was immediately ordered to Tampico. He will divide the fleet at his discretion.