

ROOSEVELT IS READY TO TAKE UP BURDENS OF THE REPUBLICANS

Campaign to Secure for Him G. O. P. Nomination About to Be Launched.

"AMERICA FIRST" SLOGAN

To Visitors at Oyster Bay Roosevelt Defines Program Republican Party Must Adopt to Win Approval.

New York, April 6.—(U. P.)—Colonel Roosevelt's hat is in the ring. The campaign to land him in the Republican nomination is about to be formally launched.

This interpretation was almost unanimously given today to his statement to a group of visitors at Oyster Bay yesterday in which he defined the program that the G. O. P. convention must adopt if it wants him as standard bearer. It was agreed that the slogan should be "America first."

May Try for Delegates.
Politicians speculated on the possibility of Roosevelt now re-considering his refusal to enter the presidential primaries. It was thought possible that those sections would export a candidate taking a decisive stand on foreign policies. This probably led him to declare that he would not "pussyfoot" on any issue he had raised. "Don't you nominate me," he said to his visitors, "unless you are prepared to take the position that Uncle Sam is to be strong enough to defend his rights, and to defend every one of his people, wherever those people are, and he can't be strong enough unless he prepares in advance."

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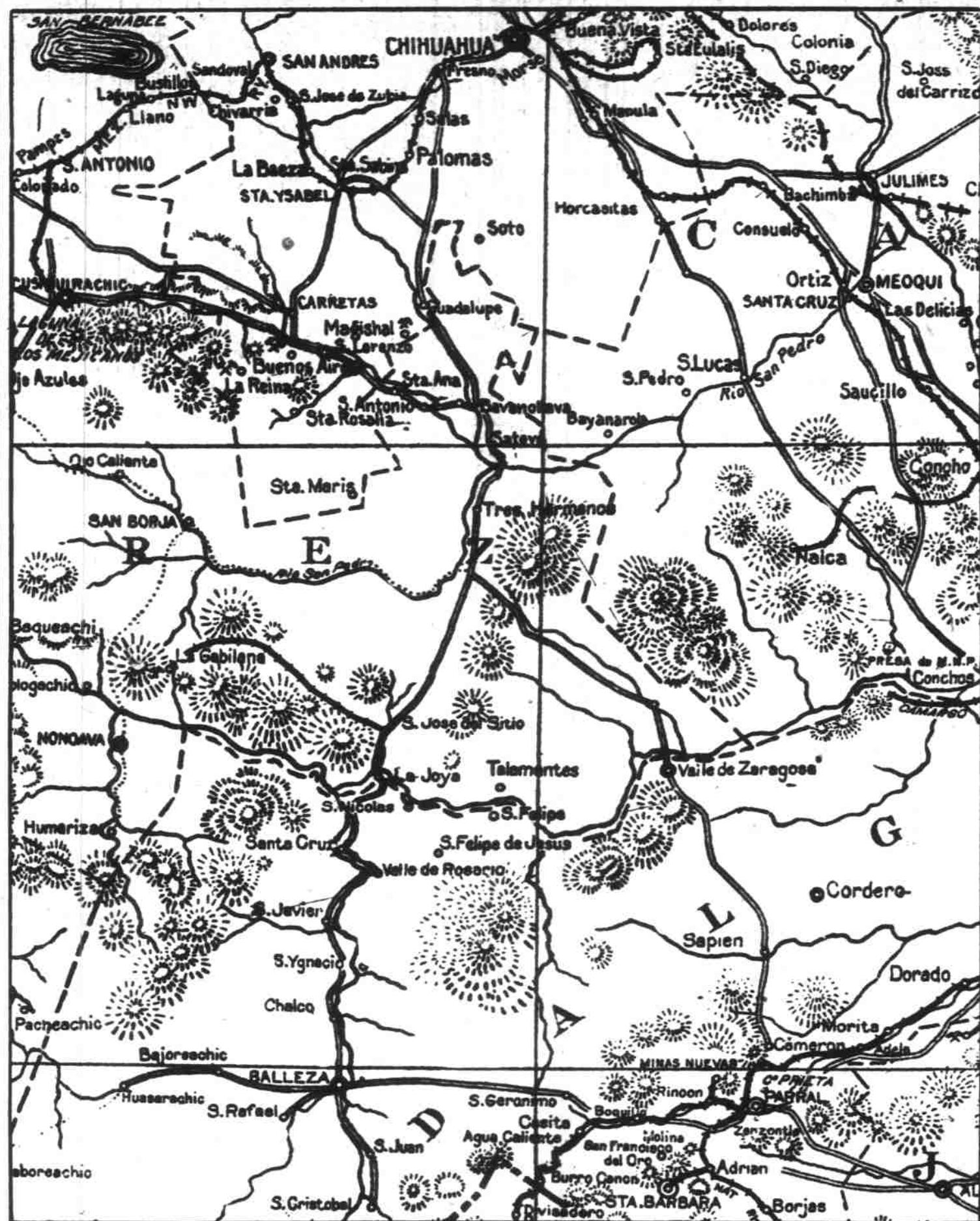
Is Not for War.
"I am not for war. On the contrary, I abhor an unjust or wanton war and I would use every honorable expedient to avoid even a just war. But I feel that you don't, in the long run, avoid war by making other people believe that you are afraid to fight for your own rights."

Colonel Roosevelt went on to say that America must never wrong the weak or insult any nation wantonly. He added that every citizen of this country should be prepared "in his own soul," as well as with the army and navy, so that when he said anything "the rest of the world will know that he means it and that he can make it good."

Comments Are Interesting.
Washington, April 6.—(U. P.)—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's announcement on the terms upon which he is willing to become a candidate for president today was the chief political topic discussed in Washington. It is believed that President Wilson will answer some of the issues raised at a dinner at the Common Council club here April 10. The Roosevelt announcement is expected to result in an early lining up of the delegates to the Chicago convention.

Leading Democrats expressed belief that Roosevelt's nomination by the Republicans is probable. Following are

WHERE VILLA IS HIDING FROM THE PURSUING U. S. TROOPS



Chihuahua, at the top of the map, is 472 miles from El Paso, on the United States border. Villa, with a small number of followers, is reported to be heading for Parral, northeast of Santa Barbara.

some of the comments:
Senator Stone—"Roosevelt's announcement of his candidacy does not surprise me. It begins to look as if the Republicans would nominate him."
House Majority Leader Kitchin—"I am glad to see the colonel's hat in the ring. I favor his nomination by the Republicans. He is sure to win for the Democrats."
Senator Norris, Progressive Republican of Nebraska—"Everyone has known Mr. Roosevelt would be a candidate. His advocacy of preparedness will lose him strength."
Senator Page, old line Republican, Vermont—"I prefer Hughes, but can support Roosevelt. Roosevelt is strong up our way, but a great many of his old friends will not support him. He is an aggressive candidate, however."

Plans Arouse Speculation.
Hartford, Conn., April 6.—(U. P.)—Republican leaders were concerned

today over Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's plans to visit this city next Tuesday on his way to Farmington to see his sister, the wife of Admiral William S. Cowles. They see more than a coincidence in the fact that Tuesday is the date of the Republican state convention to elect Connecticut's 14 Chicago delegates. To catch Connecticut's delegation would admittedly be a brilliant coup.

The 35 senatorial district convention were held by the Republicans throughout the state last Monday and ever since there have been growing reports of Roosevelt being favored as the Chicago nominee. Just why he should stop on his way back from Boston to visit Mrs. Cowles, the Republican leaders cannot fathom and they admit it.

TROOPS SHOULD WITHDRAW NOW ASSERTS GARCIA

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realize Villa is defeated. But further progress of American forces into the interior might precipitate trouble.

"The expedition has gone far enough to accomplish punishment of the bandits who raided Columbus, therefore I believe it ought to withdraw. Mexicans realize the expedition's purpose and they appreciate that it has succeeded. If Villa had made a stand and defeated even a small force of Americans he might have become a popular hero, but defeated as he is, he is ruined as a leader. He can never gather another army in Mexico."

May Take Years to Get Villa.
"The Carranzistas will get Villa," Garcia said, "but it may take a couple of years. His career is over."

"Do you think the Americans could withdraw honorably at this time?" Garcia was asked.

"Why not?" was the reply. "They have dispersed the Villistas without the loss of a single life."

"Practically all of the Villista leaders have been killed."

"The American expeditionary force has had a triumphal march, and certainly the United States would not care to support an army in Mexico for a couple of years."

Would Offer a Reward.
"Villa is hiding in the mountains, as he has done before. The proper thing for the United States to do is to offer a reward of \$100,000 for Villa's capture. History teaches us that this is the way bandits are taken."

"The agreement between the American government and Carranza says the expeditionary forces are to be withdrawn when they lose Villa's trail."

No Trace of Villa.
Francisco Villa has apparently disappeared. Carranzistas and American officials declared today that no soldiers of either government had seen him since he was reported wounded near Guerrero. While they believed he was near Parral, this information came from Mexican civilians and was unsatisfactory owing to the fear that these informants might be Villa sympathizers, officials admitted.

The American pursuit is believed to have halted temporarily south of Guerrero owing to the danger of extending communications farther without adequate railroad facilities.

Dodd Pursues Bandit.
However, 500 cavaliers under Colonel George Dodd may have dashed toward Satevo, where Villa was last reported several days ago. The latest estimates said Villa had 250 followers with him. He was previously reported as moving slowly in a wagon, attending only by a handful.

Carranza officials insist that he is desperately wounded and predict an early end to the fight, either by Villa going into hiding or being captured. With 18 arrests in El Paso besides 50 in Juarez, it was believed today that the plot to cause an insurrection in the

Juarez garrison had been broken up. There have been no executions yet.

General Obregon telegraphed Consul Garcia this afternoon:

"Gutierrez assured me it would not be long before Villa would be captured."

Obregon claimed several Carranzista victories over Villistas in minor engagements.

Ambassador Is Silent.

Washington, April 6.—(U. P.)—Mexican Ambassador Arredondo today said he had no knowledge of any desire of General Carranza for the American expeditionary forces to withdraw from Mexico. He refused, however, to discuss the matter further.

Government officials expressed no surprise over the interview given out in El Paso today by Carranza Consul Garcia. It was pointed out that Carranza has been strangely silent regarding the use of Mexican railroads.

Secretary Lansing and President Wilson conferred over the Mexican situation this afternoon.

Carranza Gets Note.

Queretaro, Mexico, April 6.—(U. P.)—The Mexican foreign office has received a note from the state department at Washington which asks, it is believed, unlimited use of railroads of Mexico by the American troops. The note has been forwarded to General Carranza at San Bartola and a quick answer is expected. The foreign office is silent regarding the note.

Carranza Army at Juarez.

El Paso, Texas, April 6.—(U. P.)—Wild excitement was caused in El Paso today by the arrival in Juarez of 500 Carranzistas who have been withdrawn from the campaign against Villa. The soldiers reached Juarez under the cover of darkness. The reason for their withdrawal from the Villa hunt is not known.

Villa was last reported at Souillo, 100 miles southeast of Chihuahua City.

Plans Not Changed.

Washington, April 6.—(U. P.)—If reports are true that the administration is disposed to consider the American expedition to Mexico accomplished its purpose by scattering the Villistas

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without actually capturing their leader, no confirmation of it is obtainable here. The war and state departments would not discuss the rumor, except to say that campaign plans have not been changed.

Funston No Mind Reader.

San Antonio, Texas, April 6.—(U. P.)—When asked whether the American army would withdraw from Mexico, Major General Fred Funston replied today that he was not a mind reader. "I don't read men's minds in Washington," he said sharply, when asked to confirm reports that withdrawal was contemplated.

Serafino Given American Post.

Rome, April 6.—(U. P.)—The pope has appointed Cardinal Serafino protector of the American college in place of the late Cardinal Gotti.

Jailbreak Is Prevented.

The habit of patrolling the city jail three times an hour, established by

Jailor J. D. Webster when he took charge after Lester E. Satterwhite escaped from the jail five weeks ago, prevented a similar break yesterday forenoon on the part of George Young held on an investigation charge.

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