

MILITIA WILL START FOR MEXICAN BORDER TO REINFORCE ARMY

Orders Will Be Issued for Movement of Troops Within Next 48 Hours.

RESERVE FORCE IS ASKED

Massachusetts and District of Columbia Forces Nearest Ready; New York and Illinois Men May Go.

Washington, June 20.—(I. N. S.)—The war department will issue orders within 48 hours for the first militia regiments to entrain for the border and reinforce General Funston's army of 50,000.

This decision follows a request made Tuesday by General Funston for a "considerable force" of militia to patrol the Mexican border, from Nogales to the Gulf of Mexico. He also asked for a force to be held in reserve here. Funston declined to state the number of men he asked for.

It came at the close of a day marked by developments that convinced officials that the United States and Mexico are hourly drawing nearer war.

Some Important Developments.

Important developments of yesterday were:

First—The United States sent to the Mexican government a war note warning Carranza of the grave consequences that will follow a resort to arms by Mexico.

Second—The president and cabinet reached the firm decision to back up the note with the armed strength of the nation, even to the extent of calling out a half million volunteers to supplement the regulars and militia.

Third—Ambassador Designate Arredondo suddenly cancelled an engagement with Secretary of State Lansing. Mexican embassy officials regarded the note as an affront and possibly a casus belli.

Mexico City Becomes Hostile.

Fourth—Special Agent Rodgers informed the state department of anti-American demonstrations in Mexico City and said he had arranged to take all Americans on special trains tomorrow to Vera Cruz, where the United States transport companies are waiting to bring them to the United States.

Fifth—Anticipating an immediate clash, General Funston wired the war department to send the first installment of national guard to the border immediately.

Upon receipt of General Funston's request, the war department telegraphed department commanders to report immediately on the progress of national guard mobilization.

Funston in Need of Cavalry.

Responses to these telegrams showed the Massachusetts and District of Columbia national guard organizations were nearest completely mobilized. These regiments and those of New York and Illinois, both of which states and cavalry of which General Funston needs the aid, are likely to be the first ordered to the border.

It is not expected that any militia establishments will be ready to entrain within 48 hours, but chiefs of the division of militia affairs said if General Funston urges their immediate dispatch they will be sent to the border without waiting for full mobilization and recruiting.

War With Carranza Expected.

Advices from Mexico City that Carranza has reiterated his threat to attack Pershing's forces and that Foreign Minister Aguilar, in the face of the American war note, has rejected the demand to evacuate Mexico, has repeated his demand for withdrawal, prepared officials for war with Carranza.

The American note is not expected to reach Mexico City until tomorrow. It was dispatched today by Ambassador Designate Arredondo, but delay was occasioned by necessity of translating the note into Spanish.

Secretary Lansing made it plain that notice to Carranza that the United States will not permit munitions or machinery to their manufacture to be exported to Mexico is considered a notice of a blockade of Mexican ports. Shipments to Mexico will be stopped at the American port of exit.

A nation cannot, Mr. Lansing said, blockade the port of another nation with which it is not at war. Nevertheless, the navy department has sent enough vessels to Mexican waters to blockade every seaport on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of Mexico if occasion arises. This will be the first step taken on the outbreak of hostilities. A blockade under such circumstances will prevent not only the entry of ammunition but foodstuffs and shipments of every character to Mexico.

Carranza Troops With Bandits.

General Funston reported he had received definite information that more of the supposed bandit forces who attacked the advance guard of Pershing's army when it was retreating from the field base in reality was composed of Carranza troops. There is information that the attack on Major Grey's punitive expedition in the Matamoros district last week was made by Carranza soldiers and not by bandits.

War college strategists who have followed the Mexican campaign from

Six-Year-Old Would Enlist Four-Mile Tramp Is Fruitless

Youngster Is a Patriot.

Chicago, June 21.—(U. P.)—Robert Burtch, 6, after walking four miles to enlist, learned that he "would have to grow up before he could become a soldier."

Four Brothers in Same Corps.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 21.—(U. P.)—Privates John and Robert, Lieutenants J. W. and Sergeant David Gillander are brothers. All four are members of an engineer corps, and will see service together.

Lost Love of Wife.

Chicago, June 21.—(U. P.)—Charles S. Jackson's threat to join the United States army cost him the love of his wife, he says in an alienation suit for \$5,000, filed against his brother-in-law and sister-in-law.

Leaves Desert for Service.

San Francisco, June 21.—(U. P.)—T. H. Dooling of company B, signal corps, was in the Mojave desert when he heard the news. "Give a piece for me," he telegraphed Captain Sullivan.

Californians Offer Services.

San Francisco, June 21.—(U. P.)—In a telegram to President Wilson, the California Grays, an independent in-

fantry company, offered their services in Mexico. Many society men are members.

Legislator Quits Militia.

Washington, June 21.—(U. P.)—Senator Wadsworth of New York resigned his lieutenantcy in the First cavalry, N. G., holding his service as a legislator paramount. The First cavalry is under orders.

To Form Jewish Company.

New York, June 21.—(U. P.)—Max J. Klein, who charges he was excluded from the militia because he was a Jew, announced he was forming a company of Jewish-American citizens to go to the front.

War Brides Are Numerous.

New York, June 21.—(U. P.)—Call to the colors has resulted in scores of "war brides" here. Most of the "war brides" immediately bade their husbands good-bye as they hurried to the armories.

Paralytic Would Serve.

Oakland, Cal., June 21.—(U. P.)—A paralytic crept painfully upstairs to the army recruiting office and asked the sergeant if he couldn't in some way make himself useful to Uncle Sam.

Guerrilla Warfare Is Expected.

Carranza forces after learning of the American note are expected to begin guerrilla warfare on General Pershing's army, supplemented by incursions across the border, which inevitably will force a defensive attack by the American army, which will precipitate war.

All preparations at the war department today were in line with a general invasion of Mexico. General Funston was given authority to purchase 50,000 horses and mules. The quartermaster's department prepared to place orders for supplies of all characters for subsistence of the army in Mexico or on the border.

Mediation Reports Are Current.

Reports were in circulation today that efforts may be made by the Latin American governments to bring about mediation of the differences between the United States and Mexico.

Secretary Lansing said no offers of mediation had yet been made either by Latin American governments or by King Alfonso of Spain, who had been appealed to by Spanish residents of Mexico City to offer his services as mediator.

Magazine to Feature Italian War News

Publication to Contain Illustrations and Will Be Printed in Four Different Languages.

With the intent of giving an exact knowledge of the actual Italian war, the supreme command of the Italian army has come to the determination to publish an illustrated magazine of its principal events. This publication, edited by Fill Treves, will consist of a series of numbers that will come out once a month with every one of the 64 pages richly illustrated and with an index of the illustrations.

The edition will be printed on special photographic material furnished by the supreme command itself and will be published in four languages, Italian, French, English and Spanish, with very accurate printing.

Members of the Oregon Italian colony who are interested in this magazine get information about it from the royal consular agency of Italy, 301 Stock Exchange building.

Survivor of Bear Tells Graphic Story

Girl Pays Tribute to Deckhand Who Saved Her Life When Lifeboat Overturned in Leaving Steamer.

Los Angeles, June 21.—(P. N. S.)—Telling a graphic story of her experiences, Miss Hazelle Hansen, 21 years old, a survivor of the wreck of the steamship Bear, which went aground on Star Line of rock on the Mendocino coast last Thursday, is now in Los Angeles. She paid tribute to Joe L. Rooney, a deck hand, who saved her life, she stated, about 11:15 from the vessel overturned.

Bandon Father to Be Tried at Once

J. M. Young, Who Killed Man Found in His Daughter's Bedroom at 4 o'Clock in Morning, Is Indicted.

Marshfield, Or., June 21.—J. M. Young of Bandon, who was indicted by the grand jury Tuesday at Coquille, will be tried at once, it is said. The charge is manslaughter. Young killed James Condas, whom he found in his daughter's bedroom at 4 o'clock in the morning.

Khaki-Clad Men All Over Country Quick to Respond to Call

Entire 100,000 Guardsmen Requisitioned for Service to Be in Camp Saturday.

RECRUITING GOES ON FAST

Mobilization Will Be Supreme Test of Railroads and Supply Stations of Country; Recruiting Goes On.

New York, June 21.—(U. P.)—America has donned the habiliments of war today. Almost every city in the nation saw khaki-clad men answering the call for general mobilization of the militia. Statistics gathered today by the United Press show that the national guardsmen of all the states called out by President Wilson have answered the call to the colors with instantaneous unanimity, while recruiting is fast everywhere.

By the end of the week every one of the 100,000 national guardsmen requisitioned for service will be in concentration camps, drilling and "hardening" for actual service wherever needed.

Engineers Put to the Test.

In many cases this concentration called for many superhuman efforts by engineers to construct sanitary water supplies and arrange disposal of sewage.

New York's 15,000 troops, for instance, to be concentrated near Beckman, N. Y., make necessary laying out of a small-sized town with complete sewage disposal plants, a 320,000 gallons a day water supply plant and tremendous food supplies.

That the mobilization will be a test of railroads and food supply stations as well as of the guard itself, was becoming more and more apparent today.

Making Ready for Grim War.

Nearly every city in the country today saw its boys off or saw them making ready for the grim business of war. No such scenes have been witnessed since the Spanish-American war of 1898.

Mothers, fathers, sisters, sweethearts, thronged the armories everywhere, saying farewell—good-byes in which the tears of fear were mixed with the laughter of pride.

Recruiting stations for national guardsmen throughout the country are flooded with applicants. United Press dispatches indicate there will be no difficulty whatever in filling all guard regiments to their full war strength.

Men Fight for Chances.

Several cities reported men almost fighting for places in the line waiting to enlist. The whole nation also reported instant response by employers to the spirit of the national guard mobilization. In nearly every city em-

ployers approved the leave-taking of their guardsmen employees, and in many instances announced full-time pay during their absence, or at least half time pay.

The following descriptive summary of state conditions was gathered today by the United Press:

16,000 Mobilizing in New York.

New York has 16,000 troops mobilizing, including every branch of the service. Engineers and signal branches are already in camp. At a cost of \$1,000,000, 4,500 horses and 2100 mules purchased, are now en route for cavalry and artillery branches. Most firms, following the lead of the American Exchange National bank, are granting full pay or half pay to all militia employees answering the call. Recruiting is going on full blast. All troops are expected to be in camp Thursday.

California.—It is estimated that 3400 troops were under arms by noon yesterday, and it is expected that 4000 or 5000 will be encamped at Sacramento by Saturday. The movement of troops from home stations to camp began yesterday.

7000 Men in Missouri.

Missouri's 7000 men are expected at the Nevada, Mo., camp today and camp is expected to be complete by tonight. A regiment recruited exclusively among Germans is rapidly being formed with \$50,000 contributed by the German-Americans of its equipment. Lieutenant McDonald of St. Louis left the bedside of his dying father for mobilization, his father declaring: "I'm dying—the flag is worth more to you than me!"

Louisiana.—Fifteen hundred guardsmen assembled at armories. Fourth of July celebration funds are being used to care for the families of the guardsmen. Railroads and lumber mills throughout the state have announced they will pay full salaries until further notice.

Recruiting Campaign Is On.

In Colorado a strenuous recruiting campaign is on to bring the militia up to full strength. One-third of the 1400 men now under call were ready at noon today.

Delay until Monday in delivery of the president's call in Iowa, slowed up mobilization, but 3500 guardsmen are already under arms waiting at armories for state mobilization orders, expected to be issued today.

Massachusetts has 5100 men already under arms, with nearly 600 new enlisting. The war footing of 9000 is expected to be filled by tonight.

Maine Recruits Coming In.

The rush of recruiting indicates that the Maine militia will be at full strength by tonight. Present force is now ready, according to the official report of the adjutant general.

Vermont is officially reported as "practically complete" in men and equipment.

In Mississippi, 2000 militiamen are coming to City park, Jackson, by regiments. Mobilization is to be complete in 10 days.

Two thousand under arms in Arkansas, ready to entrain for Little Rock mobilization grounds today. The war footing of 3500 will be reached Saturday.

Maryland to Have 3000 Men.

In Maryland, 3000 men will be in camp at Laurel, Md., by Thursday, most of these now being held at armories. The Commercial national bank of

EUGENE COMPANY AWAITS CALL



Members of corps in front of Second and Third company C. A. C. armory at Eugene.

Eugene, Or., June 20.—Though the coast artillery corps is not included in President Wilson's call to the colors, the local company is in readiness to answer at any time. Suppressed excitement prevails at the armory.

Baltimore offers to take care of soldiers' families free.

Wisconsin has 4900 men in armories; expected to be encamped Thursday. Recruiting is rushing.

Kansas has 2000 guardsmen now mobilized in armories who will reach Fort Riley within two days. A few business houses are continuing salaries. Recruits are rapidly filling up the war footing of companies.

Minnesota has 1200 under arms. In Minneapolis and southern Minnesota, except St. Paul, recruiting is very heavy. In Minneapolis 450 men enlisted during the first hour.

South Dakota Is Ready.

South Dakota's 600 strength is ready, with recruiting strong. Employers at Aberdeen, Watertown, Pierre and Sioux Falls will pay all salaries during the guardsmen's absence.

North Dakota's 500 men are practically ready. Employers of the principal cities will meet this evening to decide regarding salaries.

Pennsylvania's 11,000 men will be ready for full mobilization at armories Thursday and encampment at Gettysburg by Monday. Enlistments are rapidly coming in and it is expected to fill to the full 15,000 war strength or even the full state quota of 20,000.

Ohio has 5600 men to be concentrated at camps by Friday. Nearly all employers are paying salaries to men with families.

West Virginia's 700 Guardsmen Are Ready.

They will formally mobilize Friday.

Recruiting Strong in Indiana.

Indiana's 2500 militiamen were under arms at noon. By Saturday it is expected that encampment will be completed. Recruiting is going strong.

District of Columbia's 1200 men are under arms. Congress probably will be asked to make provision for government employes in the militia.

North Carolina is Practically Ready.

The Durham hosier company, employing 1000 men, is offering a bonus to employes responding to the call and

EXAMINATIONS TO BE CONDUCTED ON THE MARBLEHEAD

Five Junior Officers for Oregon Naval Militia Are to Be Selected Sunday.

ENLISTMENTS GAINING

Men Will Be Called Out If War Is Declared, in Opinion of Captain George Blair.

Examinations will be held Sunday, beginning at 10 a. m. on board the cruiser Marblehead for five junior officers of the Oregon Naval Militia. Any member of the O. N. G. is eligible. There will be one officer for the second division, known as the Washington high school division; two in the engineers' division, and two in the first division.

Captain George C. Blair announced that if there could be obtained additional private leaves of absence by men employed, two days additional would be given on the cruise beginning July 15, and that one or more British Columbia ports would be visited in addition to Sitka, Alaska, and Port Angeles, Wash.

He called attention to the necessity of the men who wished to have any transfers made, or who wished to get out of the service, making application without delay, and for all who had friends who wanted to get into the service to enlist without delay.

"When the mobilization of the Oregon Naval Militia is ordered," said the captain, "not a man can get in on the O. N. G., and not a man can get out."

There were 10 enlistments made, and a number of others will join shortly. Out of one group of 15 high school students, 12 have enlisted. It is believed that another group of 18 will make application in a body.

Unless war is declared Captain Blair does not expect the Oregon Naval Militia to be called out; but if it is declared he told the men he was of the opinion that they would be called out. The organization is nearly up to full war strength and but a few more vacancies remain. Recruiting will go on, however, until a war list is established.

The first drill held on the Marblehead last night brought out the best attendance yet known in the service.

Mrs. Hawley Seeks Divorce.

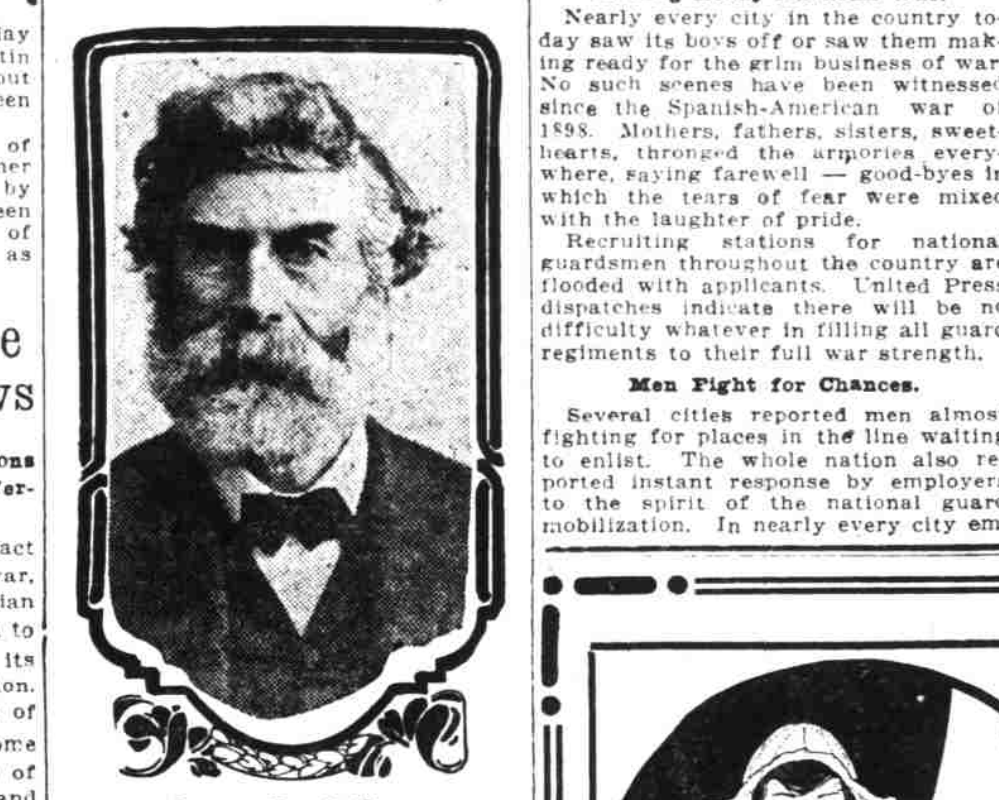
Charging cruelty, Ethel Hawley filed suit yesterday afternoon for divorce from Fred L. Hawley. They were married in Eugene in 1913. They have one child.

For Revenue Only.

From Judge. Most of the time the plaintiff would hit the nail upon its well-known head if she'd spell it income-taxability.

JUDGE J. L. COLLINS, PIONEER OF POLK, IS DEAD AT AGE OF 83

Crossed the Plains When Indians Were Hostile and Provisions Were Scarce.



James L. Collins

Dallas, Or., June 21.—Judge James L. Collins, a resident of Polk county for 59 years, died at his home in Dallas last night, of infirmities incident to old age. He was 83 May 9 last.

Judge Collins was born in Warren county, Mo., and crossed the plains with his father, Smith Collins, and family, when he was 15. They left Kansas City in the spring of 1846 in a big wagon train, the first to come into Oregon by the "south road," or "Applegate's cut-off." Much of the trail, particularly through southern Oregon, had to be cut as they came.

The party had its first encounter with Indians in Humboldt valley, northern California. The Indians stole some of the emigrants' cattle. This happened again in the Trumppu valley on the way to the Willamette. The white men gave chase, and one of them was killed.

Weather Was Bad.

The Collins family got so far as the site of the present city of Eugene in December, 1846. The weather turned bad, and it was decided to leave young James Collins and a man to care for the stock until spring. The rest of the Collins family went on to Polk county and settled on a claim on the Little Luckiamute river. Not long after they left the camp at Eugene the man left with a young boy became ill, and a little later a crippled man came along and made his abode with them.

It was a hard winter for the young immigrant, with two helpless men and himself to provide for and the cattle to look after. For three months all the food he and the men had was killed with his rifle.

He drove the cattle on north in the spring and joined the family. At that time Oregon City was the nearest trading point.

Largely self educated, Judge Collins taught school as a young man, studying law in his spare time. He was admitted to the bar at the first term of circuit court held in Polk county when Oregon became a state in 1859, by Judge R. L. Bates.

Practiced at Dallas.

Judge Collins became a resident of Dallas in 1861, and continued to practice law there up to about six years ago. He was appointed county judge of Polk county in 1869 by Governor Woods, to fill a vacancy.

Among his effects is the first law library ever brought to Oregon. He bought it from Judge Nesmith when the latter was elected to the United States senate.

Judge Collins was married in 1861 to Miss Mary Whiteaker, who died in 1865, leaving one child. Two years later he was married to Miss Mary E. Kimms. To this union there were born 10 children, of whom the following, with the mother, are living: Mrs. E. Watts, Hillsboro; Mrs. J. L. Burns, Portland; Miss Nellie Collins, Jerome, Ariz.; Mrs. J. U. Nanney, Benson, Ariz.; Frank W. Collins, Thane, Alaska; Miss Ednelle Collins, Dallas, and Dean Collins, Portland.

Funeral services will be held in Dallas tomorrow at 1 o'clock. The body will be taken to Portland for cremation, and the ashes will be returned to Dallas for interment in the family burial plot.

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