

WAR PENDING ACCOUNT OF OFFICER

Lieutenant Hoge's Story of Carrizal Massacre Would Determine the Action to Be Taken by President Wilson Towards Mexico.

AMERICAN CAVALRYMEN MUST BE RELEASED, TOO

Washington Apparently Believes Settlement by Arms Inevitable and Therefore Prepares for Open Hostilities Within Few Hours.

Washington, June 24.—(U. P.)—America's future action as to Mexico apparently hinged on the release of the 24 American cavalrymen, survivors of the Carrizal massacre, held at Chihuahua City, and the report of the fact that all the men were to be released.

Forty Unaccounted For

Release of Prisoners Demanded

Hundred Million Is Produced by Oregon Fisheries

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Guatemala Will Not Join War on Mexico

Revolutionary Leader Threatens Invasion But Government Officials Deny Rumor; Conference Secret.

Bodies of Five Are Taken From Ruins

Needles, Cal. Fire Fatal to Five Men; Only One Identified; Bitter Feeling Against Mexicans Subsides.

McManigal Quit Job On Threat of Strike

Self-Confessed Dynamiter's Presence on Construction Job in Los Angeles Is Objected to by Workmen.

GENERAL BELL SAYS OREGON TROOPS GO WERE READY

Commander of Western Department, U. S. A., Arrives to Inspect Guard Camp at Clackamas.

FUNSTON'S TO ORDER WHERE SOLDIERS GO

Chief of Coast Forces to Spend a Day at Camp Withycombe.

General Bell to Review Guardsmen This Afternoon. After a two-hour conference between Major-General J. Franklin Bell, commanding the Western Department of the United States Army, and Adjutant-General George A. White, of the Oregon National Guard, it was announced last night that the general will review the troops at Camp Withycombe at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Argentina's Ambassador to United States Urges Measures as a Possible Preventive of War in America.

Buenos Ayres, June 24.—(U. P.)—P. S. Naon, Argentine's ambassador to Washington, has proposed the establishment of a police zone along the Mexican border to prevent further bandit raids and as a possible preventive of war between the United States and Mexico.

General Bell said many requests had come to him regarding the summer military training camps, including letters regarding the likelihood of holding one at Vancouver barracks. He said he had explained the impracticability of holding a camp at Vancouver, but was reasonably assured that the camp at American lake would be held.

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Occasion Is Bidding Farewell to Dr. Bolland Who Goes to El Paso to Staff Off War.

D. A. R. of Oregon to Gather Funds for O. N. G. Families

Headquarters Will Be Opened Tomorrow by the Society for the Reception and Distribution of Funds at Room 616, Journal Building.

Assistance to the wives and families of members of the Oregon National Guard who have gone to the front will be the big work of the Daughters of the American Revolution of the state of Oregon during the coming months. The Daughters will open headquarters at 616 Journal building tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock for the reception and distribution of funds and the transaction of all business connected with the work.

The called meeting of the Daughters held Friday morning at Central library to formulate working plans for this work of assistance is already bearing fruit, the committees appointed at that time are at work; the advisory committee being headed by Mrs. J. B. Montgomery and the working committee being headed by Mrs. C. S. Jackson. A number of substantial monthly subscriptions have already been made, a complete list of which will be announced Monday.

Funds Are Solicited. Sums of \$10, \$5, \$3, \$2 \$1 and even as little as 25 cents per month are earnestly desired. All funds thus collected will go directly to the families of the enlisted men of the state army, and help necessary being secured from among the wives or daughters of soldiers' families. Rooms for the headquarters have been donated by The Journal and both telephone companies have installed phones free of charge.

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These plans were decided upon tonight by General Miller, head of the militia division, and received last reports from all state commanders.

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BATTALION OF OREGON GUARD MUSTERED IN

No Troops Will Be Ready for Service at the Border Within 10 Days or Two Weeks.

FOUR COMPANIES ARE FIRST TO BE SWORN IN

Army Surgeons Reject Six After Examining All of Company M Members.

Camp Withycombe, Clackamas, Or., June 24.—The third battalion, third regiment infantry, Oregon National Guard, has been mustered into the federal service.

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Berlin Claims Verdun Victory

Capture of Fleury and Armored Fortress of Thiamont Is Announced.

By Ed L. Keen. London, June 24.—(U. P.)—The greatest German gain in the fighting east of the Meuse since the capture of Port Vaux was announced in an official statement issued at Berlin this afternoon.

Attacking with several divisions, the crown prince thrust deep into the French line. The German war office announced that it had captured the village of Fleury, only three and one-half miles from the heart of Verdun, has been stormed and captured by Bavarian troops, including the King's Own regiment, with the capture of 2673 prisoners.

The French war office in an official statement issued tonight admits that German troops this morning occupied a few houses on the outskirts of the village of Fleury, but that today's fighting made no further change in the situation.

The night official statement from the French war office admitted that the Germans held the Thiamont fortified works, but announced that the French had captured a large number of the positions lost when the Germans attacked yesterday with 120,000 men.

The Germans, military men here believe, plan to drive a deep wedge into the French line northeast of Verdun and maintain their position while they bring heavy artillery to bear on the remaining French forts on the northern eastern front of the French citadel.

Bread-Winners Can Escape Militia Duty

By Claiming Exemption They Can Dodge Bullets; Otherwise Probably Will Receive \$15 Per Month.

Washington, June 24.—(U. P.)—National guardsmen who are needed as bread-winners probably will not have to wear the uniform of the militia, but will be exempted from militia duty.

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HIGH PRAISE GIVEN MEN BY PERSHING

"Great Courage and Thorough Fighting Qualities," Are the Words to Funston Characterizing Troopers' Actions at Carrizal Battle.

OVERWHELMING ODDS FACED BY SMALL BAND

Total Survivors Known Number 33 With Six Men Rescued at San Luis Ranch by Major Jenkins, According to the Message Received.

Baker Offers With President. Washington, June 24.—(U. P.)—The first authentic account of the Carrizal battle between American troopers and Mexican soldiers was given out tonight by Secretary Baker, following the receipt of a report from General Pershing.

San Antonio, Texas, June 24.—(U. P.)—"Great courage and thorough fighting qualities" is the proud characteristic General Pershing gives the heroes of the Carrizal battle in a message he sent to General Funston tonight.

Arizona Governor to Ask for Martial Law

Will Suggest to President Military Rule for Southern Portion of State and Arrest of Agitators.

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