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REBELS HOLD PLACE

Federals in Fierce Attack Fail to Dislodge Insurrectos.

Orozco In Command at Critical Moment Resists Flank Movement —Casualties Small.

At the Rebel Front, Rellano, Mexico.—General Pascual Orozco's army of rebels fought off the government troops under General Huerta, who attacked the insurrectos stronghold. At the end of five hours' fighting, General Huerta's command was in retreat, leaving dead and wounded on the field. General Orozco does not believe the fighting is over, however, and expects a vigorous continuation of the battle.

The thundering artillery and infantry fire ceased shortly after nightfall, after perhaps the most spectacular battle fought on Mexican soil since the French invasion of the last century.

It is impossible to estimate the casualties, but it is known the federals lost at least five cavalrymen in a charge against the right wing of the rebel line near a point which General Orozco, who directed the rebel maneuvers, happened to be at the time.

It is now believed that the rebel loss in dead will fall short of 50, although this number may be increased when the field has been searched.

In 13 troop trains the federals moved up to within one mile and a half of Rellano and began a terrific shelling. The first few shots exploded within a few feet of the rebel troops, but killed only a few horses. One woman was killed in the town.

General Orozco came down from Jiminez to take personal charge of the fight just before the federals attacked.

General Salazar was in command of the first rebel line. The federal commands of Generals Trucy Aubert, Rabago and Telles and Colonels Villa and Urbina were engaged.

BURBANK LORE FREE.

Society is Organized to Forestall "Corner" on Knowledge.

San Francisco — To prevent the "commercializing" of the life work of Luther Burbank, the famous horticulturist, a Luther Burbank society has been organized and chartered by the state of California, with the definite purpose of seeing that the work of the great scientist is given to posterity without entail.

The society has no capital stock and no power to incur debts or to earn profits. Its purpose is solely to assist Luther Burbank in the dissemination of his teachings, so that the greatest number may profit in the greatest degree. It has an extensive membership, with names of nation-wide fame on the roll.

Burbank is the honorary president, and the name of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst immediately follows. The list, so far as it is prepared, concludes with Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia University. The membership is limited to 500 and by means of the moderate membership fee the society will make possible the production of books of a quality which will do honor to their author and the matter which they contain.

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The home of the organization is situated at Burbank's grounds at Santa Rosa and its activities will have his personal guidance and co-operation.

Wool Bill Not Settled.

Washington, D. C. — The senate finance committee, after a long wrangle over the wool tariff bill, has been unable to reach an agreement, and it is reported they have agreed to report adversely the Underwood bill as it passed the house. It had been expected that the committee would draft a substitute bill conforming to the finding of the tariff board, but this plan has been abandoned, the committee also refusing to report the Smoot substitute. In fact, no senator but Smoot favors the Smoot substitute.

Freighthandlers Will Strike.

Chicago — Freighthandlers in all parts of the country received notification that a general strike order had been issued by President P. J. Flannery, of the International Brotherhood of Railway Freighthandlers. The strike order was decided on a few days ago according to information given at the Freighthandlers,' headquarters, and the notification was immediately mailed to the different unions.

Coal Miners Again Work.

Philadelphia—After being idle for 44 working days, the 170,000 mineworkers throughout the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania have resumed work under the new wage agreement. In the Hazelton region, men engaged in stripping work struck for a 10 per cent increase in wages.

Amundsen to Seek North Pole.

Montevideo—Captain Raold Amundsen, the discoverer of the South Pole, who has arrived here, announced his intention to start from San Francisco in March or April, 1913, on an expedition to the North Pole.

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Isaac Jones, retired whaler, steamboat man and soldier of Somerset, Pa., teaches what is probably the most unique Sunday school class in the country. For 20 years he has taught a class in the Somerset county jail. During that time six of his pupils, he is quoted as saying, have been hanged and one other has been convicted of murder.

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Where Sailors Disagree.

On two topics the great transatlantic steamship companies are not agreed. Some creep through a fog at a snail's pace. Others dash through it at topmost speed—the quicker out of it the better. Some insure heavily against loss by fire. Others carry all their fire risks themselves.

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MEXICANS WARNED BACK.

Rebels Charge Americans, But Bold Front Stops Them.

At the Boundary Camp of American Troops Near Fabens, Tex.—The cool judgment of an American army lieutenant and the aggressive stand of two Texas rangers in the face of 200 Mexican rebels advancing on the American boundary line prevented serious complications early Wednesday between the United States and Mexico.

"Death to them!" cried the Mexicans, and a shot rang out as they spurred their horses, drew their carbines from their saddle slots and charged forward to a wagon road where Lieutenant C. A. Dougherty and 35 men of Troop B, Fourth United States cavalry, had stationed themselves, their rifles pointing toward Mexico. C. E. Wasster and Charles Moore, of the Texas rangers, who have been accompanying the American troops on the border patrol, dashed forward.

"If you dare to come across this wagon road we'll arrest your whole army," shouted Wasster. Lieutenant Dougherty, thinking perhaps he had miscalculated the boundary line, gave the Mexicans the benefit of the doubt and drew his men back a few yards, under cover of some sage and mesquite, ordering them under no circumstances to fire until so commanded.

"This wagon road is the line," Wasster continued to call in Spanish to the advancing rebels who formed into a fighting line, demanding at the same time that they send out their chiefs for parley. Colonels Jose Cordoba and Carlos Bustamente, in command of the rebels, who were moving on Guadalupe, dismounted and crossed the Sandy road. The Mexicans declared they mistook the rangers for two men for whom they had been searching.

Lieutenant Dougherty came forward and defined what he believed to be the American line. The rebel leaders soon turned their troops away and headed eastward toward Guadalupe.

ARTIST, 86, IN POORHOUSE.

Sitting Among Many Failures, He Reflects on Past Fame.

San Francisco—Deserted and left penniless at 86 years old, Joseph Paudle, an artisan who is almost an artist, is now an inmate of the City and County Relief Home, where with bowed head and trembling chin he sits among a crowd of other old men who are mostly failures, while he had conquered fame as the man whose handiwork had cast the statue of Liberty on Washington capitol.

Distressed by poverty and old age, he has existed for the past few years on the charity of a few friends, but now, alone, he has come to pass his last days in the poorhouse.

Paudler is chiefly known to San Franciscans for his work on the Mechanics' monument on Market street and the statue of General U. S. Grant in Golden Gate park, as well as that in Washington square. Trembling with age, the white-haired old man described how the fire of 1906 took all his possessions. For three years he worked on the figure of Liberty, which now adorns the cupola on the capitol at Washington, a work often interrupted by the stirring events of the Civil war.

"Abraham Lincoln," said the old man, "took a great interest in my work, and often he would stop and speak to me."

He did most of the brass and bronze work in this city for 20 years.

Amateur Aviator Killed.

Xenia, Ohio.—Fred J. Southard, of Minneapolis, Minn., an aviator, fell 100 feet at the Wright aviation field near Osborne and was instantly killed. Southard, who was 40 years old, had just bought the aeroplane from the Wright brothers. He obtained the keys to the hangar after he had been refused permission to take the aeroplane out without further experience. He fell just six minutes after he had begun the first flight alone. His body was badly crushed.

Denver Tries New Deal.

Denver—Democrat and Republican headquarters concede the election of Henry J. Arnold mayor and practically the entire citizens' ticket. Early returns showed that the citzens' ticket had carried each of the 76 precincts reported, by such a wide margin that the scratched ballots would not change the result. This seemed to insure the re-election of Ben B. Lindsey as judge of the juvenile court. The campaign was fought on local issues.

Plan Monument for Musicians.

Paris — A movement is well under way here for the erection of a monument to the memory of the hero musicians who stood playing "Nearer, My God, To Thee," as the liner Titanic disappeared in the waters of the Atlantic. The Association Sportive des Astirtes Musicians de France originated the idea. A concert will be given, the proceeds from which will form the nucelus of the fund.

Haldane Goes to Berlin.

London—Viscount Haldane, British secretary of war, left for Berlin Wednesday. He will continue his mission, begun in the early spring, of preparing the ground for a movement toward the restriction of armaments and of improving international relations.

WHEAT CROP GREAT

Northwest Promisas Largest Crop Ever Known Here

Winter Satisfactory, Followed By Ideal Spring—All Sections Report Plenty of Moisture.

Portland — The Pacific Northwest will this year harvest the largest wheat crop in its history, if the weather conditions continue favorable. The acreage in the three states is greater than ever before, and the weather up to this time could scarcely have been improved. Therefore it is safe to say that the greatest crop the Northwest has ever had heretofore—about 65,000,000 bushels—will be exceeded by several million bushels. A crop of 70,000,000 bushels for 1912 is not out of reason. Last year Oregon, Washington and Idaho produced about 55,000,000 bushels, and a crop 20 to 25 per cent greater this year can easily be figured out.

Everything depends, of course, on the weather from now on. The winter conditions were entirely satisfactory and the spring has been an ideal one. During the last ten days perfect wheat weather has prevailed in almost every section. A few spots did not get much of the late rains, but they are small in extent, and at one or more points it was declared there was too much moisture, but on the whole the weather has been all that could be desired.

What the wheat farmers have to fear now is excessively hot weather next month. They are apprehensive lest it come at the time when the grain is filling in the early and heading in the late districts. If the critical period is safely passed the three North Pacific states will turn out their banner yield of wheat.

In Eastern Oregon prospects are flattering. Umatilla county farmers expect a crop of 5,000,000 bushels, as against 4,500,000 bushels last year. In Union county the acreage has been increased, and the prospects otherwise are better than in recent years. Gilliam, Sherman and Wasco counties report good conditions.

Throughout Idaho the outlook is bright. The soil is well saturated with moisture and the wheat crop is in better condition than it has been for years.

In Washington farmers everywhere report satisfactory prospects. The Whitman county wheat fields never made a better showing at this time of the year. A crop of 9,500,000 bushels is estimated in the county. Lincoln county expects its largest yield, and in Walla Walla the growth to date has been healthy with plenty of rainfall. Douglas, Garfield and Grant counties send similar satisfactory reports. In Stevens county the acreage is a fifth larger than last year, and prospects are fine.

SPEED OF TITANIC HIGH.

Latest Testimony Damaging to Officers of Lost Ship.

New York—New evidence purporting to show that the Titanic was going at full speed, with all but five of her 24 boilers lighted, on the night she met her fate, was given aboard the White Star liner Olympia by Fred Barrett, former chief fireman of the Titanic, but now of the Olympic, to Senator William Alden Smith, chairman of the investigating committee. Barrett said that he was in the forward compartment of the ship when she hit the iceberg.

"The water rushed in about two feet above the floor plates," said the fireman. "I jumped for the next compartment, No. 5, just as the watertight door closed. There were only two in the forward compartment who escaped. The rip was a long one. At the same time the red lights—danger signals—came up."

Barrett then explained that the signal had previously shown white, indicating full speed.

Yucatan Has Revolution.

Mexico City—A dispatch from Meridia indicates that the disorders in Yucatan are growing. The attack of the Indians on Tekantoc last Saturday is said to have been barbaric in character, several persons having been killed and their bodies burned. The town was sacked and the railway station and several other buildings burned. After leaving Tekantoc the band went to Teya, where the municipal president was killed and the business houses sacked. A Turk is said to be the leader of the Indians.

Police Rescue President.

New York—President Taft attended church Sunday morning, then went for an automobile ride to Van Courtlandt Park, and later joined in the Fifth Avenue promenade. When walking in Fifth Avenue the president was recognized and within a few minutes 600 persons had surrounded him. Inspector McCluskey and half a dozen policemen had to escort him to the home of John L. Cadwalader, Henry W. Taft's law partner.

Hen Lays Double-Yolk Eggs.

Davis, Cal.—John H. Krider has a hen that has laid 12 double-yolk eggs in 15 days. In fact, she lays nothing else. The hen is a Buff Orpington, and Krider says she is the most remarkable hen he has ever known. Krider is a banker of this city.

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The Average.

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WOMEN SHOULD BE PROTECTED

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