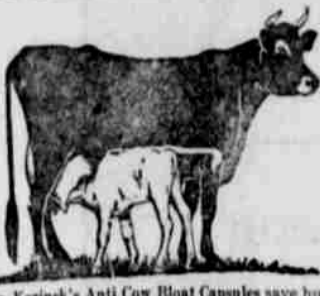


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GENERAL CARRANZA'S DEMANDS STERNLY REFUSED BY WILSON

Washington, D. C.—Upon General Carranza's reception of a stern refusal to heed his demands for recall of American troops from Mexico hinges the question of a Mexican war, in the opinion of President Wilson's close advisers. They were prepared Tuesday for the possibility of open hostilities after the note which was sent forward to Carranza.

No indication has come that the first chief's attitude of implacable hostility would be shaken by the reiterated declaration of the latest communication that the United States has no aggressive or warlike purpose toward Mexico, but is firmly resolved to protect her borders and end brigandage in the border states.

Indications that the militia now being mobilized is intended as well for invasion of Mexico as for guard duty on the border appeared in administration circles when steps were taken to have the new army reorganization law, which becomes effective July 1, become in force at once.

While the diplomatic steps were in progress the nation was stirred throughout its length and breadth with the movement of National Guardsmen mobilizing to guard the border. At least 100,000 and possibly a far larger number were preparing for active service under President Wilson's call. For the present their mission will be purely one of defense, but, should war come, they will be ready also for that. They will not be assigned for border duty until mustered into the federal service.

Official reports from many quarters show that a flame of popular feeling against the United States is being kindled throughout Mexico. Apparently it is being done with the sanction of General Carranza, for the acts in many cases are those of his authorized military or civil agents.

Neither State department officials nor members of the diplomatic corps here have been able to satisfy themselves as to Carranza's motives. There are some, however, who believe he hopes to ride into popularity by a diplomatic triumph over his powerful northern neighbor or upon a war wave which might re-establish his tottering government in popular estimation. Once the war was on and the certain defeat of his armies foreshadowed, the observers say, General Carranza might sue for peace, trusting to the magnanimity of the Washington government to leave him in power.

Mexicans Marching on Del Rio.

San Antonio, Tex.—Mexican government troops were reported Monday night to be marching toward Del Rio, a border town about 100 miles up the Rio Grande from Eagle Pass, with the announced intention of attacking the Americans there.

This information was the most notable bit of evidence indicating the attitude of the de facto government that reached General Funston. It was brought to the border by a Mexican, who said the force was 1500 strong.

General Pershing's reports indicated that General Jacinto Trevino's troops had not yet made any advance move and army officials believed it improbable that they would unless Trevino received special orders from Mexico City.

Such information as reached General Funston concerning the movements of Mexican troops indicated the adoption of a plan not to maintain heavy garrisons at border points, but to hold the bulk of the border army some miles south of the Rio Grande.

Sailors Clash With Mexicans.

Washington, D. C.—A clash between Carranza soliders and American seamen from the gunboat Annapolis at Mazatlan was called to the attention of the Washington government Tuesday by General Carranza's ambassador here, with a request that in the existing tense situation no men be landed in Mexico from American warships under any circumstances.

The incident, which occurred Monday, resulted in casualties on both sides and in the capture by the Mexicans of two American officers, who, after explanation, were released, according to the reports presented by the ambassador. A dispatch from Admiral Winslow, of the Pacific fleet, announcing the capture of the men, made no mention of their release, but officials assumed it had occurred after the message was sent.

Yucatan Declares War.

Galveston, Tex.—The Mexican government in Yucatan has issued a proclamation ordering all Americans out of Mexico and declaring a state of war existing between the two countries, according to passengers arriving here Tuesday morning on the Norwegian steamer Nils, from Progreso.

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"Yes," replied the tragedian, turning quickly to the interrupter, "Please come around to the stage door."

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Jones—Then I shall have to go alone.—Boston Transcript.

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