

AMERICANS URGED FLEE YAQUI VALLEY

Mexican Commander at Guaymas Says Landing of Marines Would Cause Trouble.

CONDITIONS ARE DESPERATE

BULLETIN. WASHINGTON, June 23.—Reassuring advice concerning the situation in Yaqui valley, Mexico, where Indians have been threatening American settlers, came to the Navy department tonight from Admiral Howard at Guaymas. The admiral's message said:

"Have called upon General Leyva. He states that 200 troops have been sent to the assistance of construction train and that he now has telephone communication with the valley and all is quiet."

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Admiral Howard sent by wireless to the Navy department late today a statement presented to him by the Mexican military commandant at Guaymas, suggesting that Americans leave the Yaqui valley, but promising to protect them if they remained or to escort them if they departed. The commandant said a landing of American marines would be likely to "cause Americans trouble all along the coast."

The following official statement was made public at the Navy department: "Admiral Howard has forwarded to the Navy department the following statement presented him by General Leyva, military commandant, Guaymas, Mexico, on board the Colorado yesterday:

Logical to Depart. "Whereas, Americans, who had been invited to exploit Yaqui valley, there then existed no revolution and adequate garrisons were established along Yaqui valley and Indians were held in subjection, but now, taking all phases into consideration, which require unusual demands upon the military, it would appear logical for the few Americans who have remained in Yaqui valley to depart and not place their lives in jeopardy, rather than plunge two friendly nations into disamusement."

"However, every guarantee will be given in an endeavor to afford Americans in question ample protection and if emergencies should require them to depart an adequate escort will be furnished them. Fifteen hundred Mexican troops are now available for this protection and General Leyva is now in the valley to command and his officers would understand that landing made under only the most urgent necessity and only for the protection of American lives, yet the masses might misinterpret the action and thus cause trouble to Americans all along the coast."

Denials of Friction in the Carranza ranks and of dissensions among the Villa leaders were repeated today by the respective agencies of the Mexican faction. United States officials had no reports from their own representatives, but the belief still prevailed that the trouble between General Obregon and Carranza had not been healed and that the departure of General Felipe Angeles from the camp of General Villa at this time was an important signal, if not political, loss.

General Angeles did not pass through here en route to Boston. Information is meager as to his plans, though rumors are current that he really is in the United States to discuss with prominent Mexicans plans for the inauguration of a new movement that would have as its nucleus the Villa-Zapala troops.

Spain's Aide's Advice. According to official information, Carranza refused to take the advice of General Obregon and accepted the resignation of some of the cabinet ministers whose retention was insisted upon by Obregon. Other advice says that General Gonzalez, the Carranza commander marching on Mexico City, who was ordered to halt until Carranza reorganized his cabinet, has gone ahead and is now reported to be within a few miles of Mexico City.

Communications behind him to Vera Cruz are cut. This development is regarded as ominous in official quarters. The Carranza authorities at Vera Cruz claim the lines were cut by Zapatistas, but other information by the United States government says that General Gonzales cut his own communications behind him.

Representations were made by the United States to the acting minister in Mexico City and Vera Cruz insisting that the lives and interests of foreigners must be protected in connection with any transfer of authority in the capital. MAYO RIDE ON RAMPAGE. NOGALES, Ariz., June 23.—Mayo Indians, who have followed the example of the Yaqui in Sonora, Mexico, sacked Los Mochis, Sinoia, yesterday, according to J. P. Taylor, manager of a sugar company owning land in that section, who telegraphed to the secretary of state at Washington today asking for protection. Governor Jose F. Mayton, Villa commander, reinforced the censorship today in the entire territory dominated by him. Censures were placed in the telegraph office. Newspaper men were denied admission to the governor's office.

IMPERIAL VALLEY SHAKEN BY QUAKE

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Three Shocks Felt. The roar of the tremor below the border was the first warning the people of the valley had. That was about 5 o'clock. The first shock was the most severe. Two others followed. Electric lights went out all over the valley after the first shock and the stricken towns were in darkness except for the light afforded by blazing buildings. The greatest confusion reigned everywhere. Ranches and city residents, who had homes at dinner last night, woke up today in open fields, beside roadways or irrigation ditches.

As far as can be learned, the shocks were severest down at the border and below the border, and less the farther north. It came to the California and Kansas appear to have been injured

LIEUTENANT WARNEFORD—First picture to reach this country of the hero of the British aviation corps, who fell to his death, with Henry Beach Needham, an American magazine writer and correspondent.



slightly less than the towns in the south end of the valley. The earthquake extended all the way to Yuma, Ariz. The duration of the first shock was about thirty seconds. This was followed half an hour later by a second shock, almost as severe as the first.

Plate glass windows, flimsy brick walls and hollow tile structures were more or less damaged. No one in Imperial valley was killed. The five reported to have lost their lives in Mexico were killed when a wall fell.

Fifty deputies took station about the business district here and patrolled the town. The fire truck patrolled the streets ready to extinguish any fires that might spring up. Telegraph and telephone company services were immediately stopped.

Shock Recorded at Cleveland. CLEVELAND, O., June 23.—The California earthquake was recorded by the seismograph at St. Ignace observatory here last night. There were two disturbances shown, the first coming at 11:15 p. m. and the second at 11:30 a. m.

LEMBERG FALLS; SLAVS SCOURGED OUT OF AUSTRIA

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was received today with great jubilation in Berlin. Through crowded public squares and the parks, flags were displayed, bands played patriotic airs, extra editions of the newspapers were shouted on the streets and the church bells were rung. Everybody felt that another great step toward final victory had been gained.

A special correspondent of the Cologne Gazette telegraphed that the Russians before the general retreat began hurriedly sent back all the artillery they could muster. This was done instead of endeavoring to cover the retreat of the artillery and saving all of it. Part of the cannon were useless on account of poor ammunition. Continuing, the correspondent says:

"It was after the artillery had been sent to the rear that the panic stricken troops began their flight. Wagons and supply trains blocked the roads. Men detached the horses from these vehicles and rode away on them, heedless of the crowd of soldiers of all arms crowding back to the rear. Generals and colonels were helplessly carried away. Units were disbanded and the army became a mere mob. It was readily to be seen that catastrophe was unavoidable."

Mud Hole is Gold Mine for Farmer

MARION CITY, Ia., June 23.—(Special.)—"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good." Four miles northeast of this city, in the vicinity of Freeman, on a main traveled road, is a bad spot in the road, which does not look so bad until you are in it and find that you are unable to get out. It is stated that a farmer who lives in close proximity has thus far seen five men in pulling automobiles stuck in the mud out of this hole. Of course, Mr. Smith does not care to fix it, for it is a remunerative mudhole for him. It is said that the road supervisor of Lima Creek township has been called to this spot, but that he hasn't fixed it and as a last resort the county supervisors have been asked to take a trip over the road to see what they think about it. Meanwhile Farmer Smith is keeping his eye on the supervisors, expecting to get the usual \$2 for pulling them out of the hole.

Departments Orders. WASHINGTON, June 23.—(Special Telegram.)—William Blumenthal was appointed postmaster at Eagle, Cass county, Neb., vice G. W. Peterson. Mattie E. Henshaw, South Shore, Codrington county, S. D., vice George K. Burr. Fossiea K. Gibbon, Nebraska; Rachal A. Leonard, Gibbon; Martha M. Yeders, Quamba, Neb.

LANSING IS NAMED TO BE CHIEF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT

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munication with Mr. Lansing on many intricate points of international law, upon which Mr. Lansing was always able to advise his chief without any hesitation. Recently the president invited him to sit at the cabinet table while the notes to Germany on the Lusitania were being discussed and put into final form. Secretary Bryan was also present at these meetings, and so far as is known Mr. Lansing's presence was a precedent.

Since Mr. Bryan's resignation the president has frequently expressed his admiration for Mr. Lansing, and practically announced his intention to ask him to take the portfolio. Mr. Lansing has appeared very little in politics, and at one time there seemed some doubt among the president's advisers if it would not be advisable to select a man who was more prominent and had probably performed greater service for his party.

From the first, however, practically all members of the cabinet have favored Mr. Lansing's selection, and it was understood that the president took the view that the capacity of the man was more to be considered at this juncture of international affairs than any other consideration.

Mr. Lansing was appointed secretary ad interim on Mr. Bryan's retirement. Under the law such an appointment is permissible for thirty days. Mr. Lansing's ad interim designation would have expired early next month. His regular appointment, however, becomes effective at once. When congress meets his nomination will have to be submitted to the senate for confirmation in the regular way.

No Need of Defender In the State of Iowa

FORT DODGE, Ia., June 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Forty-five members of the State Association of County Attorneys met here today in annual session. George Coasen, attorney general, slated to speak Thursday, did not arrive but will be here Thursday. C. B. Hughes, West Union, president of the association, in a paper read some of the troubles of the practitioners, declaring that in their anxiety to safeguard the interests of the accused, state's attorneys often were imposed on. G. P. Lyndville, Cedar Rapids, declared state laws at present so safeguarded the interest of accused persons that no necessity exists for creation of the office of public defender.

HYMENEAL

Palmer-Taylor. MADISON, Neb., June 23.—(Special.)—Miss Lela A. Taylor, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor of this city, and Mr. Preston S. Palmer of Harlan, Ia., were married at 9 o'clock this morning at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. J. M. Bothwell of Columbus officiated. The bride was attired in white crepe de chine over white satin, trimmed with old lace and pearls. The groom wore the conventional black. A four-course wedding breakfast was served to fifty guests, consisting wholly of relatives and friends of the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer left at noon for eastern points and will be at home to their friends at Harlan, Ia., after August 1.

Pancoat-Bake. FULLERTON, Neb., June 23.—(Special.)—The marriage of Miss Wilmoth Opal Pancoat to Clarence Frank Bake was solemnized on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, west of town. Rev. W. H. Cooper of the Presbyterian church officiating. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pancoat and has just recently graduated from the Fullerton high school. The groom for eight years has been proprietor and manager of the Pawnee Cigar factory of this place, and is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bake. After a short wedding trip, the young couple will be at home in Fullerton.

Long-Trine. MADISON, Neb., June 23.—(Special.)—Fred Long and Miss Ruth Trine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Trine, were married this morning at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents northeast of Madison. Rev. Mr. Harper officiated. The bride is one of Stanton county's popular teachers. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few relatives and intimate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Long left at noon for points in Colorado and will be at home to their friends on Mr. Long's farm after August 1.

Ehler-Beebe. Arthur Ehler of Woodbine, Ia., and Miss Mabel Beebe of Beebeville, Ia., were married at the Dietz Memorial Methodist parsonage, Tenth and Pierce streets, Wednesday at 3 p. m. Rev. C. N. Dawson officiating. Their home will be in Woodbine, Ia.

Hanson-Quistgaard. Olaf Hansen and Miss Signe Quistgaard, both of Omaha, were married Wednesday afternoon at 5:15 at the Dietz Memorial Methodist Episcopal parsonage, 1007 Pierce street, Rev. C. N. Dawson officiating. Their home will be in Omaha.

Boy Dressed to Death by Cow. HUDSON, Wyo., June 23.—(Special.)—Boy-like, tying the end of a rope with which he was leading a cow, about his waist, Ralph Delene, aged 10 years, was dragged to death when the animal broke into a run. Witnesses of the tragedy stopped the cow after she had run several hundred yards, but the boy was dead, his neck having been broken.

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TEUTONS DEFEATED IN WEEK'S BATTLE

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cartridges was seized and burned by our cavalry Saturday in the enemy's rear on the road between Talschi and Lukniskai in the Shavli region. Our troops put the powerful convoy of the transport to the sword and annihilated several commands of enemy chasseurs and mounted patrols.

"In a desperate battle on the river Ringova Monday our infantry made progress.

"West of the Nieman on the Narov front and to the left of the Viestula there has been a lull.

"In the Taneff region our infantry crossed the river Sunday night near Ozouka and bayoneted a battalion of the Eighty-second Austrian regiment.

"Monday night we repulsed desperate attacks by the enemy north of the line of Glezanow-Rawa Ruska and took 800 prisoners.

"In the direction of Lvoff there has been some firing.

"On the Dniester we achieved an important success below Nijiff. The Austrians sent across the Dniester strong contingents, with which we had been fighting desperately since the 15th on the front of Ostry-Koropets-Kosmierline, Snodlow-Voslouff-Uniche. At dawn this struggle ended in our complete success. Our infantry stormed several fortified farms near Snodlow, where the enemy resisted desperately. Here we took more than 3,500 prisoners and many machine guns. The enemy, in full flight, fell back across the Dniester. Our Cossacks, pressing the enemy's heels, crossed four enemy bridges and continued the pursuit of the right bank. Near Koropets and Kosmierline the enemy also is retreating.

"Near Jozava and Zale Rzeczyky the enemy is holding his ground behind barbed wires near the Dniester.

"Monday night, after a desperate battle, we stormed the villages of Balamoutovskiy, Rawentz and Gromeshatz, taking 1,000 prisoners, including the commander of the Forty-second Honved brigade and numerous machine guns."

KOVAR IS APPOINTED SCHUYLER POSTMASTER

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23.—(Special Telegram.)—President Wilson today made the following appointments of postmasters: Nebraska, P. J. Kovar at Schuyler, Iowa, George W. Hughes at Cedar Falls, P. C. Palmer at Cedar Lake, W. F. Garrison at Seward, W. K. Currie at Centerville, South Dakota, Robert B. Lipes at Moriastown.

Mystery in Man's Death. MARION CITY, Ia., June 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Will Pribben was found dead in Shell Rock river, near Nora Springs. He had \$30 on his person. Mystery surrounds his death.

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