

READY TO INVADE U. S.: SCORE SLAIN

American Troops Kill Many of Enemy Massed on Southern Bank of Rio Grande.

LEADER LINED WITH RAIDERS

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Sept. 5.—With hordes of Mexicans reported massed along the river where today's battle took place, sixty-five miles west of here, with communication between here and San Benito in the raided district all but broken by wire cutters and a sudden calling to quarters of all troops stationed at Fort Brown, the situation growing out of today's police developments swiftly grew tonight in to one of grave possibilities.

At Cavasco crossing near old Hidalgo, Tex., where United States cavalrymen and Mexicans across the river engaged in an all-day battle, ending later this afternoon, the south bank of the Rio Grande was reported tonight literally lined with Mexicans, well armed, but it could not be ascertained whether they included any Carranza soldiers.

At Least Ten Killed. In today's battle Captain Frank R. McCoy, commanding the United States cavalry engaged, reported that at least ten Mexicans were killed, their bodies lying exposed on the plain south of the international boundary. He believed that as many more were killed in their ambush in the brush. The band of forty Mexicans who provoked the battle by firing on an American ranchman and troops early this morning apparently had been reduced to twenty when the battle ended at 4 p. m. One American trooper was wounded in the fighting.

A train on the so-called constitutionalist railroad line running for the crossing took many men from Matamoros tonight to the scene of the fight. The place is closely guarded by United States cavalrymen and no demonstration taken place since 4 o'clock this afternoon. Late this afternoon advices were received that an attempt had been made to cut all wires between this city and San Benito, fifteen miles north of here.

Only One Wire Left. All the wires but one leading in this direction were cut, the severed strands being plainly visible. This was done a few miles north of the scene of Thursday's battle with troops and Mexicans.

Military authorities at Fort Brown say to report for the sudden calling in of all troops here, but it was reported that the military authorities were taking all precautions against efforts of Mexicans on this side to organize and also be ready for an attempt of invasion from the other side of the river.

Threaten Trouble.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 4.—A delegation of Mexicans today notified the civil authorities that unless a celebration of the Mexican independence day, September 16, were permitted, trouble could not be avoided. Since a riotous demonstration five years ago, on September 18, celebrations had been forbidden.

Eleven Are Arrested.

FLORENCE, Ariz., Sept. 4.—Charged with revolutionary activity eleven heavily armed Mexicans were lodged in the county jail here tonight. They were arrested at Mineral Creek near Ray.

Leaves for Brownsville.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 4.—Major William Hays, chief of staff of the Department of the South, United States army, left here tonight for Brownsville, after a report had been received at Fort Sam Houston, detailing the latest disturbance on the border.

SUNDAY RECRUITS SOLDIERS IN THE ARMY OF JESUS

(Continued from Page One.) with quick strides to the pulpit.

Sing Battle Hymn. "Let us sing the Battle Hymn of the Republic," he said, placing one foot on the chair.

The audience rose and sang the martial hymn. "Give God the Chautauque salute," commanded Billy Sunday.

He sprang to the top of the pulpit and stood there waving his handkerchief, dominating the crowd.

Four-fifths of the persons in the audience gave the Chautauque salute. Sunday's points were frequently applauded by portions of the audience.

He did not disappoint those who came expecting to hear startling assertions. Some of that variety of expressions were as follows:

"Come church of God Almighty—stop playing with religion."

"I know we've got lots of church people who are unworthy. A minister once said Jesus had twelve disciples and one of these was a devil and that the church was entitled to the same percentage. Sometimes I think we've got that skinned."

Honor Name of Christian. "Are you a Christian? Honor that name or dishonour it."

"The worst church member is better than none at all."

"It's a disgrace that you've got a gang within your limits and candidates for office who boast they are going to take the lid off."

Sunday announced that, although he was a republican in politics, he was "back of Woodrow Wilson with all my power," and paused a moment in his discourse to remark on the fact that in the European war neither side has been able to gain a decisive advantage.

Sunday devoted an instant to the church folk who have failed in supporting his Omaha meeting.

Full Text of W. A. Sunday's Opening Sermon Preached in Omaha Sunday Morning, Sept. 5, 1915

"The nineteenth chapter of the Acts, and the second verse: 'Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed?' "The personality, the divinity and the attributes of the Holy Ghost afford one of the most inspiring, one of the most beneficial examples in our spiritual life. We are told that when the Holy Spirit came at Pentecost, He came as the rushing of a mighty wind, and oversurging expectancy. When Jesus was baptized in the River Jordan of John, out from the expanse of heaven was seen to float the spirit of God like a snowflake, and they heard a sound as of whirling wings, and the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove hovered over the dripping locks of Christ. Never your eyes nor mine will ever behold such a scene; neither shall our ears ever hear such a sound again. You cannot dissect or weigh the Holy Spirit, nor analyze Him as a chemist may analyze material matter in his laboratory, but we can all feel the pulsing of the breath of His eternal spirit.

"Why an angel of heaven could not come to Omaha and live two weeks and loaf with the people you loaf with, and then return to heaven without first being disinfected and fumigated and given a bath in lysol and carbolic acid and the Holy Spirit is a personality, and not merely an influence, and the spirit of God is sensitive, hence this injunction, 'Grieve not the spirit of God.' The ordinances of the church never saved a soul and never will, but it is the Holy Spirit, and this spirit is a personality and analogous to the love of a mother for her child who has gone wrong, and brought shame upon her fair name—the love of God for the erring, sin-cursed world. It is the same as the grief of a wife whose husband has broken his marriage vows as if they were made of spider webs.

"The doctrine of future probation, I say if a man doesn't settle his future before the undertaker pumps the embalming fluid into him, then he's a goner. Children of God. "It is my desire to give you a brief outline of the Holy Spirit—to bring God into spiritual touch with man. We speak of Him as the Father, but I want to say to you that I do not believe in the universal Fatherhood of God, or the universal brotherhood of man, or either. You are not a child of God unless you are a Christian, and if you are not a child of God, then you are a child of the devil. For unless you are a Christian, you are not a child of God, you are a creature of God; so is the saloonkeeper, the gambler, the madame of the red light.

"There must be a link to connect the infinite to the finite. The Holy Spirit is the means of this communication. "Joshua fighting a battle for God saw that the sun would set, and it would grow dark before he would be able to finish this battle. "Just as the sun stands still a little while and prolongs this day till I whip that bunch to a frazzle, and it will send your name ringing down through the ages," he said to God, and God reached up and grabbed the sun and said: "Stay there, don't move until thy servant Joshua gives you the 'highball'."

"When the Holy Spirit upon him could take the jawbone of an ass and lay dead a thousand Philistines. Sampson without the Holy Spirit was as weak as a new born babe, and they poked his eyes out and cut off his locks, and so with the church and its members. "Whenever the Apostle Paul went he had either a revival or a riot. (Applause.) He had been on the firing line for Jesus Christ for years, and never once dipped his colors.

"He visited Corinth, and when he stepped into the inn he noticed a gang of men talking in the corner. He went to the hotelkeeper and said: "Who's that bunch over there?" "Why, they're the church people here in Corinth," answered the proprietor. "Not on your life," answered St. Paul, "not that gang."

"Then St. Paul went over into the corner and said: 'Have ye received the Holy Ghost?' "Never heard of it," said one of the men.

"Paul said we are living in a new dispensation of grace, and salvation is offered free to all who will accept.

"We are all made of one blood, and fellowshipp of Christ and the brotherhood of man. Because you rode here this morning in an automobile, instead of hoofing it, does not make you any better. And because you may wear a diamond as big as a hickory nut in your shirt front doesn't make you any better.

"When God built the universe He spoke and the Holy Spirit had the work done. When God wills the Holy Spirit does. When God wills the Holy Spirit will give Omaha a new life of sobriety and decency.

Egotism a Danger.

"One of the greatest dangers, as I see it, to the church is the egotistical, selfish contentment of men. That is the curse of the world today. Because you think your hope of heaven is sure, you don't care a rap whether the other fellow is saved; if you are happy, you don't care whether the other man suffers or not.

"A man won't walk to a precipice and fling himself over it with his eyes open, unless he is a fool or crazy; will never stand on a railroad track and contact his strength with steel and steam. The hidden traps of justice are more fatal than the seen traps. Satan can plume himself in the guise of a dove of light, and in that disguise he does his most effective work. If you know the devil he would not be getting so many people to walk the paths of vice, and the way to heaven would not be as deserted. "The danger to the tired traveler is not that he will walk too far out on the beach and the incoming tide engulf him. If a man says to me, 'I have never been a drunkard,' I say, 'God be praised that your wife has never known what it was to see you stagger in, and vomit and puke, and mander and mutter, and blaspheme in her presence.' God be praised that your children have never known what it is to walk the streets and have the finger of scorn pointed at them; God be praised that they have never sat around a stove and shivered because you have nothing to buy coal because you must drink; that they have never gone to bed hungry for something to eat that you might drink; that you have never known what it is to have the pull of drink gnaw at your heart and pull at your vitals like a hungry wolf. "One man said to me: 'Bill, I have never been tempted to sledge; I have never been tempted to forge; I have always been true to my marriage vows.' I know that, but are you willing that the world shall see you as God sees you? God sees everything. Are you willing that the world shall see you as God does? God is going to reach this old world by and through the people who believe and live and preach the truth.

"There are three classes in the church, as I have looked at it from my standpoint. The first are those in the church personally who want to be saved, but they are not concerned about other people. They do not give any help to other people; they don't lie awake at night praying for other people that they might be brought to the Lord.

"The second class are going to depend upon human wisdom—there is no such thing as latent power, express or implied—power is just as distinctive in an individual as the electricity in these lights. If these globes are without a current they would be nothing but glass bulbs fitted for nothing but to strap heat. Without the Holy Spirit you are as sounding brass and tinkling cymbals, and a left rate amusement parlor, with religion left out. The church of today needs a flood of the Holy Ghost. The third class are church members not from spirit and honor and power, but from the spirit.

"I am not a pessimist; no, I am an optimist and I believe that a brighter day never dawned upon the church of Jesus and that there was never a time when men and women were so hungry for the true religion as they are today. I believe that the church of God never had brighter prospects; and I believe that down by the door of the church to-day are rolling such chances as it never had before. There are more people ready and willing to hear the gospel than ever before. I believe that no church door should ever swing open; no sermon should ever be preached; no song should ever be sung; no meeting should ever be held that is not for the only object of the bringing of men and women to the knowledge of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

"We've got churches; lots of them. We've got preachers, seminaries, and they are turning out preachers and putting them into the theological molds and keeping them there until they get cold enough to practice preaching. "Why, at Pentecost one sermon saved 3,000 people, now it takes you to get one old buttermilk-eyed, red-nosed, whiskey-soaked blasphemer. "No people on God's earth are better clothed and better fed than in America, so this is not what is wrong. "Too Much Organization. "A fellow came to me and said, 'Billy, the trouble is that we need organization in the church.' God help us! We're organized too much today. There is so much organization in the church that you can hear the machinery whirring, but we haven't got old enough of the Holy Ghost to create an axis of God's chariot. Listen to me. We've got the Y. W. C. A., the Y. P. S. C. E., the C. T. U., the I. P. X., the J. E. L. and the J. e. I. I. y. "Drop into a young people's meeting. The leader will say, in a weak, effeminate, apologetic, nervous sort of voice, that there was a splendid time at this evening, but he had not had much time for preparation. It is superfluous for him to say that; you could have told that. He goes along and tells how happy he is to have you there to take part this evening, making this meeting interesting. Some one gets up and reads a poem from the Christian Home, and then they get up and sing No. 28. They get up and sing, 'Oh, to Be Nothing, Nothing; Only to Sit at His Feet.' We used to sing that song, but I found out that they took it so literally that I cut it out, the same as I ought to have cut it out of my preaching. 'Lougher.' "Then a long pause, and some one says, 'Let us sing No. 28.' So they get up and then some one starts 'Throw Out the Life Line.' They haven't got strength enough to put up a clothesline. Another long pause, and then you hear, 'Have all taken part that feel free to do so? We have a few minutes left. So let us sing No. 28.' Then another long pause. 'I hear the organ—I can't ever think of that little thing—what is it? It's a time for us to close, now let us all repeat together our Miphah benediction: 'The Lord keep watch between thee and me, when we are absent from one another.' I tell you God has got a hard job on His hands. Ever hear anything like that? Yes, I guess you have, and you don't have to go outside to hear it, either. "The Church of God doesn't need organization, but the Holy Ghost upon what she has already got. Life will give organization, but organization will never give spiritual life. God is needed to bring man to feel that he needs Jesus Christ. The divine philosophy of people today breeds more agnostics and infidels than all the Bels Shergessels put together. "God is looking today for men to go down into the marshes of sin to rescue the perishing and care for the dying. "Did you ever read or hear about the blowing up of Hell Gate at New York? Only ships of certain draught could go through it, and the government gave the contract to General Newton to remove the obstacle. So he started with his tunnels under the banks of the river, placed his tons of powder and giant powder, and on the day appointed, the government ships came and put every thing back that attempted to pass through the river, and General Newton sat in his home on Brooklyn Heights, two miles away, his little child on his knee, and he said, 'When I tell you, press that little black button and push.' And when the signal came to him over the telephone, he said: 'Press that button, and she pressed the button, and two miles away there was a muffled roar and the water shot into the air 100 feet and the river was cleared. Helipsa itself was that little child, but backed by the genius and power of her illustrious father, she was all powerful. Helipsa are we without the Holy Ghost, but with it we are powerful and nothing in all hell can stop us. "Urges Belief in God. "Believe that God Almighty can do something; don't whine around as though God was a corpse, ready for the undertaker. God is the Holy Spirit, and the Holy Spirit is needed to bring man in spiritual touch with God; to make man realize that he is a representative of God on earth today. "Did you ever realize that you were God's representative? Did you know what that means? Suppose we insulate or killed Ambassador Spring-Rice of England, and that we refused to apologize or pay an indemnity or make any effort to appease England, what would it mean? It would mean that England would come across to this country with its soldiers and we would give the soil of Canada with the blood of brave men, and they would give the soil of the United States with the blood of brave men, and for what? You today, as representatives of the Lord, can step out and in the name of the Holy Spirit say to the forces of sin to come on. I defy every one of the dirty bunch of you. "Come on, you forces of iniquity in Omaha, that have made the church a quagmire, and a dormitory to wipe your dirty feet on; come on, you snobs; come on, you triple extract of infamy; come on, you assassins of character; come on, you sponsors of harlotry; come on, you defamers of God and enemies of the church; come on, you bull-necked, beetle-browed, hog-jawed, peanut-brained, wasel-eyed four-flushers, false alarms and excess baggage. In the name of God I challenge and defy you. It is mighty easy to lie about a man when he isn't on the job. I'm here now for eight weeks. Come on, and I'll deliver the goods, express prepaid. "A man said to me: 'It was a mighty little thing to drive Adam and Eve out of the Garden of Eden because they ate an apple.' God didn't give a rap about the apple. It was the principle—whether man should bow to God or God bow to man. That act was an act of disobedience. You may say it was a mighty little thing for England to go to war with us because we threw some tea into Boston harbor. We didn't go to war over the tea. We said: 'You can't brew tea in the East India company and pour it down our throats.' It was the principle we went to war about, not the price of tea, and we fought it out. Are you ready to surrender? You, who are in rebellion against God? You, who are in rebellion against the authority of God's government? Are you ready to do His will? "You recall the strenuous times in China during the famous Boxer uprising and how the various legations of foreign nations were in great danger of assassination by the boxers. How, on one critical occasion, when the hour looked the darkest and the cooped-up refugees were looking anxiously for relief, when the Germans were cheered by hearing the bands of their soldiers marching in and playing 'Die Wacht Am Rhine.' Then the French heard the 'Marseillaise,' and how the English were cheered by the music of 'God Save the King.' And how the Americans waited and wondered if their soldiers were coming to their relief and when through the night pealed the strains of 'The Star-Spangled Banner,' 'Dixie,' 'Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean,' and those stirring patriotic airs as the field representatives of our government came to the rescue, the feeling it brought to those people. "What did it all mean? It meant that Minister Conger, his wife and daughter and other loyal Americans were in danger and for their protection this government would stop at nothing. "If necessary the treasury would have been emptied in their defense; every soldier and every battleship and other fighting apparatus of the navy would have been at their disposal. And for what? The preservation of a principle. "Are you fighting for a principle? Do you quake and quiver in your boots every time a brewer blows his nose? Let me urge you to get out and fight. Come on, you God's representatives! Come on! "A monk once disobeyed the rules of the monastery. He was condemned to be buried alive. He was stood up in a hole and dirt thrown in around him until it covered his chest, and he was asked if he would submit to these demands, and he replied, 'I will not.' The dirt was then filled in up to his mouth, and again he was asked, and again he replied, 'I will not,' and the dirt was then filled in until it reached up to his face and only his eyes and nose were left uncovered, and

finally enabled the firemen to approach near enough to fight the fire away from other buildings in the danger zone.

RHODE ISLAND SQUAD LEADS IN SHOOTING

WAKEFIELD, Mass., Sept. 5.—A squad from the battleship Rhode Island outshot all competitors in the Ninth Infantry match in the windup of the New England Rifle association's tournament today. Their total for 300 yards at rapid fire and 500 yards slow fire was 549, ninety points better than the Tenth company of marines.

OLD AGE A CRIME!

Some people are young at 60—red cheeks, ruddy and vigorous. Others are old at 40—joints beginning to stiffen up a bit, step beginning to lag and toes ite springiness; occasional touches of pain in the back; feel tired without cause, and possibly a twinge of rheumatic pain. In most cases these are the danger signals to warn you that the kidneys are not promptly doing their work of throwing off the poisons that are always forming in the body. To neglect these natural warnings is a crime against yourself. If you have these symptoms, you can find prompt relief in "OLD MEDICAL Hearten Oil Capsules." For more than 200 years, this has been the recognized remedy for kidney and bladder ailments.

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The Allan line, owners of the Hesperian, has been operated for about three years by the Canadian Pacific railroad, ships of the line running between Great Britain and Canadian ports. The Hesperian, a twin screw steamer, was built at Glasgow in 1908. She was 148 feet long with a beam of sixty feet and a depth of hold of thirty feet.

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AMUSEMENTS. GAYETY TWICE DAILY. Devoted to Brilliant Musical Burlesque. Specially Booked for LETTER CARRIERS WEEK. The Musical Furor, Harry Mastin's 'Big With the Admitted Butler of Laughter Land. DAN COLEMAN. And 48 Others in "THE FOLLOWING YOU." Phil Peters, Alma Bauer, Florence Darley, Jean Leonard and a GLASSY POINT BALLET. WHENEVER YOU LOOK, JUST GIRLS. DEAR READER—Think how fine the proceedings would be all week without such a treat as the offering—the corking good Hastings Show. E. L. JOHNSON, Mgr. Gayety. Evenings, Sunday & Holiday Matinees, 1:30, 8:30 and 10:30. Week MATS, 15c and 25c. A Few Day runs if you like, but no grubbing. LADIES 10c AT ANY WEEK TICKETS. DAY MATS, 10c. Baby Carriage Garage in the Lobby.

LAKE MANAWA Park Closes Sunday Night, Sept. 12. Feature Photo-Plays. Presented by World Film Corporation Every Evening During the Remainder of the Season FREE. Chan-o of Program Every Evening Monday, Sept. 6 (Labor Day) "In the Name of the Prince of Peace." A Dyer's Art Film Corp. Feature, in Four Acts. Dancing, Boating, Roller Coaster. And Other Attractions. BALLOON ASCENSION This Afternoon.

Opheum. Matinee—Daily Matinee, 3:15. Every Night, 8:15. Other Acts This Week: Boston, 4 Co., Norway, Heidelberg, Frances Nordstrom, Wm. Pinkham & Co., The Station Trio, Sam Beyer, Co., Hans Ranko and the Orchestra Travel Weekly. Prices—Matinee, 10c and 20c, except Saturday and Sunday. Few Seats 50c. Nights—10c, 25c and 50c.

KRUG PARK OMAHA'S ONLY Amusement Park. BIG LABOR DAY BASKET PICNIC. Dancing Afternoon and Evening. Other Attractions. Free Motion Pictures. Free Garage.

AMUSEMENTS. THE GREATEST SPECTACULAR EXHIBITION EVER STAGED IN OMAHA Program Promptly at 2 p. m. Gates Open at 12 Program Promptly at 2 p. m. LABOR DAY Omaha Auto MONDAY AFTER-NOON SEPTEMBER 6 SPEEDWAY NOON GENUINE HEAD-ON RAILROAD COLLISION \$20,000 ENGINES SMASHED INTO SCRAP IRON ADMISSION \$1.00 INCLUDING GRANDSTAND AUTOMOBILES PARKED FREE Children Under 12 Years Accompanied by Parents or Guardian Free. Secure Tickets Now at the MERCHANTS HOTEL Taken at Instant Contact by New York American at Brighton Beach Race Track. Paid Admissions, 102,000. A DUEL TO THE DEATH We Dash Together at Sixty Miles an Hour Two 80-Ton Giant Engines With Tenders Attached POSTIVELY the SUPREME SENSATION of the HOUR The Distance of Point of Collision from Where Crowds Will Assemble Renders the Event Free from Any Possible Accident. GREEN'S FAMOUS BAND WILL FURNISH MUSIC A Full Afternoon Program of Harness and Running Races—Stock Yards Derby Relay Race—All Horses Entered in This Race Will Be from the Stock Yards, South Omaha—Motorcycle Races. Collision Last Event. Remember, Only Given Once on Account of Prodigious Expense