

None of 'em are in it at fun-making with the Katzenjammers, Happy Hooligan and little Snookums.

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'SNIPERS' OF VILLA FIRE ON AMERICANS, NOGALES IS TAKEN

Three United States Soldiers Are Wounded When Rebels Begin Fighting in Border Village.

ONE WOMAN REPORTED HURT

Twenty Mexicans Said to Have Been Killed in Battle with Yankee Troopers.

CARRANZA COURIER IS SHOT

BULLETIN. NOGALES, Ariz., Nov. 26.—Twenty Mexicans were reported killed in a battle with American troopers. Two of the three American soldiers wounded are not expected to live.

NOGALES, Ariz., Nov. 26.—Nogales, Sonora, the Mexican town immediately across the border, was captured today by the Carranza forces of General Alvaro Obregon after snipers, left by General Francisco Villa, engaged in a brief battle across the boundary with American troops. Three American soldiers of Company L, Twelfth infantry, were wounded. Five Mexicans were wounded. Whether any were killed is undetermined. One woman was among the wounded.

A Carranza courier, sent to apprise Colonel W. H. Sage, commanding the American troops of the defeat and flight of the Villa troops, was shot off his horse. He was brought to the American side of the line. The battle between the American troops stationed on the line began shortly before noon. At this time Villa troops, who, with their chief, had evacuated the town early today, were hotly engaged by the Obregon forces some twelve miles from Nogales, Sonora.

Mexican Towns Looted. The Mexican town had been looted, and shooting, which began early, sent a shower of bullets to the American side. Troops which had gathered on the street leading to Nogales, Sonora, and the thoroughfare marking the international boundary, were hurried back by United States soldiers.

Then a body of snipers opened fire on the American town. Colonel Sage had given orders that the American troops should return any fire that endangered American lives. Infantrymen stationed near the line opened on the snipers who given the order to fire. A number of the Mexicans were seen to fall.

See Dashing Over Hill. A detachment of Villa cavalry, evidently a portion of the force engaged south of the city, then was seen dashing over the hills southwest of Nogales, Sonora. They were shooting and dodging and seeking cover. The American soldiers replied to their fire, shooting liberally and apparently with sufficient effect to halt the Mexicans. The snipers posted in the looted town gradually stopped firing. Later the Carranza courier appeared. A bullet stopped him and he was brought to the American side with one bullet in his wrist.

Confirm Evacuation Of Mitau by Germans

PARIS, Nov. 26.—A Havas dispatch from Petrograd today says: "German prisoners brought to Riga from the region of Olai confirm the report of the complete evacuation of Mitau by the German troops."

FRICION REPORTED ON THE PANAMA COMMISSION

PANAMA, Nov. 26.—Levi M. Kasy, American member of the Panama joint land commission, announced at a meeting of the commission today, that he had presented his resignation, to take effect as soon as accepted by Secretary of State Lansing.

The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Saturday: For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity—Fair; warmer. Temperatures at Omaha Yesterday: Hours, Deg. 5 a. m. 45 6 a. m. 45 7 a. m. 45 8 a. m. 45 9 a. m. 45 10 a. m. 45 11 a. m. 45 12 m. 45 1 p. m. 45 2 p. m. 45 3 p. m. 45 4 p. m. 45 5 p. m. 45 6 p. m. 45 7 p. m. 45

CARRIED MRS. FORD'S \$10,000 CHECK TO PAY FOR PEACE TELEGRAMS to women's clubs in all parts of the country, asking them to send telegrams to President Wilson begging him to make an active move for peace. Addams of Chicago, president of the National Peace party, is superintending the work.



CHIMES WILL RING ACROSS CONTINENT

Alumni of Ohio State in Columbus, New York and San Francisco to Hear Bells and Speeches.

ADDRESSES IN THREE CITIES

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 26.—Chimes of bells pealing over the campus of Ohio State university here this evening will ring into the ears of 500 alumni in New York and San Francisco over telephone wires. This is a feature of the annual celebration of alumni of the university. Officials of the telephone company said today they believe the bells will be heard distinctly on both sides of the continent.

Morehead Invited To Join Ford Party

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Governor Morehead received this morning a message from Henry Ford of Detroit, inviting him to be his guest in a trip to Stockholm, Sweden, to attend a peace conference.

EIGHTEEN HUNDRED MEMBERS IN OMAHA COMMERCIAL CLUB

One hundred and seventy-seven new members of the Commercial club here have been secured so far this year by the membership committee, according to a report made at the meeting Friday noon.

TURKS IN MESOPOTAMIA RETIRING BEFORE BRITISH

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Turkish troops retreating before the British advance in Mesopotamia are falling back, according to an official announcement tonight, reporting a Turkish retreatment on Diyalah, ten miles from Bagdad.

SMOOT ATTACKS MRS. FORD REPORT AS MISLEADING

Senator from Utah, Republican Member of Finance Committee, Criticizes Statement of Secretary.

CHARGES JUGGLING FIGURES

Estimates for Revenue Too High and Those for Expenditure Too Low, He Says.

SIMMONS ENDORSES THE PLAN

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Secretary McAdoo's plan for raising by internal taxes the additional revenue needed by the government to meet a deficit and cover the initial expense of army and navy increases was endorsed today by Senator Simmons of North Carolina, chairman of the finance committee, who had just reached Washington to prepare for consideration of revenue problems which his committee must aid in solving.

Senator Smoot of Utah, one of the leading republican members of the finance committee, gave out a statement attacking Secretary McAdoo's general financial statement issued yesterday. The Utah senator asserted that all the secretary's revenue estimates were too high and those for expenditure too low and that misleading bookkeeping changes had been resorted to.

Ex-Federal Agent Charged with Part To Blow Up Plants

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 26.—C. W. Crowley, formerly a special investigator in the county district attorney's office, was taken into custody here today by Don S. Rathbun, a special agent of the Department of Justice, in connection with alleged plots to dynamite munitions factories. He was taken before John W. Preston, United States district attorney.

Specific mention was made of the explosion of a barge of dynamite at Seattle. Crowley, federal authorities said, took employment with the Hercules Powder company here, supposedly to keep in touch with the shipments of explosives sent from here.

Delegates of the Boilermakers and Machinists Unseated

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 26.—Five delegates, four representing the International Association of Machinists and one from the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers and Ship Builders and helpers were unseated today at the ninth annual convention of the building trades department of the American Federation of Labor. The action was taken by a vote of forty-two to twenty-three on the ground their organizations were not building trades.

Free Movie Coupon

By a special arrangement The Bee is able to give its readers each Sunday a combination coupon good for a free admission with each paid ticket to a number of the best movies. In The Sunday Bee

SERBS CHOOSE KOSOVO for last stand just where 500 years ago the Turkish sultan, Amurath I, overwhelmed the Serbians.



PEACE SHIP PLAN IS NOT RECOGNIZED

No Representative of the United States Will Accompany Party to Europe.

TIME NOT YET OPPORTUNE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—President Wilson will take no part in the campaign to bring about a peace conference now being carried on in this and other neutral countries.

While he will interpose no objection to the unofficial movement, he has heard nothing from Europe which leads him to believe that the time is opportune for him to take any steps.

Henry Ford's peace ship will not carry any representatives of the American government to Europe. The president is not expected to make any official announcement regarding the peace plan now being carried on, but will continue his policy of carefully watching all developments.

Held for Sending Black Hand Note to Former Employer

CASPER, Wyo., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Charged with writing a "black hand" letter to Superintendent L. A. Reed of the big Midwest refinery, threatening to blow up the refinery unless \$5,000 was placed beneath a bridge near town, Willard L. Frank, an ex-employee of the company, who was discharged by Reed, has been bound over to the district court for trial and in default of \$1,000 bond in the county jail. He may be turned over to the federal authorities, inasmuch as the threatening letter was sent through the mail.

Twenty Thousand British Officers Killed or Wounded

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) LONDON, Nov. 26.—Officers casualty lists for the fortnight ending November 8 show losses in the British army of 56 killed, 60 wounded and 69 missing, a total of 185.

LUMBER MAGNATES KILLED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

BAY CITY, Mich., Nov. 26.—Edgar E. Foss, millionaire lumberman of this city, and Joseph Mikka, president of the Philson Lumber company of Chicago, were instantly killed today when their automobile was struck by a train.

German Deserter Says Could Not Tell What He Was Fighting For

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Heinle Schultz, who says he deserted from the German army, was held at the Ellis Island immigration station today for inquiry as to whether he shall be given refuge in America.

ROUMANIA NEXT STORMCENTER OF WAR IN BALKANS

German Efforts to Secure the Help of the Kingdom is Largely Offset by Russian Army on Its Border.

CZAR IS READY TO INTERVENE

Large Russ Army Will Be Thrown Into Bulgaria Within a Week, Says Rumor.

FALL OF GORIZIA IS IMMINENT

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Greek affairs having emerged from the uncertainty which for some time has been a potent menace to the allied campaign in the Balkans, Roumania's problem now commands chief attention in Europe. Although Roumania is beset with difficulties somewhat similar to those which caused Greece to hesitate, it is not involved in the same political turmoil and its situation is expected to mature more rapidly.

GERMAN CRUISER FRAUENLOB SUNK

Protected Ship is Reported Destroyed Off South Coast of Sweden by Submarine.

IT CARRIED CREW OF 275 MEN

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The German protected cruiser Frauenlob has been sunk by a submarine of the entente allies, according to a semi-official announcement made at Petrograd, says a dispatch to the Central News Agency.

Missionary Party Forced to Leave Its Work in Asia Minor

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The Rev. Dr. William S. Chambers, who has been doing missionary work in Asia Minor for thirty years, his wife and a number of women and children from the mission at Adana, Asia Minor, arrived today on the Greek steamer Themistocles. Dr. Chambers said conditions in Asia Minor became so intolerable that he was forced to bring out all the women and children.

Prof. Langlotz, Author of Famous Princeton Song, Dies

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 26.—Prof. Karl A. Langlotz, composer of the famous Princeton song, "Old Nassau," died at his home here yesterday, after a long illness. He was 82 years old and had been in poor health for five years.

The Day's War News

FIELD MARSHAL Von Mackensen's armies are pressing the pursuit of the retreating Serbians. The Serbians rear guards have been offering resistance, but were thrown back in the Mitrovitsa region and southwest of Stepan, near the Montenegrin frontier, Berlin announces.