

HERRERA LOYAL TO DE FACTO REGIME

Governor Enriquez Says Herrera is Close After Bandit in Southern Chihuahua.

GOVERNOR'S DENIAL SPECIFIC

GALVESTON, Tex., March 23.—General Luis Herrera is conducting active military operations against the Villa forces and has not gone over to the bandit leader, according to a cablegram from Mexico City, received by the Mexican consulate here today.

EL PASO, Tex., March 23.—Ignacio Enriquez, civil governor, of the state of Chihuahua, sent a telegram to Consul Garcia at El Paso today declaring that General Luis Herrera, commanding the garrison at Chihuahua City, still was loyal to the first chief and not to credit reports of his defection to Villa.

Consul Garcia made public a message from Governor Enriquez, which reads: "Your message referring to the press reports regarding General Luis Herrera received. I have just shaken hands with Herrera and he is loyal to the legal government of Mexico. Do not give credit to reports in this matter."

Reports of General Herrera's revolt were heard at army headquarters yesterday and from private advices received here. They were credited, but an absolute confirmation or denial of the report was lacking.

Such Apprehension at El Paso. Whether or not the report of Herrera's defection was correct it was obvious that in military circles much apprehension was felt over the situation at Chihuahua.

Brigadier General Bell said he had been advised everything was quiet in Juarez, and while his reports indicated there was a Villa sentiment in Juarez, he regarded the situation as satisfactory. The general said every precaution had been taken to meet any possibility of an uprising in Juarez.

General Bell said that he had no information regarding a vague report that General Pershing had taken over the Mexican Northwestern railroad south of Casas Grandes and that troops were being moved south from that point by railroad.

General Bell added that Major General Funtún had not advised him concerning any change of the army base from Columbus to El Paso, but that the transfer could be quickly effected.

Railway Badly Needed. An early agreement with the Carranza government for the permission to use Mexican railway lines is greatly desired by army officers. The main base would then be transferred from Columbus to this city and the Mexico Northwestern railway could be used to ship men and supplies to Casas Grandes.

The railroad could be easily maintained against interference, while the present line southward out of Columbus over a desert might be readily cut should Villa recruit a formidable body of men. Villa is said to have sent agents among the populace in the mountain districts urging them to support him against the Americans.

The belief of Americans who are familiar with Mexican affairs was that if the reported revolt in Chihuahua seriously shook the power of the first chief, it would not be long before there was trouble in Sonora. This state is headquarters of the Obregonistas and has never, according to information here, been more than lukewarm to the Carranza cause.

There is no confirmation of a report that Colonel Cano of Carranza's army has joined forces with Villa.

All was quiet in Juarez early today and street car service, which was suspended last night for fear of trouble in that Mexican city, was resumed this morning. The railroad bridges are still under guard.

May Disarm Mexicans. No grave was the situation regarded here that the military authorities planned today drastic steps to relieve all Mexicans in El Paso of any arms they might have concealed in their houses and enforce what would be practically martial law in "Little Chihuahua," the heart of El Paso's Mexican section.

All night long the wind whistled which would tell that the long expected outbreak had occurred. Three hundred soldiers with machine gun detachments waited under arms for any emergency, and the police reserves, equipped with rifles, were also held ready.

It is understood that government officials here have sent to Washington a recommendation couched in the strongest terms, urging that steps be taken to disarm all Mexicans along the border, taking the right of forcible entry and search, if necessary. Up to the present time, it is said that the Washington authorities opposed such a step on the ground that it would be misinterpreted by the Mexicans as discrimination against them and in violation of their rights.

PRICE OF CASTOR OIL IS TREBLED BY WAR. DES MOINES, Ia., March 23.—(Special.)—Castor oil, the bogey of the small boy with a stomachache, has almost halved in price and it is virtually impossible to purchase oil in large amounts at any price. The advance is attributed to the European war.

A canvass of Des Moines druggists revealed the fact that few of them have enough castor oil on hand to cope with green apple colic. Wholesale druggists are in the same predicament, it is said. Traveling salesmen have been instructed not to sell more than a gallon of oil to one druggist. The supply comes from the East Indies and trade with that section has been greatly demoralized by lack of shipping facilities.

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WILSON IN CAPITAL AGAIN AFTER PHILADELPHIA VISIT. WASHINGTON, March 23.—President Wilson was back in Washington tonight after a brief visit to Philadelphia to have his eyes examined. He left at 3 o'clock this morning and returned at 4:30 this afternoon. On the return trip he did some work with his stenographer.

The president was seen by a comparatively small number of people in Philadelphia because his plans had been kept secret. After seeing the oculist, he called on his sister, Mrs. Anna Howe.

Verdict for Being Hit by Auto. A verdict for \$1,000 was awarded David McVey in district court in his case against the Brandeis store. He was struck by one of the defendant's automobiles.

Bride Accompanies Her Husband on Exploring Trip to Interior of China



MRS. ROY C. ANDREWS

Mrs. Roy C. Andrews and her faithful dog, "Pat" will accompany her husband into the interior of China, on an exploration trip for the American Museum of Natural History. They have left New York and sail for Japan on the tenth of April.

It is really a bridal trip for the young couple. Mrs. Andrews is the daughter of Major Henry Borup, United States army, and the sister of the young Arctic explorer, George Borup, who was drowned on Peary's north pole expedition.

Mr. Andrews has twice encircled the world for the Natural History museum. His companion, Edmund Heller, besides his trip with the Roosevelt expedition (Roosevelt African expedition), has been with one of Paul Rainey's expeditions and has just returned from the Yale Peruvian expedition.

Describing his plans, Mr. Andrews said: "From Peking we will sail down the coast to Fu Chiu, in Fu Kien province. Here Mr. Heller and Perry Caldwell, a missionary will join us for a hunt through the Bohai mountains, some 200 miles inland, from the strait of Formosa. There is big game in this region and we should obtain some valuable and new specimens."

"From Fu Kien my wife, Heller and I will go up the coast to the mouth of the great Wang-Tse river by steamer, which will take us up the Wang-Tse to Tung-Ting lake. Here we will follow another stream by flat boat as far as we can get toward Wei-Chau province."

"This province is one of the wildest and most difficult to enter in China. There are no roads and few inhabitants. The country is mountainous and rugged. This will be the main field for our work on this trip, though we probably will push on into the province of Yunnan, unless the revolution that has recently broken out there makes it too dangerous. We may even go into Tibet."

"All this country is semi-tropical, cold in the mountainous regions and warm in the valleys. This part of Central Asia probably formed the birthplace of the human race."

"We will go right into the field of tiger hunting upon our arrival in China, and if we are fortunate we will send some fine specimens of the man-eating tiger to the museum."

"Some time will be required, of course, to finish the necessary diplomatic negotiations in regard to our trip and to China, but if our hopes are fulfilled, the members of our party will begin to look for big game about the second week of May. Our schedule calls for a year of actual work in the field."

Mrs. Andrews will take her pet dog along on the trip.

VIOLENT ARTILLERY DUEL EAST OF MEUSE

French Official Report Says Bombardment Continues at Several Points All Night.

WEST SIDE LINES ARE QUIET

PARIS, March 23.—The French official statement this morning says that last night a violent bombardment took place to the east of the Meuse river. To the west of the Meuse the fire diminished in intensity and the general situation is unchanged.

The French war office this afternoon gave out the following statement: "West of the Meuse the bombardment diminished last night. The enemy did not renew its attacks on the little hill of Haucourt (about one kilometer southwest of Malancourt), part of which we hold."

"East of the Meuse the bombardment has continued with violence at several points."

"In the Westveer there has been no important development to report, with the exception of an intermittent cannonading."

"West of Pont-A-Mousson a surprise attack upon a trench of the enemy in the vicinity of Frey-Er-Haye resulted in our taking several prisoners."

"The night passed quietly on the remainder of the front."

German Claim Systematic Progress. BERLIN, March 23.—(Via London, March 23.)—Attempts in other countries to interpret the various pauses in the German operations at Verdun as indicative of the waning of the offensive or the exhaustion of German troops denote failure to comprehend German strategy, according to the tenor of discussion in military circles here.

Officers say these pauses are only a part of the general scheme of operations. The method has been to make preparations for every attack so thoroughly as to guarantee success with minimum losses. German commanders have purposely avoided a simultaneous attack on the whole Verdun front.

Neither do these officers admit the Germans are fighting to revive the spirits of the people at home, with only a forlorn hope of victory. It is said these operations are intended to lead to the capture of Verdun and hasten the termination of the war.

The results of the operations at Verdun thus far, in regard both to the positions gained and the losses sustained, have been fully in line with expectations.

TWO GERMAN LINERS ARE CONDEMNED AS PRIZES

LONDON, March 23.—The Hamburg-American liners Prinz Adalbert and Kron Prinzessin Cecilie which were seized at Falmouth at the outbreak of the war were condemned in prize court today as prizes.

The Kronprinzessin Cecilie, a freight ship—not the better known North German Lloyd liner of that name—was in tourist service when the war began. In March, 1914, it carried a large shipment of war materials for the Huerta government to Vera Cruz. The United States objected and the cargo was never landed.

The Prinz Adalbert was on its way to a German port when the war began. It put in at Falmouth at the request of American passengers, England not having entered the war then.

IOWA FREIGHT CASE HEARING ON AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, March 23.—E. B. Boyd, for the Western Trunk lines, and A. Lahey, assistant freight traffic manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, testified at the Interstate Commerce commission's hearing of the Iowa freight rate cases today, that the Iowa rates were higher than rates on shipments from New York to St. Louis and other cities on the Mississippi.

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