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MEXICANS DIE BY SCORES IN FERCE CHIHUAHUA FIGHT

Over Hundred Bandits Slain and Villa's Chief Lieutenant Taken in Battle at Cusiuhirachic.

DE FACTO LOSSES HEAVY

Ramos, Heading Carranzistas, Wounded and Calls for Medical Aid.

MANY CAPTIVES ARE TAKEN

Chihuahua City, Mexico, Sept. 28.—Over 100 Villa followers were killed, the bandit leader, Baudelio Uribe, was taken prisoner and heavy casualties suffered by Carranza forces in a terrific fight at Cusiuhirachic, an important mining center about fifty miles southwest of Chihuahua City, according to a message received this afternoon by General Trevino from General Hattas Ramos, who was himself slightly wounded.

Garrison Aids Ramos.

It is stated that the garrison at Cusiuhirachic co-operated with the forces of Ramos, but whether they were attacked or had been the aggressors does not appear.

Randolfo Uribe, leader of the band and Villa's chief lieutenant, was the originator of the idea of cutting off the ears of captured government soldiers. Many others of his command are reported to have been made prisoners.

News of the fight was also received from the telegraph operator at Santa Ysabel, who added nothing to the report of General Ramos. The general's official report was sent by way of the town to which the hospital train has been dispatched.

Thirty-three Miles By Train.

Santa Ysabel is thirty-three miles by train from Chihuahua City. The Mexican Northwestern railway makes a loop to Cusiuhirachic from Santa Ysabel, while the direct distance between the two towns is about thirty-five miles.

Troops continue to pour into Chihuahua City from the south to participate in the Villa hunt.

General Apolinario Trevino's command arrived from Torreon today and paraded through the streets. The horses of this command were in good condition and the troops will be sent into the field in pursuit of Villa at once.

General Fortunato Maycotte is expected to arrive here soon with his command from the Laguna district near Torreon.

Six Inches of Hail Fall at Yorktown

Shenandoah, Ia., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—School was dismissed today at Yorktown because twenty-six windows in the building were destroyed by hail yesterday during a severe storm that hit Page county, centering between Norfolk and Clarinda. The streets were flooded and windows in most of the business houses broken. Twenty-five were smashed by the large stones at the Gwynn implement store and elevator. The hail piled six inches deep around the buildings and stayed on a long time. Some hail fell at Shenandoah and a torrent of water.

Boxed Up Coal Cars Used to Carry Grain

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Boxed up flat and coal cars are being employed by the railroads to relieve the car shortage. W. G. Powell, expert for the State Railway commission, reported on his return from Omaha today, where he was investigating the situation. The substitute is not proving satisfactory, however, Powell said, because of the difficulty of loading and unloading and the leakage of grain.

The Weather

For Nebraska—Fair and somewhat warmer. Temperature at Omaha, Deg. 45, 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, 38, 37, 36, 35, 34, 33, 32, 31, 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 24, 23, 22, 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0, -1, -2, -3, -4, -5, -6, -7, -8, -9, -10, -11, -12, -13, -14, -15, -16, -17, -18, -19, -20, -21, -22, -23, -24, -25, -26, -27, -28, -29, -30, -31, -32, -33, -34, -35, -36, -37, -38, -39, -40, -41, -42, -43, -44, -45, -46, -47, -48, -49, -50, -51, -52, -53, -54, -55, -56, -57, -58, -59, -60, -61, -62, -63, -64, -65, -66, -67, -68, -69, -70, -71, -72, -73, -74, -75, -76, -77, -78, -79, -80, -81, -82, -83, -84, -85, -86, -87, -88, -89, -90, -91, -92, -93, -94, -95, -96, -97, -98, -99, -100.

President Wilson Accepts Plans Of the Semi-Centennial Committee

To Arrive After Noon, Review Parade, Have Dinner at the Fontenelle and Speak at the Auditorium.

MRS. WILSON COMES, TOO

President Wilson and party will arrive in Omaha at 1:30 p. m. next Thursday and will return to their private car immediately after the president's address in the Auditorium in the evening.

This information is embodied in a telegram received from the president's secretary, J. P. Tumulty, by John Lee Webster, chairman of the semi-centennial committee of 100.

This definite advice regarding the president's Omaha visit necessitates the abandonment of plans for a luncheon at the Commercial club at noon, a foursome on the Country club links for the president, reception by the women for Mrs. Wilson and several other features which were being planned for the nation's executive and the first lady of the land.

No Quiet Hour. This information spread a pall of gloom over the local democratic camp whose leaders were quietly arranging for a "quiet hour" with the president. This feature was being engineered by Arthur Mullen, democratic national committeeman. Mr. Mullen is the man who, on Wednesday, claimed to hold the only official acceptance of an invitation extended to the president to visit Omaha. He was being aided and abetted by County Chairman Dahlman in a move to get the presidential car for an hour next Thursday. That plan has been knocked gally-west and democrats will have to sit or stand on the sidelines just like republicans and sinners and the scribes and the rest of Americans who will greet Woodrow Wilson as their president rather than as a democrat.

The telegraphic advice received by Mr. Webster from the president's secretary is the official information upon which the local committee will proceed with a revision of the original plans, which were tentative and subject to approval by the president and his wife.

As matters now stand, the president will be met at the depot by a committee, and escorted at once to the reviewing stand which will be erected in front of the court house for the distinguished visitors. The president and Mrs. Wilson, Dr. Grayson and members of the entourage will review the historical pageant, after which Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will be accompanied to Hotel Fontenelle for a rest before dinner. They will remain at the hotel until time for the address at the Auditorium and will proceed at once to their private car after the Auditorium meeting.

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The Official Message

Executive Building, Courthouse Park, N. J., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—The president will arrive in Omaha at 1:20 p. m. October 5. He will be glad to review historical pageant and parade, attend the dinner and deliver address in Auditorium as you suggest. Mrs. Wilson will accompany the president in addition to herself. There will be in the president's party Dr. Cary T. Grayson, two stenographers, five or six secret service operatives, five or six representatives of the press, a maid and a messenger. Please arrange so that the president and Mrs. Wilson may have time for a brief rest at the hotel at conclusion of the parade and before dinner. Mrs. Wilson will desire to be with the president at the several functions. Hope you can arrange for committee of ladies to accompany her to reviewing stand and address at Auditorium. Please wire me any suggestions that may occur to you. The president will return to his car at conclusion of the address.
J. P. TUMULTY.

GERMANS REPULSED NEAR THIAUMONT

French War Office Reports Defeat of Counter Assaults in Verdun Region. Paris, Sept. 28.—A strong attack was made by the Germans last night on the Verdun front between Thiaumont and Fleury. The war office announced today that the assault had been repulsed with heavy losses for the Germans.

TEUTONS WIN ON SOMME

Berlin, Sept. 28.—(Via London.)—German troops yesterday victoriously repulsed the Anglo-French forces on a greater part of the battle front between the Ancre brook and the River Somme, says the official statement issued today by the German army headquarters staff.

British Troops Advance

London, Sept. 28.—British troops last night advanced at various points on the Somme front between Martinpuich and Guedecourt, says the British official statement issued today.

Laborer at Lincoln Is Dead From Burns

Lincoln, Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Roy H. Fry, a laborer, died here today from burns as a result of falling into a boiling kettle of asphalt. Fry was an employee of the Cochrane Construction company.

Ak-Sar-Ben Dates

Ak-Sar-Ben jubilee, Fifteenth and Capitol Avenue, September 30 to October 7. Industrial parade, 2 p. m., October 3. Shakespeare electrical pageant, 8 p. m., October 4. Nebraska semi-centennial historical parade, 2 p. m., October 5. President Wilson to speak here October 5. Coronation ball at Den, 8 p. m., October 6. "Masque" ball at Den, 8 p. m., October 7. National swine show, October 2 to 7. Week of Wonderful Windows, September 27 to 30. Douglas county fair, October 2 to 7. Kite-flying contest, September 30. Omaha-Louisville post-season base ball series, October 4 to 8.

TOILERS OF NEW YORK REFUSE TO QUIT THEIR JOBS

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NOT MUCH EVIDENCE OF IT

Few Men Respond to Call for a General Suspension, According to Police Officials.

MORE UNIONS ARE VOTING

New York, Sept. 28.—Leaders of union labor appeared today to have met with small success in their renewed efforts to bring about their promised general strike to aid the striking traction employees, which was called to begin yesterday. Despite the claims of the leaders that the number who have quit work totals 125,000, and more, police officials said today that if a strike was in progress, there was little evidence of it.

Service on the elevated and subway lines continued normal today, except for the withdrawal of a large number of cars owing to the decreased traffic due to the Jewish holiday, and the general situation seemed to be about the same as it has been for the last week.

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"Boss" Mullen's Mind's-Eye Picture of Self



INFLUX OF BREEDERS TO HOG SHOW STARTS

Texan, in Search of Fancy Breeding Stock, Arrives From Panhandle.

WANTS ONLY THE BEST

Prominent hog breeders from all parts of the United States are trekking into Omaha for the Big National Swine show, which opens at the horse barns on the South Side Monday.

The entries are arriving, too, and by Monday morning the greatest galaxy of high class swine ever assembled in this country will be ready for inspection by the thousands of visitors.

A well known Texas breeder to arrive yesterday was W. H. Alexander of Childress, who maintains that of all the swine country in the great Lone Star state, the Panhandle is the best. He declared that Texans realize the Omaha show bids fair to be far away above any porcine stock exposition heretofore attempted in the United States.

Mr. Alexander wants it distinctly understood that he and the other Texans who are coming to Omaha to buy breeding stock, want nothing but the best. "Some people," he allowed, "seem to think Texas isn't much of a hog country and that when we need breeding stock, any old thing will do. But we want the best—the very best, and that's why we selected the National Swine show as the place at which to get it."

Duroc-Jerseys and Poland-Chinas are the big breeds in the Panhandle country, Mr. Alexander explained. He is here to "pick up" some extra fine breeding stock remarking that he, as well as his fellow Texans, were willing to pay for that kind of "stuff."

E. Z. Russell, associate editor of the Twentieth Century Farmer and superintendent of exhibits at the National Swine show, was informed yesterday that five cars of fancy stock had been shipped to Omaha from the Oklahoma state fair at Oklahoma City.

Prussian Hog Census Shows 2,000,000 Gain

Berlin, Sept. 28.—(By Wireless.)
Sayville.—A census of Prussian live stock, the Overseas News Agency announces, shows an increase of 2,000,000 hogs during the period from June 1 to September 1 of the current year. The number of cattle remains unchanged, the only decrease being a drop of 1 per cent in the total number of cows.

Latest British Reply To U. S. on the Way Here

London, Sept. 28.—The foreign office stated today that the British reply to the American note regarding the censorship of mails is on its way to Washington.

Dr. Landrith Predicts Bryan Will Run for President on Dry Ticket

Price, Utah, Sept. 28.—Breweries and Bryan, condemnation for one and commendation for the other were subjects discussed to Utah folks today by Dr. Ira Landrith, prohibition vice presidential candidate, as the "dry" special entered the state for a one-day campaign. Utah is wet.

"It is not the saloon, nor the distiller, but the brewery that is the greatest evil of all liquor traffic agencies," Dr. Landrith said. "It owns the fixtures of the saloon and all too often it owns the mayor and legislators also."

Dr. Landrith's remarks were occasioned in part by what he learned in a two-day campaign in Colorado, completed yesterday where the breweries are seeking to weaken the dry law by having beer declared a non-intoxicant.

"I welcome William J. Bryan to our ranks as a new convert," Dr. Landrith continued. "He has declared that the one great issue is liquor. He and others are going in for prohibition to be in at the death of liquor. They

Must Have Full Dress and Ten Dollars

Possession of a full dress suit and willingness to part with ten dollars are to be the two prerequisites to attend the formal dinner given President and Mrs. Wilson and their party during their visit to Omaha next week. In addition, the person who desires to eat at the same table with the chief executive will have to get on the invitation list, which is strictly limited by the capacity of the banquet hall at the Hotel Fontenelle to not to exceed 250 all told. Aside from this, the elaborate preparations for the dinner, including the floral decorations, illuminations and incidentals are under way to make it well worth the money.

ROMANCE DELAYS EXPOSURE OF PLOT

Trio that Blackmailed Iowan Will Be Arrested After Wedding of Victim's Daughter.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—The romance of an Iowa girl has temporarily blocked exposure of the latest blackmail plot, which resulted in the fleeing of a rich Iowa merchant out of \$10,000.

The girl, whose father was the victim of the blackmailers, is to be married October 20, and federal agents promised today to delay arrests until after the wedding. The names of the Iowa victim and his swindlers will not be made public until arrests are made.

Fear that his daughter's future happiness might be wrecked, and that the forthcoming wedding plans might be cancelled, caused the blackmailer's victim to ask for a delay in making the exposure.

"The man has decided, however, to aid us in every possible way to prosecute the swindlers," said Hinton C. Clabaugh, Chicago head of the Department of Justice. "He is willing that his story be made public, but not until after the marriage of his daughter, who is his only child. The man is a widower."

Colonel F. W. Roe Commits Suicide

Port Orange, Fla., Sept. 28.—Colonel F. W. Roe, United States army, retired, son of the late Admiral Roe, shot himself here today and died instantly. He is survived by an invalid widow here and mother in Washington, where the body will be taken. He had been an invalid for three years.

Keeping Everlastingly at It Brings Results.

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