

U. S. IS WATCHING RIO GRANDE BORDER

Detain Suspicious Characters and Probable Mexican Revolutionists Seeking to Cross Into United States.

Presidio, Tex., Nov. 20.—Six alleged suspicious characters have been detained here in efforts to cross the Rio Grande since Villa captured Ojinaga, the Mexican town across that stream from here. Military and other federal officers have been examining all who pass in and out of Presidio in search of Mexican politicians aligned with the Villa movement.

One of the six men detained here came to Presidio asserting he was a cattle buyer from southern Mexico. He admitted he was a member of the conventionist party. Another man held here said he was from Jalisco. He is believed to be an emissary of Emiliano Zapata, a southern rebel chief. A third was from Oaxaca and declared he was a dealer in straw hats, who came to the border to sell hats to the federal forces in Ojinaga. Still another was a colonel in Zapata's forces, sent here to represent his chief, according to his statements. Two were from central Chihuahua.

The statements of all these men agreed in that they recognized Villa as the logical leader of the new movement and claimed he had strong followings in the states from which they came. One admitted that the movement had for its essential purpose the elimination of Carranza and the re-establishment of the old Diaz federal government with Villa in control in the north.

The examination of all suspected persons is being continued under the direction of Captain Roland Taylor to prevent any thought to be emissaries from crossing the river. George Holmes of El Paso, formerly Villa's cattle buyer and close friend, came here yesterday with the expressed intention of crossing the river to see

Villa, but was not given the necessary permit. A number of Villa partisans are known to be gathering in El Paso.

\$500,000 IS GIFT OF NEBRASKA TO Y. M. WAR FUND

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the boys' quota of \$30,000 when all reports are in.

Report by Districts.

Following is the report of the state by districts up to Tuesday:

District and Headquarters	Amount
1—Omaha	\$116,000
2—Lincoln	22,568
3—Omaha counties	17,064
4—Nebraska City	41,728
5—Beatrice	18,021
6—Seward	13,000
7—Fremont	41,628
8—Wakefield	17,000
9—Norfolk	17,000
10—Columbus	5,682
11—Central City	4,500
12—York	23,950
13—Hastings	23,250
14—Grand Island	23,050
15—O'Neill	10,000
16—North Platte	7,500
17—McCook	14,000
18—Scottsbluff	35,000
19—Chadron	2,700
Total	\$459,678
Boys of the state contributed	21,600
Grand total	\$481,278

Clerks Count Up.

A force of clerks is busy in the office of Acting Secretary Flower counting the cash and pledges.

"We have already received \$50,000 in cash from Omaha subscriptions," he said. "It is coming in all the time. Some of the money is in the form of pledges payable between now and March 1. The money will be forwarded to national headquarters in New York to be disbursed from there."

"The \$35,000,000 apportionment was made to take care of the work until July 1, 1918. As the country probably gave \$50,000,000 it may not be necessary to put on another campaign until after that date."

Secretary Denison of the Omaha association left Monday night for Deming, N. M., to continue his work there.

RUSS OFFICIALS PROTEST METHODS OF BOLSHEVIKI

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He expects to return to Omaha July 1.

ment today from Tornea, on the Swedish frontier, say passengers arriving there from Russia declare the Russian situation is controlled by General Kaledines, the Cossack commander, who holds the country's coal and bread supply in the Don Cossack region.

A similar view is taken at Stockholm. A message from there, dated yesterday, tells of the belief that Kaledines is the man of the hour and that Petrograd is at his mercy.

A dispatch from Tornea, dated yesterday, reports the arrival there of several Americans from Petrograd in advance of the large party being sent away by Ambassador Francis. Petrograd was said to be quiet, with theaters open and trains running. Soldiers were parading the streets of the city bearing banners stating that "Russia does not want separate peace" and demanding constitutional assembly for all Russia, and declaring that the Nicholas regime was never so tyrannical as that of the Bolsheviki.

New Rule Cannot Last

The passengers were of the opinion that the present revolutionary government cannot last because it lacks support of all the parties, including the extreme socialists.

Kerensky is again reported to have escaped capture and to have gone to the front in an effort to get support. According to Swedish newspapers, an army corps in marching on Petrograd under command of an army committee determined to end the Bolsheviki power.

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NO INCREASED FEE FOR CATTLE GRAZING

Secretary Houston Decides Against Advance to Encourage Cattlemen in Filling Demands for Beef.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Secretary Houston announced today that despite his conviction that the government fees charged this year for grazing privileges on the national forests are below the real value of the forage, there will be no further advance in those fees for the present. This assurance and a statement that there will be no substantial change in the existing regulations governing the issuance of grazing permits for more than a year were made in a letter he sent to the secretaries of the American National Live Stock association and the National Wool Growers' association.

On account of war conditions, Secretary Houston said in his letter, stockmen have been called upon to overcome many difficulties in order to keep up the supply of beef, mutton, hides and wool for this country and the allies, and for that reason he has decided that grazing fees now in force will be continued, "with the exception of such minor changes as may seem advisable to adjust and correlate the fees between certain forests or groups of forests."

The secretary said that he feels the matter of issuing five or ten-year permits should also be deferred for consideration later, the demand for increased meat production tending to make the issuance of such permits inadvisable.

CLOSE TO JERUSALEM.

London, Nov. 20.—The British forces in Palestine are now 12 miles northwest and 15 miles west of Jerusalem, the war office announces.

Labor Men Back Government Measures for Carrying on War

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The overwhelming defeat of the pacifists by the supporters of President Samuel Gompers at the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor was followed today by the rapid disposal of many important resolutions upon which the anti-war party had been expected to show fight.

Resolutions relating to labor supply to meet war conditions were adopted after brief debate. The creation of an emergency supply commission connected with the federal Department of Labor, provided for in a resolution offered by a western delegate, and the report of the executive council on the proper distribution of labor were covered jointly in a report from the resolutions committee.

The committee recommended that the incoming executive council take up with the presidents of all affiliated organizations and the proper government officials any question that may arise in connection with labor supply during the war.

The report of the committee was adopted unanimously.

Packing Houses Refuse To Sell Meat on Tuesday

Washington, Nov. 20.—Packing houses and the meat industry generally are co-operating fully, the food administration announced today, in support of a meatless Tuesday.

An illustration, attention was called to a notice just sent to its customers by a packing company of Los Angeles, informing them that it would make no deliveries of meat or meat products for consumption on Tuesday except for the army and navy.

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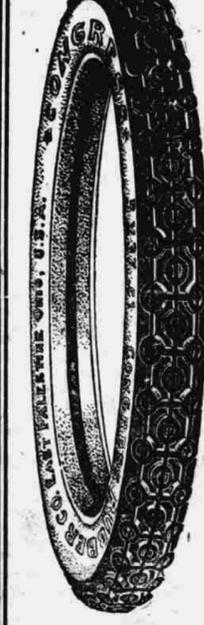


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