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U. S. TO DEPEND ON CARRANZA IN MEXICO, CABINET MEETING DECIDES

ARMY PROBES SOLDIER RIOT EVIDENCE TAKEN FROM VON PAPAN OF BOMB PLOTS

REPORTS CONFLICT AND HEADQUARTERS IS INVESTIGATING

Both 9th Cavalry and 25th Infantry Representatives Say Own Men Little Involved

MOBBERY IN "RED LIGHT" DISTRICT IS QUELLED

2nd Infantry With Increased Provost Guard Patrols Section Ready to Stop Disorder By Military Force

Drastic investigation is in progress today by Hawaiian Department headquarters of the soldier riot in the Iwilei district last night.

Conflicting reports from various officers and commands as to the soldiers involved in the wrecking of the houses in the "red light" section came today. Following thick and fast upon the melee which broke out shortly after 7 o'clock last night, are denials from both 9th Cavalry and 25th Infantry officers that many of their men were in the mob which broke into houses, smashed the contents, terrorized the painted women and generally ran amuck.

Several independent inquiries are in progress, the results of which will be officially reported to army headquarters and then the army staff will reach their conclusions with all the facts before them.

The facts that have reached army headquarters so far show that the trouble really started early yesterday afternoon. A number of soldiers of the 9th Cavalry, a colored organization, here with the transport Sheridan, and the 25th Infantry, the colored regiment from Schofield, met at the social entertainment given by the 25th for the visiting comrades at the National Guard armory. It is held that both near or at the armory and in saloons of Honolulu the soldiers commenced more boisterous behavior than usual, and that this was the original cause of trouble.

From that to the Iwilei visit at nightfall, the refusal of most of the women to harbor the soldiers, and the sudden outbreak of destructiveness, was a series of quick steps. Rigid investigation ordered.

The following statement was made by army headquarters at Honolulu today: "A thorough and comprehensive investigation of all the facts surrounding the outbreak at Iwilei last night has been ordered. Department Headquarters have as yet had no official reports. The commanding officer on the transport, Col. Harry S. Hale; Major Lenihan, who commanded the Fort Shafter battalion that furnished the increased provost guard last night, and the authorities at Schofield Barracks have been ordered to assemble and report all facts concerning the matter.

No Martial Law.

"No martial law was declared last night. The 2nd Infantry, which provides the regular provost guard, was called on to send an increased guard and responded with four companies.

The soldier riot was due to the entertainment of the 9th Cavalry by the 25th Infantry and to the rough men who at that time became aroused with drink. The outbreak was confined to the 9th Cavalry and 25th Infantry, and the trouble was confined to the red-light district. There was no disorder outside this district, so far as reported."

It is understood that officers of the 9th Cavalry say that their own provost guard was able to restore order in Iwilei and that their guard had cleared the district and gone back to the ship before the 2nd Infantry appeared in response to the hurry call by the police when the police found the situation beyond civil authority. Good Work by 2nd Infantry.

Unofficially, army men give credit to the battalion of the 2nd Infantry and its officers for a clean-cut and capable piece of work in checking the disorder and patrolling the district.

While no martial law was declared and none even suggested, the district under the patrol of the 2nd Infantry last night was virtually under military rule akin to martial law. The police turned the job of handling the riot over to the soldiers entirely, the soldiers formed lines around the district with bayonets ready for service if necessary, and military masses were requisite to get civilians into the patrolled region. Civilians already there were ordered to leave and the women told to close up their houses.

That the situation almost instantly got beyond the police and that Deputy Sheriff Asch acted correctly in estimating the extent of the trouble and calling on Shafter for the increased provost guard is the consensus of opinion so far heard this morning.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

Following are the closing prices of stocks on the New York market today, sent by the Associated Press over the Federal Wireless:

	Today	Yesterday
American Smelter	107	104 1/4
American Sugar Rfg.	115	115
American Tel. & Tel.	127 3/4	127 1/2
Atchison	106 3/4	106 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	113	106 3/4
Baltimore & Ohio	94 1/2	94 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	452	430
Calif. Petroleum	37	35
Canadian Pacific	179 3/4	178 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	49 1/2	47 1/2
Cruicible Steel	68 1/2	60
Erie Common	42	41 3/4
General Electric	172 1/4	170 3/4
Great Northern Pfd.	124 3/4	124 3/4
Intern'l Harv., N. J.	110	109 7/8
New York Central	110 3/4	110
Pennsylvania	59	58 3/4
Southern Pacific	102 1/2	102
St. Paul	101	100 1/4
Studebaker	158 1/4	152
Union Pacific	138	137 3/4
U. S. Steel	86 1/2	85 1/4
U. S. Steel Pfd.	117 3/4	117 3/4
Western Union	90	88 1/2
Westinghouse Elec.	67 1/2	66

ADDED TO LIST TODAY

General Motors	475
Tennessee Copper	60

JOHN C. MOCINE DIES SUDDENLY AT HILO HOME

[Star-Bulletin Special by Mutual Wireless]
HILO, Jan. 14.—John C. Mocine, manager of the Hilo Electric Light Company, died suddenly last night at his home here. The funeral has been set for this afternoon.

Word has been received from Waiopio quarry, where rock is being blasted for the Hilo breakwater, that one of the Japanese laborers, name not given, was instantly killed last Tuesday when a seven ton rock fell on him.

HEAR KING GEORGE IS SENDING SPECIAL ENVOY WITH THANKS TO JAPAN

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shipno)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 14.—Hearing that the Emperor of Russia had despatched a personal delegate to Japan, King George of England has decided to send his personal representative in a few days to thank Japan for help and sympathy during the present crisis.

YUAN SEEKING LOAN OF \$20,000,000 TO HELP DOWN REBELS

(Special Cable to Nippu Jiji)
TOKIO, Japan, Jan. 14.—Yuan Shih-Kai has despatched a representative to this city to take up the matter of a \$20,000,000 loan from the Mitsui bank. It is announced that this loan will be asked to carry on the campaign against the revolutionists.

HAWAII'S BRANCH OF WOMAN'S NAVY LEAGUE SECTION IS PRAISED

The activity of Hawaii women in organizing the local branch of the Woman's Section of the Navy League has won much favorable comment in Washington and elsewhere. By mail today the Star-Bulletin received a statement from the headquarters of the Navy League which says: "A vigorous campaign for membership carried on by the chapter which inserted a notice in the territorial newspapers asking the women of Hawaii to join the Woman's Section, had the splendid result of getting three hundred new members to swell the Million Membership Campaign of the section, which holds its first count New Year's Day."

NAVAL MILITIA WILL BE ORGANIZED TONIGHT

Tonight at the National Guard armory the naval militia of Hawaii will be organized, with the naval board directing this new departure. Cmdr. A. G. Gately, chairman of the board, said today he hoped for a large and enthusiastic attendance. The other members of the board are J. E. Sheedy, J. Morton Riggs, R. E. Lambert and David Kalaokalani. All interested are urged to attend, the details to be fully explained tonight.

It is announced that engineering instruction will be part of the work.

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 14.—Sugar: 96 degree test, 4.5175 cents. Previous quotation, 4.52 cents.

Ashes obtained by burning wooden or cotton cloth are used for healing wounds in the European war.

RUMOR SANTA FE LINE MAY OPEN HAWAII OFFICE

General Agent Coming From Portland, Hawaii Promotion Committee Hears

TRANSPORTATION MEN SEE BUSINESS GROWING

Hawaii's growing tourist traffic and importance as a traveling center is attracting widespread attention among railroad men, and as a result, a strong rumor is current that the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe system will shortly open an office in this city, with perhaps a branch at Hilo.

The report is based partly on what transportation men have heard of the Santa Fe's apparent intention, and partly on an inquiry which the Hawaii Promotion Committee has received from a Santa Fe man. H. F. Vernon, the general agent of the Santa Fe at Portland, has written that he is coming here with his wife and three daughters and desires to secure quarters. His letter indicates that he is coming not for a brief visit but as a resident.

It is conjectured that Vernon will be the Santa Fe agent here. Davies & Company are now the freight agents in Hawaii for the big Santa Fe system. Transportation men believe that there is so much passenger travel in sight for the territory during the next few years that several railroads are likely to be in the hunt for business.

"The more the merrier," said one man this morning. "The competition will benefit all the roads for it will lead to increased advertising and develop the passenger business far more than if one or two roads had all of it."

TRADE OF CHINA MAY SOON TOTAL \$6 PER PERSON

That there should be some sort of organized effort to boost the shipping industry between China and the United States was one of the facts brought out by Thomas Sammons, consul-general at Shanghai, in his talk to the Commercial Club, his host, this afternoon.

Consul Sammons declared that in trade possibilities the potential power of China to be developed in future years can hardly be measured. While at present she furnishes in all a trade of only a few million dollars, he said, it is entirely possible that a few years will bring forth trade equal to \$6 a head for her enormous population.

Mr. Sammons told the club of the workings of a newly organized businessmen's club in Shanghai fashioned much on the same lines as the local Commercial Club.

He said that there has also been organized recently an American Chamber of Commerce in the big Chinese city, which plans in a short time to become affiliated in a manner, at least, with the same movement in the United States.

Recalls Former Visits.

Mr. Sammons was introduced by Albert Waterhouse, president of the Commercial Club, and preceded his business talk with a number of anecdotes regarding previous experiences he had enjoyed in Hawaii.

One of his most laughable stories was of a time when he was sick in the Queen's hospital with typhoid fever. Ringing his electric bell three times to call the nurse, he called instead two Hawaiian boys who stared at him curiously, whispering to themselves the while.

"Finally growing tired of their actions I made a face at them," said the consul, "and they took to their heels in a panic, one of them crashing into a window at the end of the hallway."

The consul explained that he learned afterward he had given the wrong signal, and instead of ringing for the nurse had really called the boys who were detailed to carry out people who died.

Consul Sammons proved himself to be a genial entertainer with his fund of stories, and kept his hearers laughing most of the time.

Among those at the table with the guest were Governor Pinkham, Mayor Lane, Brig.-gen. Samuel Johnson, Dr. C. B. Cooper and President Waterhouse.

RAIN FALLING MORE THAN INCH AN HOUR

Heavy rain which broke out in a downpour at 3 o'clock this afternoon is coming down at the rate of 1 1/2 inch in 10 minutes according to A. M. Hamrick of the federal weather office. This would make a fall of 1.02 inches in an hour.

LETTERS AND CHECK STUBS SHOW HE PAID MONEY ABOUT TIME PLANTS AND BRIDGES WERE BLOWN UP

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LONDON, Eng., Jan. 14.—Copies of important correspondence seized by the British secret service upon Capt. Franz von Papan, the German military attaché recently recalled at the demand of the U. S., have been turned over to the American embassy here for transmission to the state department.

The letters show frequent payments made through von Papan to persons who have been arrested and held under charges of conspiring to blow up ammunition plants and bridges. Included in this is the notation of a payment of \$700 to Werner Horn, who was arrested following the attempt to dynamite the Canadian-Pacific bridge at St. Croix, Maine. On the day before this payment the German embassy paid \$2000 into von Papan's account. A check stub shows that two weeks before the Seattle explosion of May 30 von Papan sent the German consul in Seattle \$500, and in February he sent \$1300 to the German consulate.

LONDON HEARS AUSTRIA TRYING TO WIN SEPARATE PEACE WITH MONTENEGRO

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LONDON, Jan. 14.—That Austria is trying to conclude a separate peace with Montenegro, now that the little mountain kingdom is being fast reduced by the Austria forces, is the report received here in a despatch from London. The despatch says that hostilities have been suspended by the Austrians, who have proposed an armistice and purpose negotiating to conclude a separate peace.

The move is looked on with some apprehension as it will create a serious situation for the Allies in the Balkans.

ROME, Italy, Jan. 14.—The famous Cathedral of Sora was destroyed by fire today. The fire broke out while services were in progress in commemoration of the disastrous earthquake a year ago. Similar services were being held throughout Italy.

A candle fell on the altar cloth while the services were in progress, the cloth caught fire and the cathedral burned. The statue of Saint Restina, the protecting saint of Sora, was ruined. The peasants have been much upset by the occurrence, believing it an omen of war.

AKED MAY QUIT IF HE WANTS TO

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 14.—Trustees of the First Congregational church of this city said today that there is no other course open for them but to accept Rev. Charles F. Aked's resignation if it is presented to them. Despatches from The Hague say that Dr. Aked has been chosen a member of the permanent peace board organized by the Ford party, and it is expected that he will remain in Europe until the close of the war.

FLOODS MENACE ARKANSAS TOWNS

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 14.—Warnings from the weather bureau declare that the most dangerous flood ever recorded in the White River and adjacent tributaries is expected. The water in the river bottoms is high now and rising with the rains.

GAS EXPLOSION JARS OAKLAND

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 14.—An explosion of illuminating gas in this city today tore the front of a house and another was moved off its foundations. Sewers, concrete sidewalks and conduits for an entire block were destroyed and an area of 10 squares was severely shaken.

GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

The following cablegram from official German sources was received today:

"German Headquarters, Jan. 13.—Northeast of Arrmentieres the advance of a stronger English detachment was repulsed. The French in the early morning renewed the attack in Champagne, northeast of Lemesnil, but were repulsed. An attack against part of the trenches taken by the Germans on January 9, near the farm Maison de Champagne failed equally.

"Lieuts. Boelke and Immelmann shot down each an English aeroplane northeast of Tourcoing and near Baupenne. In recognition of the extraordinary merits the order Pour le Merite has been bestowed by his majesty the emperor. A third English aeroplane was shot down in an air fight near Roubaix and a fourth was brought down by defense guns near Ligny, northwest of Lille. Out of eight English aeroplane officers involved, two were wounded and the other six are dead.

"On the east front German patrol detachments had successful engagements in several places. The Russians near Novosolski were ejected from advanced trenches."

Wednesday's Report.

The following cablegram from official German sources was received yesterday:

"German Headquarters, Jan. 12.—A French attack northeast of Lemesnil on a German position about a kilometer long failed completely. The enemy hurriedly retreated to their own trenches, under an effective German fire, the German artillery impeding a repetition of the attacks.

"An ammunition of a pioneer detachment, lodged in a casemate of the southern Lille fortifications, exploded. The neighboring streets suffered much. Up to now there are 70 known dead and 50 badly wounded citizens of Lille taken from the ruins. The inhabitants believe that the English caused the catastrophe.

"Yesterday when the Germans shelled again the station at Soissons, a new French station flew the Geneva flag, which for some time had disappeared."

"On the east front a Russian advance near Tenefeld, southwest of Illuxt, failed. A German patrol north of Koelchinnovka drove back the Russian vanguards to their main position."

From one item above it appears that a despatch last Wednesday apparently relating to a French disaster near Lille was in the town of Lille itself, the explosion being directed against German ammunition supplies.

MAD COYOTES IN BANDS TERRORIZE COAST DISTRICTS

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 14.—A remarkable outbreak of rabies among the coyotes of Northern California is reported, which is having serious consequences.

The rabies-infected coyotes are traveling in packs, attacking towns and driving people to take refuge in trees. They are known to have attacked farmers and children going to school. In reporting on the matter, Dr. George Ebricht, president of the state board of health, says that schools have been closed in some remote sections of the counties bordering upon Oregon and Nevada.

NORTH HOLLAND IN DANGER OF GREAT FLOODS

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
AMSTERDAM, Netherlands, Jan. 14.—The Amsterdam Telegraaf reports that the Zuider Zee dyke at Kalvouse has burst, that Zuidholmer is flooded and that the inhabitants have fled to Eijck, which is partly submerged. The dyke protecting Polderzezevang is endangered and if it bursts will flood most of North Holland.

JAPANESE WRESTLER ARRIVES AT SEATTLE

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shipno)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 14.—T. Ito, the famous Judo wrestler, who will make a trip through the states, arrived in Seattle yesterday and will be matched with Al Santel in the Washington metropolis.

MAYOR OF SAN FRANCISCO GOES UNDER THE KNIFE

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless]
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 14.—Mayor James Rolph was today operated on for acute appendicitis. He is doing well.

CARRANZA GOVERNMENT WON'T LET AMERICAN EXPEDITION GO OVER BORDER HUNTING VILLA

Chairman Stone of Senate Foreign Relations Committee Indicates No Present Intention of Sending U. S. Troops To Scene

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless]
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—At a meeting of the cabinet today, it was decided that the United States will maintain its present policy toward Mexico and depend upon President Carranza, who has given assurances that he will punish Gen. Villa.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—With the reports of fresh crimes upon foreigners in Mexico and news of the serious anti-Mexican riots in El Paso, Congress is directing attention to some plan for safeguarding American lives and property in the revolutionary districts.

Senator John D. Works of California, Republican, today introduced in the senate a resolution which calls for intervention by an armed military force of the United States. His resolution authorizes and directs the president to intervene in Mexico to establish and maintain stable government there until it is safe for the United States to withdraw and the lives of its citizens are abundantly safeguarded.

This resolution is one of a series of attacks on the administration's Mexican policy which are expected to materialize among the members of the opposition. Chairman Stone of the committee on foreign relations is now gathering information as to the administration's attitude and its various acts since the Mexican problem became pressing, with the object of meeting expected attacks.

Senator Stone said today that he does not expect that American troops will be sent into Mexico unless developments compel it. He considers that the Villistas became enraged at the recognition of Carranza by the Pan-American powers, led by the United States, and determined to force intervention, taking as their course the slaughter of Americans to create an issue between Washington and Carranza's government.

Reports from Mexico received by the state department and other officials today say that the Americans who were attacked in Madera are safe, having been able to stand off the Villista force.

It is denied that ten Americans and two English women were murdered. The Madera colony, armed and determined to fight to the last, was assisted by a few Carranza soldiers when the Villistas attacked, and the defenders are reported to have routed the bandits.

Washington also was informed today that martial law was not declared late yesterday in El Paso, as reported. When the rioting became severe, provost patrols were hurried into the streets and used to check disorders.

Carranza Won't Allow Americans To Hunt Down Villa and Comrades

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 14.—President Carranza will not permit an expedition of U. S. citizens into Mexico for the purpose of hunting down and punishing the murderers of foreigners there.

This was made plain today by Mexican Consul Andreas Garcia, in a reply he made to the formal inquiry of the El Paso citizens who propose to organize the expedition and hunt down Villa and his bandit comrades. Garcia says that no armed expeditionary force of Americans will be permitted in Mexico.

The situation is quiet here today, following the riots.

Say Two Villa Generals Executed

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 14.—Generals Jose Roderiguez and Almeida were executed at Madera after their arrest there by the band of American defenders, according to a despatch received today by the Mexican consul here, Andreas Garcia, from General Trevino, a Carranza officer. Roderiguez was reported to have been in command of the bandits who murdered 18 American mining-men. He was one of those attacking the Madera colony.

Army Officers Here From Mexican Border Say U. S. Must Intervene

Half a dozen army officers on the transport Sheridan who have been on the Mexican border for periods ranging from a few months to several years, today expressed themselves as positive that there is only one solution to the Mexican problem, and that is intervention and probably war.

"It will come soon," said a lieutenant of the 9th Cavalry this morning. "Mexico is now absolutely lawless, irresponsible, ungoverned, and the men who have been on the border know it well. War is the only end."

A high officer of the 9th Cavalry, who has been at Columbus, N. M., and in Douglas, Ariz., and other towns close to the border, said it appeared when he left the United States to be an extremely delicate situation on the Mexican border.

"President Wilson's policy of 'watchful waiting' as it is termed," Maj. Phillips said, "seems to be satisfactory in the border country. But people down there now seem to have reached the limit of forbearance. They do not want war with Mexico, but, as it looks to me, there is no other way out."

"Mexico is almost without a government, if what we heard when on the

border is true. It is far worse in Mexico and far worse on the border than one here, or in any other place at a distance, can realize. I see but one end."

What the end seen is Maj. Phillips did not care to say, but it was apparent from his conversation that this is intervention.

FIRST BIG BATTLE IN CHINESE REVOLUTION IS COSTLY TO BOTH SIDES

(Special Cable to Hon Mun Bo.)
HONGKONG, Jan. 14.—The first real engagement between the revolutionists and the troops of Yuan Shih-Kai took place yesterday at Wan Chai, where a desperate struggle took place between the combatants. The loss was heavy on both sides.

Another province of China has been involved in the struggle, the districts of Kwe Lum, Chu Chu and Lu Ghu in Kiang Si being the scene of an engagement between the opposing troops. Wan Chu is an important center of operations, according to military authorities.