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GERMAN ATTACK VIOLENT GAIN

AFTER SEVENTY-SEVEN DAYS' BATTLE, GERMANS RATTACK ON VERDUN.

LOST THEIR GAINS

Paris Reports Today Say That Germans Were Driven Out of Some of the Five Hundred Yards of Trenches Which They Captured.

London, May 8.—After seventy-seven days' battle, the Germans are making renewed formidable attacks about Verdun almost equaling in violence the first engagements of the long battle.

The Germans, who captured five hundred yards of French trenches Sunday near Douaumont, were driven out of some of them and failed to advance further last night, says a Paris report today.

Sunday's gains were made by the Teutons at heavy cost, and except near Hill 304. The entire attack, which was thrown against the sector between Hill 304 and Le Mort Homme was repulsed with serious losses to the Germans and a similar fate befell the forces attacking in the northwest, except near Haudremont wood. The other fronts are comparatively quiet again.

REGISTER IF YOU EXPECT TO CAST BALLOT

DAY DRAWS NEAR WHEN THE BOOKS WILL BE CLOSED, AND MANY HAVE FAILED TO GET THEIR NAMES ENROLLED.

Wednesday night at midnight the registration books of the county will close and all who fail to register before that time will be denied the ballot both in the primary and in the general election.

The registers of the county have done their best to get the voters out and enroll them, but aside from the socialists and republicans it seems that there is a vast indifference upon the part of the members of the dominant party whether they register or not.

This fact they will regret this fall if they fail to register and attempt to vote in the election there will be not only prosecutions but contested elections following.

Many of the candidates have interested themselves in this matter and are working with the delinquent ones to get their names on the register. Unless this is done, the democrats of Carter County are going to bump into the surprise of their lives this fall, according to reports of some of the leading democrats who are working with might and main to get the voters to comply with the law before it is too late, and if the other two parties grab off a major portion of the offices, the democrats of the county will have only themselves to blame.

The registers of the city precincts especially are doing all in their power to get the voters registered, but the indifference upon the part of so many of them, they fear, will prove fatal when the votes are counted this fall.

WEATHER FORECAST
New Orleans, La., May 8.—The weather forecast for Oklahoma for tonight and Tuesday is unsettled with lower temperatures.

ACTING MAYOR STOPPED BALL GAME SUNDAY

CITY OFFICIALS PREVENT YESTERDAY'S GAME AND SAY THAT THERE WILL BE NO MORE SUNDAY BALL IF THEY CAN STOP IT

There was a bunch of sore baseball fans in the city yesterday when it was announced that acting Mayor Lasher had issued a warning that any attempt to play ball in Ardmore on Sundays while he was serving in such capacity, would be followed by arrest of all parties concerned.

When the southern circuit was formed by Mayor Mullen who is now out of the city, it was understood that there would be no objection to Sunday ball if it was conducted in a decorous manner, and Sunday games have been played here. But it seems that the acting mayor and the city commissioners decided to put the lid on tight.

Just what Mayor Mullen will say to this when he returns, is speculative. It is a well known fact that without Sunday ball the league cannot survive and the sport-loving people who see no harm in a game of ball on Sunday will be denied the pleasure. For several years Ardmore has had an ordinance against Sunday baseball, but it was suspended for a time. Whatever Mayor Mullen may think about the matter when he returns, he will be unable to do anything unless the ordinance is repealed by the board of city commissioners.

The games scheduled for this city will be played Tuesday and Wednesday.

PERSHING WAS SUCCESSFUL

AMERICAN COMMANDER REPORTS KILLING OF HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE VILLISTAS TO DATE.

FOUR KNOWN DEAD

Indian Scouts with American Troops Participate in Battle for First Time and Rode at Head of Cavalry with Their Shrieking Warwhoops.

Field Headquarters near Namiquipa (via wireless), May 8.—General Pershing's expedition to date has accounted for one hundred and twenty-five Villistas dead and nearly three hundred wounded.

The Americans lost six killed and about ten wounded by bullets.

The significance of this showing is in the fact that the Americans were pursuing some of the most desperate fighters in Mexico.

The details of the raid on Glenn Springs have stirred the expeditionary detachments to renewed activity.

Apache Indians in Fight.

Namiquipa, May 8.—Twenty war-mad Apaches, scouts of the expeditionary force, participated prominently in the recent Ojoazules battle. Shrieking their war whoops they rode at the head of the cavalry, demonstrating their pistol marksmanship by killing a goodly number of the fifty-five Mexican victims.

This was the first time the Indians have been engaged in the fighting.

AMERICAN NOTE NOW COMPLETE

RELATIONS SAFE AS LONG AS LONG AS NEW SUBMARINE INSTRUCTIONS ARE FOLLOWED.

NOT VERY BRIEF

President Wilson Informs Berlin Government that He Cannot Allow Germany to Dictate Negotiations of U. S. A. with British Government.

Washington, D. C. May 8.—The note to Germany has been virtually completed and will probably go forward today, informing Germany that so long as the new instructions to her submarine commanders are observed, diplomatic relations will continue, but that the United States cannot allow Germany to dictate its negotiations with England.

The note is brief and will be made public soon after it is forwarded to Berlin.

Kaiser Summons von Buelow

London, May 8.—Prince von Buelow has been summoned to headquarters by the kaiser, says a Hague dispatch, adding that the visit is said to be of great political importance.

The Rotterdam dispatch says that it learns on high authority that Emperor William on Easter Sunday sent an autograph note to Pope Benedict expressing the hope that the pontiff and the king of Spain would be able

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THE REVIVAL IS GROWING IN INTEREST

LARGE CONGREGATIONS ATTEND EVERY SERVICE AND MUCH GOOD WORK IS BEING ACCOMPLISHED BY EVANGELIST.

After meeting unusual interruptions the great revival at the Williams tabernacle has at last swollen to high tide. To attempt a report of four services in one brief article is like trying to crowd a tornado into a tin whistle.

Saturday evening was booster choir evening. Fully 200 girls, after singing on the streets in the afternoon, paraded the streets in their May day costumes in the evening and rendered a program at the tabernacle by far the finest of the entire series. They thrilled everyone with delight. The girls have caught the spirit of religious enthusiasm. If now the boys can be given equal attention, we may hope not only for a bigger but a better Ardmore.

The evangelist's appeal, based on Hosea, chapter 14, was addressed to wanderers and backsliders. He stressed the truth that many fall by their own iniquity. They are sinners from choice. Everyone must give an account of himself to God. We cannot shirk individual responsibility. You will be as the dew to Israel—will warm the heart into life. He will have mercy. By slandering God, the devil tries to keep the wanderer and backslider away from God. Through his favor they shall grow

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NEW EXPEDITION AFTER RAIDERS

FUNSTON WILL SEND TROOPS AFTER RAIDERS WHO VISITED BREWSTER COUNTY, TEXAS.

APACHES IN BATTLE

Three Cavalrymen and Ten-Year Old Boy Only Known Victims of Raiders, But Three Civilians Missing—Conference May End Tonight.

Washington, May 8.—A new American expedition may now be across the border pursuing the Brewster County raiders.

Secretary Baker said today that he had received a report from General Funston stating that steps had been taken in that direction, but he refused to talk further.

Three cavalrymen and a ten-year-old boy are the only known killed, according to latest reports, although two American civilians are missing.

Finish Conference Tonight.

El Paso, Texas, May 8.—Oregon announced today that the next conference with General Scott will take place this afternoon. The American officials are confident that the negotiations will be successfully concluded by night-fall. Mexican officials take the view that the Big Bend raids were instigated by "interventionists," and attach little importance to the incident.

There was no sign of a conference this afternoon. Oregon remained in his private car at Juarez and it was reported that he was preparing to start south at six o'clock.

Marathon will be the base of operations from which the field telegraph will be run to the advanced base.

Pursuit Still in Operation.

Washington, D. C., May 8.—Secretary of War Baker stated today that the war department considers the agreement under which the army began the Villa pursuit as still in operation and under its terms Funston may take any steps necessary to pursue the band which raided the Big Bend country without awaiting further instructions.

Increase Ranger Force.

Austin, May 8.—The ranger force will be increased by fifty additional men immediately and a call will possibly issue for still another hundred, Governor Ferguson announced today, for duty on the border.

Posse After Bandits.

Alpine, Tex., May 8.—A posse from Marathon and twenty-three cavalrymen are following the bandits in the state of Coahuila today, according to a report received here. The bandits have three days' start of the posse. Two troops of cavalry left Marathon for the south this afternoon. Two more are expected there before night.

Funston Remains Silent.

El Paso, Tex., May 8.—General Funston says it would be "improper" for him to disclose if an expedition is entering Coahuila. He did not deny that there will be such a movement. He said, however, it has "not yet" crossed.

ORCHESTRA OF ARDMORE HIGH SCHOOL



The Ardmore High School Orchestra, under the able direction of Sol Lowenstein, took first honors at Norman Friday over all other entries. Five schools had entered their orchestras, but when the time for the contest arrived only one was found to meet the Ardmore contingent—that of Ponca City. Critics in the audience asserted that the Ardmore orchestra would do credit to the University itself.

Prof. Homburg, dean of music at the University, was amazed at the playing of the orchestra, and stated that it was indeed a revelation to see and hear the Ardmore High school orchestra perform.

At Durant on April 13, the High School Orchestra competed with McAlester and Atoka, and came away with the honors, a handsome silver cup.

Eighteen members attended. Several others were unable to go, on account of other matters. Superintendent

Richards stated that he was more than pleased with the work of the orchestra, and was unstinted in his praise of Mr. Lowenstein, to whose efforts the success attained by the orchestra is due. Mr. Lowenstein is gradually adding to his instrumentation, and before another year hopes to add materially to the effectiveness of the orchestra. The orchestra has created favorable comment wherever it has been heard, and the citizens of Ardmore are justly proud of it.

The trophy presented by the State University was a beautiful shield, appropriately engraved, and bearing the seal of the state, which is added to the other trophies at the High school auditorium.

Following are some of the standard numbers played and perfected by the orchestra in the past year's work:

Antra's Dance—Greig
Amaranthus—Glider
Ave Maria—Gounod

Angel's Serenade—Braga
Apple Blossoms—Roberts
Amaryllis—Ghys
Bees—S. O. Jones
Cavalleri Rusticana, Intermezzo—Mascagni
Calm in the Night—Bohm
Evening Star, from Tannhauser—Wagner
The Flatterer—Chaminade
Funeral March of the Marionette—Gounod

Fifth Hungarian Dance—Brahms.
Flower Song—Lang
La Morsaira—Morse
Humoresque—Dvorak
Intermezzo Russe—Frank
Panquita—Dobyn.
Pizzicato, from Sylvia—Bellbes.
Pizzicato Polka—Strauss.
Schubert's Serenade—Schubert.
Searf Dance—Chaminade
Serenade—Pierne
Spring Song—Mendelssohn
Traumeri—Schumann
Zallah—Larataie

Overtures.
Poet and Pensant—F. V. Suppe
Eagle's Nest—Iseman
Golden Sceptre—R. Schepgrell
Silver Bell—R. Schepgrell
Sunny South—Lampe
Ermine—Jakobowski
A Hunting Scene—P. Bucalossi

The Orchestra.
Violins—Leon Daube, Gladys Guil-
lot, Louise Scivally, Lucile Kahn,
Frances Graham, Leta Ragsdale, Wil-
liam Ringer, Katherine Adams, Mor-
gan Eddleman, Joe Brown, Orle Mad-
den, Virginia Lynn, Travis Ritter,
Ernest Enloe, Lessie Laskey.
Clarinets—Vivian Lee Cruce, Chas.
Milner.
Cornets—Joyce Adams, Eugene
Sims, Dewey Carpenter.
Trombones—Homer Carroll, Valter
Poole.
Cello—Hattie Burnitt.
Pianos—Frances Gorman, Joy
Moore.
S. M. Lowenstein, director.

MEETING TONIGHT
Every member of the Busi-
ness Men's Association is re-
quested to meet the mayor and
commissioners at the meeting
tonight at 8 o'clock. The
white way, sanitary ordinance
and two or three other matters
in which the business men
and commissioners have in
common. Secretary Gilbert
has the railroad refund sche-
dule for out-of-town shoppers
ready for amendment or adop-
tion. He also has plans for a
general sales week for Ard-
more in June. This meeting is
the most important of the year.