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"HONEST JOHN" IS OUT FOR SUPERVISOR JOB

Everybody knows Col. John Shanssey, "Always on the job," and alive to the interests of the common people. It has been said that since time immemorial, Col Shanssey was mayor of Yuma, and many old-timers still call him mayor and not without reason, for when a man is mayor of a city six times as was Col. Shanssy, it becomes a habit, and the Colonel in his buggy driving his time-honored horse is even now a familiar figure on Second avenue between his home and the court house, where he serves the people as county supervisor, an office he has held two terms.

Col. Shanssy was always on duty, 30 days in a month, and was in fact an efficient manager of the county's business, day or night.

What more could the people want? Especially now that Yuma county has grown to be a $15,000,000 business concern.

Col. Shanssy isn't out for the $85 per month that the position of supervisor pays (the typist in the office gets more than that), but everyone who knows him realizes that he would not be happy unless attending to the people's business about the city and county of Yuma. And it's a safe bet that if Colonel Shanssy is ever to retire to private life—which is a remote possibility—his great interest in the public welfare would find him driving about, bossing street work or building construction, just from a "force of habit."

And, since the people will always find him on the job anyway, and no better man can be found to manage the people's affairs, the rank and file of our citizens may decide to nominate and elect Col. Shanssy to the office of supervisor by the largest majority he has ever received.

MILITIA TO BE USED SOON AS POSSIBLE

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 23—Secretary of War Baker today ordered all depatrmental commanders to send to the border all available militia without awaiting concentration at the state camps, to such points as Funston designates.

Chairman Hay asked the House to act immediately on his resolution authorizing President Wilson to draft into the army all guardsmen willing to take the federal oath. He offered an amendment declaring that the draft is required right now.

The House unanimously adopted the amendment.

Later

The House adopted the complete resolution.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Verdugo, a 9-pound girl yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry L. Duty went to Los Angeles yesterday.

ALL ATTENTION ON MEXICAN SITUATION

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Hope persists that a war may be averted. The Mexico City dispatches indicated the same feeling there.

However, the outlook is dark.

Orders have been issued for 10,000 guardsmen of the Central or Western states prepare to move to the border.

The administration is now awaiting the official details of the Carrizal fight from Pershing.

The navy's official report showing an unprovoked attack on sailors at Mazatlan last Sunday did not help matters.

Officials here are interested in the unofficial report that Villa is at Escalon, Chihuahua, negotiating with the Carranzistas for amnesty and a commission in the Mexican army.

Baker published Pershing's report from the stragglers who blame the Carranzistas for the fight.

ARREDONDO SPEAKS TO LATIN-AMERICA

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Ambassador Arredondo today personally informed the Central and South American diplomats that the Carranzistas had been ordered not to attack the American troops first.

He said he is obeying instructions from his foreign office, which does not mention Trevino's threat to attack if Pershing moved any way except in retirement.

It is explained that the discrepancy between Arredondo's statement and Trevina's remark is due to an interpretation that all troop movements are aggressive acts.

U. S. ARMY PREPARES QUIETLY AT DOUGLAS

(Associated Press)

DOUGLAS, June 23.—The U. S. army is quietly preparing for developments, and arranging warehouses to supply a possible expedition by collecting supplies.

It is reported that the Agua Prieta customs officials are going to Fronteras.

The American officials today forbade the Nacozari railroad to send trains into Mexico.

ONE-PIECE FROCKS ARE FINE FOR SUMMER'S COATLESS DAYS

(Special to the Yuma Daily Examiner)

NEW YORK, June 23.—Just at this time of the year, when we are all of us finding the coat very irksome indeed, one-piece frocks play a most important role. Of course there never is a closed season for them, but at this time their real charm is best appreciated.

Russian Blouse of Embroidered Batiste with Plain Tussah Skirt

Embroidered Voile and Tinted Batiste Flouncing

STRAGGLERS TELL OF THE CARRIZAL FIGHT

(Associated Press)

SAN ANTONIO, June 23.—The American troops at Carrizal were attacked without provocation, according to the story told by stragglers and transmitted by Pershing. The horse holders who had escaped during the fight made their way to Pershing without awaiting the outcome of the battle, and without meeting the reinforcements sent.

They said that the Mexicans attacked them after having partly surrounded the Ameircans under cover of a parley between General Gomez and Captain Boyd.

Boyd dismounted his command and returned the fire only after the machine guns had swept the American ranks.

Pershing reported that he had warned Boyd not to precipitate any trouble.

Officers here today feared that the American casualties at Carrizal were heavy. They said that probably 40 were wounded if 12 were killed. These with those captured constitute half of Boyd's command; and they are not certain that practically all of the U. S. troops in that engagement were wiped out.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF YUMA COUNTY, STATE OF ARIZONA

Fidelity Title Guaranty Company, plaintiff, vs. Arizona-Texas Mining and Milling Company, John C. Ott, W. L. Baker, C. H. Wilkinson, T. Collier, and William Murphy, and Mel Greenleaf, sheriff, defendants.—Action brought in the Superior Court of Yuma County, State of Arizona, and the complaint filed in said County of Yuma, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court.

In the name of the State of Arizona, to Arizona-Texas Mining and Milling Company, John C. Ott, W. L. Baker, C. H. Wilkinson, T. Collier, and William Murphy, and Mel Greenleaf, defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of Yuma County, State of Arizona, and answer the Complaint therein filed with the Clerk of this said Court, at Yuma, in said county, within twenty days after the service upon you of this Summons, if served in this said County, or in all other cases within thirty days thereafter, the times above mentioned being exclusive of the day of service, or judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of Yuma County, State of Arizona, this 29th day of April, 1916.

H. B. FARMER,
(Seal) Clerk of said Superior Court.

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MEXICAN TROOPS IN COLUMBUS VICINITY

(Associated Press)

COLUMBUS, June 23.—Scouting patrols today reported small details of Carranzistas encamped about 20 miles south of the border.

The Mexican customs officials left the border for Juarez. The sentries here said they threatened to return "with a Mexican army. to clean up the gringoes."

It is unofficially reported this afternoon that Mexicans crossed the border near Hachita and took some horses and mules. And it is said that U. S. troops pursued them into Mexico.

MEXICAN VERSION OF CARRIZAL FIGHT

CHIHUAHUA, June 23. Gen. Trevino blamed the American military for all the trouble between the United States and Mexico. Officers in bringing the body of Gen. Felix Gomez to this city, said that the Americans had evidently been instructed to concentrate their fire on Gomez, who was an easy target because he was so large in body.

It is reported that the Namiquipa base is practically abandoned, the Americans giving captured bandit arms to some ranchers.

Mexican towns are now requesting arms, offering to equip from 500 to 2,000 men each.

YUMA THEATRE

TUESDAY, JUNE 27
"PREPAREDNESS; OR, THE BATTLE CRY OF PEACE"
A 9-reel Vitagraph feature war drama

PARTY DIFFERANCES BURIED IN MEXICO

(Associated Press)

NOGALES, June 23.—Dr. M. N. Wade and others, in returning from Sonora, said today that all "country north of Magdalena is now alive with troops; we have never seen the Mexicans so hostile; all party differences are buried and all the people spend their nights in parading."

LOVE LETTERS ARE USED AGAINST ORPET

(Associated Press)

WAUKEGAN, June 23.—The state rested its prosecution against Will Orpet after reading his last love letters.

NEWS FROM FRONT; A LAMB AMONG LIONS

Camp Harry J. Jones

Douglas, Ariz., June 21st, 1916.

To the Citizens of Yuma.

Dear Friend:

I will now take the pleasure to answer the little piece of news that was published in the Parker Post newspaper, that was taken from a letter written by Private William E. Miller, about the conditions of the First Arizona infantry, and I wish to say in behalf of the outfit, that Mr. Miller has stated a lie, and that he must be one of those mama boys, that has been used to having her comb his hair, and wash his face for him every morning.

I am one of the boys that have had service in the United States army and I will say this much, that the First Arizona infantry is just as good a feeding military organization that has ever taken the field, and I will also admit that the regiment is no expert drilling outfit, and, under the foregoing rules it could not be, but just give it the time and let us get rid of a few men like Private Miller, so that we will not be handicapped.

We will take off our hats to no one. Private Miller seems to be one of those men that know more than his officers. In regards to the grub, I wish to say that we have eating at our mess, the lieutenant colonel, two staff officers and the company officers, and that they eat the same as do the men. I also wish to state, that we have the best material in the state for officers, and to my knowledge, we have the best officer that could be had anywhere for a commanding officer, namely, Col. Tuthill, and also staff officers and line officers, many of who have seen service in the army serving through the Indian campaign, the Spanish-American war, the Cuban campaign, the China campaign, and that they are as efficient men as we could get to officer the regiment.

We have been paid once since we have been here, and been issued all new clothing throughout. The only ones that did not get new clothing were those that refused to muster into the federal service, because they had a yellow streak down their backs. Those men, in my estimation, should not be given a pleasant look. Maybe that is what is bothering Mr. Miller.

Yuma county has furnished 114 men, excluding Mr. Miller, as we the boys of Yuma county do not consider him as one of us.

From Allen R. Duncan, a witness of preparedness, to William E. Miller, a witness of unpreparedness.

H. H. DONKERSLEY,
Lieut. Col., 1st Inf. A. O. M.
FRANK W. HALL,
Capt. 1st Inf., A. O. M., Comd'g Co. L.
ALLEN R. DUNCAN,
1st. Sgt. Co. L, 1st. Inf. A. O. M.
LEE R. SMITH,
Sergt., Co. L, 1st. Inf., A. O. M.
C. C. MAURER,
Co. Clerk, Co. L, 1st. Inf., A. O. M.

P. S.—Owing to the fact that the men were called out last evening, it was impossible to get their signatures.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bloom, in the valley, a daughter, on Wednesday.

Acting Mayor Walter Moser went to Los Angeles yesterday. It is reported that he is ill.