

VILLA WOULD WAR ON U. S. FORCES TO WIN FORTRESS

Agua Prieta "Will Be His if He Has to Fight Whole American Army."

NO PROTECTION FOR FOREIGNERS

Invaders Mass for Attack as Carranza Garrison, Reinforced, Takes to the Trenches.

Douglas, Ariz., Oct. 31.—Villa troops invading Sonora arrived to-day within striking distance of Agua Prieta, opposite here, and the expected attack against the Carranza garrison apparently is a matter of hours.

General Francisco Villa, who arrived at the international border several miles further east a few hours earlier, talked with Americans across the boundary and announced that he intended to attack the Mexican town, regardless of any action United States troops might take.

Four Carranza troop trains arrived to-night, bringing the fighting strength of the Carranza garrison to approximately 6,000 men. Villa, according to reliable estimates, has 10,000 soldiers. He claims to have 18,000. It is expected that Villa will open the engagement as quickly as possible, because of the condition of his men, thousands of whom were thirsty to-night in positions far from water and with scant supplies of food.

Colonel Florencio Diaz, commanding approximately 1,500 cavalry, preceded the invaders at the Gallardo ranch and halted his forces just beyond range of the guns of General Calles.

Food and Rest in Douglas. "Agua Prieta will be mine," asserted Villa, as his cavalry marched into position, "Americans or no Americans."

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GERALDINE FARRAR AND HER FATHER.



They are shown at Santa Barbara, Cal. Mr. Farrar is now in Roosevelt Hospital, having been operated on.

MISS FARRAR HERE WITH SICK FATHER

Singer Rushes from Boston in Special on Hearing Parent Must Be Operated On.

While Geraldine Farrar as "Carmen" was being seen on the screen by thousands yesterday, Miss Farrar was sitting at the bedside of her father in Roosevelt Hospital, where he is seriously ill, following an operation.

DRAG RIVER FOR GIRL

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AUTOISTS KILL MAN, THROW BODY IN RIVER

Trail of Blood Leads to Grewsome Discovery. Bridgewater, Mass., Oct. 31.—Autoists who ran down and killed William F. McFadden, a shoemaker of this town, dragged his body fifty feet and threw it into Skimnik River, the Bridgewater police believe.

Police of the surrounding cities and towns have been asked to help in the hunt for the automobilists.

CANARY IS SENT TO TOMBS

Bird That Often Perched Outside Jail Windows Becomes Pelted Prisoner. At the Tombs yesterday a new form of prisoner arrived—one which is kept in a specially constructed cage and is pampered by the keepers.

MASKS AND AXES IN GAMBLING RAIDS

Masked men wanted to remove their masks, but permission was refused. So, with the upper part of their faces still draped, they motored on to a basement store near Sixth Avenue and Fortieth Street.

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DEFENCE ARMY COURTS MILITIA

Continental Will Receive Guardsmen Rank for Rank.

FIRST LINE DUTY IN CASE OF WAR

Garrison, Answering Complaints, Says Government Seeks to Encourage State Forces.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Complaints of national guardsmen that the new Continental army plan minimized the importance of the organized militia in the national defence were met by Secretary Garrison to-day in a statement assuring the state organizations of a place in the first line.

Officers in the national guard, the Secretary announced, will be received in the new army rank for rank. Individual guardsmen who prefer the intensive training offered in the summer camps may enlist. Even regiments of national guard will be received integrally in the Continental army if they so desire, provided the laws of their states permit.

In case of war the militia, as heretofore, will be part of the first line of defence. Federal appropriations for the encouragement of the national guard will be continued on an even more generous scale than in the past, Secretary Garrison declared.

Full Recognition for Guard. Secretary Garrison's statement follows: "During the last two days there has been a series of conferences here with a number of the leading representatives of the national guard of the country.

Troops May Come Over Intact. "In my proposition the membership of the national guard is offered alternative based upon this full recognition and meeting every proper point of view with respect to their relationship to the matter of military policy. In other words, I proposed that any and every organization of the national guard that is free to do so, in so far as its state obligations are concerned, may come over into the national force intact and

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be accorded exactly the same position therein that it now holds. "With respect to the national guard in the states, the plan not only contemplates continuing the financial and personal aid on behalf of the national government, but largely increases the same, practically doubling it the next fiscal year.

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MRS. BOLLING ESCAPES GAS

Woman Killed by Fumes in House Where Mrs. Galt's Mother Lives. Washington, Oct. 31.—Mrs. W. S. Bolling, mother of Mrs. Norman Galt, President Wilson's fiancée, was routed out of bed early this morning, when poisonous gases which had killed a young woman began to spread to other rooms in the apartment house in which she lived with her son, William H. Bolling, and his wife.

JAMES H. HYDE A FATHER

Ben Born in Paris to Ex-Vice-President of Equitable Society. Paris, Oct. 31.—A son was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. James Hazen Hyde. Mr. Hyde, who was formerly vice-president of the Equitable Assurance Society, has lived in France since the reorganization of the company several years ago. On November 25, 1913, he was married to Comtesse de Gontaut-Biron, a daughter of John G. A. Leitch, ex-ambassador to Turkey.

IRISH NOT SHIRKING WAR

Edmond Says Emigration Has Dropped, Not Increased, Since War. London, Oct. 31.—John Edmond, the nationalist leader, in a letter made public to-day, in reference to statements which have been made that a large number of Irishmen are emigrating to escape conscription, quotes the figures of 1912, 1914 and 1915 to show that Irish emigration has dropped in the most remarkable degree, at least 50 per cent, and the decrease continues.

YOU ARE A PARTNER IN THIS! AMENDMENT No. 1 Shall the proposed amendment to section one of article two of the Constitution, conferring equal suffrage upon women, be approved? AMENDMENT No. 2 Shall the proposed amendment to section four of article seven of the Constitution, permitting the Legislature to alter the rate of interest upon debts incurred for the purpose of the subject authorized by act of the Legislature and ratified by the people, be approved? PROPOSITION No. 1 Shall chapter five hundred and seventy of the laws of nineteen hundred and fifteen, entitled "An act making provision for issuing bonds to the amount of not over twenty-seven million dollars in addition to bonds heretofore authorized by the provisions of chapter one hundred and forty-seven of the laws of nineteen hundred and three, for the improvement of the Erie canal, the Oswego canal and the Champlain canal, and providing for a continuation of the same to the people to be voted upon at the general election to be held in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen," be approved?

If you will find this "proposition No. 1" on your supplementary ballot to-morrow and vote "Yes," the state barge canal will be finished without a direct tax. If it is lost by lack of votes a direct tax must be levied. It is good business to vote Yes on this.