

WHERE BIG MEXICAN BATTLE WAS FOUGHT AND GENERALS WHO TOOK PART



Despatches from Presidio, Texas, reported a big battle was being fought at Ojinaga, Mexico, between the federal army and Huerta's trapped army, fighting with the desperation of last men. Surrender would mean death to the flower of the Provisional President's northern military leaders. There are five thousand rebels under General Toribio Ortega pitted against the northern division of the Mexican

MAP SHOWING WHERE BATTLE WAS FOUGHT

MEXICAN REBELS FIGHTING ALONG THE RIO GRANDE
federal army in trenches around Ojinaga. General Ortega, executing a series of flank movements, kept steadily on the offensive, gaining foot by foot the approaches to the federal stronghold. The federal forces, although crippled and disorganized by the first rebel onslaught, which drove to their outposts, clung to the hillside trenches, where their leaders had decided to make a last stand.

RUINED CITY OF ASIA MINOR

Interesting Lecture in Natural History Society Rooms, Last Evening, by Professor Robinson.

A lecture of unusual interest was delivered last evening in the rooms of the Natural History Society when David M. Robinson, archaeological professor of Johns Hopkins University, was heard in an instructive description of the "Ruined Cities of Asia Minor."

Professor Robinson is a man of considerable distinction, and besides his connection with Johns Hopkins University is also a professor of the archaeological college at Athens. Recently in Montreal he was elected to the office of vice-presidency of the Archaeological Institute. The appearance of the distinguished lecturer at the Natural History Society last evening was therefore the occasion for an unusually large attendance, and his remarks were listened to attentively. Rev. J. J. McCaskill occupied the chair and introduced the speaker, paying high tribute to his recognized position in the archaeological world. The lecturer first described the conditions in Asia Minor now as compared with the conditions found at the usual large excavations, and then outlined its ancient civilization. It was shown that in former days the cities of Asia Minor were more thickly populated, and in reality the country more advanced as regards laws and morals than it is at the present day. Carefully prepared slides illustrated the remarks of the speaker and as each city was described an impression of the ancient countries. The work of excavation carried on in the different cities by the British, German, Danish and American governments was interestingly described, and the lecturer told of the remarkable ruins which are being uncovered. The apocryphal stories in the ancient cities existing over 30,000 and the beautiful temples and edifices were interestingly described. The theatre at Miletus, Professor Robinson said, was even found to out rival the ancient Colosseum at Rome. In some of the immense structures single stones weighing over twenty tons were used. The lecturer confined his remarks to Asia Minor and the principal cities described were Smyrna, Sardis, Pergamun, Ephesus, Laodicea and Miletus. On motion of Mayor Prink, seconded by R. B. Emerson, the speaker was rendered a hearty vote of thanks.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

A. F. and A. M. The members of the Corinthian Lodge No. 15, A. F. and A. M. are requested to attend a special communication to be held at the Masonic Hall, Hamilton, on Thursday, January 8th, at 7 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Worshipping Brother. T. G. DONALD, Member of Sister Lodge are invited to be present. Masonic clothing, by order of the W. M., J. A. GUTHRIE, Secretary.

BROKEN CABLE THREW PARIS INTO DARKNESS

Accident at Electric Light Plant at Busiest Hour of Evening—Candles in Bottles Illuminated Cafes.

Paris, Jan. 6.—At the busiest hour this evening the centre of Paris was plunged in darkness by the breaking of a cable at the electric plant. Restaurants and cafes were crowded at the time, and candles were lighted and stuck into bottles and other receptacles. Street traffic became dangerous, and there was a bad tangle of vehicles in many of the streets and avenues. Owing to the failure of the current the subway suspended operations for a considerable time.

PERSONAL

Dudley B. March returned Tuesday morning to Truro to resume his studies at the Agricultural College. Com. Wigmore left last evening for a trip to Boston. John Scott, managing editor of the Montreal Gazette, and Mrs. Scott, who have been visiting in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Golding, left last evening for Montreal. J. J. McCaffrey went to Fredericton last evening. John O'Regan, Fred Sullivan and Joseph Donnelly left last evening on the Montreal train to resume their studies at McGill University. Ralph Gale, who has been located in Winnipeg for the past few years, has returned to St. John to spend some time with his parents in the city.

STENOGRAPHER WHO SUES LAWYER FOR NON-PAYMENT OF HER WAGES



Miss Rose Feinstein, of Brookline, N. Y., a "figuring stenographer" formerly employed by A. H. Montaguette, lawyer, of Manhattan, caused the arrest recently of her one-time employer in the County Court House, on a judgment she obtained for \$1,500 salary she alleged he had failed to pay her. Miss Feinstein says she worked for Mr. Montaguette for a time, but in the latter weeks of her employment she was unable to collect any money. To make matters worse she finally found herself out of work with the money still due. Most girls would have gone away and cried or let it go, but not Miss Feinstein. When the young woman found she could not obtain payment for her services she went into the Third Municipal Court, Brookline, and obtained a judgment for \$1,500 against Mr. Montaguette.

CONFERENCE ON HOME RULE FELL THROUGH

Premier Asquith and Bonar Law Fail to Agree on Question of Excluding Ulster from Operation of Bill.

London, Jan. 7.—The conference between Premier Asquith and the opposition leader, Andrew Bonar Law, on the Home Rule question has broken down, according to the Unionist morning Post, which says there may possibly be another interview, but that any hope of a compromise must be abandoned. Mr. Asquith having refused to meet the demands of the Unionists for the exclusion, even temporarily of Ulster from the operation of the Home Rule bill. The Post represents the prime minister as having been personally inclined to accede to the temporary exclusion of Ulster, but declares that his son of Ulster, who is now in the cabinet, was overborne by John Redmond, Joseph Devlin, and John Dillon. The Right Hon. Thomas Wallace Russell, speaking at Strabane, county of Tyrone, last night warned the Unionists that if any trouble arose in Ulster, the government would invoke the crimes act by giving 24 hours notice. He added that the Home Rule Bill would be passed by mid-summer.

YESTERDAY'S EVIDENCE WAS MORE FAVORABLE TO GERMAN OFFICERS

Testimony Shows that there Was a Tumult at Zabern, Alsace, and Regiment Had Been Reviled by Crowd.

Strasbourg, Jan. 6.—Testimony much more favorable for the accused army cases was given at the resumption today of the court martial on Col. Von Reuter, and Lt. Schod, of the 99th Infantry, who are charged with making illegal arrests, wild assault and disturbances of the peace during the clash between the militia and civilians at Zabern, Alsace, in November.

Evidence of the officers of the regiment showed there had been a tumult, with hooting and offensive cries against the soldiers, both before the arrest and while they were being carried out. This testimony was flatly contradicted by the state's attorney of Zabern, and by other civilian officials, but was partially substantiated by the evidence of twenty-eight of the men who had been arrested by the soldiers on November 23 and who had spent a night in the cells of the barracks. Most of these admitted that others in the crowd had uttered insulting remarks, but declared they themselves had not committed any offence. As Lieut. Baron Von Forstner, accompanied by two other officers, left

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MR. PELL'S WIDOW SUES FOR \$250,000



Charging negligence in failing to provide adequate protection at a grade crossing, Mrs. Elizabeth Warren Pell, widow of S. Osgood Pell, wealthy real estate operator, filed an action against the Long Island Railroad Company for \$250,000 damages. The court room this evening, he was followed by several persons who threatened him. The crowd grew rapidly to hundreds, while the whole street was filled. The people howled insults at Von Forstner and shook their clenched fists at him. The officers, however, boarded a street car and escaped.

DYNAMITERS' SENTENCE CONFIRMED BY COURT

(Continued from page 1) In reference to Tveitmo, the fact that he is not a member of the association is not important. On the other hand his undoubted sympathy with and co-operation in the great strike in California does not involve complicity in the conspiracy. The testimony by McManigle of references by McNamara to Tveitmo as "the old man of the coast," who "wanted a Christmas present," is not sufficient to identify Tveitmo with the conspiracy. The testimony cited against the other five men granted a re-trial does not require specification except as to Ray and Sherman. In each of these cases we found cause for hesitation on the question of identity. The cases of all six are therefore remanded to the district court for a new trial for each. Six of the thirty-three men sentenced are in prison at Leavenworth, the others having been released on bail. The men in prison are: Herbert S. Hockin, Detroit, formerly secretary of the Iron Workers' Union; John T. Butler, O. A. Cooley, New Orleans; Frank C. Webb, New York; M. J. Cummins, Philadelphia; Murray L. Pennell, Springfield, Ill.

ROY HARTZELL OF THE NEW YORK AMERICANS AND HERMAN SCHAEFER OF THE WASHINGTON AMERICANS, ARE BEING MENTIONED AS LIKELY MEN TO MANAGE THE DENVER CLUB NEXT SUMMER.

A SALE OF HIGH GRADE FURS.

Read H. Mont Jones' advertisement on page 5.

DIED.

WEATHERHEAD—In this city, on 6th inst., after a long illness, John Weatherhead, aged 65 years, leaving five sons and three daughters, who mourn. Funeral on Thursday, 8th inst., from his late residence, 174 Wentworth street. Service begins at 2.15 o'clock. O'BRIEN—On January 6, Patrick O'Brien, leaving his wife to mourn. Funeral on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence 349 Union street.

Christie's Bulletin. DRY LATH: One carload of Dry Spruce Lath. Hewed Timber. Hemlock Boards. Call 'Phone or write for Quotations. Christie Woodworking Co., Ltd., 248 City Road.

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MARINE OF THE SIGNAL SERV. Issued by authority of the Department of Marine. St. John, Jan. 6. Cape Race, 720 unstaffed. Sabie Island, 390 Royal George, abe (yesterday) Lake Erie Island, 61-Paint Lepreau, southeast. Partridge Island east. LUMBER. Schr Pesquid. 15,328 feet spruce refuse spruce scall. Cutler. THOMSON. The value of the liner Carvona, w. Renewa Head, M month is reported to have been in t. \$25,000. MANCHESTER. St. John's Nfld., the Manchester C about the 12th inst. Instruct limit docking 15th. The undert most extensive ever dry dock. The vter Commerce will tion of over \$25,000. DRIFTS. The cargo and Scotian schooner lost with all han from Gasquetown wreckage having Sabie Island, wher ifax agency of Dal known marine cargo, which const uce, for about \$700. BATH S. Bath, Jan. 3.—T shipping documents some house for the ing to the books that 2,458 tons of This is the first teen vessels as ag els built in 1912, of only seven visus year. This year the year include schooners, one lighter, and four SCHOONER CO. A communicatio Halifax from Afr nina, N. S., the o er Rescue, stating cable was sent to him containing that his vessel wa is mentioned abou men it is though The Rescue is a t tons and was built Hantaport some n baroque with a r port on Dec. 1. TOWED TO Schooner George been towed to R schooner in a ing lost most boom sprung, bes and is leaking tw hour. The schoone its cargo was fo but Captain Johns ere left on Decem shed very severe ly afterwards be provisions when a Harbor, N. B. COASTWISE. All coastwise have been knock the heavy northe has prevailed alon coast the last steamer Governor Saturday night the North Land, left here Saturd York, is still lying but Captain Johns be possible to go The North Star York for the same. WAS TROU Weak and Heart Would Be Those feelings dizzy spells whic time to time, are not go unheeded. They indicate an condition of the be state of the nerve pass off, but event frequently, and at serious. Those who are Milburn's Heart an their case become have no equal for other, but nothing until I got Milburn's Pills. I can safely good than anything ed like a very di friends often ask me, taking, and I ask Heart and Nerve friends who say them, to take you. Price, 50 cents pe \$1.25, at all dealer receipt of price by Limited, Toronto, C