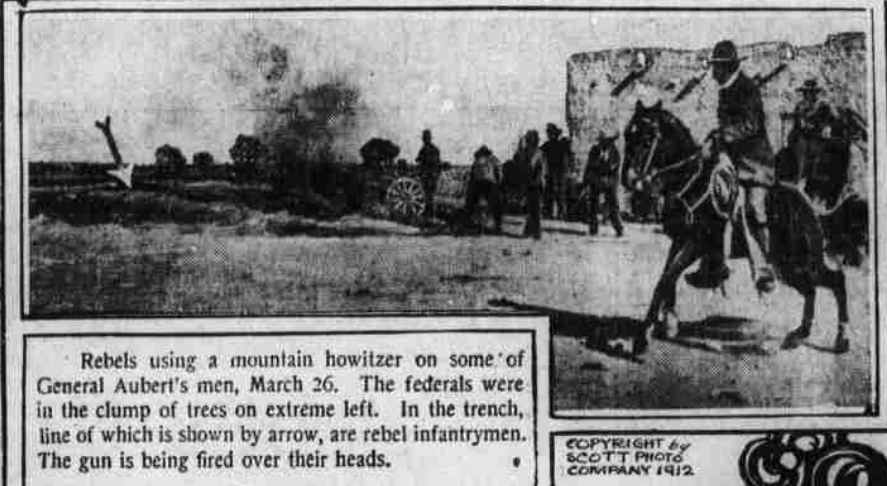


FIRST PICTURES OF THE FIVE DAYS BATTLE AT CORRALITOS

Photographed Especially for the New York Herald Syndicate on the Firing Line, March 26-29.



This is the engine which the rebels loaded with dynamite and sent against General Salas' armored train just north of Reliano. When the collision occurred the dynamite exploded, killing sixty federal soldiers. It was this act which turned the tide of war against the federals.



Rebels using a mountain howitzer on some of General Aubert's men, March 26. The federals were in the clump of trees on extreme left. In the trench, line of which is shown by arrow, are rebel infantrymen. The gun is being fired over their heads.



THE ENGINE THAT TURNED THE TIDE OF WAR.

Captains "Sam" Drebbin and Richardson, American artillerymen, with one of their guns, at the battle of Corralitos. The one with the curly hair lying on the ground with back facing front, is Captain Drebbin. The man just getting ready to fire is Captain Richardson.



General Salazar (in the centre) riding through a cross fire at Hacienda Dolores, six miles south of Jimenez, to take personal command of his men at the front, Tuesday, March 26. The others are officers on General Salazar's staff.

Herewith are shown the first pictures of the actual fighting between the government troops and rebel forces during the five day battle at Corralitos, Mexico. The prominent leaders on both sides are seen in the thick of the fight now going on in the unsettled country. A unique implement employed in the warfare by the rebels was an engine which they loaded with dynamite and sent against General Salas' armored train just north of Reliano. When the collision occurred the dynamite exploded, killing sixty federal soldiers. Two American artillerymen, Captain "Sam" Drebbin and Richardson, took active part in the engagement.

General Campa's infantry pouring fire into the surrounded federals at Corralitos, March 24. The federals were under command of General Salas, who committed suicide, and General Blanquet, who was wounded in this action.

DETAILS PREPARED OF MOBILIZATION

BARNES WON'T TIE UP NEW YORK DELEGATION

Will Hold Empire State for Hughes or Some Other Dark Horse.

Does Not Mean Intervention, but Preparedness—N. C. Troops Would Go to Mobile Camp.

THREE GREAT CAMPS AS CAMPAIGN BASES

Important Legislation as to the Militia Now Under Consideration—Air of Expectancy.

New York, April 4.—William Barnes, Jr., who has been elected chairman of the new republican state committee, immediately forced the committee to adopt a rule forbidding it to endorse candidates for any public office. This meant that Barnes was not going to tie himself or the republican national delegates to President Taft.

There is an air of expectancy among the local members of the N. C. N. G. with regard to the situation in Mexico and the possible intervention of the United States. The officers of the company will not make public any orders or instructions which they may have received with reference to the situation, but it can easily be seen from their attitude that some such instructions have been received. One of them frankly stated this morning that he is not at liberty to discuss this phase of the matter. As stated before, however, it appears that he would not be surprised to be called out at any time; and no little interest is felt concerning the legislation that is now going on with reference to the drafting of troops. The local militia-men have always felt that they could be called out at any time for foreign service, but it seems, according to a ruling of the attorney general, this could not be done unless the militia was organized into a foreign company, and special legislation being enacted so that 100,000 militiamen can be drafted.

Do Not Wish Organization Interfered With. One of the officers said this morning that the local troops are in favor of any legislation that would make them available for foreign service, but they are not in favor of legislation that would interfere with their organization; such as taking certain regiments from a brigade and placing them under the command of a regular army officer, thus eliminating the militia brigade commander. They have always looked on the militia as an organization in itself, and had always considered that they were available for foreign service.

According to the reported plans of the war department, the North Carolina troops would go to Mobile, with the troops from several other states. The plans provide for three great camps; one at Mobile, one at San Antonio, and one at San Diego, and from those camps they would move into Mexico. The commander of the Asheville battalion, of course, would not say whether or not he had received orders as to mobilization. In any event they would be sent to the adjacent of the state and he would inform only such officers as are necessary.

The recent suicide of General Salas (Continued on page 13)

CAIRO LEVEE OUT; BIG PROPERTY LOSS

Fully 9000 Acres in That District Submerged—Only One Line of Railroad Operating.

MEMPHIS SITUATION GROWING MORE GRAVE

Organized Relief Work Begun There—Food Supply at Hickman Is Running Very Low.

Seven thousand persons are homeless and eight thousand others are fleeing from flooded homes today as a result of the flood in the Mississippi river and tributaries. Eight persons have been drowned and the property loss runs into the millions. Ten states are affected and state and federal governments are hurrying help to the afflicted. Nine thousand acres about the manufacturing district of Cairo, Ill., are under water. Future City and Urbandale, Cairo suburbs, with a combined population of 1100 are flooded. The Hickman, (Ky.) factory district and part of the residence section are flooded and 2000 are homeless there.

Cairo, Ill., April 4.—Cairo is almost surrounded by water by the breaking early this morning of the Mobile & Ohio levee which protected a drainage district which is now under from five to fifteen feet of water. The lives of 500 workmen were endangered and property valued at \$2,000,000 was submerged when the Mississippi river tore a crevasse 175 feet long in the dike. The territory flooded in north of Cairo and comprises about 9000 acres. The number of homes, stores and other structures flooded in the (Continued on page 11)

ROOSEVELT LEADS IN MAINE AND VERMONT

Sweeps Maine Towns and Captures Majority of Vermont Conventino Delegates.

New York, April 4.—Theodore Roosevelt is sweeping Maine, according to advices received at his headquarters in this city yesterday. A dispatch was received from Colonel Frederick Hale, head of the Roosevelt movement in that state, saying that Eblleford had gone two to one for the colonel in primaries, and that other towns were showing even greater odds.

Additional information had been received showing that Roosevelt had obtained six of the eight associates in Vermont. Wallace Batchelder, one of the leaders in the fight against the Taft managers in that state, had wired the latest returns.

"This entire second congressional district of Vermont," said the Roosevelt chairman, Charles H. Duell, "has 357 delegates. The returns already show that Roosevelt has 230 of these and Taft 110, so that no matter how the other 27 go, Roosevelt has carried that congressional district, which means two delegates. The incomplete returns indicate that from the first congressional district there will be a small majority of delegates to the state convention for Taft. This means, without any question, that we will have the state convention, which will give us the four delegates at large, making a total of six delegates for Roosevelt and two for Taft."

T. R. Has Big Lead in Missouri. Jefferson City, Mo., April 4.—Sid C. Roach, who is in charge of the Missouri Roosevelt headquarters here, today claimed 258 Missouri republican state convention delegates instructed and pledged for Roosevelt and 132 for Taft, with 23 contested.

ALLEN AND NEPHEW REPORTED KILLED

Richmond and Roanoke Hear Outlaws Were Slain Near Volunteer Gap.

Richmond, April 4.—Considerable excitement was caused here by a long-distance telephone report from Mt. Airy that Sidna Allen and Wesley Edwards, Hillsville outlaws were killed near Volunteer Gap today. The story, which supposedly was told to a rural mail carrier by negroes living between Mount Airy and Volunteer Gap, has not been confirmed.

Roanoke, April 4.—Detective Baldwin, head of the agency hunting Allen, said the rumor that Allen and Edwards were killed reached him but he was unable to confirm it.

DAVID SETTLE FREED OF CHARGE OF MURDER

Gazette-News Bureau, Daily News Building, Greensboro, April 4.

"Not guilty" was the verdict yesterday of the jury in the case of David R. Settle, tried for the alleged murder of Robert Allen, a negro farm hand, on the night of September 15, 1911. The verdict was rendered after the jury had been out on the case four hours, and at a time when court officers were beginning to express the belief that a mistrial or manslaughter verdict would be the result.

When court reconvened yesterday morning Solicitor Gattis called officers who made the arrest on the night of the shooting to give evidence in rebuttal. The defense relied solely upon the unsupported testimony of the defendant, given Tuesday afternoon, and substantially to the effect that he had started into the yard to shoot a screech owl when he stumbled, the gun being discharged and the lead striking Allen. Of the three officers to testify, Deputy Sheriff Weatherly made the most important point for the state.

Washouts Delay Mail. Washington, April 4.—Washouts on railway lines in the middle west and south are seriously interfering with the handling of the mails. Many delays have been reported to the post-office department.

THOUSANDS HONOR MEMORY OF TAYLOR

People From All Over State Gather in Nashville to Pay Tribute.

Nashville, April 4.—People from all over the state paid final tribute to the memory of the late "Fiddlin' Bob" Robert Love Taylor. Through the sombre shadowed hall of the house in the state capitol, thousands walked slowly past the body of the dead senator, who succumbed in Washington Sunday.

Nashville today suspended all business and the capitol gave itself over to providing for thousands of Tennesseans who came to witness the ceremonies in final honor of the man who three times was Tennessee's governor and later her senator.

Tomorrow funeral services will be held at Knoxville, where the senator will be buried.

COTTON MEN INDOORSE TARIFF BOARD REPORT

Go on Record for Reduction of Duties Found to Be Excessive.

Washington, April 4.—The American Cotton Manufacturers' association today went on record in favor of a reduction of all those schedules of the cotton tariff shown by the tariff board to be excessive. In resolutions unanimously adopted, the convention indorsed the tariff board. The proposal to prohibit trading in cotton futures was condemned as an injury to the cotton trade.

Appeal was made to New York Cotton exchange for more frequent revisions of its contract prices to do justice to southern cotton interests.

ROOSEVELT BRANDS TAFT REACTIONARY

The Colonel Everywhere Greeted by Cordial Crowds on Kentucky Tour.

Louisville, Ky., April 4.—President Taft's statement that he is a progressive was disputed by Colonel Roosevelt in a speech here last night. The former president said Mr. Taft in some of his acts had shown himself to be a reactionary. In support of this contention Colonel Roosevelt went over the record of the present administration in certain particulars and criticized it sharply.

The colonel's speech came at the end of the first day of his week of campaigning through West Virginia, Kentucky, Illinois and Pennsylvania. He broke his record for speeches for the present campaign, delivering 12 yesterday. All but two were given at railway stations from his car. Everywhere he found large crowds and a cordial reception.

The speech here was delivered in an auditorium. "In his recent speech at Philadelphia," Colonel Roosevelt said, "President Taft stated that he was a progressive and this raises the question as to what a progressive is."

The colonel gave his definition of a progressive on the basis on which he undertook an analysis of the attitude of the administration toward a number of questions. He took up the railroad rate bill, enforcement of the pure food law, the conservation question and other subjects which have engaged the attention of the administration.

Four years ago, said Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Taft was supported by the progressives and opposed by "representatives of special privilege." Speaking of the courts, the colonel asserted that when the president supported "those courts which declare that the people have no power to do social justice," that he shows himself a reactionary.

THREE DIE IN WRECK. Chicago, April 4.—Three persons were killed and 18 injured when a Chicago & Alton freight train crashed into a trolley car filled with passengers today. Sixty passengers were in the car. Ambulances hurried to the scene and the injured were removed to hospitals.