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Carrizal Survivors in Terrible Condition; Crawl Over Desert

By United Press
COLUMBUS, June 27.—Four more Carrizal survivors, two badly wounded and in terrible condition for lack of food and water have been found and returned to

the American lines. The men escaped death by remaining in hiding throughout the day and cowering over the desert at night, and from time to time obtaining water by forcing peons at the

point of guns to furnish them with water to drink. This cuts the number of troops unaccounted for down to twenty. If these are not found within a few hours all hopes for them will be abandoned.

MORE TROOPS TO PROTECT BORDER CITY

By United Press
SAN ANTONIO, June 27.—Gen. Funston announced this afternoon that the Twenty-second Infantry had been ordered from Douglas to Naco on account of a report that Carranza forces were preparing to cross the border and attack Bisbee, Arizona. Three battalions are already encamped at Naco. The Third Field Artillery has been ordered to Eagle Pass to protect that city against a threatened attack.

ROOSEVELT AND HUGHES TO DINE TOGETHER

New York, June 27.—Theodore Roosevelt has an engagement to dine with Chas. E. Hughes, republican nominee for president. The two gentlemen will dine together at the Astor Hotel with no other guests present.

A SEVERE HAIL STORM

Jack Reeder, of Bronte, came in from Miles Tuesday morning and spent the time between trains with his brother D. Reeder, while en route to Taylor. Mr. Reeder reports a good rain at Miles Monday night but says a severe hail storm did considerable damage to the crops near that place.

Mrs. W. E. Oxshier of Bisbee, Ariz., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bridwell.

CUT OUT RED TAPE AND HURRY

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The war department admitted today that militia mobilization is proceeding none too rapidly, and issued orders dispensing with some of the red tape in connection with the entraining and movement of troops.

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RETURNS HOME

The many friends of John Peckneck will be glad to learn that he returned home Monday night from Temple, where he had been in the sanitarium the past month or more and we are glad to state that he is rapidly regaining his usual good health.

TWO WOMEN ESCAPE FROM MEXICANS

(Brownwood Herald)
In a downpour of rain and while an intense electrical storm was engulfing all of this part of the state, officers late last night and early this morning scoured the woods, creek bottoms, farms and ranches, looking for two Mexicans who early last night drove two women from their home, three miles south of Zephyr.

A report received in Brownwood just before midnight stated that the Mexicans had not been located, but it is not believed they will be brought to Brownwood even should they be found.

Because of the recent crime perpetrated here upon Mrs. W. Q. Kuykendall by a Mexican boy, officers, it is believed, will spirit the two Mexicans wanted at Zephyr to some other county site town where they will be held until the feeling which has been intense in Brownwood for the past week, subsides.

According to information received by the Herald from Zephyr, two nicely dressed Mexicans afoot came up to the E. E. Petty farm home early last night. Mrs. Petty and Miss Iva Petty were at home alone. They made threats upon their lives but the women managed to escape and turn in the alarm before any harm could be inflicted.

ARGENTINE CHARGES EXPANSION

By United Press
BUENOS AIRES, June 27.—A lengthy telegram expressing the sympathy of the Latin-American League was forwarded to Gen. Carranza this morning, following a mass meeting here last night. Orators at the meeting last night charged the existence of an expansionist party in the United States with designs on all South American territory.

FORMER BALLINGER BOY A REAL HERO

The Victoria Advocate, in giving the account of the rescue of a child from a burning building, had the following to say about Henry Lankford, a nephew of Mrs. John Loveless, of this city, and who formerly made his home with Mrs. Loveless and attended the Ballinger school.

Yesterday afternoon while the little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Waeker was playing out in the barn, in some way he set fire to a number of bales of hay stored there. The barn was a small frame structure and the flames spread over it quickly. The alarm was sounded and the fire department made a record run to the place and had the flames extinguished within a few minutes. The damage was slight.

When the fire was discovered, Mrs. Waeker was rendered almost hysterical from thinking that her child was in the burning barn, where she knew he had been playing previously. As it happened, however, 12-year-old Henry Lankford, who lives next door, saw the fire and the child's danger and rushed into the barn and carried him to safety. The young boy was very reticent about his heroic act, and said, "Don't put it in the paper." He was the recipient of many congratulatory remarks from the people who were present and heard of his act.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lynn returned home Sunday night from an extended visit to relatives at their old home in Tennessee, and Mr. Lynn reports a very pleasant visit all around.

Villa Gets Command of 5,000 Soldiers

By United Press
EL PASO, June 27.—A report received here from Chihuahua City, says that Villa has made a proposition to Gen. Trevino in which the bandit leader offers to muster all his followers into the Carranza army to fight the Americans, if Carranza will grant him amnesty. It is understood that Trevino has accepted the proposition and granted Villa a gen-

FRENCH AEROPLANES SHELL GERMAN SHIPS

By United Press
PARIS, June 27.—The war office announces this morning that three French aeroplanes, armed with cannon, fired sixty-five shells on German ships off the Belgian coast yesterday. German casualties are unknown, but it is believed that the heavy shells had telling effect, killing members of the ships' crews and seriously damaging ships.

The war department also reports further progress in the French region of Thiaumont near Verdun, and also Northeast of Verdun, driving back Germans in counter blows.

HEAVY FRENCH STEAMER SUNK

By United Press
LONDON, June 27.—The French steamer Fournel, a 2,047 ton vessel was sent to the bottom yesterday, it was announced today. Cause of sinking this ship is not made known yet.

STORM FLURRY DID NOT STOP REVIVAL

The threatening weather Monday evening only brought hope for a good rain and did not stop the revival that is in progress at the large tabernacle near the First Baptist church. The attendance was good considering the weather, and the service a good one. Dr. Scarborough preached, following the good singing by the choir.

The ten o'clock service Tuesday morning was also well attended and the usually good morning service held. Tonight at 8:15 the song service will begin and Dr. Scarborough will preach.

NEW DRY GOODS HOUSE WILL OPEN IN BALLINGER

Ladwig Bros. have leased the Miller building in the Ballinger State Bank block, and are receiving a stock of dry goods and clothing. The first shipment of goods arrived Tuesday and was unloaded in the building. It will be several days before the new firm is opened for business.

Watch the Fords Go By

FAILS TO RESCUE MAROONED EXPLORERS

By United Press
BUENOS AIRES, June 27.—Lieut. Shackleton got with in sight of Elephant Island, when he was compelled to turn back on account of heavy ice. Three companions of Lieut. Shackleton, members of the South Polar Expedition, are marooned on Elephant Island. While the men are marooned without supply of food, it is believed that they will survive until better conditions make it possible for another relief expedition to reach them.

EVACUATION GOOD NEWS TO MEXICO

By United Press
MEXICO CITY, June 27.—The report received here of the evacuation of San Geronimo and Bachiniva by Pershing's men, has aroused hope among the Mexicans leaders that President Wilson is preparing to withdraw the entire American expedition.

The war department gave out no explanation in making public Gen. Trevino's report of the evacuation of the two towns by the Americans, and the declaration that he would attack the Americans if they attempted to reoccupy the towns.

Strong optimism prevails among the American leaders, despite the statements made by American newspapers that war is imminent. The Mexicans are counting on pressure from other Latin-American countries and fear of breach of commercial relations between Central America and the United States, to induce President Wilson to move cautiously and not intervene in Mexico.

NEW JERSEY TROOPS COMING TO BORDER

By United Press
SEAGIRT, June 27.—All New Jersey infantry which had been summoned to the border left mobilization camps at four o'clock this morning, marching to the train, and in a few hours will be en route to San Antonio.

NEW YORK SENDS FAMOUS INFANTRY

By United Press
NEW YORK, June 27.—The famous Seventh Infantry of New York, is entraining for the Texas-Mexico border this morning.

BRYAN GOES BACK ON HIS JOB

St. Paul, June 27.—W. J. Bryan issued a statement today in which he refuses to serve on the proposed peace commission at El Paso, saying such a move is unwise unless supported by the administration.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 27.—President Wilson's patience in awaiting the release of the American prisoners being held at Chihuahua City is said now to be limited to only a few hours.

A definite reply from Gen. Carranza relative to his attitude is expected not later than tomorrow night. The demands made by Mr. Wilson were delivered to the Mexican minister of foreign affairs yesterday. It is understood that Consul Rogers in presenting the note suggested that an "immediate reply" was imperative.

The cabinet has already taken up the program of probable action, and it is understood that in the event Carranza refuses, President Wilson will ask congress for permission to use armed force to get prisoners.

URGING CARRANZA TO RELEASE PRISONERS

Washington, June 27.—Several Latin-American diplomats here have telegraphed Carranza urging him to release the American prisoners being held at Chihuahua City.

MEXICAN KILLED CROSSING THE RIVER

Brownsville, June 27.—One Mexican was killed and one wounded when they ignored the American sentry's challenge while crossing the river in a row boat.


MEXICAN TROOPS ARRIVING AT BORDER

Laredo, June 27.—A train of twenty cars, bearing fifteen hundred Carranza soldiers, arrived on the Mexican side of the border this morning. It is reported that another troop train arrived last night.

COMMITTEE REPORTS MILITIA BILL

Washington, June 27.—The House naval committee reports out the bill for federalization of naval militia. The bill enables the president to draft nine thousand more men.

J. N. Coffey of Zephyr, who had been visiting his cousin, R. H. Schooler and family, left for his home Tuesday. We are glad to learn that Mr. Schooler is now regaining his usual good health.



PICTURE PROGRAM

"THE MARRIAGE OF ARTHUR LAMMLE"

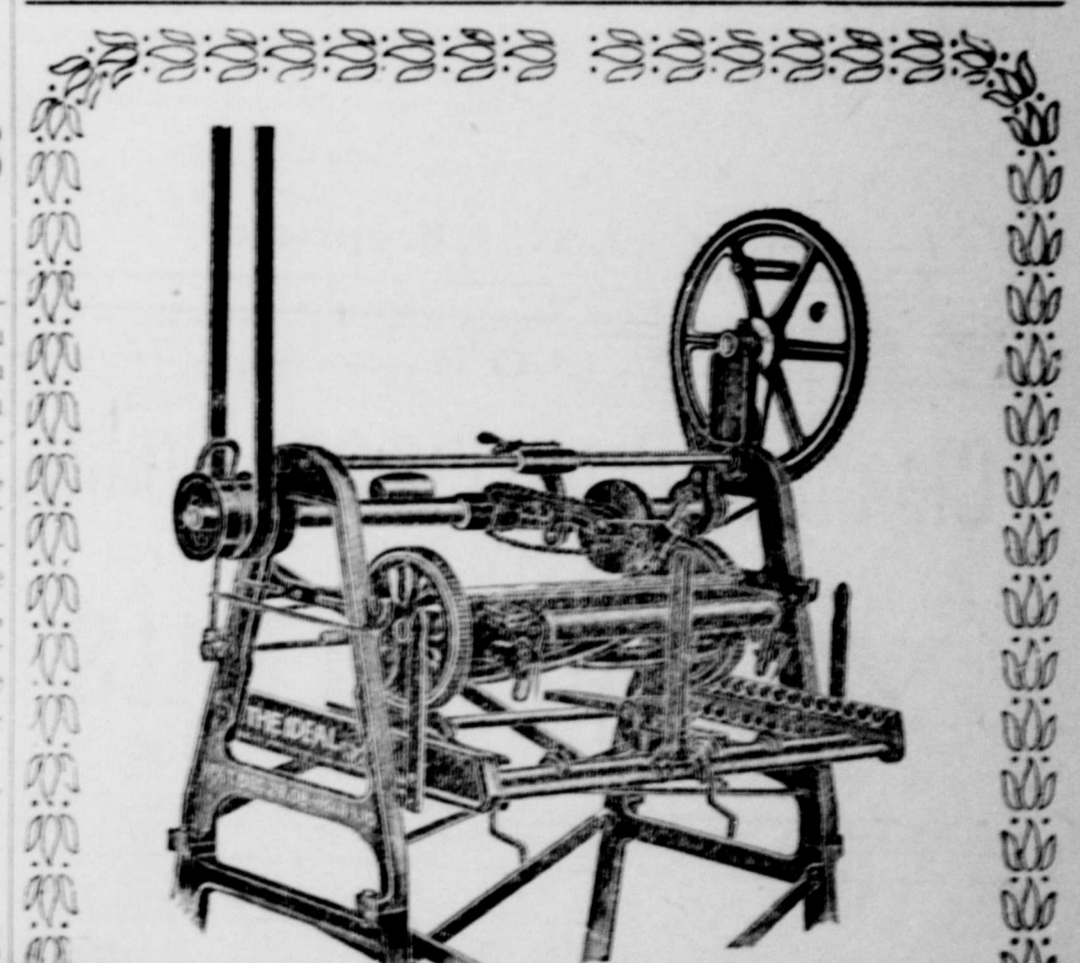
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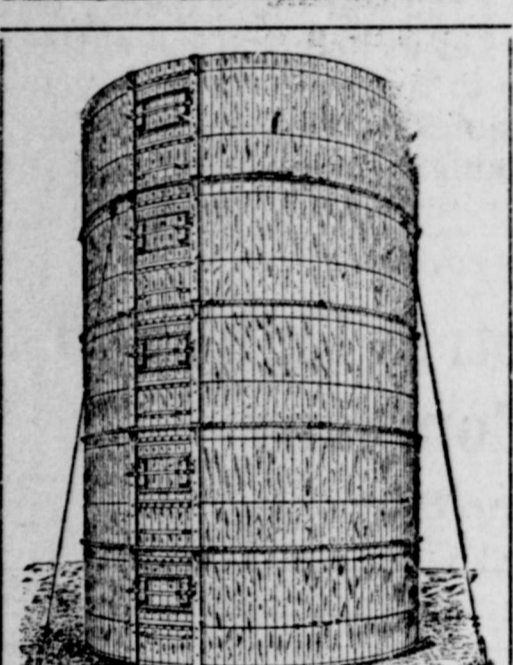
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THE SEVEN WONDERS OF THE WORLD

Evangelist Bediehek at the revival on Ninth Street spoke in part as follows:

On the above subject in spite of the lightning flashes and the thunder rolls the message to his audience did unfold, echoing the sweet old story as of old.

Wonder No. One: "The Heavens declare the glory of the Lord and the earth doth show his handy work, day unto day utter speech, and night unto night showeth knowledge." Psalms 19:1-2.

The spirit that moved upon the face of the deep and divided the land from the sea brought order out of ancient Chaos, this same spirit moved the mind, tongue and pen of the Prophets and Apostles to call the attention of mankind to the "Seven Wonder of the World."

Our Savior through the Apostle Paul used Heaven's wisest, best and simplest method to impress the minds of man with these great wonders when Paul stood in the midst of Mars Hill when he called the Atheians attention to the Wonders.

Subject tonight, Heaven and Earth's Moving Pictures, in seven reels. Lovers of moving pictures will enjoy this theme as well as all others. Come and hear him.

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As a cure for coughs and colds Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey combines these remedies in just the right proportion to do the most good for summer coughs or colds. A trial will prove the value of this splendid cough medicine. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey soothes the irritation, stops your cough, kills the cold germs and does you a world of good. A 25c bottle will more than convince you—it will stop your cough. At druggists.

Hon. Sam Sparks and little daughter, of Austin, passed thru Ballinger Tuesday at noon en route to Winters to look after business interests a few days.

Teething babies always have a hard time of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only have to contend with painful gums but the stomach is disordered, bowels loose and the body uncomfortable. The best help you can give the lit sufferer is McGee's Baby Elixir. It corrects sour stomach, cools and quiets the bowels and helps digestion. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

HUNTING PEARLS
A. D. Smith, Bill Walker and Richard Cockrell left Monday morning for a fishing trip on the Concho and will put in a good part of their time hunting the famous Concho pearls. They went equipped to spend some time or as long as they can make it profitable.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.
"I will cheerfully say that Chamberlain's Tablets are the most satisfactory remedy for stomach troubles and constipation that I have sold in thirty-four years' drug store service," writes S. H. Murphy, druggist, Wellsburg, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

E. P. Scarborough left Tuesday morning for Santa Anna on a short business trip.

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E. Koenig, of the Bethel neighborhood, residing seven miles southeast of the city, on one of the C. A. Foose farms, reports that his wheat threshed out 10 bushels per acre, half of which he plowed under in the early spring, and that his oats threshed 24 bushels per acre. This doesn't quite look like starvation to us.

F. G. Hoelcher, of the Olfin neighborhood, reports that he threshed his small grain consisting of wheat, last week, and that it averaged somewhere between fourteen and fifteen bushels per acre. 15 bushels is considered a good average crop for any country. Runnels county is still in the swim this year.

Mrs. J. L. Garner and daughter Miss Ethel, of Temple, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garner and family of our city, returned home Monday.

Hal Beckwith, of Harlingen, came in Monday night to visit his mother, Mrs. H. N. Beckwith, and to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Wilma Beckwith.

To the Public.
"I have been using Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion for the past six months, and it affords me pleasure to say I have never used a remedy that did me so much good." Mrs. C. E. Riley, Illion, N. Y. Chamberlain's Tablets are obtainable everywhere.

Will Aycock, of Andrews, came in a day or two ago to join his wife here on a visit to relatives.

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farm, having a frontage on the placid waters of the Colorado river, four miles from town, tomorrow.

Mrs. Estes Lynn and little son of San Angelo, came in Monday afternoon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McGregor and family a few days.

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