

GREAT BATTLE REPORTED RAGING ON AISNE RIVER

PARIS, Sept. 16, 6:50 a. m.—The official communication of Monday which referred to the preceding day's developments, said that the enemy showed a disposition to resist north of the Aisne river. Yesterday's official communication said that the enemy had resisted on the line from Craonne and the forest of L'Aigle, north of Compiegne. As a simple rear guard stand against the allies this would scarcely last 48 hours so there must be another big battle in progress since Sunday. The forces that constituted the center in the battle of Marne seem also to be seeking a position on the same line, while the crown prince's army in Aragon continues to retreat in that direction.

The Germans have on this line the advantage of high ground with the right protected by the rivers Oise and Aisne. If the center and left are able to complete a retirement in such shape as to make a stand on the same line they may be able to sustain a general engagement under more favorable conditions than on the Marne. The battle-line this time is nearly straight from the east to the west.

In case the German force should retire again they would have two lines of retreat by Longwy and by Sedan.

It remains to be seen whether, under the adverse conditions, the Germans have been able to get their artillery into position through the mud. The situation will be desperate in case of defeat, for the heavy rains continue and under the circumstances, the Germans could hardly get their heavy artillery away.

It was rumored last night that the Indian cavalry had arrived and would go into action. This is unconfirmed, however, and doubtless no one will know definitely about them until they have actually participated in an engagement.

NEWS OF RETREAT STUPIFIES BERLIN

LONDON, Sept. 16, 8:15 a. m.—A Borden dispatch to the Central News says:

"According to Berlin telegrams, the newspapers there testify to the stupification of the German people on learning of the retreat of the armies which were believed to be under the walls of Paris. The papers endeavor to explain the retreat as strategic, adding that the final result must be awaited."

The German public is also said to be impressed by the news of the disasters which have overtaken the Austrians in Galicia."

AUSTRIAN ARMIES EFFECT JUNCTION

LONDON, Sept. 16, 8:35 a. m.—A dispatch to the Express from Rome states that the two Austrian armies commanded by Generals Dankl and Aufenberg have joined forces at Rzesow, 12 miles northeast of Jozesau and 32 miles due north of Przemysl. In the course of this operation, the dispatch says they lost 49 per cent of their numbers.

ST. LOUIS PURCHASES 25,000 COTTON BALES

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 16.—Twenty-five thousand bales of cotton will be taken by St. Louis interests in the "buy a bale cotton" movement being promoted for holding the crop until the European emergency passes over. A great meat packing house agreed to buy a bale for each of its 300 southern branches.

GREEKS JOIN PROTEST OVER TURKEY'S ACTION

LONDON, Sept. 16, 8:37 a. m.—A dispatch from Athens to the Exchange Telegram company announces that the Greek government has sent a note to Turkey coincident with that of the great powers, concerning the cancellations of Turkey's capitulations.

NEWS FROM COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett

In writing up an account of my visit to the Lake Creek country I omitted to state that there were a number of the children in the four districts in that immediate vicinity who have been raising farm produce to take to their school fair. The fair will be held September 21 in the South Butte (Lake Creek) district, and they expect to have some of the prominent educators of the state to take part in the program. It was voted last session to hold the school district fair at the Lake Creek school house, but on account of the scarcity of water and the lack of other conveniences the good people of the district decided to hold it at the South Butte schoolhouse, as they have a large hall near by the schoolhouse and expect to have, in addition to the exercises of the school fair, a good old-fashioned country dance, where everybody can have a good time. There will be an exhibition some fine corn, potatoes, canned fruit, preserved fruit, jellies, etc., as can be found in the country, and if possible your correspondent will be there to give the whole thing a good write-up.

Rev. M. C. Davis, the Sunday school man, expects to hold services at Agate on Sunday, September 21, at 11 o'clock a. m., at Yankee creek the same day at 3 p. m. and at Table Rock at 7:30 p. m.

The farmers are still bringing in their hogs for Mr. Burdick. Green Mathews brought in another lot last Saturday of forty-seven head, and W. W. Wilfitt has brought in two loads since I last wrote of the farmers bringing in the hogs, beside several others whose names I failed to secure. Walter Wool told me that he had bought 165 head of hogs last Thursday, that since it is known that he is buying hogs the people come to him to sell.

W. Hart Hamilton and his foreman, R. M. Whitman, have been riding over the valley buying up a lot of fine blooded broad sows, and he is calculating to go into the hog business on a somewhat extensive scale. Mr. Hamilton started this (Monday) morning for his home in San Jose, Cal.

Mr. Cadzoe, one of the prominent business men of Butte Falls, was a guest at the Sunnyside Thursday night on his way to Medford.

Your Eagle Point correspondent took a notion to spend the day, Friday, in Medford, and spend a part of the day visiting the county fair, and on the car with him, in addition to his wife and daughter, Hattie, there were E. Hamill, Miss Jessie Miller, W. Hart Hamilton, R. M. Whitman, H. Painter, Miss Maude Corlies, Miss Hazel Brown and Miss Gladys Nativick, beside quite a number of strangers.

I omitted to state that a lecturer by the name of Rowell came in on last Wednesday night, the 9th inst., and gave as a very interesting lecture on "Portland After Dark." He had a good audience and kept them interested for over an hour.

Mrs. Lou Moonuw, who has been living for some time in Yakima, Wash., came in on her friends on Thursday eve., and so did her father, James Ringer, arrive from Klamath county, via the Rogue river route, the same evening.

William Gresham of Climax has been making regular trips hauling lumber from here to build a new house on his place. Speaking about lumber, there seems to be quite a bit of lumber taken away from the lumber yard here this fall.

Professor C. E. Johnson, who is teaching school in the Table Rock school district, came over Saturday on the P. & E., spent the night with us and while here gave me his subscription for the Daily Mail Tribune.

The best feature of many of the troubles we are prone to worry about is the fact that many of them never come.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kircher of Bellville, Illinois, were visiting Mrs. D. McNasser Saturday and then left on the evening train for Canadian cities.

Miss Amy Rinchart left Tuesday for home in Oakland after visiting Mrs. F. M. Palmer for six weeks.

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The Sunday School classes of the Misses Helen Parker and Cecil Creed opened in this district Saturday.

Joe Kircher and wife of Albuquerque are visiting H. S. Pickard and family. Mr. Kircher is inspecting his interests in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hoagland and youngest daughter left on the northern route for Chicago and other points of interest. While away they will visit friends and relatives and in about six weeks will return the southern route.

Andley Meyer and his cousin, Eddie Meyers, of Lake Creek, came out from Medford Saturday afternoon and spent the night with us at the Sunnyside. Andley Meyer took the first prize at the county fair on potatoes. He is one of the contestants in the Lake Creek school district in the industrial fair to be held in South Butte, on the 21st inst., and Lee Charley took the first prize on corn. He also is one of the contestants in the district fair.

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Resolve to smoke Gov. Johnson烟, the best, and thereby patronize home industry.

It is my business to know the best buy in Jackson county and have it optioned at the lowest cash price.

That best buy today is a 190 acre stock ranch, 100 acres loam soil, irrigated, now in grain and alfalfa.

No better alfalfa land in Jackson county, ditch built covering 140 acres, perfect water right, alone worth \$10,000.00.

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CENTRAL POINT POINTERS

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Mrs. Williams of Jacksonville was among her friends in this city the first of the week.

Miss Bessie Randall visited in Rogue River the latter part of last week.

Fred Farr is a business visitor in Rogue River this week.

Paulus Olson has returned from a business trip to Portland.

Miss Isa Austin of Sardine Creek spent Sunday with her parents here.

J. F. Kelly of Griffin Creek was shaking hands with his many friends here Tuesday. Mr. Kelly was formerly of the section gang here and this was his first visit here in twelve years.

Mr. and Mrs. Hay and daughter Arlene were the guests of Miss Eleanor Hay, the teacher of the Watkins district school at Watkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Price and family, R. H. Cornelius and children, J. W. Freeman, wife and daughter, and Fred Wiley and children enjoyed a day in the Applegate country the first of the week.

Mrs. Masdurn of Medford was a recent visitor at the W. E. Price residence here.

Miss Audrey Holmes of Phoenix was here for the week end visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Brophy of Talent and Master Leland Brophy of Medford were out-of-town visitors here the first of the week.

Miss Agnes Dunlap leaves today for Eugene where she will be a student at the university.

Miss Ruth Boyd of Oakdale is the guest of Miss Gladys Holmes at present.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a chicken supper at the Rosedale hall Saturday evening. The price will be the small sum of 25 cents and every one is especially urged to attend and have a pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Merritt transacted business in Gold Hill recently.

The entertainment given by the Willow Springs residents Monday evening was a decided success. The opera house was packed to its capacity and the wit and humor of the players pleased the audience immensely. The most interesting feature of the program was an Indian war dance, danced by four girls and four boys to perfection.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

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FOR RENT—BOARD AND ROOMS

ROOM AND BOARD or board at Mrs. W. T. York, 120 Laurel St., 161.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—Six room bungalow with full basement, 711 East Jackson St., \$15.00. W. H. Everhard, 1012 West 25th St.

FOR RENT—Three room house, inside completely new, \$7.00 per month. Herbert Launspach at Electric Kitchen.

FOR RENT—Six room house, plastered, plumbed and good sleeping porch. Call at 725 W. Alder. O. F. Chelgren, 153.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished five room bungalow, close in, desirable location, 417 Jay St., corner South Oakdale and Jay Sts., 152.

FOR RENT—Either five room or six room bungalow, close in. Night furnish partly new A-1, phone 317, evenings 425-R.

FOR RENT—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, gas; also half bedroom, 224 East Ninth, 164.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping apt., thoroughly cleaned, renovated, new management. Rent reasonable. The Oxford, 222 W. Main, 153.

FOR RENT—Modern housekeeping rooms, gas and bath. Call after 4:30 p. m. Phone 55-H, 219 Taylor St., off South Central ave.

FOR RENT—Team and wagon for hunting trips. Phone 719. 154.

FOR RENT—HOMESTEADS

FOR SALE—Relinquishment near Medford. Snap. Telephone 8-F-4. 152.

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—Seven room bungalow, strictly modern, lot 50x215, plenty of fruit and berries, large outbuildings. Will sell cheap, phone 417-M, mornings.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—at a sacrifice, one of the best 120 acre Rogue river bottom ranches in Jackson county. All level land, water right for irrigating 100 acres. If you are looking for a general farm this is your opportunity. For further information write, the owner, box 100, Medford Mail Tribune, Medford, Oregon.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Two good young horses, cheap. Phone 539-H. 155.

FOR SALE—Forty sheep and one cheap work mare. G. L. Scherhorn, 121 N. Grape Street. Phone 819-M. 152.

FOR SALE—A good team of horses, wagon and harness. Enquire at 207 East 9th. 152.

FOR SALE—A good team, wagon and harness. Inquire of or write Mrs. Poe, Rogue River, Ore. 225-L. F. Y. Allen.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a sound, black mule, eight years old. Inquire of Dr. W. R. Stokes. Phone 67-J. 155.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS