

"Rivers Run Red," Say Despatches From Battle's Front

GERMAN RIGHT NOW ADVANCES

United Press Service
 PARIS, Sept. 26.—The French troops on the left of the line fought all night against the Germans, in order to prevent an advance by the reinforced commands of von Kluck and von Boehm.

The German endeavor to check the allies and split their line between Noyon and Ste. Quentin was successful. Now the allies left has been reinforced by troops from Amiens and Doullens, and is fighting hard.

It is admitted that the Germans took the offensive yesterday, and they gained substantially along the heights of the Meuse.

It is claimed that the allies have regained the most of their territory on the left, and by a series of bayonet charges succeeded in entering Ste. Quentin. They have held up the town, desiring to prevent its destruction, as the German siege guns are near by.

The Germans' center is fighting defensive tactics, owing to the withdrawal of its reserves to reinforce the German right.

Latest advices say the allies' right is advancing, but that the German advance toward St. Mihiel is still unchecked. This force has not been able to cross the Meuse.

General Joffre is reinforcing his troops at all points. Germany's first and second lines of reserves and part of the volunteers are engaged.

This is the supreme struggle.

If the Germans are defeated it means their retreat toward Belgium. If they win, the allies are imperiled everywhere.

The losses of both sides are almost unbelievable.

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO ESTIMATE THE LOSSES, BUT THE RIVERS ARE REPORTED TO BE RUNNING RED, WITH THOUSANDS OF CORPSES FLOATING IN THEM.

Late tonight, Bordeaux reports the French are progressing slightly on the left.

How Belgian Sharpshooters Pick off Germans on Retreat



The Belgian army was rapidly reorganized after the Germans, who tore it to pieces, began retreat through France, and there were several battles between Belgians and the Kaiser's forces remaining to hold them in check. This photograph shows Belgian sharpshooters picking off Germans from behind a trench dug for the first fighting. These soldiers have cut holes through it so their heads need not show above as targets.

BERLIN CLAIMS ALLIES RETIRE

BERLIN, (via The Hague), Sept. 26.—It is announced by the war office that the German right, for a time in danger by reason of a turning movement by the allies, repulsed the allies ten miles along the Aisne, now red with the blood of the battle's victims.

The allies, though reinforced, are unable to regain the lost territory. A series of violent assaults are being made all along the line.

The movement of the army along the Meuse continues, with the French retiring. There is no interruption in the bombardment from Meuse and Verdun forts.

ANNIHILATION IS REPORTED.
 United Press Service
 BASYL, Sept. 26.—Altkirch reports say the French annihilated the 109th regiment of German reserves near there. They ambushed an armored train, and the commander, two captains and two lieutenants were killed and the others captured and wounded.

PREPARED FOR THE LAST STAND.
 United Press Service
 ANTWERP, Sept. 26.—It is believed that the Germans are preparing to make a stand in Southern Belgium, should they be driven out of France by the allies.

Aviation scouts report entrenchments north of Mons and along the Scheid, Dendre and Seneffe rivers.

RUSSIAN TROOPS ACTIVE.
 United Press Service
 PETROGRAD, Sept. 26.—Reports of the fall of Przemel are expected any minute.

The Eastern forts are all weakening, and the main Russian army is continuing on toward Cracow, to capture that city.

At Cracow, the strongest German and Austrian forces are stationed. A German general is the commanding officer.

Bavarians on Trial by German Officers

Japs and Germans Fight in Air

United Press Service
 OSTEND, Sept. 26.—It was announced today that the German military authorities at Brussels are trying a number of Bavarian soldiers. The charge is that the Bavarians were cooking for the escape of French prisoners of war. It is also stated that the friction between the Germans and Bavarians is growing.

United Press Service
 PEKIN, Sept. 26.—Advices from Shantung are to the effect that while Japanese aviators were maneuvering over the German forts they were attacked by German aviators. One Japanese machine was wrecked and the aviator killed. The Japanese and British are bombarding the outer forts.

Hydroplanes Bombard Cattaro

United Press Service
 ROME, Sept. 26.—The fleet of French hydroplanes have been bombarding Cattaro. It is not known as yet what damage was inflicted.

Sister is Married.
 J. W. Tyrrell has received word of the marriage of his sister, Miss Evelyn Tyrrell of Portland, to C. N. Comstock, a prominent Albany (Mo.) attorney. The couple will reside in the "show me" state.

Back to Meva.
 Cecil Miller left Friday for Meva, after a day's visit here.

Good Football Season

Lots of Material and Lots of Enthusiasm Shown

With a big array of all kinds of promising material and five games in prospect, football is the big topic at the Klamath County high school this year. The local students are much elated at the showing the candidates for the team made against an alumni organization last night, and have hopes of capturing the Southern Oregon championship.

Saturday the team will go to Merrill to play Merrill high. Two games each are also assured with the Medford and Ashland high schools.

Coach Vernon Motschenbacher believes he has plenty of timber for a winning team. Many of the boys are inexperienced in the rudiments of the game, but all are plucky fighters.

Earl Elliott, the old Nebraska star, has agreed to coach the line, and Oscar Wiley, a veteran from the University of Colorado and later coach of the Aberdeen high school eleven, will specialize on the backfield. With this form of training great results are expected.

With the exception of the students who are interested in tennis, about every boy in the high school is a candidate for the football squad. Among those who show dashes of real ability are Ira Orem, Lawrence Motschenbacher, Red Stewart, Bill McMillan and Gus Page in the backfield, and "Shrimp" Steiger, a plucky little 120 pounder at quarter. Graves work at center is good, and on the ends it is a fight between Noel, Heals, Hill and Kiehl.

For other positions on the line Melhans, Wade and Clyde Short, Veri Brewbaker, Everett, O'Loughlin and the La Prairie brothers are showing class. Linkenbach, a Central school star of last year, and other players will be in school next week, and will fight for places.

COMMUNICATION RE-ESTABLISHED ILLUSTRATED SONG MAY SURVEY THE SERVICE TONIGHT

LONG WAY AROUND TO REACH THE MEXICAN CAPITAL BY WIRE—REPORT THAT VILLA AND ZAPATA MAY UNITE

United Press Service
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 26.—Telegraphic communications have been re-established between Vera Cruz and Mexico City via Nogales. This was made necessary by the destruction of the telegraph and telephone wires between Vera Cruz and the capital and the destruction of the railroad tracks for some distance between the two cities.

The officials have been advised that President Carranza says that it would be impossible for his troops with General Zapata, which strengthens the rumor that Zapata and Villa will unite their forces.

Go to Salem.
 Mrs. F. H. Delsell and the Misses Josephine and Lena Forrest came in from Chiloquin Friday night. The Misses Forrest left this morning for Salem, and were accompanied by Mrs. Delsell as far as Weed. Mrs. Delsell will return to Chiloquin Sunday.

Sues on Account.
 Suit to recover \$268.68, alleged due on account, was commenced in the circuit court by the Farmers Improvement and Supply house against J. L. Fielder and J. C. Loudon. J. C. Rutenic is attorney for the supply house.

Will Teach School.
 Miss Rosa Krupka, a 1914 graduate of the Klamath County high school has been chosen to teach at the Poe Valley school.

Returns Tonight.
 Mrs. Charles F. Stone is expected tonight from Portland, where she spent several weeks.

INTERESTING FEATURE TO BE GIVEN IN CONNECTION WITH THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING THIS EVENING

An added attraction for the convention of the Klamath County Young People's Societies will be an illustrated song service at the Christian church this evening. Interstate Field Secretary H. H. Rottmann of the Christian Endeavor Society will conduct this, and we was with him some beautiful colored stereopticon slides.



H. H. Rottmann
 for song services in connection with the work of the young people. There will be no admission charge.

Tomorrow Mr. Rottmann will join Elder Harlan in the morning services at the Christian church.

A change has been made in the Sunday program of the convention, so as to make it possible for Mr. Rottmann to talk to the women as well as to the men. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon all men and boys will be asked to leave the church, and the field secretary will speak out of his experience and training on "Personal and

INDIAN IRRIGATION SERVICE OFFICIALS RETURN FROM TRIP OF INSPECTION AROUND THE PROPOSED PROJECTS

Chief Engineer W. M. Reed of the Indian Irrigation Service, District Superintendent L. M. Holt and Cost Accountant Frankland returned today from a week's sojourn on the Klamath reservation, looking over the Klamath marsh and the Yainax country, where reclamation may be taken up later.

The trip was in reality an opportunity for Mr. Reed to personally see the reservation, so he could gather first hand information regarding the questions that may arise," said Mr. Holt.

"It is possible that some survey work may be done on the proposed Klamath marsh project this fall, as there are some appropriated funds left for this, but this will not be taken up until after the Modoc Point work is finished."

Deer Will Suffer.
 There is to be an exodus of city officials today, for Mayor Nicholas, Police Judge A. L. Leavitt, Patrolman Sam Walker and Contractor Garrett of the Eighth street improvement project, with E. J. Powell and H. H. Edwards, leave for a deer hunt in the Dead Indian country, near Johnson's Prairie. They expect to be back Monday, laden with venison.

County Agriculturist Rollin Glaisyer and Earl Chandler left this morning for Fort Klamath. If the weather is right, they plan to go on to Crater Lake Sunday.

Community Social Parity," by request, taking up the problem of the dance. The meeting is open to all women and girls of the age of puberty. Younger girls are not invited, and will not be admitted.

Land Leasing Bill Passes the Senate

United Press Service
 WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 26.—The senate today passed the Alaskan coal land leasing bill by a viva voce vote. The bill has already passed the house.

Going Around Lake.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rogers, Alex Martin Sr., Miss Ida Momyar and Miss Stewart will make a trip around the Upper Lake Sunday in Rogers' car.

Coon to Move Shop.
 C. B. Coon, "the Electrical Man," is preparing to move his electrical store and motorcycle supply house from its present location to the old shooting gallery on Main street, between Sixth and Seventh.

Leave for Nevada.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hayden and children leave next week for Fallon, Nev., where Mr. Hayden is irrigation manager of the Truckee-Carson project.

Servians Are Slowly Advancing

United Press Service
 NISH, Sept. 26.—The war office has issued the statement that Krupania is the only place where Austria still has a foothold in Serbia. Fighting has been going on there for a week, and it is said the Servians are slowly advancing. Efforts to cross the Danub and Danube rivers has met with repulse. The government denies the declaration from Vienna that the Servians are suffering from cholera. It is also announced that the bombardment of Belgrade continues.

Counter Attacks Cause Heavy Loss

United Press Service
 LONDON, Sept. 26.—A statement issued today was as follows: "There has been much activity by the enemy along the battle front today. Some heavy counter attacks were repulsed with considerable loss."

Fort Will Show Class

Forage Crops and Races Will Be Among Features

(Herald Special Service)
 FORT KLAMATH, Sept. 26.—At a meeting of the boosters of the Wood River Valley, called by Jas. C. Pelton of the county fair board, plans were outlined for the district fair to be held here next Saturday, and the reports of the committees show that it will be a hummer. The fair will be held only one day.

The premium list for exhibitors will be the same as used at Bonanza. Although it will be a little late for the best selection of our agricultural products, this part of the fair will be a surprise, for the Wood River Valley

claims to be able to show the best forage crops of any part of the county.

A purse is being raised for foot racing and a bucking contest. The Fort people gave away \$500 in prizes at the "Jugly Time," when they also brought sixty Warm Springs Indians here, and there is no doubt but what we will spend a little money in this way at the fair.

The heads of committees are as follows:
 Farm exhibits, Ray Lonsley; livestock, L. C. Stinson; domestic art, Mr. Gordon and Mrs. Turner; field sports, John Utter.