

Balkan War Due in Forty-eight Hours

New York Subway Collapses, Killing Six, Wounding Many

ULTIMATUM WILL BE SENT SERVA BY BULGARIANS

BULGARIA HAS MOBILIZED 100,000 MEN

Serbia Demands Explanation for the Mowing of Bulgarians—Greek Cabinet Meets to Prepare Mobilization Orders—Cavalry Sent to Serbian Border—Military Experts Think Austro-German Rush Impractical.

United Press Service LONDON, Sept. 22.—All the Bulgarians in Austria, Germany and Greece have been called to the colors. Serbia has demanded an explanation for mowing Bulgarians and the Greek cabinet met last night to prepare mobilization orders.

Athens has predicted a Bulgarian declaration of war within forty-eight hours. It is reported that Bulgaria is preparing an ultimatum, demanding the conceding of Servian Macedonia.

United Press Service ATHENS, Sept. 22.—Bulgaria has mobilized 100,000 men. Cavalry stationed at Sofia has been ordered to the Serbian border. The premier has summoned General Savoff, former head of the Bulgarian army.

United Press Service LONDON, Sept. 22.—Military experts are confident that the Serbian River defenses will stand against the Austro-German bombardment.

The Serbian legation has directed all Serbs between 18 and 50 in England to register and to prepare to rejoin the colors.

United Press Service ATHENS, Sept. 22.—The cabinet meets tonight to consider the Bulgarian mobilizations.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—Europe is excited over the developments in the Balkans. Bulgaria's mobilization is confirmed. Sofia's streets are filled with war enthusiasts.

MORE PRODUCTS SENT TO BOOTH

AND WORTH OF HONEY, AS WELL AS OTHER PRODUCTS TO BE DISPLAYED AT THE KLAMATH BOOTH AT EXPOSITION

The fair at Merrill yesterday resulted in the purchase of over 200 pounds of honey for exhibition purposes at San Francisco, at the cost of \$10. Other products were secured as well, so that the Klamath county booth at the world's exposition can be made even a more instructive and attractive place. Phil Snott has written to the Commercial Club of several plans he is considering for further advertisement of the section. He proposed of first samples of Klamath county cheese. Pictures of Crater Lake are another proposal.

FOUR DIE WHEN TRAIN STRIKES AN AUTO TRUCK

DRIVER AND THREE FARMERS KILLED

Passengers May Train Was Speeding. Bodies Frightfully Mangled—Tragedy Occurs Near Galbraith Station. Third Tragedy of Similar Nature to Occur to Oregon People in a Few Months.

United Press Service PORTLAND, Sept. 22.—Charles Gage, driver, John Misick Zegil Barriner and Gibbon Butson, farmers, were killed when the Southern Pacific Electric hit an auto truck near Galbraith station.

The men were killed instantly and their bodies frightfully mangled. Passengers on the electric train say it was speeding.

The three farmers live near Tualatin. Barriner and Butson were not identified for nearly an hour.

This tragedy constitutes the third of similar nature in a few months in which four Oregon people were killed. Four children were instantly killed when a Southern Pacific train struck a Ford automobile near Eugene last spring. Four Astoria people were killed by a train in California last month.

WATER COMPANY GETS GOOD REPORT

IN EFFORT TO LEARN TRUE CONDITION OF LOCAL WATER SUPPLY COMPANY HAS OFFICIAL TESTS MADE

There has been considerable talk on the streets and at the council meetings relative to the purity of the local water supply, and in a number of cases charges have been made that the water is full of germs, and the company has not been giving the citizens of Klamath Falls proper protection.

To discover whether there was any foundation for these complaints, Manager Walton of the California-Oregon Power company had Drs. Cathey and Johnson, in the presence of the mayor and Health Officer Dr. Truax, take samples from the source of supply and also from an office faucet. These samples were sent both to the Oregon State Board of Health and the University of California, for examination.

The result of these official examinations are made known to the public in a statement by the water company on page 4 of this issue.

Peyton Catches Big Fish O. Peyton has returned from a business trip about Upper Klamath Lake, with a fish that's a fish. He caught it at the mouth of Williamson River, while staying at Eagle Ridge. It weighed fifteen pounds, this prince of rainbows, and was thirty inches in length.

VILLA FLEEING; POWER CRUSHED

HOPES TO JOIN MATTORENA AT MONORA—FIVE HUNDRED SOLDIERS AND CITIZENS DRIVE MEXICANS

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 22.—Carranza forces captured Chihuahua, according to dispatches. They also state that Villa is fleeing toward the northern border of the state of Chihuahua. It is reported he is on his way to Sonora to join Mattoarena. It is believed that the military strength of Villa is crushed.

United Press Service BROWNSVILLE, Sept. 22.—Five hundred soldiers and citizens are spread in a crescent and are driving the Mexicans around Fresno toward the Rio Grande, where guards are waiting. The murderers of Donaldson and Smith, Americans, slain three weeks ago, are thought to be among the fleeing Mexicans, and their capture is hoped for.

KLAMATH STEER LARGEST KNOWN

THREE-THOUSAND POUND ANIMAL FED ON RANGES IN KLAMATH COUNTY, ATTRACTS MUCH ATTENTION AT THE FAIR

(Herald Special Service) OREGON BUILDING, PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION, San Francisco, Sept. 22.—It is not improbable that Oregon will show here the largest steer in captivity at the present time. This a 3,000 pounder that grew up in the Klamath country. The animal is six years old, and is range fed only, never having been in a stall. George Watt, the owner, proposed to enter the big fellow for a prize, but there is no class for anything beyond three-year-olds. It is now proposed to bring the old boy down as a part of the Oregon exhibit, with headquarters in the game pavilion adjoining the Oregon building.

Even a picture of the animal in the Klamath booth attracts considerable attention, and the real thing on display is certain to prove a winner.

CITY ATTORNEY MAKES REPORT

KLAMATH FALLS IS ONLY CITY REPRESENTED AT RATE HEARING BEFORE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

City Attorney R. C. Grosbeck has returned from Salem, where he attended the hearing before the Public Service Commission of the complaints of the cities of Klamath Falls, Medford and Grants Pass. In speaking of the meeting Mr. Grosbeck said: "The city of Klamath Falls is to be congratulated for having sent a representative to the hearing for the reason that Medford and Grants Pass

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, It is becoming ever more evident to all of us that the great losses which we are constantly sustaining from fire are in a large measure, preventable through proper precautions; and WHEREAS, There is a growing tendency to study the problems of fire destruction with a view to combatting it scientifically; and WHEREAS, We of Oregon should be especially interested because of the great losses locally sustained, which bring our estimated per capita annual fire loss far in excess of the \$2.32 per capita loss of the United States as a whole, and this in comparison with a per capita annual loss in European countries of less than 50 cents; there having been in Oregon in the year 1914 over \$4,000,000 worth of property destroyed by fire; and WHEREAS, It is fair to believe that by giving the matter proper thought and precautionary attention our losses may be measurably lessened, and as interest in the entire problem can well be focused through setting aside a day each year when it shall be especially considered, as is done in many other states. THEREFORE, I do hereby designate October 9, 1915, as Fire Prevention Day in Oregon, that day being the anniversary of the disastrous Chicago fire of 1872. And on Fire Prevention Day, I urge that effort be made to organize our state, in an efficient campaign against the common enemy of all—unrelegated fire. And it would seem to me well worth while that, so far as possible, instruction concerning the dangers of fire and the methods of fire prevention be given in the schools on that day and on other days as well. And I would further urge that on Fire Prevention Day individuals and communities undertake domestic and municipal house cleaning and inspection, to the end that inflammable rubbish may be removed; that heating appliances and chimneys be examined and placed in safe condition; that the occupants of hotels, factories and institutions housing numbers of people be safeguarded; that fire drills be established and operated; and, in short, that every encouragement be given to a healthy public preparation for the lessening of our fire losses, through intelligent and adequate fire prevention. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 22d day of September, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen. JAMES WITHEYCOMBE, Governor of Oregon.

RUSSIAN FORCES ESCAPE GERMANS

RIGA AND PETROGRAD ARE THOUGHT SAFE—BAVARIANS HAVE CAPTURED OSTROW, IN REPORT

United Press Service PETROGRAD, Sept. 22.—Riga and Petrograd are safe, officials declare, as the result of victories at Dyvink. The Germans are reported to have withdrawn from the Balkan drive.

Repeated raids on the outer edges of the German lines at Dyvink have affected the German moral. It is believed that the Russians have escaped the German trap as they did at Warsaw.

United Press Service BERLIN, Sept. 22.—It is announced that the Bavarians stormed positions on both sides of the Breslau-Ostrow railway, and have captured Ostrow.

A Dime Social A dime social will be given Thursday afternoon by the ladies of the Christian church at the house of Mrs. J. J. Keller on Jefferson street, between Seventh and Eighth. Refreshments served. Ladies, bring your needle work. All are welcome.

Will Attend Elks Ball Many Klamath Falls Elks and their families are planning to attend the Elks' ball at Medford Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Clayton Wheeler and Bert Hall were among those who left today. Others will go tomorrow.

Better Chances Now Than Ever SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 22.—"The opportunities of young men for advancement are 50 per cent better today than they were twenty-five years ago," said John E. Marty, president of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, and head of a large corporation in the East. He is a delegate to the International Engineering Congress—Carty arose from office boy to president in his own company.

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25 AUTO LOADS GO TO MERRILL; ALL ARE PLEASSED

DISPLAYS OF STOCK AND PRODUCTS AMAZING

Horse Races, Band Music, Contests and Display Entertain—Children's Exhibit Especially Good—Klamath Falls Citizens Procure Many Products for San Francisco—Next Fair is at Bonanza.

As representatives of the Business Men's Association and the Commercial Club, twenty-five auto loads of Klamath Falls citizens drove to Merrill Wednesday afternoon, and spent several hours in viewing the triumphs of the farmer and stockman at the Merrill District fair.

With the Klamath Falls Military Band boys playing, the delegation rolled into Merrill in parade line, and were warmly welcomed by the citizens. The exhibition was well worth any efforts that were made to see it, and opened the eyes of many to the nature of work that is going on, and to the possibilities that are open.

Following some lively horse races, the livestock exhibit in the public school yard was visited, where some of the finest thoroughbred stock in Southern Oregon was being judged by stock experts. Horses, beef, cattle, dairy stock, sheep, Angora goats, pigs, chickens and ducks of different varieties were on display, every one worthy of a prize, according to spectators.

To those who have visited the fairs of former years, a marked improvement was observed, and it is evident that every effort is being made to breed up the livestock of this district to the highest standard.

The agricultural and domestic science exhibition brought admiration from every visitor, the exceptional display of honey at the entrance of the building causing particular comment.

The children's exhibit of fruits, grains and vegetables gave evidence that too much time cannot be given to promoting competition of this kind. Through the kindness of the committee in charge of exhibits, a large part of the agricultural display was secured by the Klamath Falls delegation, much of which will be sent to the world's fair at San Francisco.

Altogether, it was a very happy occasion. Klamath Falls is glad she went, and Merrill seemed glad she came. The next fair will be held at Bonanza, September 25th.

KLAMATH MOVIES BILLED TONIGHT

BIG CROWD EXPECTED—FILMS ILLUSTRATE ALL KLAMATH COUNTY ACTIVITIES—ASSOCIATION MEETING POSTPONED

Tonight is the night of the Klamath movies. The Business Men's Association will not convene because all expect to attend the home movie show. Fifteen hundred feet of film, embracing and illustrating all activities in Klamath county, from sport to

PIT IS INFERNO; TWO HUNDRED IN LIST OF WOUNDED

SPECTATORS FALL LIMB WITH FRIGHT

Two Blocks of Subway Care in When Dynamic Blast Snaps Timbers. Street and Traffic Stagnant From Night and Car Drops Through, From Which Passengers Vainly Try to Make Their Escape.

United Press Service

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Six were killed and over 200 injured when nearly two blocks of the new Seventh avenue subway, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, caved in, following a dynamite blast. The timbers supporting the street flooring snapped, and the street and traffic sank from sight.

A surface car, bearing forty-eight passengers fell with the roof. For a few minutes the pit was a veritable inferno of screaming people and splintering timbers.

Many women on the rear platform of the car vainly tried to escape. Many persons on the sidewalk tumbled into the pile of passengers, and were limp with fright when rescued.

PRODUCTS SENT TO DENVER FAIR

DRYLAND ALFALFA, FLAX, GRAINS, ETC., CONSTITUTE DISPLAY AT THE DRYLAND SHOW AT DENVER

Klamath county's display of products for the Denver Dryland Fair have been sent. They constitute all sorts of dryland products from this section.

Dryland alfalfa is the product that County Agriculturist Glazier is most hopeful of winning a premium. Several displays of this were sent. Sudan grass, pea seeds, oats, wheat, flax and millet were other products sent. The International Corn Show at Minneapolis will also draw Klamath county attention in a few weeks.

Mrs. Dale Is Home Mrs. Don Dale has returned from an extended visit to Seattle, where she was called by the illness of her sister. She has been away about four weeks. Her sister is now improving and on the road to recovery.

Numbering constitute the principal side of the evening. Musical numbers there are four musical numbers all of high quality.

The money to be raised will go toward the production of the film and its display at the exposition. The open house has been transferred, as has all the musical talent, to the Klamath Falls people turn out, as is the present indication, the county stands to get a large amount of advertising.

Tonight's performance of the Klamath county musical numbers at the Star Theatre.