

Allies and Germans Both Claim Victories

FIRST PHASE OF GREATEST CLASH IN HISTORY OVER

THE FRENCH CLAIM IMPORTANT VICTORIES

Gain Foot by Foot Advance in Artois and Champagne—Hill Dominated by Vimy Heights Captured—Estimated Germans Have Lost 120,000 Men—Seventy-nine Cannon Taken—Germans Claim Recapture Trenches

United Press Service PARIS, Sept. 29.—It is announced that the French have gained important victories in Artois and Champagne in the furious attacks of yesterday and last night. The hill that dominated Vimy Heights, East Bouches, was captured.

It is estimated that German losses were 120,000 men. Seventy-nine German cannon were captured.

United Press Service LONDON, Sept. 29.—A fierce storm of shells are bursting on the western front in the second phase of the biggest battle in the world's history. The first rush is over, with the result that the allies are in Champagne and the Artois region, steadily hammering.

The allies hope to exhaust the Germans in preparation for the second dash.

The last Paris communique said the French are gaining foot by foot.

United Press Service BERLIN, Sept. 29.—It is announced that the Germans have recaptured several rows of trenches in North Loos from the British.

"We were unable to eject the enemy from the trenches in Northwest Bouches, but we are constantly advancing in waves in other places. The French are downed by our inflexible resistance."

CLUB SMOKER IS GREAT SUCCESS

FORTY MEN PRESENT AT FIRST OF INFORMAL GET-TOGETHERS LUNCH, CIGARS AND TALKS MAKE EVENING PLEASANT

Forty men were present at the Commercial Club smoker last night at the Commercial Club rooms, and the affair was such a success that hereafter similar informal get-togethers will be held monthly.

Klamath county manufactured cigars, refreshments, and short talks contributed to the evening's entertainment. Judge Baldwin and Attorney Wiley and Groesbeck made the speeches of the evening.

Judge Baldwin's subject was the proposed district fair for next year, all pointed out the value of such a fair, in which all Southern Oregon counties, as well as Eastern Oregon and Northern California counties would be asked to take part.

Attorney Wiley discussed the Oregon land grant question. He gave the history of the grant, which, according to those present, was both interesting and instructive. He made the point that as already only 17 per cent of Klamath county property was taxed, this land should not be allowed to fall back into Federal reserve but

Family of American Consul Saved from Ship Burned at Sea



Miss Francis Cooke, Mrs. A. B. Cooke and her children, Mary, Louise, Marie. Mrs. Cooke and her three children, the family of United States Consul Cooke at Patras, Greece, were passengers with their friend, Miss Francis Cooke, on the Greek liner Athinal, which caught fire Sunday, September 18, when 350 miles southeast of Halifax. The vessel was abandoned after

FOUR-ROUND GO IS BILLED FRIDAY

BOBBIE ALLEN OF PORTLAND TO MEET KID CURLY OF KLAMATH FALLS IN BOXING MATCH AT ATHLETIC CLUB

A four-round go to which everyone is invited free, will be the first of a series of boxing matches to be held at the Klamath Falls Athletic Club. The match is billed for Friday night, at 7:30.

Bobbie Allen of Portland and Kid Curley of Klamath Falls are the principals. Both are clever men, lightweights, and according to experts, are well matched.

The management wants to emphasize that this match is a boxing match, and not a prize fight. "A good clean sport, not a fight," they say.

Costly Fire at Sufferin United Press Service SUFFERIN, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Twenty-five residences and a business block containing twenty small stores were destroyed by fire today. Hundreds were carried unconscious from the burning residences. No deaths have been reported.

Odd Fellows Called Members of Klamath Lodge No. 187, I. O. O. F. will meet at the hall tonight for the purpose of organizing degree team, and practice.

Will Winter in Berkeley S. O. Johnson and wife are expected down from their summer home at Point Comfort, on their way to Berkeley for the winter.

CONVICT HOOKER DIES IN ALBANY FROM RIFLE SHOT

MAN WHO MURDERED SUPERINTENDENT MINTO IS DEAD

Hit Under Albany House, Where Cough Betrayed Him—Officers Are Summoned, and Attempt to Drag Him Out—Convict Aims Revolver But Rifle Bullet Fatally Wounds. Dies at 2:30 This Morning.

United Press Service ALBANY, Ore., Sept. 29.—Otto Hooker, the escaped convict, died at St. Mary's hospital this morning.

At midnight last night he hid underneath the house of John Meisner, at East End, Albany.

His cough betrayed him, and a neighbor summoned the police. Patrolman A. J. Long and Deputy Sheriff H. Christoferson of Multnomah county, and Guards L. D. Moore and John Talent of the state penitentiary, were summoned from the Southern Pacific depot, where they were watching for the convict.

The officers dragged Hooker by the legs and shoulders from under the house. Hooker turned over, drew his revolver, and aimed. Patrolman Long fired his rifle, the bullet entering Hooker's chest.

He was taken to the hospital where he died at 2:30 this morning.

The policeman's story that the man attempted to shoot is doubted by some, as his revolver was found empty. Witnesses say he was trying to hold up his hands when shot.

United Press Service PORTLAND, Sept. 29.—Patrolman Long described the death of Otto Hooker, the escaped convict, who murdered Superintendent Harry Minto of the state penitentiary, as follows:

"This morning Christoferson stood leaning over Hooker. I was standing straddle of his head as he lay under the floor of the house where we found him. Hooker had been told to come out hands first.

"He came part way, and turned over as if to reach for his revolver, underneath the floor. Not knowing whether he had a gun where he could reach it, I fired."

United Press Service SALEM, Sept. 29.—The funeral of Harry P. Minto was held under the supervision of the Elks. County officials and others attended.

WILSON'S EYES WET IN REVIEW

PRESIDENT UNASHAMED TO BRUSH AWAY TEARS AS VETERANS OF GRAND ARMY OF REPUBLIC PASS STAND

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 29.—Tears came to the president's eyes repeatedly, and he was unashamed to brush them away while reviewing the ranks of the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic.

There were few dry eyes as the veterans passed. Wilson was standing on a small balcony projecting from the main stand. With him were members of the cabinet and diplomats.

WASHINGTON SEES VETERANS PASS IN LAST REVIEW

LOOKS THROUGH EYES OF FIFTY YEARS AGO

Handful of Magnificent Army Passes Before President—Remnant of Logan's Men, the Crew of the Monitor, Send Thrill—Shadows of Generals Seem Striding in Advance of Shattered Ranks.

By GENERAL NELSON A. MILES (Written for the United Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 29.—Washington looked today through the eyes of fifty years ago.

Its populace and visitors joined with the nation's executive in reviewing the battered blue battalions of the Grand Army of the Republic—all that is left of the stalwart legions, 200,000 strong, who marched with youth's firm tread before the White House in review with Sherman, Mead and Sheridan, Hancock, at the close of the war that called the army into being.

Celebrated in the most beautiful capital, among the people of the strongest, most prosperous republic in the world, the fiftieth annual grand review of the Grand Army of the Republic epitomized and symbolized the spirit of our nation—united; and mighty influence on all humanity through unborn ages.

There in the vanguard of this body, unique and filled with the essence of tragedy and romance, marched the remnants of Logan's men—the troops from Illinois. John A. Logan is dead, but it can be said I saw his shadow striding on beside them.

Few of the handful of old leaders who are left from the days of '61 and '65 passed here today. Their brows trooped by, though, rigid as the dragging chains of time permitted, and with them, in fancy, anyhow, if not in fact, their generals went marching on before.

Fiftieth in line marched what remains of the men who fought with George H. Thomas of Nashville, "The Rock of Chickamauga," we called him. "The noblest Roman of them all." In Swinton's history you'll read that his army's Nashville campaign plan turned vanquishment into victory for us.

A naval banner streaming free above the stumbling ranks brought back the memory of John Ericsson.

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Buying Horses for Allies W. F. Blackman, a horse buyer of Reno, has gone to the Wood River Valley to look at some horses. Mr. Blackman states he is purchasing horses for the European war for the allies.

Shows Up Smiling John Ansel returned last night from a month's visit to the fair and other California points, with a smile as broad as the Upper Lake. Whether it was caused from joy at once more being in Klamath or by thinking of the good time he had, Johnny refuses to state.

Big Dance Following Bonanza Fair The second district Klamath county fair, which will be held at Henson tomorrow, will end with a big dance at the Mission hotel. An orchestra will go from Klamath Falls to furnish the music, and it is probable that the Klamath Falls band will also accompany the delegation from this city.

Reclamation Man Visits Oliver P. Horton of the United States reclamation service, is registered at the Hall.

Friend of the Farmer



Charles John Brand

Charles John Brand is the newly appointed chief of the bureau of markets at Washington. He will dig out valuable information for the farmer about shipping his produce to the best advantage and will make a study of rural finance, credit and insurance. Mr. Brand was born October 24, 1872, and graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1902.

BONANZA FAIR BILLED THURSDAY

FRED FLEET, OF COMMERCIAL CLUB REQUESTS DELEGATION GO FROM HERE. ALL KINDS OF EXHIBITS ON DISPLAY

Tomorrow is the date for the second district fair, to be held at Bonanza. Fred Fleet, of the commercial club, is making plans for a delegation of Klamath Falls men to attend.

The fair will be quite as much a success as the first district fair at Merrill, and deserves as big a representation from here, according to Fleet. All kinds of exhibits will be on display, and contests held.

"As many as possibly can should go," said Mr. Fleet. "Get acquainted with those Bonanza farmers, for their good and ours too. Some of the products will probably be brought to Klamath Falls, for exhibition in the exhibit window."

CATCHES HAND IN COG WHEELS

A. O. CLEMENTS, OF U. S. RECLAMATION SERVICE, RECOVERS SERIOUS INJURY IN HOISTING ENGINE

A. O. Clements of the reclamation service was seriously hurt yesterday when his right hand was caught in the cog wheels of a hoisting engine. The hand was badly mangled, but as no bones were broken an amputation will probably not be necessary.

He was at work in the Lava Beds with drills to ascertain methods of draining Tule Lake. While testing the engine of the drilling machine his hand was caught in the cog.

TEUTON HORDES BEGIN MARCH ON BALKAN STATES

LONG EXPECTED AUSTRO-GERMAN RUSH BEGINS

French and English Troops Transported to Assist Serbia—Land at Port Kastrin—Allies Secure Supplies Possibility of Bulgarian Flight. Says Correspondent—Support That Bulgarian Ministers Deny.

United Press Service ATHENS, Sept. 29.—A telegram from Nish says that 200,000 Austro-Germans are advancing against Serbia.

Csar Ferdinand conferred last night with M. Malinov, the opponent of aggression. This seemed to mean that Premier Radolovic has resigned, and that Malinov had been asked to form a new cabinet.

United Press Service BERLIN, Sept. 29.—It is reported that British and French troops are landing at Port Kastrin, near Belgrade, to aid the Serbians against the expected Austro-German offensive.

United Press Service ATHENS, Sept. 29.—Diplomats say that two Bulgarian cabinet ministers have resigned because the czar refused to approve an immediate attack on Serbia.

United Press Service ROME, Sept. 29.—The Tribune's Sofia correspondent wires that the success of the allies offensive movements removes the possibility of Bulgaria entering the war immediately.

TROPICAL GALE SWEEPS SOUTH

WEST INDIAN HURRICANE RAGES ABOUT GULF STATES—WINDS ARE DOWN—WILL PASS APPROX TOMORROW

United Press Service GALVESTON, Sept. 29.—A tropical storm is reported to be raging about New Orleans. There is no indication that the storm will reach Galveston.

United Press Service WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 29.—A fifty-mile gale is sweeping Southern Louisiana and a great portion of the Gulf coast. Wire communication has been cut off.

The West Indian hurricane is due to pass over south before night. The center is expected to pass between New Orleans and Annapolis, about eight miles southwest.

Mexican Fire Alarm Sounded United Press Service HOUSTONVILLE, Tex., Sept. 29.—It is reported that Mexican fire alarms across the border have been sounded for a number of times. The cause of these alarms was not stated.

Plans of Mr. Wiley Mrs. Margaret Wiley and Mr. Wiley are in the city for the purpose of organizing a degree team, and practice.