

Serbia Fights for Life; Aid Must Come Soon
Allies Plan to Checkmate Teutons by Drive to Constantinople

DESPERATE ALLY MOVE MAY LEAVE SERBIA TO FATE

MACKENZIE HURLS FORCES REGARDLESS OF LOSS

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United Press Service
PARIS, Oct. 16.—Heavily beset on all sides, Serbia is fighting for her life.

Mackensen is reported to be hurling his forces against the Serbian defenses regardless of losses.

United Press Service

ROME, Oct. 16.—Though it is considered possible that the allies may abandon the Dardanelles, it is not supposed to mean that they will cease their attempts to reach Constantinople.

The eyes of the world are turned to the Balkans now in perhaps the greatest issue of the war.

Mackensen, with an army of from 100,000 to a million men, has taken the first step.

The allies, on the other hand, know the seriousness of the situation, and today's reports indicate they will attempt a desperate checkmating movement.

Open House Office

Dr. A. C. Strahan, a recent arrival from Tulsa, Okla., has rented offices in the White building.

TODAY LAST OF BUYERS' WEEK

MANY FROM REMOTE SECTIONS AS WELL AS USUAL CLIENTS IN KLAMATH FALLS TO BUY WINTER SUPPLIES

Today is the last day of buyers' week. Besides the large number of farmers that always make a Saturday trip to Klamath Falls to sell and buy supplies, hundreds from more remote sections, the extreme east of the county, are in town today.

DYKE IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

OVER SIX THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND BELONGING TO KERNS BROTHERS TO BE RECLAIMED NEAR KENO

The firm of W. H. Mason & Co., which has the contract for the construction of a four-foot dyke on the B. E. Kerns property near Keno, is busily engaged with a force of men, excavating and placing drainage ditches that will eventually place in the neighborhood of 6,500 acres of land under a drainage system.

It is the intention of Mr. Kerns to have installed a number of pumping plants, which will be used for irrigation purposes.

Hunters Return

O. W. Robertson, proprietor of the Klamath Dye Works, and William Brown, San Francisco police officer, have just returned from a few days' jaunt in the hills near Silver Camp.

Much Improved

Attorney W. H. Shaw, who has been quite ill for some time, is very much improved.

Early Mass at Six o'Clock

Father McKilian will hold early mass at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning at Sacred Heart church, after which he will go to Merrill to hold services.

APPLE CONTEST PROVES SUCCESS IN ALL PHASES

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN EXHIBITS RECEIVED

Forty-five Submit Exhibits—Long Tables Filled With Every Kind of Cooked Apples and All Varieties of King Fruit Still White Building.

The apple contest proved a success in every phase. One hundred and fifteen exhibits were received from forty-five exhibitors from every part of the county.

Long tables filled with every kind of apples, apple pies, dumplings—every kind of cooked apple filled the exhibit room.

The largest number of exhibits was entered by F. L. Armstrong, who showed nineteen varieties of Klamath grown apples.

There were forty-nine entries of cooked apples, including apple pies, apple dumplings, apple tarts, apple salads, apple cakes, apple pudding apple jelly and apple preserves.

The winners and awards were as follows:

Class A, Klamath grown apples, best general display—Mrs. C. K. Brandenburg won first prize, an Elk Tankard Set of seven pieces, donated by Mrs. T. O. Hague; Frank Armstrong second, over-ready flashlight, donated by Civic Department Women's Club.

Class B, Klamath grown apples, best single display of winter apples—Mrs. C. P. Stewart won first prize, a thermos bottle, donated by George T. Baldwin; Mrs. C. K. Brandenburg second, desk or auto clock, donated by Civic Department Women's Club.

Class C, Klamath grown apples, best single display of fall apples—Mrs. C. K. Brandenburg first, Japanese wood carrier, donated by Women's Library Club; Mrs. Mary Walton second, set nickel nesting cups, donated by R. E. Smith.

Class D, apple pies and cakes—Mrs. McLean first, a cut glass bonbon dish, donated by Louis Jacobs; Mrs. J. E. Elliott second, earthenware casserole, donated by Wm. C. Hurn; Mrs. Shive third, cake set of seven pieces, donated by A. Clingenspeel.

Class E, apple pudding, dumplings, etc.—Mrs. Stella Ater first, water pitcher and six glasses, donated by Civic Department Women's Club; Mrs. Ruth Coseboom second, agate preserving kettle, donated by Arthur Wiggins; Mrs. Wm. Rosenberg third, glass berry set of seven pieces, donated by Civic Department Women's Club.

Class F, apple salads and relishes, Dorothy Anderson first, six decorated plates, donated by Virgil & Son; Cornelia Robertson second, aluminum skillet, donated by Charles Myers; Barbara Bishop third, conchaspur rug.

Gil Anderson Winning 3,500 Mile Auto Race in New York



Gil Anderson winning 3500 mile auto race at the Sheepshead Bay track, New York, averaging 102 miles an hour for the entire distance, a new world's record.

donated by Civic Department Women's Club.

Class G, apple jellies and preserves—Mrs. D. F. Arnold first, six cups and saucers, donated by Willis & Johnson; Mrs. L. H. Bath second, lady's handbag, donated by Mrs. Geo. W. White; Mrs. Wm. Rosenberg third, set of six ramekins, donated by Civic Department Women's Club.

The successful prize-winning apples are to be turned over to the Commercial Club, to be shown in their display window on Main street. The cooked apples were sold to the public at the close of the contest.

The judges of Klamath grown apples were Messrs. Glinzner, Stearns and Slough. Judges of cooked apples were Messrs. Mears and Elmer.

Mrs. L. B. Hague, who originated the contest, and Mrs. G. W. White, who took an active interest, are among those receiving the most congratulations for the success of the contest.

MANY VISITORS PUBLIC LIBRARY

NINE HUNDRED AND TWO BOOKS CIRCULATED AND 848 VISITS, SAYS LIBRARIAN REPORT FOR MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Nine hundred and two books were circulated in the month of September.

TWELVE PERISH AS RAILWAY CAR FALLS IN RIVER

BELIEVE FIFTEEN OTHERS IN CAR DROWN

Forty injured in Railway Wreck Near Randolph, Kansas—First Car Crosses Bridge in Safety, But the Structure Collapses With Second Car—Nurses and Doctors Rush to Scene of Catastrophe.

United Press Service

OMAHA, Oct. 16.—At least twelve perished, according to available information, and many were injured when a Union Pacific motor car, crashed through a washed out bridge into the river seventy miles from Randolph, Kans.

Ten survived the catastrophe, and twelve are missing.

The first car crossed the bridge safely but the second went down.

United Press Service

TOPEKA, Kans., Oct. 16.—An unconfirmed report stated that fifteen were killed and fifty injured. A wrecking crew is endeavoring to locate the missing.

United Press Service

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 16.—A special train, bearing nurses and doctors is being rushed to the scene of the wreck.

United Press Service

OMAHA, Oct. 16.—At least twelve are dead and forty injured as the result of the wreck. Survivors stated that thirteen men are still in the forward end of the car under twelve feet of water.

Farewell Party

Thursday evening a jolly party took place at the home of J. F. Goeller of Riverside avenue, when a gathering of young folks participated in a farewell party tendered Miss Verda Cosad, who has been spending a pleasant visit here from Martinez.

Oh! You Chickens!

Beware all those who have chicken houses with boards gone, or partly gone, for snakes will be inclined to rest upon thy brew, should the aperture be not sealed (especially if said house contain fowl).

EASTERN DEFEATS PAY FOR GERMAN SERB VICTORIES

RUSSIANS RETAKE POSITIONS IN GALICIA

Serbian Defense Against Teuton Offensive Magnificent—Mackensen's Forces Gain But Ten Miles, in London Claim—Germans Fail to Encircle Serb Left—Russians and Bulgarians in State of War.

United Press Service

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Though their plight is desperate, the Serbians are magnificently resisting. Mackensen's forces have gained only ten miles south from the Morava Valley in a week.

The German attempt to encircle the Serbian left wing at Humedria was blocked. The invaders are progressing very slowly.

Russia and Bulgaria are in a state of war, and have been since Bulgaria fired her first gun on the Serbians.

Petrograd has notified the English war office of the defeat of the Austrian army, which was attempting to renew the offensive in Galicia.

United Press Service

Apparently the Teutons are paying dearly for their Balkan victories by defeats in Galicia. The withdrawal of Mackensen's forces from the east front has evidently left the Germans unable to make further offensive in Galicia, and perhaps not able to hold their captured positions.

FAIR EXCURSION PLANS REVIVED

SOUTHERN PACIFIC GRANTS ONE AND A THIRD FARE FOR PARTIES OF FIFTEEN—KLAMATH DAY SET FOR OCTOBER 23

The hopes of an excursion to the exposition and Klamath Day, once buried, have reappeared again. This time no Hala, no complication are necessary, and prospects are good that enough Klamath people will participate to make Klamath Day a success.

The Southern Pacific company has offered one and a third rate for parties of fifteen. One party intends to go Monday for a two weeks stay. Still another goes a week from Wednesday. Other parties are being organized, so that from fifty to a hundred Klamath people will be at the fair October 23th, the date set for Klamath county.

Phil Hunsolt, the Klamath county committee, will also be at the time, and he is making the observation of Klamath Day, speeches, distribution of programs, chess, etc., are being planned.