

Road to Constantinople Open to Teutons

AUSTRO-GERMANS AND BULGARIANS EFFECT JUNCTION

MOST IMPORTANT TEUTON VICTORY OF BALKAN WAR!

Serbs Struggle in Vain Against Advance of Teutonic Allies—Full Significance of Victory Realized by War Experts—Nothing But Small Army of Serbs and Allies Remain to Stop March to Constantinople.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—The Austro-Germans made the most important gains in Serbia since the invasion began. They have effected a junction with the Bulgarians in northeast Serbia, thus opening the road to Constantinople.

The official statement is as follows: "Generals Kooress and Gallwitz have driven the Serbians back everywhere. Their attempts to stand against the Germans were failures. The Teutons have taken Dorbin, Neronica, and are in direct communication with the Bulgarians at Ljubicevac.

What has long been dreaded by the allies has come to pass—the junction of the Bulgarians and the Teutons, thus opening the road to Constantinople. The full significance of this report is not immediately evident until it is realized that nothing remains to stop the onward drive of the Teutons and Bulgarians to Constantinople except the pitiful resistance of the Serbs and the few allied troops that have reached the scene of warfare. Once the Teutonic forces reach Constantinople, a broad belt will have been stretched across Europe to Asia in Teutonic hands.

What the allies will do to checkmate this movement is now the question before the eyes of the world. Italy will send her armies—thousands of Russians and French and English are on the way. But quick and tremendous work is necessary, according to all war experts, if a drive to Turkey is accomplished that will checkmate the Teuton movement.

And what makes this Teuton doubly disastrous to England is the fact that her own Egypt is menaced by the Germans.

CARRANZISTAS IN U.S. PROBABILITY

PLAN TO CONDUCT FROM SEVEN TO TEN THOUSAND MEXICANS THROUGH UNITED STATES. WOULD PREVENT RAISING

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—Officials are expediting the transfer of from 7,000 to 10,000 Carranzistas through the United States territory. This will prevent possible fighting with raiders, and relieve the Douglas situation.

United Press Service

COLUMBUS, N. M., Oct. 27.—It is reported that Benjamin Thomas, an American Hermit, visited the efforts of the Villistas to burn the residence of Colonel Du Bois, near Agua Prieta, and was murdered by them.

Chief Figures in Cabinet Crisis



From top to bottom—Premier Asquith, A. Bonar Law, Sir Edward Carson.

When Sir Edward Carson, attorney general in the British cabinet, resigned after he had seen King George, and when A. Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, but a member of the coalition cabinet, was called by the king, there immediately followed reports of a cabinet crisis which might compel a general election in Great Britain. Premier Asquith was taken sick, and that is said to have delayed the dissolution of the cabinet.

REQUESTS NIGHT STUDENTS ENROLL

PRINCIPAL BOWMAN WISHES THOSE WHO INTEND TO ATTEND NIGHT SCHOOL TO REGISTER NOW

Principal Bowman of the high school urges that everyone who wishes to take work in the Klamath County night school, which starts Monday night, to register at once. While students may register any time up to the first session, Monday night, it is desirable that students sign up now, so that the work can be better arranged.

The school will last about ten weeks, and will offer opportunity for training to those who are past high school age, who work during the day, or for any reason can't attend day sessions. Bookkeeping, typewriting, etc., will be taught. "Anyone wishing additional information in regard to the night school may secure it by communicating with Principal Bowman of the high school.

REPARATION FOR DEATH OF WOMAN TO BE EXACTED

GERMANY MUST PAY FOR MALTREATMENT OF PRISONERS

Such is Official's Statement in London. Ambassador Will Use Good Offices in Attempt to Save Lives of Thirty-Two Condemned to Die at Brussels for Aiding Belgians to Escape. Whitlock Said British Lied.

United Press Service

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Due reparation will be exacted from the Germans, regardless of how highly responsible they are, for the maltreatment of war prisoners. In regard to this matter, Under Foreign Secretary Cecil said, "this applies with double force in view of the savage murder under legal form of that noble woman."

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—It is announced that Ambassador Gerard of Berlin has been directed to use his good influences in behalf of thirty-two persons court martialed at Liege, on the charge of aiding Belgians to escape from the country.

A Belgian minister here appealed for aid to the administration.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—Inspired by a statement from government sources, Consul Whitlock stated that the British publications regarding the Cavell case were untrue, as far as he was concerned. Foreign Minister Grey of England said that the authorities did not keep their promise to inform Whitlock regarding the trials of the women. Whitlock said the promise was never made.

FIRST STEP FOR FACTORIES TAKEN

COMMERCIAL CLUB BUYS DIRECTORY OF ALL MANUFACTURERS IN UNITED STATES—WILL COMMUNICATE WITH LEADERS

The Commercial Club has bought a directory of every manufacturer and his wares in the United States as the first step in the campaign to secure a half-billion monthly payroll for Klamath Falls. This book will be studied carefully, and the factory owners who might be interested in establishing factories or branch factories here will be communicated with.

At last night's smoker the campaign for the payroll was one of the principal topics of conversation in the latter part of the evening. All the business men seem to be behind such a campaign, and all agree that opportunities for manufacturers in this section are unexplored.

The directory is open to anyone who wishes to investigate the standing, name or location of any manufacturer or manufacturing corporation.

Successful Trip.

E. T. Shepherd, the music dealer, has recently returned from his summer campaign in Eastern Oregon, and from the amount of business enjoyed by Mr. Shepherd, suffice it to say, that times are surely prosperous over there, he having sold as many as forty-one Grafonolas in one valley.

COMMERCE CLUB SMOKE-UP PARTY SCORES SUCCESS

FIFTY GOOD FELLOWS GET TOGETHER FOR JINKS

Good Smokes, Lunch and Talks Add to Success of Evening—Dr. Johnson Talks of Railway and Roland Glaisyer on Work Among Farmers. Superintendent Churchill Most Distinguished Guest.

Good fellows got together at last night's smoker—fifty of them, and the event will stand out as one of the most successful affairs in Commercial Club history. Not only did these fifty enjoy the benefits of an evening of good fellowship, supplemented by good smokes and talks, but the entire community and county cannot help but be benefitted by some of the ideas suggested and plans made.

The men assembled at 8 o'clock, and in a little while every chair was full. Smokes—good ones—were passed around, and after everyone had lighted up that cared to, the entertainment began. Fred Fleet, Commercial Club secretary, presided at the informal discussion that followed.

First Dr. Johnson was called upon for a talk, and he discussed the subject that was uppermost in the minds of all present—the railroad news. He said that Klamath county, though it will not be required to bear even a majority of the burden of the building of the railway, enough work will be required of local people to give them an interest in the road. He said that co-operation—the same force that has accomplished the planning of the railway, will be necessary to secure the railroad. His talk was optimistic to the last degree.

H. Roland Glaisyer, county agriculturist, was called upon to describe his work in this county. He gave a short talk, outlining his experiments to make "two blades of grass grow where one had grown before." He said that Klamath county had wonderful agricultural resources, and that the farmers are beginning to realize that only through scientific farming can they get the best results.

Principal Bowman of the high school was called upon next, and responded with an enthusiastic talk of Klamath prospects. Incidentally he suggested several ideas concerning the best way to advertise this section in the East, which, as was afterward agreed by all present, were both practical and of real value to the club.

Rev. Charles T. Hurd responded with a short talk when his name was called. He discussed the value of such informal meetings as was being held, and a steady flow of anecdotes with which he emphasized his point did much to enliven the evening.

The most distinguished guest was the state superintendent of public instruction, Mr. Churchill, who was on his way to Lakeview. He described in his talk what the state-wide view of Klamath was, and said that it was the town where five railway lines were to merge. He also told the business men a few things they didn't know about schools—how Oregon's school system ranked among the best in the United States. He congratulated Klamath county on the interest its people had always taken in schools here, and said that this county was among the most progressive in the entire state as far as school system was concerned.

After the talks the meeting was thrown open to social conversation. A brand line was formed, and sandwiches, coffee cake and coffee were served in enormous quantities. The party broke up about 10:30.

Chief Witness Against New Haven Directors

Charles E. Meilen, who was president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company during the time it violated the Sherman act, as charged by the attorney general of the United States in the trial of \$268,000,000 worth of millionaire directors now going on in New York, on the stand as a government witness.



Charles E. Meilen, former president of railroad, testifies against directors.

GREEN FREED IN JUSTICE COURT

LACK OF EVIDENCE CAUSES CASE AGAINST M. F. GREEN ON COMPLAINT OF INDIAN TO BE DISMISSED

The case of M. F. Green was dismissed in the justice's court today through lack of evidence. Green was charged with having obtained money on false pretense on a complaint filed by Ross Biels, an Indian.

Green transferred the Belmont livery stable to Biels, according to his story, telling him that one month's advance rent had been paid. Later Biels found out that two months back rent were still due.

In the trial Biels could produce no receipts or evidence to prove that he had ever given any money to Green.

WANTS AID TO FIGHT AUSTRIA

MONTENEGRO KING TELEGRAPHS NON-IN-LAW, KING OF AUSTRIA FOR HELP AGAINST AUSTRIA. POPE WOULD SAVE CHURCHES

United Press Service

ROME, Oct. 27.—It has been learned that King Nicholas of Montenegro has telegraphed to his son-in-law, the king of Italy, begging help against the Austrians.

United Press Service

ROME, Oct. 27.—It is reported that the pope has asked the Patriarch at Venice to furnish him the details of the Austrian air raids, intending to protest against the destruction of the churches.

OFFICIALS FEAR INTERNATIONAL ISSUES LIKELY

WILL TRY PLOTTERS BEFORE DISPUTED AGENCIES

Presentations May Be Necessary to Germany Over Plans to Dynamite Munition Plants and Steamships. Other Arrests Made—Grand Jury to Proceed at Once—Preliminary Hearings Take Place.

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—The grand jury must proceed in New York against Fay Schelle, charged with plotting to destroy steamships and munition plants, before international developments occur, officials say. Gregory is investigating. His report will be the basis for representations to Germany, if they are necessary.

United Press Service

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Max Erlington, the fifth man charged with complicity in the plot to dynamite munition plants and steamships, and the German case, appeared in the federal building, and was given a preliminary hearing before Commissioner Noughton. He was held on \$25,000 bail, which was furnished. He will be tried November 4th.

John Stanchfield, Erlington's attorney, and William Park, of Stanchfield's office, accompanied Erlington to the federal building. Assistant District Attorney John Knox will conduct the federal grand jury investigation.

GREAT SHORTAGE IN FREIGHT CARS

PRODUCTS OF THIS COUNTY DELAYED INDEFINITELY ON ACCOUNT OF LACK OF TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

Many people have been and are still laboring under the impression that times are hard, when according to statistics the whole United States has fairly overdone itself, Klamath county included, in the production of bounteous crops. The shortage is verified by the fact that the industries of this section are suffering considerably, due to the want of cars for the placing of their products.

Large lumber manufacturers of this county have had a standing order with the railroad company for empty cars, aside from the number of subsidiary plants and other shippers, who are constantly demanding cars.

Klamath county may not be on the main line, nevertheless it is to be remembered that this section of the state contains some of the very richest and strongest resources. If it is tonnage, which it surely is, that the railroad companies are making it is only a matter of a short time that this city will rank not as a "backwater," but as a "headwater."

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