

Austrians Retire Before Russian Advance

BOMB EXPLODED IN PARADE FOR PREPAREDNESS

FOUR KILLED AND FIFTEEN ARE INJURED

Anonymous Letters Had Been Sent to the Newspapers, Threatening Direct Action, But Were Ignored—Windows Shattered for Blocks by the Explosion—The Bomb Thrower Escapes in the Crowd.

United Press Service

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—The total reward offered for the capture of the man who threw the bomb into the preparedness parade now reaches \$7,000. The Oakland police report locating a man seen sitting on a suitcase supposedly containing the bomb shortly before the explosion.

Mayor Rolph indicated that all agitators will be driven from the city. Prosecutor Fickert believes that a nation wide organization perpetrated the outrage.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Four persons were killed and fifteen injured late Saturday afternoon when a bomb in a suit case exploded among the persons marching in the preparedness parade and the spectators. The paraders were thrown into a panic. Two of the dead have been identified as H. H. Winner and William Turnbull.

A hundred nurses marching in the parade at once withdrew and rushed to the scene of the explosion to give aid.

Anonymous letters were sent to the newspapers recently threatening "direct action" against the parade, but they were not considered seriously.

The man who threw the bomb into the parade escaped.

Windows for blocks around were shattered. The explosion stopped the parade at Market and Stewart streets, and order was not restored for half an hour.

United Press Service

CHICAGO, July 24.—Chief of Police Healy has ordered strict surveillance by a special "anarchy squad" of all anarchists in Chicago and all persons attending public meetings. He believes in this way he may pick up clues on the San Francisco tragedy.

LOGGER KILLED LAST WEEK TO BE BURIED IN BANDON

The body of F. A. Henry, who was killed near Algona last week when he was struck with a jim pole while loading logs, will be shipped to Bandon, Oregon, for burial. Two brothers of the deceased arrived today and a brother of Mrs. Henry is expected tomorrow. Until then no funeral arrangements will be made.

Urgent Operation.

Mrs. Horace M. Manning underwent an operation this morning for intestinal trouble. Dr. G. E. Merryman operated, assisted by Dr. R. E. Hamilton.

450,000,000 Pounds is Asked to Further War

United Press Service

LONDON, July 24.—Premier Asquith introduced in the house of commons today a credit bill for 450,000,000 pounds. This is the largest amount asked in a single bill during the war and brings

Here is Boss of Woman's Party



MISS ANNE MARTIN

Miss Anne Martin of Nevada is chairman of the campaign committee of the national woman's party, and she will manage her campaign in twelve suffrage states. "There the men managers of the other two parties will have to take the lady into consideration, and be very nice to her."

INJURED WHEN CAR TURNS OVER

"BLONDY" BALLARD SUFFERS TWO FRACTURED RIBS WHEN AUTO LEAVES GRADE ON THE GREEN SPRING MOUNTAIN

Two broken ribs were sustained by "Blondy" Ballard Sunday morning when the automobile in which he was going to the ball game at Medford turned over on Green Spring mountain, according to word received here yesterday. The car was turning on a grade when a front wheel hit a rock and caused the car to turn over.

Except for Ballard's broken ribs, only minor injuries were sustained by those in the car. A wheel was broken and the fender smashed.

Ballard is employed by Hank Free to assist at the public dances at the pavilion. He will arrive on the train this evening from Medford, where he was taken after the accident.

Visiting From St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Powell and two children of St. Louis are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peyton. Mr. Powell is a brother of Mrs. Peyton. Mr. and Mrs. Powell intend to locate in Klamath county.

INDIAN PENSION BILL ALMOST BILL

AMENDMENT BY SENATOR SMOOT IS DISLIKED BY THE HOUSE, BUT CONFERENCE MAY BRING COMPROMISE

The Indian war pension bill, with the thirty days service provision has passed both houses of congress, and is now in conference, according to a letter received this morning from John E. Raker, congressman from Northern California. The conferees of the two houses are agreed on all the amendments except one proposed by Senator Smoot of Idaho. This amendment reads:

"Provided, That when there is no record of service or payment for same in the war department or treasury department, the applicant may establish the service by satisfactory evidence from the muster rolls on file in the several state or territorial archives; and provided further, that the want of a certificate of discharge shall not deprive any applicant of the benefits of this act."

This amendment is proposed because of the Indian war veterans enlisted during emergencies, and when these were passed left their companies for peaceful pursuits without getting a certificate of discharge. Senator Smoot seeks to allow the muster files be evidence of service.

Congressman Raker's letter explains the status of the Indian war pension bill. It follows:

"I have yours of recent date and note what you say in regard to the Indian war pension bill. As you have been advised, it has passed both houses, and is now in conference. The conferees have agreed upon all the amendments except the last one, No. 9. The conferees of the house have agreed upon the thirty day proposition. I am advised that the house will not agree to the senate amendment No. 9. I am sending you a copy of the bill as it passed the senate and is now in conference, so you will understand what No. 9 is.

"If you or any of your friends have any influence with Senator Smoot write him. The Western members are doing all they can to have the conferees agree. This bill ought to pass, and ought not to be held up, but I am afraid if the senator still insists upon his amendment No. 9, the house conferees will never agree. I saw the other two senate conferees this morning, and they are willing to agree, but it practically requires unanimous vote before the matter can be disposed of. We will leave nothing undone to get this conference report out if it can be done."

ROUND TRIP TO FRISCO IS \$17.75

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY MAKES SPECIAL OFFER FOR EACH WEEK UNTIL THE END OF SEPTEMBER

Still another accommodation has been offered by the Southern Pacific company to increase travel in and out of Klamath Falls. The latest act of the company is the offering of a special round trip rate between Klamath Falls and San Francisco of \$17.75, a reduction of about \$9 from the regular round trip fare.

According to Agent Brown, this offer will be good every Friday and Saturday, beginning this week, and will continue until September 30. Round trip tickets between Klamath Falls and San Francisco sold under this offer will be good for fifteen days.

America's Hoosier Poet Dies From Heat Attack



United Press Service

INDIANAPOLIS, July 24.—James Whitcomb Riley, the "Hoosier Poet," died Saturday night at his home here as a result of a heat attack suffered that day.

James Whitcomb Riley was born in Greenfield, Ind., in 1849. After receiving a public school education, he became a sign painter, and when he deemed himself suitably proficient in art, turned strolling player, and composed songs and remodeled plays for the company of which he was a member. Still later he was an editorial writer on the staff of the Indianapolis Journal.

He began to contribute poems to Indiana papers in 1873. His verses in the Indiana dialect won him instant success, and the sobriquet of "The Hoosier Poet," by which he was generally known. This work is quite unique in American literature. Riley was not, however, limited to this, but wrote with melody and imagination in literary English.

His poem "Leonie," written by him in imitation of Poe, proved one of the most successful of literary hoaxes. He found a wide public, and at the beginning of the twentieth century was among the most familiarly known literateurs of the United States. His earlier verse and his first book, "The Old Swimmin' Hole," appeared over the signature of "Benjamin F. Johnson of Boone."

United Press Service

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Chief of Police White announced this afternoon that the police had been searching for weeks for the persons who sent threats to the newspapers and to preparedness paraders. He says he believes the culprit did not intend to explode the bomb on the sidewalk, but that shortness of time, or fear, caused him to leave it there.

It was nothing more nor less than a case of too much class for Medford. Klamath used too good headwork, hit better, held cleaner. The score of 7 to 0 is a pretty good indication of the kind of a game it was. Never were the Klamath rooters downhearted, and throughout most of the battle Klamath was a good bet at odds-on.

Shorty Miles, captain of the Medford team, was a great big part of the show. He of the eyes at which one takes a second look, he of the fuz covered pate and the enlarged waistline, added to the attraction four errors, and could

AEROPLANES ACTIVE IN FIGHTING IN WEST

HAND TO HAND FIGHTING NEAR GUILLEMONT

Patrol Boats and Destroyers Battle in the North Sea—Germans Deny Any British Successes Around Pozieres and Say French Attacks Have Been Repulsed—Haig Reports "British Advantages."

United Press Service

LONDON, July 24.—The admiralty announces that British patrol boats defeated six German destroyers off the Belgian coast in a battle that began at midnight Saturday. The German ships were hit repeatedly, and one British boat was struck, ten men being wounded.

Advises from The Hague say that two German destroyers are returning to Zeebrugge base badly listing.

United Press Service

PARIS, July 24.—Both German and French aviators are extraordinarily active today. German aircraft are raiding Luneville and French airmen are dropping bombs on Conflans. Two of the German aeroplanes were brought down.

North of Aisne the French have cleared one trench.

Bad weather is halting operations on the Somme.

In the last ten days 800 Germans have been captured along the Meuse.

United Press Service

LONDON, July 24.—General Haig reports that this afternoon "fighting continues, with British advantages." The British have captured portions of Pozieres, despite a most stubborn resistance.

Tonight the whole front is comparatively calm.

United Press Service

PARIS, July 24.—The Germans have captured Antone Marchal, fifty miles from the Russian lines, according to a French aviator who has returned from a flight over Berlin and the east front. In making the flight he traveled more than 1,200 miles.

United Press Service

LONDON, July 24.—Latest dispatches report that hand to hand fighting is going on around Guillemont, with the Germans holding half the town.

United Press Service

BERLIN, July 24.—It is announced that the British have failed to obtain a decisive foot hold in the Pozieres sector. The British have lost heavily.

Brandenburg forces have captured enemy trenches southwest of Guillemont. French attacks of Seyecourt and Avermandovillers have failed. On the right bank of the Meuse the French are fighting with artillery.

Blacklisting is Getting on President's Nerves

United Press Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24.—President Wilson told callers today that the British blacklisting of American business firms was "getting on his nerves." He said he was undecided how to handle the situation.

England says the blacklisting gives

Russian attacks northwest of Berestzko have been repulsed. It is announced that the German destroyers were unharmed in the engagement off the Thames.

BERLIN, July 24.—Vienna announces that the Austrians have retired south of Taratov before a strong Russian advance.

The Italians have been repulsed south of Valsugana Paneveggio.

HERALD TO HAVE BIG NEW PRESS

PUBLISHER W. O. SMITH IS IN SAN FRANCISCO TO GET THE BEST SMALL NEWSPAPER PRESS OBTAINABLE

To buy a new press on which to print the Evening Herald, W. O. Smith left yesterday morning for San Francisco, and will be gone several days. He will study the various kinds of newspaper presses and purchase a new one before returning.

Several times during the last week the old press on which the Herald is now printed has broken down, causing much delay in the time of the patrons receiving their paper. It is to avoid repetition of such as that the new press is to be bought.

Through the kindness of Catherine Prehm, published of the Merrill Record, the Herald is being printed this week on the Record press.

VISITED OREGON REBEKAH LODGES

LOCAL OFFICIAL OF REBEKAHS WILL BE ENTERTAINED WEDNESDAY EVENING AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL

After a two months' official visit to Rebekah lodges in Oregon, Mrs. Robert E. Wattenburg returned home last night. Mrs. Wattenburg is president of the Rebekah Grand Assembly of Oregon.

While on her official trip, Mrs. Wattenburg visited every Rebekah lodge in Washington, Tillamook, Polk, Yamhill, Benton, Lincoln and Coos counties and several lodges in other counties.

Next Wednesday evening the local Rebekah Lodge will be hosted by Mrs. Wattenburg in the Odd Fellows' hall. All Odd Fellows and their wives and all Rebekahs and their husbands are invited.