

Vultures and Jackals Are Devouring Dead in Balkans

Germans Want to Learn Secrets of Motor Tank

THE DUBRUDJA BATTLE FAVORS NEITHER SIDE

Berlin Says Gateway Into Rumania From the Northwest Is In German Hands—French Advance Toward Hill Close to Monastir—Rain Halts Activity Along the Somme, Although London Claims Advances.

United Press Service

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Determined to discover the secret of the new British machine "tank," the Germans are making a fierce fight today against the British forces for the possession of an overturned "tank" northwest of Combes.

The armed motor truck, constructed to resemble a huge tank, was overturned yesterday, and now lies midway between the lines of the Germans and British.

South of Acre the British have made considerable advance.

A Salonika dispatch says jackals and vultures are devouring the Bulgarian and Serbian dead and wounded. Advancing forces in Greece and Serbia are finding only skeletons shortly after a battle.

United Press Service

PETROGRAD, Sept. 21.—The Russians have captured positions east of Putherm, taking 500 prisoners and capturing many guns.

United Press Service

PARIS, Sept. 21.—The French forces of the allied left wing in the Balkan fighting today advanced toward Hill No. 1,550, which is southwest of Monastir a short distance.

The Bulgarians are throwing desperate counters at the Serbian advances.

In the western fighting the French have captured two trenches south of Thiaumont. Because of rain there is little activity today along the Somme.

United Press Service

BERLIN, Sept. 21.—The Austro-German troops attacking Rumania from the northwest have occupied positions on both sides of Vulcan Pass, the Rumanian gateway, just south of Petrovny.

The Rumanians in Transylvania have been forced to retreat ten miles.

Serbian attacks in northern Macedonia and around Kumanichian have been repulsed.

The Dubrudja battle remains a deadlock, neither side having gained

Klamath Bank Deposits Show Healthy Increase

That the people of Klamath county are enjoying prosperity is told in the assets and deposits of the Klamath county banks. It is the increase in the last three years, rather than the amount of deposits, that shows the real trend of affairs in Klamath. In September of 1915 the deposits of the First National bank of Klamath Falls, the First State and Savings bank of Klamath Falls and the First National bank of Merrill amounted to \$641,000. Last Monday the combined deposits of these banks reached

CARRANZA WILL HELP THE PATROL

TENTATIVE PROGRAM BY COMMISSIONERS PROVIDES THAT AMERICAN FORCE BE WITHDRAWN IF ORDER ASSURED

United Press Service

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 21.—The joint Mexican and American commissioners today completed a tentative program for patrol of the international border.

The program provides that General Pershing's expedition in Mexico not be withdrawn yet, but that Carranza at once co-operate with the United States in patrol of the border.

When it is believed that Carranza has shown ability to preserve order within Mexico, the force of General Pershing is to be withdrawn.

The tentative program will be submitted to the war department for approval, and afterwards will go to the Mexican and American governments.

POLICE HALT KIDNAP PLAN

BLACKMAIL RING TRIES TO KIDNAP AND MURDER MEMBER OF THE GANG WHO HAS TURNED STATE'S EVIDENCE

United Press Service

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—The police today frustrated a plan to kidnap and murder Frank Crocker, a member of the nation wide blackmail ring on trial here, whose confessions are furnishing the evidence for the arrest of the other members of the ring.

Scores of victims from many parts of the United States are reporting cases and much additional evidence is being secured.

an advantage in the last twenty-four hours. Allied counters on Florida have been turned back.

United Press Service

BUCHAREST, Sept. 21.—Repulsing Teuton attacks, the Rumanians are now attacking along the entire Dubrudja front.

a total of \$1,510,017, or an increase of two and one-half times. The Bank of Bonanza also shows a healthy increase in deposits, although the exact figures are not available. The assets of the two Klamath Falls banks and the Merrill institution last Monday amounted to \$2,264,000. Those of the First National bank of Klamath Falls alone reached \$1,351,000. This institution is capitalized at \$100,000. The First State and Savings bank at \$50,000, and the Merrill bank at \$25,000.

WOMEN CAUSE FRICTION IS CHARGE MADE

BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE TELLS UNITED PRESS

Allege That Women Cause Circulation of False Reports About British Censorship of News—Denial Is Made of Charge That Pension Money for Civil War Soldiers Is Held Up by England's Censors.

United Press Service

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The British foreign office told the United Press today that women propagandists are trying to cause ill feeling between England and the United States by circulating false charges concerning British censorship.

The foreign office charges that the women are distorting news and circulating charges about British censorship of news to serve Germany.

The office denies reports by the women that pension money to Grand Army of the Republic veterans in Europe has been seized by the censors.

STATE WITNESS PAID BY POLICE

SWEARS THIS ON WITNESS STAND THIS MORNING—ARGUMENTS BEING HEARD TODAY, AND CASE WILL REACH JURY SOON

United Press Service

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—The case of the prosecution in the trial of Warren Billings, charged with murder when a bomb exploded during the preparedness parade, suffered a severe setback today when John McDonald, star witness for the state, said he was being paid by the police for his testimony.

The state submitted rebuttal testimony this morning, disputing the alibi of defendant, who swore he was not near the scene of the explosion during the parade.

Both sides rested at noon, and arguments began at 1 o'clock. District Attorney Fickert opened for the state. The case will go to the jury about noon tomorrow.

Both sides are confident, and a quick verdict is expected.

CONSCRIPTION TO BE VOTED ON

PEOPLE OF AUSTRALIA WILL DECIDE IF SOLDIERS SHALL BE RECRUITED BY CONSCRIPTION

United Press Service

MELBOURNE, Australia, Sept. 21.—Conscription of soldiers from Australia will be submitted to the voters. This was decided this morning when the house of representatives passed a measure providing a special election for the purpose.

The measure providing conscription is expected to carry because wives and mothers of men now at the front will support it.

After His Visit to Plattsburg Camp



CHARLES EVANS HUGHES. GEN. LEONARD WOOD

Charles E. Hughes, republican candidate for the presidency, visited the Plattsburg, N. Y., camp the other day, and saw several hundred men in training. This photograph shows him with General Wood, chief sponsor for the camp, after the candidate made his inspection.

DISCRIMINATION IS CHARGE OF MCGOWAN

TESTIFIES BEFORE COMMISSION ON CAR SHORTAGE

Manager of Ewauna Box Company Says Shook Combination Gets Sufficient Cars, While His Concern Gets Far Less Than Number Required—Sproule Charges Delay in Loading Cars; Schallock Denies It

(Herald Special Service)

PORTLAND, Sept. 21.—Testifying before the State Public Service Commission, which is making an exhaustive investigation of the car shortage on the Southern Pacific company's lines in Oregon, Charles McGowan, manager of Ewauna Box company of Klamath Falls, said his company was suffering great loss each day from lack of sufficient cars to move away its products.

Mr. McGowan's testimony showed that the California Pine Box company, an association of about 75 per cent of the box shook companies of California and Oregon, got all the cars it wanted for handling its shook. The Ewauna Box company is an independent concern, and not a member of the association.

"This enables the California Pine Box Shook company to make deliveries to customers when we cannot," said Mr. McGowan. "Another Klamath plant, half the size of the Ewauna Box company in output, gets as many cars as we do."

President William Sproule of the Southern Pacific, who is appearing before the commission, with John M. Scott, passenger traffic manager, promised relief. He said the traffic department of the Southern Pacific is arranging for an interchange of traffic with the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroads to help the car shortage situation.

He added that shippers are helping to cause a car shortage in Oregon by delay in loading cars.

"This statement by President Sproule is absolutely untrue as far as the Ewauna Box company is concerned," said Fred Schallock of the company this morning, when shown President Sproule's statement before the

commission. "The records of the railroad company will show that we load our cars the same day we receive them. President Sproule must have been referring to the general condition, and not particularly to us." Mr. McGowan left Tuesday to attend the investigations of the commission.

WILL TELL HOW TO MAKE EATS

TALK ON FRUIT CANNING AND MAKING PRESERVES AND JELLIES AT DEPARTMENT MEETING TOMORROW

Tested and approved recipes will be read tomorrow afternoon, when the home economics department of the Women's Library Club meets. The meeting will be at 2:30 o'clock in the library club rooms. Miss Clara Elmer, instructor in home economics in the Klamath Falls grammar schools, will give a talk on fruit canning and on the making of preserves and jellies.

All members of the club are requested to bring to the meeting at least one good recipe.

Mrs. E. C. Kimball is leader of the home economics department of the library club, and invites all friends of the club to attend the meeting tomorrow.

NEW APARTMENTS TO OPEN NEXT MONTH

The second story of the Jacobs building at Third and Main street has been leased to Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hoyt of Aden, Calif., and will be converted into an up-to-date transient rooming house. The apartments will be thoroughly renovated and replumbed, and will be open for business about October 15th.

Here for Supplies. Martin Pernoll, a farmer of the valley south of town, bought supplies of local merchants today.

500,000 MEN TO QUIT TOMORROW

HUERTA POLICY OF WILSON WAS WEAK SAYS TAFT

SAYS HE WOULD HAVE RECOGNIZED HUERTA

Hughes Scheduled to Make Thirty-two Speeches in Indiana Alone. President Wilson Will Fire Opening Gun in Counter against G. O. P. Standard Bearer Next Monday at Baltimore.

United Press Service

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—In the "Yale Review," which came off press today, ex-President William H. Taft writes that he would have recognized the Huerta government of Mexico, but didn't, because Woodrow Wilson was to be inaugurated only eleven days afterward.

In his article Taft characterizes Wilson's policy toward Huerta as "amateur diplomacy."

He calls the Luskian policy "weak and vacillating."

United Press Service

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 21.—The campaign of Charles E. Hughes in Indiana includes twelve speeches today, thirteen tomorrow and seven Saturday. He is attacking the democratic tariff record.

United Press Service

ASHBURY PARK, Sept. 21.—President Wilson is busy preparing the speech he will deliver in Baltimore next Monday. It is believed this will be the opening of the democratic counter attacks on Hughes.

BUSINESS MEN TO HOLD BANQUETS

The first of a series of social banquets contemplated for the winter by the Klamath Falls Business Men's Association was held last night at the White Pelican hotel.

About thirty-five of the forty-five members of the association were out last night. Short talks were made by most of the members.

Charles I. Roberts was chairman of the evening.

TRUSTY ESCAPES FROM OREGON PENITENTIARY

(Herald Special Service) SALEM, Sept. 21.—Joseph Guoyn, a trustee, escaped from the penitentiary this morning after starting to cook breakfast at the warden's residence.

Over Thousand Beef to be Shipped This Week

Large shipments of beef cattle for California markets are being brought to Klamath Falls this week from outlying sections of Klamath and Lake counties. These cattle will be shipped from Midland and Klamath Falls, but some of them will be held a few days on good pasture before being shipped.

Edson Foulke of Gazelle is on his way with about 600 head of choice beef, which he bought from Charles Drew of Yonka Valley and James Small and Mr. Kittridge of the Silver Lake country.

RIOTING GROWS MORE VIOLENT AS HOUR APPROACHES

Special Police Squads Collide With Strikers—Committee of Citizens Is Trying to Aagin Persuade Carmen to Postpone Walkout, Pending Further Negotiations—All Street Cars May Be Tied Up.

United Press Service

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—With tomorrow as the date for the general sympathetic strike to aid the striking carmen, 500,000 union employes of the street railways have not changed their position, despite the efforts of Mayor Mitchell and the public service commission to avert a strike.

The strikers say a walkout tomorrow noon is certain unless the railway companies yield to the employes' demands.

Rioting is becoming more violent. Many pitched battles between the strikers and the special police squad formed to quell the trouble have taken place in the last twenty-four hours.

The citizens' committee is exerting every effort today to secure another postponement of the general walkout.

If the strike is called tomorrow practically all street cars in New York will be tied up, and much trouble may result between the strikers and strike breakers.

MOB TAKES LAW IN OWN HANDS

BECAUSE KANSAS DOES NOT PROVIDE DEATH PENALTY, ARMED MEN LYNCH MURDERER AFTER CONVICTION

United Press Service

OLATHE, Kans., Sept. 21.—Breaking the jail door after the sheriff's wife had fled with the keys when a mob threatened her husband, fifty armed citizens of Olathe this morning repelled the guards around the jail and secured Bert Dudley, convicted of murdering Henry Muller and wife.

The mob then led Dudley to the depot, and there lynched him before a large crowd.

The mob said its action was due to the fact that the Kansas law does not provide for capital punishment.

TOPEKA, Kans., Sept. 21.—Governor Capper is expected this afternoon to order an investigation of the Olathe lynching. Conviction of any member of the lynching party carries a sentence of from five years to life imprisonment.