

# 15,000 RUMANIANS ARE SLAUGHTERED ENVELOPED AND ARE CUTOFF FROM ANY ESCAPE

## IS SEVEREST DEFEAT SINCE ANNIHILATION AT TUFRAKAN

### SEVERAL VILLAGES TAKEN BEFORE DEFEAT COMES

Escape for Entrapped Invaders Made Impossible by Destruction of Pontoons and Bombardment of Transports—Paris Claims Allies Are Having Success in Other Parts of Balkan Fighting.

**United Press Service**  
SOFIA, Oct. 5.—The Bulgarians today enveloped and annihilated 15,000 Rumanians, who were invading Bulgaria, inflicting the greatest loss and defeat of the Balkan fighting since the annihilation of a large force at Tufrakan.

Destruction of the pontoons across the river and bombardment of the transports allowed only a few of the Rumanians to escape across the Danube River.

All attacks by the Russians and Rumanians on Dobrudja have been repulsed.

The Rumanians occupied several villages of Bulgaria before the Bulgarians attacked them today.

**United Press Service**  
PARIS, Oct. 5.—The allies are nearing Monastir, and have occupied Bel. Elsewhere in the Balkans they have progressed only slightly. Rain is hindering the offensive along the Somme River.

Nine canon were captured at daybreak this morning by the French at Morval.

### GOETHALS TO HELP INVESTIGATE BILL

**United Press Service**  
OMAHA, Oct. 5.—President Wilson will ask Colonel Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, Interstate Commerce Commissioner Clarke and George Rubles, federal trade commissioner, to serve as members of the committee to investigate the operation of the Adamson eight hour bill for railroads.

### Other Militiamen Called

**United Press Service**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 5.—All department commanders today were ordered to send all remaining militiamen from the various states to the Mexican border. This order does not affect militiamen recently returned from the border.

## THOMPSON HERE ON SHORT VISIT

SENATOR THOMPSON OF LAKEVIEW, CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION, PREPARING FOR CAMPAIGN SOON

Hon. W. Lair Thompson, state senator and President of the senate at the last session, is in Klamath Falls on his return from Salem, where he argued a case before the supreme court.

Mr. Thompson will return to Lake county tomorrow, where he is to attend a meeting of the Stockmen's Association at Paisley. He will be back in Klamath county the latter part of the month, and expects to make a campaign throughout the county. The republican county central committee has been trying to secure Senator Thompson as one of the speakers in the national campaign, as he is recognized as one of the best public speakers in the state. He may consent to make a few speeches through the county on his visit here the latter part of the month.

## ROLL CALL WILL BE HELD TONIGHT

ALL ELKS ARE URGED TO BE ON HAND THIS EVENING AT OPENING OF THE WINTER SESSION OF THE LODGE

The annual roll call and opening of the winter session of the Elks Lodge will be held tonight in the lodge hall at Third and Main streets.

Several features in entertainment are promised for the members, the most important of which will be a boxing exhibition between two local boys.

All Elks are urged to be present at the roll call tonight.

## KILLED AS HE STARTS ENGINE FOR THRESHING

DEATH COMES ALMOST INSTANTLY TO W. D. JONES

Was Engineer of Threshing Engine, and Was Starting Up This Morning When Clothing Caught in Wheel and Threw Him Against Wheel, Crushing Head—Had Been Here Eighteen Months.

W. D. Jones was suddenly killed this morning when he was starting a threshing machine engine on the John Spolack place in the Malin district. Mr. Jones was engineer in the threshing crew. The engine was on center, and he put his foot on the big wheel to get her off center. The throttle was open at the time, so when the engine got off center the wheel turned rapidly.

Jones' clothing was caught, and then his hand. He was turned over two or three times, when his head struck the wheel and was crushed. Death came almost instantly.

The deceased came to Klamath county about 18 months ago from Virginia for his health. He had improved greatly, and intended to locate here. For some time he has been living with A. H. Hale, who speaks of him as an estimable man.

Mrs. Jones arrived from Virginia to join her husband only a month ago.

Several of the threshing crew on the Spolack place, which is rented by R. L. Dalton and Burris Brothers, were present when the tragedy occurred. Coroner Whitlock was notified immediately, and rushed to the scene.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

## WORLD'S SERIES DRAW BIG CROWD

ALREADY ALL RESERVED SEATS FOR ALL THREE GAMES IN BOSTON ARE SOLD—30,000 SEEK HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

**United Press Service**  
BOSTON, Oct. 4.—Hotel men here say this year's world series games will bring the biggest outside crowd that ever assembled in Boston to see a ball game.

It is estimated that before Saturday 30,000 will be seeking hotel accommodations.

President Ben Johnson of the American League will arrive tomorrow.

All reserve seats for all three of the local games have already been sold.

## Republican Candidates Meet in Indianapolis



This shows the first meeting of Charles E. Hughes, republican candidate for president, and Charles W. Fairbanks, candidate for vice president. It was taken during Mr. Hughes recent trip to Indianapolis.

## Grand Duke Nicholas is Made Chief in Caucasus

**United Press Service**  
LONDON, Oct. 5.—Stockholm reports that Grand Duke Nicholas has been transferred from the command of the operations in the Caucasus to the position of commander in chief of the Russo-Rumanian forces in the drive into Bulgaria.

The grand duke will be in supreme command of the operations at Dobrudja and along the Danube, and will advise the Slav commanders in Transylvania.

It is generally believed that this means an offensive to crush Bulgaria and isolate Turkey from her allies.

Bucharest reports allied victories at Dobrudja, and says the Serbians have progressed in Macedonia.

In the western fighting, artillery action along the Somme continues. A British raid on Vimy has been successful.

### Fire Takes College

**United Press Service**  
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—Four are dead and as many missing as the result of the burning of the Christian Brothers College today. Ten firemen were injured in fighting the blaze.

### Here From Medford

A. E. Reames and wife of Medford spent last night in Klamath Falls. Mr. Reames is a brother of United States Attorney Clarence Reames.

## WITHDRAWAL WHEN SAFETY IS ASSURED

### GREEK ARRESTED; MUST FACE WHITE SLAVERY CHARGES

TAKEN TO WEED FOR TRIAL THIS MORNING

Gust Kutlupes is charged with abducting Mrs. Mary Shaw of Weed. Transported Her and Child Several Days Ago to This City and Rented House, Where He Kept Her—House Frequented by Other Greeks.

Charged with white slavery, Gust Kutlupes, a Greek, was arrested yesterday by Sheriff C. C. Low and this morning was taken to Weed by Deputy Sheriff McKinney of Siskiyou. Kutlupes is charged with transporting Mrs. Mary Shaw of Weed from Weed to Klamath Falls, which constitutes a violation of the Mann white slave act.

Kutlupes was arrested at Shippington, where he was working for the Klamath Manufacturing company. He brought the woman and her 3-year-old child from Weed several days ago and rented a house in Klamath Falls. Besides himself and the woman, other Greeks lived at the same house.

The warrant from Sheriff Howard of Siskiyou county does not call for the arrest of Mrs. Shaw. She is still in town.

Sheriff Low does not believe Mrs. Shaw is fully endowed mentally. Her actions and talk indicate this, says the sheriff.

### MILK FIGHT BELIEVED ENDED; DAIRYMEN WIN

**United Press Service**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—It is believed that the milk trouble has been ended by the distributors recognizing the dairymen's organization. The former indicated this today.

As a result of the milk shortage for several days the price of meals in restaurants rose.

### THE AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS STATE THEIR POSITION

Carranza Must Show Ability to Protect Property and Lives to Get Removal of General Pershing and His Men—Commissioners Say Other Matters More Important Must Be Disposed of First.

### United Press Service

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 5.—Despite President Carranza's insistence for an early withdrawal of General Pershing's expedition in Mexico, the expedition will not be withdrawn until Mexico is able to assure safety of lives and property there, according to the American members of the joint commission in session here.

The American members say there are many other important matters to settle before withdrawal is considered.

The obligations upon Mexico as a nation are being shown to the Mexican members of the commission at the meeting. It is hoped that American insistence of keeping these obligations will bring Carranza into line.

## FARMERS HOLDING FOR \$2 WHEAT

HIGH PRICE CAUSED BY ARGENTINE CROP SHORTAGE AND DEMAND OF ALLIES FOR CANADIAN AND AUSTRALIAN CROPS

**United Press Service**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Middle West dealers are predicting \$10 a barrel for and \$2 a bushel wheat, owing to the poor crop in Argentina and the allies demand for the Canadian and Australian crops.

Farmers of the Middle West are holding for \$2 a bushel, which is causing flour to jump. The price of other commodities also are climbing.

## Fleet Aiding, Russians Resume Caucasus Attack

**PETROGRAD, Oct. 5.**—Resuming the Caucasus offensive in co-operation with the fleet in the Black Sea, the Russians are advancing on a wide front.

This morning they captured the Turkish fortification at Kalabuhdum.

At several other places they have penetrated the enemy's lines and inflicted heavy losses.

On the Tzauton front several positions also have been captured. East of Vladimir and Volynsk stubborn fighting continues.

### United Press Service

BERLIN, Oct. 5.—It is admitted that the allies have gained north of the Somme, the French taking some trenches between Fregicourt and Baccourt.

After nearing Lesars this morning the British were defeated.

In Transylvania the Rumanian offensive has been halted after the severe defeat by the Bulgarians.



Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholasovitch of Russia

## Hughes Starts on Third Tour; to Make 36 Stops

**United Press Service**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Charles E. Hughes starts on his third stump tour next Monday. On this trip he will make thirty-six stops and will average at each stop from three to five speeches.

The republican candidate on this tour will invade Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Michigan and Ohio.

**United Press Service**  
OMAHA, Oct. 5.—President Wilson makes three speeches here today in behalf of his candidacy. Over 150,000 people are expected to hear the three speeches.

Owing to the gathering of enthusiastic crowds at the stations, Wilson's special train is stopping at every town of any size on the trip west to Omaha.