

## Russians Begin Powerful Drive to Relieve Rumania

### Try to Withdraw Teutons From Dobrudja Fighting

**RUSSO-RUMANIAN TROOPS STILL RETREATING**

**Rumania Admits Loss of Bistritza Heights and Fail to Gain at Lutsk. Allies Resume Offensive in West at Two Places After Lull—Kaiser Narrowly Escapes Death When Train Is Bombed.**

**United Press Service**  
ROME, Oct. 28.—German advisers indicate the beginning of a powerful Russian offensive in Poland and Galicia to relieve Rumania by compelling the Germans to withdraw part of their forces from the Dobrudja front.

**United Press Service**  
LONDON, Oct. 28.—Russia admits the loss of the Bistritza heights to the Germans.

Berlin announces that Russian attacks west of Lutsk have been turned back.

**United Press Service**  
BERLIN, Oct. 28.—General Falkenhayn has captured the important height south of Kronstadt.

The Russian and Rumanian forces today continue their fight from the Dobrudja front.

After a lull, the allies have resumed the Somme offensive, the British attacking between Goudecourt and Leubous and the French northeast of Morval. Both assaults have been repulsed.

**United Press Service**  
SOFIA, Oct. 28.—The Bulgarians have captured Harsova, 25 miles northwest of Cernavoda.

**United Press Service**  
PARIS, Oct. 28.—After a brilliant attack this morning the French captured a quarry northeast of Fort

Douaumont. Artillerying near Fort Douaumont continues.

**United Press Service**  
LONDON, Oct. 28.—Zurich reports that Kaiser Wilhelm narrowly escaped death a few days ago when an aeroplane bombarded the train on which he was riding. The engineer of the train was killed.

"Gypsy" in War Zone

**United Press Service**  
PARIS, Oct. 28.—"Gypsy" Smith, who has evangelized all over the world, will spend the months from November till April in France doing evangelistic work under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. He comes as a representative of the Wesleyan Methodist church.

### BURDICK HERE TO MEET THE VOTERS

**IS NOMINEE ON FOUR TICKETS FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.**

To meet the voters of Klamath county, Denton G. Burdick of Redmond is here for a few days. He arrived last evening from Lakeview and will be here until Monday.

Mr. Burdick has the Republican, Democratic, Progressive and Prohibition nomination for representative from the twenty-third district, which includes Crook, Grant, Jefferson, Lake and Klamath counties. Vernon A. Forbes of Bend has the Republican nomination and Fred W. Hyndman of Klamath Falls has the Democratic and Prohibition nomination. From these three candidates two are to be elected.

Mr. Burdick is accompanied on his visit here by M. A. Lynch of Redmond.

### VILLA CUTS OFF APPROACHES TO TOWN IN MEXICO

**AS MAIN BODY APPROACHES DETACHMENT DOES WORK**

**Santa Rosalia Virtually Isolated Except from the North—American Agents Say Bandit Chief Has 4,000 Men in Several Bands and That Three-Fourths of These Are Very Well Armed.**

**United Press Service**  
EL PASO, Oct. 28.—After cutting at Ortiz the railway to Chihuahua City, Villa's main army is rapidly approaching Santa Rosalia, 80 miles southwest of Chihuahua City.

American army agents who have been investigating for several days say that Villa has nearly 4,000 men in his several bands. Three-fourths of these are well armed since the capture of General Ojuma's supply train a few days ago at Paloma. The troops also have several machine guns.

Communication with Santa Rosalia from the south has been destroyed by Villistas. A detachment of Villistas encircled the town, tore up the railroad tracks and burned the bridges while the main body was approaching from the north.

### WESTERN GAMES TODAY INTEREST

**GILMOUR DOBIE'S TEAM APPEAR TODAY FOR FIRST TIME IN AN INTER-COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL CONTEST.**

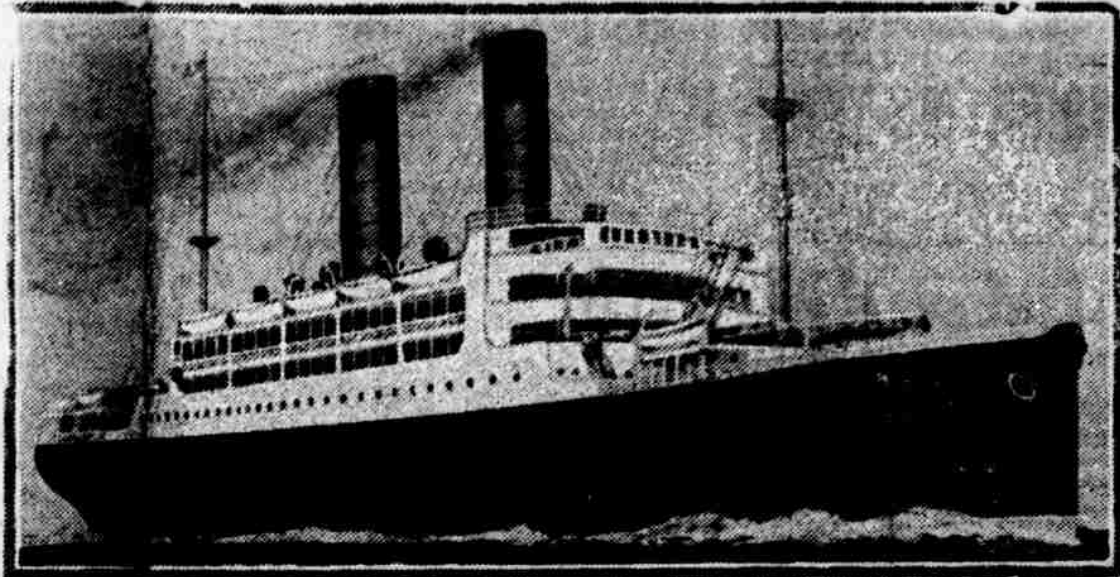
**United Press Service**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—The eyes of football fans all over the coast are today following closely the scores in the football games this afternoon, for today's contest at Seattle marks the first appearance of Dobie's Washingtonians this year, and the result of their first game has a big bearing on the Northwest championship. The game has great significance in California, too, for the big game of the season at Berkeley is a clash between California and Washington. Dobie, since he began coaching, has yet to see a team he coached defeated, and Washington fans feel they have a permanent title to the championship.

With Oregon's eleven stronger than ever this year, Eugene students are hopeful of shattering Dobie's hopes of another undefeated season. They proved their offensive powers by beating California last week playing straight football, and are developing a new defense.

Occidental's team trotted on Berkeley field this afternoon minus its star player, Brandstetter. However, Coach Stanton expects the team to make a mighty tough scrap before the game is over, and a crowd of Occidental rooters are on hand to cheer the "Tigers."

Occidental, however, is up against a harder team than that which beat Whittier and lost to Oregon. Thoroughly chastened by Oregon's walloping, Andy Smith's squad has been working night and day this week, learning defensive as well as offensive methods of tackling. The California varsity team is today by far the strongest it has been this season.

### Cunard Liner Blown up on Trip from the U. S.



The Cunard liner Alauania, which left the United States the day the German U-53 appeared off Nantucket Light and sank six ships, was blown up in the English Channel, Thursday, Oct. 19. She carried a number of American passengers who, however, had been left at Falmouth to go to London by train. The liner was of 13,300 tons, and was one of the secondary fleet of the Cunard Line.

### EAR DRUM HURT BY CONCUSSION

**W. PAUL JOHNSON SUFFERS INJURY TO EAR WHILE HUNTING DUCKS—HEARING WILL NOT BE DESTROYED.**

The drum of the right ear of W. Paul Johnson was injured last evening when a shotgun went off near the ear while Johnson was hunting ducks on Upper Klamath lake. Mr. Johnson had fired two shells, but the third stuck in the gun and when he set the gun down in the boat the shell was fired accidentally.

Johnson was sitting down in the boat and the discharge went straight up and close by his head, which was close to the muzzle of the gun. No shot struck him, but the concussion from the explosion injured the ear drum.

Dr. E. D. Johnson, who was called to attend him, returned at noon today and said hearing will not be lost in the affected ear.

### \$1,978,000 SPENT TO ELECT HUGHES

**CONTRIBUTIONS TO REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN FUND TOTAL OF \$1,667,000, WITH 22,000 CONTRIBUTORS.**

**United Press Service**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Expenditures already made on the campaign to elect Charles E. Hughes to the presidency of the United States total \$1,978,000, according to figures given out today by the national committee.

Contributions to the Republican campaign fund now have reached a total of \$1,667,757. The contributors number 22,000.

### May Cure Paralysis

**United Press Service**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—It was learned today that Dr. William Lucas of the University of California is perfecting a serum from blood recovered from infantile paralysis victims. With this serum he hopes to be able to cure this disease in its early stages.

### Mexican Knew of Plot

**United Press Service**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Mexican Ambassador Arradondo declared today that he had knowledge a fortnight ago of the plot to bring war between Mexico and the United States by bandit attacks on American soil.

### Grain Grower Here

William Tingler, grain raiser of the Miller-Hill district, is in Klamath Falls today to transact business.

### LACK OF ROCK CAUSES A HALT IN ROAD WORK

**SHIPPINGTON ROAD CAN'T BE COMPLETED THIS FALL**

Rock Ledge at Cofer Brothers' Crusher Runs Out and Crusher Must Be Moved to New Ledge. Moving Will Require Three Weeks, When Winter Probably Will Make Further Road Work Impossible.

Because Cofer Brothers cannot furnish the crushed rock, J. H. Garrett, contractor for Shippington road, yesterday was compelled to close down for the winter, although the highway is not yet completed.

Thursday Cofer Brothers found that the immense rock ledge from which they have been taking rock for some time suddenly pinched off into a chalk bank. Yesterday they began moving their chusher to another ledge of rock, but moving will require at least three weeks, by which time bad weather very probably will have set in. For this reason, Mr. Garrett decided to discontinue work now.

About one mile of the Shippington road has been finished with macadam and the remaining three-quarters of a mile has been graded and made ready for the rock. This unfinished stretch will be used for traffic all winter and after the rains will be a good road bed, says Contractor Garrett.

Had he been able to get rock as fast as he needed it, or had he been able to procure it for the next few weeks, Contractor Garrett could have finished the Shippington road this fall. As things are, he will begin work early next spring.

### Mine Foreman Hurt

**United Press Service**  
GRASS VALLEY, Oct. 28.—Thos. Breckenington, foreman of the Golden Center mine, today was caught in a bolt, hurled 40 feet against a wall. His right arm was shattered and an artery severed. Internal injuries also were sustained. Breckenington may die.

### Investigate Car Shortage

**United Press Service**  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The interstate commerce commission today commenced an exhaustive investigation of the car shortage on all railroads. It has asked all carriers to furnish complete information on the conditions on their lines, as regards the supply of freight cars.

### Premier Shot At

**United Press Service**  
MELBOURNE, Aus., Oct. 28.—A man today entered the window of the home of Premier Hughes at Kaw, fired at him, but missed. The would-be assassin escaped.

### G. O. P. TO RALLY AT PINE GROVE

**FOURTH OF SEVERAL MEETINGS IS THERE TONIGHT—KLAMATH FALLS RALLY SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 1.**

The fourth of the Republican rallies being held over Klamath county is scheduled tonight at Pine Grove. The rally will be held in Gray's hall and music furnished by Gray's orchestra. All the Republican candidates and others from Klamath Falls will attend the rally and enjoy the dance afterwards.

Last night a big rally was held at Fort Klamath. Over 400 of the electors of Wood River precinct attended and listened with interest to addresses by Hon. W. Lair Thompson of Lakeview and H. M. Manning of Klamath Falls on the issues of this campaign.

On next Tuesday a rally and Holloven party and dance will be held at Bonanza. Wednesday evening the voters of Klamath Falls will gather at Houston's opera house for the biggest political rally in Klamath county during the present campaign.

### BUSTER BROWN AND TIGE HERE MONDAY

The real genuine Buster Brown and his dog Tige, direct from St. Louis, will be here Monday. Buster and Tige will give a show at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon in front of the Regal Shoe Store, the local agency for Buster Brown shoes. This show will be public and will be of special interest to children.

### COMMERCE CLUB MEASURE GETS A UNANIMOUS VOTE

**WOMEN ENDORSE SMALL LEVY FOR SUPPORT OF CLUB**

So-called Brewers Amendment Is Showed Under by Unanimous Vote, While Prohibition Amendment Gets Every Vote But One—Attorney Wiley Discusses Initiative Measures for the Women.

The measure for county maintenance of Klamath Commercial Club received a unanimous vote yesterday afternoon when members of the Art Needlework Club and the Women's Library Club met at the latter's rooms on Main street to hear the amendments discussed and to take a straw vote on them. This measure is 323 yes and 323 no, and provides for a levy of one-fortieth of one per cent at the total valuation of all taxable property in the county.

The so-called brewers' amendment, 314 yes and 315 no on the official ballot, received a unanimous negative vote by the women present. The prohibition amendment prohibiting the importation of liquor into Oregon received almost a unanimous affirmative vote, only one woman voting no on this measure.

The voting on these three measures was lively, but on the other measures and amendments the voting was rather light.

Attorney Wilson S. Wiley discussed for the women all the measures on the official ballot. His handling of them was very thorough and able, say the women, who express hereby their sincere thanks.

The meeting yesterday was held under the auspices of the civic department of the Woman's Library Club.

### Tenth Juror Accepted

**United Press Service**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 28.—D. L. Young today was accepted as the tenth juror to try David Caplan for murder after he had declared that he would not vote for the death penalty on circumstantial evidence.

### Two Thousand Best Men

**United Press Service**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 28.—Two thousand militiamen will act as best men next Wednesday at the marriage of Miss Beatrice Kiggins to Private George Wells of Company I, private infantry. Military bands will play the wedding march.

### Wheat Reaches \$1.25

**United Press Service**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—December wheat closed today at \$1.25 3-8, the highest figure in years.

## Will Ask \$50,000 for Marketing of Scenery

The following is a statement of the object and purposes of the Pacific Northwest Tourists Association, which will ask the legislature for two annual appropriations of \$25,000 each:

The Pacific Northwest Tourist Association was organized at Tacoma, Washington, October 13, 1916, by delegates from Commercial Clubs, Auto Clubs and Chambers of Commerce of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. Its purpose is to sell the scenery and climate of the Northwest to the tourist, to go after the business in a systematic manner, and to share equally the expense of the proposed two year campaign.

Americans annually spend \$700,000,000 in travel. Close observation during 1916 has shown that tourists have not been coming to the Northwest. The travel has turned back from Yellowstone Park, or has split at the Rocky Mountains, one stream flowing along the

Northern border to Alaska and the other passing to the South into Southern California.

Not over 20 per cent of the Westward travel has covered the Oregon district, or what is known as the Pacific Northwest.

That is the situation, notwithstanding the fact that Oregon, Washington and British Columbia contain the grandest and most interesting scenic spots, with the most delightful climate to be found in America.

The explanation is that we have been working along the wrong lines in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia.

Oregon communities have undertaken to advertise their individual attraction and to interest the traveling public to the extent of paying it a visit, when the attraction itself was not big enough in any one instance

## Strahorn is on His Way for Final Checking Up

Robert E. Strahorn, president of the Oregon, California & Eastern railway, who arrived yesterday from his Spokane home, expects to leave tomorrow night for Bend. He will proceed thence successively to all the points on the survey of the central Oregon development, for a final checking up of rights-of-way and other matters.

Within a few weeks, Mr. Strahorn said today, he will be ready to arrange for the financing of the venture, a step which he has held aloof from for a year until every other preliminary had been disposed of.

Mr. Strahorn today received telegrams from Klamath Falls advising him officially of the adjustment of the dispute over the bond election. He explained that the whole situation appeared to him to be a misunderstanding which was settled as soon as the facts were made clear.

The railroad builder today explained that ten efforts to reach central Oregon have been made by the existing railroads—the two roads up the Deschutes canyon; the Southern Pacific's line from Albany east to Hoover; the Pacific & Eastern, a Hill line east from Medford; the Modoc Northern, a Southern Pacific project from California; the Natron cutoff; the narrow gauge from Reno north to Lakeview; the Oregon Eastern, running through the Malheur canyon; and the Sumpter Valley out of Hope.