

RESCUERS ENTER MINE SHAFT

BARRIER IS PENETRATED ON 3600 FOOT LEVEL; STRONG DRAFT DELAYS

First Team Crawls Through Opening at Five o'clock this Morning; Deadly Gas Feared

MEN MAY BE ALIVE

JACKSON, Sept. 18, 3:10 P. M.—Byron O. Pickford telephoned from 4200-foot level of the Argonaut shaft that there were no indication "of the men having climbed in this level recently," he state the rescue work has had not yet explored the cross cut in the 4200 level. He said a bulk-head would be built immediately and exploration above the 4200-foot level would be commenced. The significance of this report is that the 47 imprisoned miners may yet be alive because Pickard reports the fire had not gone down to the 4200-foot level.

(Special to The Herald)

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 18.—Efforts to find the miners in the Argonaut mine have been retarded by the necessity for retimbering sections of the level where a new cave-in threatened. The rescuers are proceeding cautiously. No bodies had been found at 2.45 this afternoon.

JACKSON, Sept. 18.—1:48 P. M.—The rescuers have not yet reached the miners. They have entered the Kennedy level but it has not been reported whether they have entered the Argonaut shaft.

JACKSON, Sept. 18.—It was announced at 11 o'clock that active work by the rescue parties had begun.

JACKSON, Sept. 18.—The Argonaut mine, where 47 miners have been entombed for more than three weeks, was entered shortly after 5 o'clock this morning.

Although the barrier was penetrated, it was expected that several hours would elapse before the rescuers could penetrate the Argonaut workings. The draft from the Kennedy mine was so strong that two men were required to keep each door closed in the 3,600-foot level of the Kennedy. This indicated that there is no cave-in on the 4,200-foot level of the Argonaut.

The first team to crawl through the opening was headed by Rodney B. Hecox of the United States Bureau of Mines. R. J. Duncan headed the second team. They were protected by oxygen breathing apparatus and each carried a canary bird and burning candles in order to detect presence of carbon dioxide or carbon monoxide, the two deadly mine gasses.

While it was expected that rescuers would break through on the 3,600-foot level Saturday or Sunday, an error in the survey showed that there was approximately 30 feet more of rock to be removed. Powder gas delayed the rescuers as the gas took a long time to clear from the tunnel.

The workers had 56 feet to go in the 3900-foot level of which 11 feet had been cleared Saturday night.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES

The line upon the Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy indicated a downward movement in the barometric pressure this afternoon, although for the preceding 12 hours there was little or no variation. Weather conditions tomorrow similar to today.

Forecast for next 24 hours:
Fair and warm.
The Tyco recording thermometer registered maximum and minimum temperatures today, as follows:
High 86
Low 69

GRANDSTAND RISING

Excellent Progress Being Made at County Fair Grounds

The grandstand at the fair ground is about half completed and plowing of the race track will commence Tuesday morning. Excellent progress is being made and, despite the usual delays, the grounds will be in shape for use in plenty of time for the fair, October 4, 5 and 6.

KLAMATH HIGH SCHOOL OPENS WITH INCREASE

Five Per Cent More Students Noted; Greater Increase Expected

High school opened for the fall term today with an enrollment increase estimated by Principal Robt. Gootz at five per cent.

It is believed a larger increase of new students will be shown when figures are compiled tomorrow. Sixty-seven students graduated from the eighth grades of the city schools last term while the total freshman enrollment this morning was less than that number.

The work of enrolling and assigning students to classes will continue today and classes will start Tuesday morning.

FORD'S PLANTS IDLE

Automobile Manufacture Stages Strike Against Coal Prices

DETROIT, Sept. 18.—Henry Ford's industrial strike against what he charged are excessive coal prices was in full swing today and approximately 73,000 of his workmen in the Detroit district were idle for an indefinite period. Thousands more in assembling plants throughout the country also were ordered to lay down their tools. In addition a score or more of small industrial concerns here dependent upon the Ford Motor company for orders were preparing to close. These employ upwards of 30,000 men.

PLAN TO BLOCK HALL

Eugene Attorney Would Prevent Placing of Name on Ballot

EUGENE, Ore., Sept. 18.—Plans have been announced by H. E. Slattery, Eugene attorney, to file a suit in court to prevent the placing of Charles Hall, as an independent candidate for governor of Oregon at the November election.

Slattery said that a number of men here had agreed to pay the costs of the suit.

SMYRNA, SCENE OF TURK MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS



CITY AND HARBOR OF SMYRNA, RICH ASIA MINOR SEAPORT CENTER, WHERE UNITED STATES MARINES HAVE LANDED AND WHERE AMERICAN WARSHIPS ARE BEING SENT TO PROTECT OUR NATIONALS. TURKISH FORCES ENTERED THE CITY FOLLOWING THE DISASTROUS ROUT OF THE GREEK ARMY AND THOUSANDS OF REFUGEES ARE LEAVING THE CITY DAILY. INSERT, REAR ADMIRAL MARK L. BRISTOL, UNITED STATES HIGH COMMISSIONER AT CONSTANTINOPLE IN CHARGE OF AMERICAN INTERESTS IN THE NEAR EAST.

HOLSTEINS IMPORTED

125 Head of High Grade Stock Received By Liskey Brothers

One hundred twenty-five head, said to have been the largest shipment of high grade Holstein cattle ever imported into Klamath county, was received at Midland Friday by Liskey Brothers of Dairy.

The shipment included 32 milch cows, 66 two-year-old heifers, 21 yearling heifers and six bulls, three of which are registered. The milch cows and heifers will be offered at a sale during the county fair. The cattle were purchased from L. R. Rosconi of Fresno and the transaction was handled through the American National bank.

The herd was taken to Malin for pasture.

MOB ACTION SCORED

Episcopalian House of Bishops Concur With Deputies

PORTLAND, Sept. 18.—The Episcopalian house today selected New Orleans as the place of meeting for 1925. The house of bishops concurred in adopting resolutions denouncing mob violence by secret organizations and in asking passage of laws regulating the marriage of defectives.

Seven candidates have been nominated for bishop of eastern Oregon.

PETTY THEFTS CHARGED

Fred Stoner was arrested at the Klamath avenue dance pavilion Saturday by Patrolman Brandenburg and is held in jail pending investigation of petty thefts charged to him.

AMERICAN FLAPPER BEATS THE DUTCH WITH BLAZE AIRS

Volendam Misses Make Vain Attempts to Imitate Slouching Walk of Foreign Visitors

VOLENDAM, Holland, Sept. 18.—The people of this seaside village have two sources of income, fishing, and the tourists who come to see the medieval costumes of the villagers and comment on their adherence to old time customs. The men catch the one, and the girls the other. For Volendam has its belles, and the old world attire to their forbears becomes them well.

But this year hundreds of American "flappers" have been among Volendam's visitors, and they have introduced chaos. The local girls have not been blind to the charms which the svelte American girls seem to hold for the young men of Volendam, and it is no uncommon sight to see Volendam misses walking behind groups of American girls, making vain attempts to imitate the slouching, jackadassical walk and blaze air of assumed world-wisdom.

The village elders are up in arms. Tirades are launched against the follies and foibles of fashion. The lacemakers who fashion the quaint white caps for women, the manufacturers who turn out the wooden shoes, and the shopkeepers who thrive on the quaintness of Volendam are conducting an anti-flapper campaign.

Of course there are Dutch flappers but the Dutch girls generally have too much weight to simulate fashion sheets successfully, and Dutch modistes lack the skill of American and French dressmakers. So the American girls and their extreme attire have stirred little Dutch girls who were never thrilled by the efforts of the girls of Amsterdam to copy the mannish of Longhamps.

436 DIE IN BELFAST

Figures Show More Catholics Than Protestants Killed

BELFAST, Sept. 18.—Figures given out today show that 436 persons were killed here since July 1920, of whom 189 were protestants and 247 catholics.

REFUGEES FROM SMYRNA RELATE TRAGIC TALES

Hundreds of Christians Are Massacred By Turks; British Fleet Despatched

MUNITION PLANTS PREPARED
PARIS, Sept. 18.—The British government has ordered all small arms and ammunition factories in the United Kingdom to work 24 hours full capacity in preparation for any Turkish eventualities, according to news gained from private sources here.

CONTANTINOPLE, Sept. 18.—Graphic descriptions of scenes witnessed in the Smyrna horror were given by American refugees arriving here today. One, a resident of Smyrna for 10 years, said the Turkish troops had massacred hundreds of Christians, then set fire to the city. He said a naturalized American shot himself when Kemalists seized his wife and sister.

American sailors at the peril of their lives rescued thousands of refugees. Chester Griswold, an American merchant, performed almost superhuman work in securing the terrified Christians by pleading with the Turks.

The entire British Atlantic fleet is being sent to reinforce the Mediterranean squadron for the protection of Constantinople and the Straits of Dardanelles.

FRENCH AND ITALIAN TROOPS WENT TO JOIN BRITISH FORCES

LONDON, Sept. 18.—With British troops detaching at strategic points on the Dardanelles, French and Italian battalions rushing to join them, and from far New Zealand word that an Anzac contingent will be dispatched to the scene of their heroic sacrifices in the late war, to assist in dealing with the Turkish nationalists, there has been a swift carrying into effect of the allied pronouncement regarding a firm determination to preserve the freedom of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus.

The British troops are supported by heavy artillery and backed by the fleet, and officials here are confident that the combined allied land and sea forces, which are declared to be prepared for any eventualities, can hold Constantinople against all odds.

May Have Served Purpose

The Turks, having bombarded the last departing Greek transports from the Chios peninsula, despite the British appeal for mercy on the ground that the Greeks were helpless and no longer combatants, Mustafa Kemal Pasha is now supreme over all Anatolia, but has yet made no direct move toward Constantinople or the straits, and the warnings which the allies have vouchsafed throughout Europe and the Near East may have served their purpose. Smyrna, which last month was the center of Greek rule, is a shambles, with fire raging for three days and continuing, but diminished in violence. Only the Moslem quarter has escaped.

Conference Need Soon

It is the wish of the British government that a conference should be held as speedily as possible. At this

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BONUS VETO ASURED

Sufficient Votes in Senate to Veto President's Certain

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Sufficient votes in the senate to sustain the presidential veto of the soldier bonus bill were gathered today after a canvass by advisers of the president who put out the information that he had determined to disregard the measure.

THE HARVEST IS OVER

