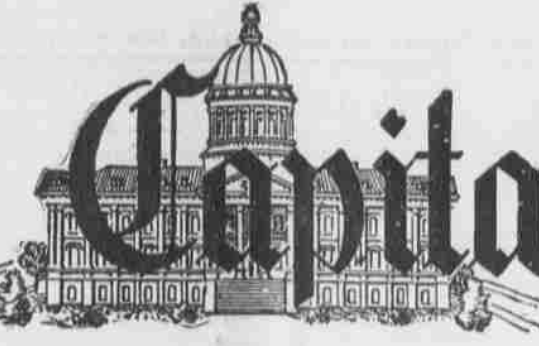


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## WAR BETWEEN BALKANS AND TURKEY BEGINS ON MONTENEGRO'S BORDERS

### RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA BOTH MOBILIZING BIG ARMIES AND MAY BE DRAWN INTO IT

Many Villages Along the Turko-Montenegrin Border Were Burned Last Night--Wounded Peasants Are Reported Fleeing Into Montenegro--Turks Charge the Montenegrins With Massacring Women and Children--Turkish and Montenegrin Troops Have Fierce Battle--Russia is Ready to Take a Hand.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
St. Petersburg, Oct. 10.—Possibility of war between Russia and Austria, as an outgrowth of the disturbance in the Balkan states, is seen here today in dispatches to the Novoeremya, asserting that Austria is mobilizing four army divisions, presumably for service in the Balkans. The newspaper also asserts that 1800 cars stand ready to transport 80,000 Russian soldiers to the scene if Austria tries to intervene. The Russian minister of finance today paid \$18,000,000 at the disposal of six of the largest banks in Russia to prevent the panic now prevailing on

the Paris Bourse spreading here. Vienna, Oct. 10.—Dispatches received here today from Cetinje, the capital of Montenegro state that many villages along the Turko-Montenegrin frontier are in flames. Wounded peasants are reported fleeing into the interior of Montenegro. Reports from Turkish sources charge the Montenegrin troops with having slaughtered women and children. The outcome of the battle around Ditchik mountain between Turkish and Montenegrin troops, is still in doubt.

### IN HONOR OF UNCLE JOHN MINTO'S BIRTHDAY

A social event of more than ordinary importance will take place at the Marlon Hotel tonight when 25 or more of the friends of good Uncle John Minto will sit at table with him, and unite in celebrating the occasion of his nineteenth birthday. There will be speeches, of course, many of them, and heartfelt ones, but there will be none that will do the subject justice, for words are weak to express the tenderest feelings of the human heart. But those at the table with Uncle John will not by any means comprise the list of those whose best wishes and love go out to the grand old man. All the old residents will be there in spirit, and if their feelings were all written there would be enough paper piled up in the Marlon dining room to smother all the banqueters. The horse editor takes off his hat to Uncle John, and expresses the wish that he may enjoy good health for years yet to come, and up to the minute of the final call.

### JURY IS SECURED FOR TRIAL OF BECKER

New York, Oct. 10.—The actual trial of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, charged with the murder of Gambler Herman Rosenthal in front of the Hotel Metropole here, began today, when the twelfth member of the jury was secured. District Attorney Charles S. Whitman at once started outlining his case against the accused man. "I expect to show that this man," shouted Whitman, leveling his finger at Becker, "compelled Jack Rose, Sam Schapps, 'Bridge' Weber and Harry Valton to bring about the killing of Rosenthal, under threat of 'framing' something on them."

Mrs. Rosenthal, wife of the murdered gambler, probably will be the first witness for the prosecution. The Palmer-Lobby Logging Co., of Astoria, has taken a logging contract of 75,000,000 feet. Some lumber. For instance, it would make an inch board six inches wide, reaching around the world, and have 8000 miles left.

### Verdict Is Guilty.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 10.—Chas. E. Houston and John H. Bullock, coal dealers, charged with conspiring to defraud the government in bidding to supply coal to Alaskan forts, were today found guilty by a jury in the federal court here, after a trial lasting more than three weeks. The case was conducted for the government by B. D. Townsend, special assistant to Attorney-General Wickersham.

### Tried to Kill Children.

Pasadena, Cal., Oct. 10.—Going suddenly insane, Mrs. E. L. Smallbridge early this morning attempted to kill her son, aged 20, and her daughter about the same age. She went into the son's room before he was awake, called him and when he turned over, shot behind the ear, fracturing his skull. Her daughter came running from another part of the house and the insane woman aimed at her, but before she she could fire the wounded young man leaped from bed, seized the gun and emptied the cartridges on the floor. Mrs. Smallbridge was arrested. The son may recover.

## KILLED AT ENTRANCE OF CHURCH

### E. H. Ballah Last Night Fell Down Stairway at East Side Entrance to First Congregational Church.

HIS SKULL WAS FRACTURED

Groans Heard by Passersby Led to His Discovery—His Wife, Who is a Nurse in an Omaha Hospital, Was to Have Started for Seattle Yesterday on Her Way to Join Him Here—How Accident Happened Unknown.

E. H. Ballah, whose home is in Omaha, Nebraska, where he has a wife and several children, died early this morning in the city jail as a result of injuries received early in the evening yesterday by falling down the stairway entrance on the east side of the First Congregational church. It is not known just how the accident happened, but he was evidently wandering around there unable to find his way, when he fell into the pit, which is about six feet deep. He evidently landed on his head, which caused a fracture of the skull just above the left ear. A post mortem examination was held this forenoon at the Lehman & Clough establishment by Dr. O. B. Miles, assisted by Claude V. Nelson and L. L. Hey, students of the medical department of the Willamette university.

The attention of the police department was first called to the accident about 9:30 last night, when a passerby heard groans of a man coming from between the parsonage and the church at the place where he was later discovered in an unconscious condition, from which he never recovered. He was taken immediately to the city hall where Dr. Miles attended him, dressing his wounds and making him as comfortable as circumstances and conditions would permit. During the night he suffered a good deal and died about 6 o'clock this morning. His wife has been serving as a nurse in one of the hospitals of Omaha and was to have left there yesterday for Seattle, expecting to arrive there on the 12th. Chief Hamilton wired the chief of police of Omaha this morning advising him to ascertain if Mrs. Ballah was still in that city. From letters found on the person of the unfortunate man it seems that nothing but friendly relations have existed between him and his family and that both were looking forward to a happy meeting at Seattle on the 13th.

## THREATEN TO MURDER GARRISON

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Douglas, Ariz., Oct. 10.—Two hundred and fifty Mexican federals are rushing to Montezuma, Sonora, today to relieve that town, which is surrounded and threatened by General Antonio Rojas and 400 insurgents. Rojas issued an ultimatum demanding that the federal garrison of the town surrender or be annihilated. There are only 100 federals at Montezuma, and it is feared they may be wiped out before reinforcements arrive. Two hundred additional federals were ordered to the scene. The federals have orders to pursue any advantage they may obtain over Rojas' force, to the end of exterminating the rebels. General Rojas has applied to President Madero for amnesty, but while awaiting a reply is losing no opportunity to lay waste the country.

## EPIDEMIC OF TYPHOID AT LOS ANGELES

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

San Francisco, Oct. 10.—With the death of William "Heinie" Heitmuller, and four other players of the Pacific Coast league confined to their beds, the epidemic of typhoid fever prevalent among coast baseball teams has assumed serious proportions. Joe Gedeon and Claude Berry, of San Francisco; Claire Patterson, of Oakland, and Walter Slagle, of Los Angeles, are the stricken players. A physician attending Berry asserts that the cause may be attributed to the water in Los Angeles. So certain are the convictions of Berry's physician that he has written to the Los Angeles board of health recommending that a thorough investigation be made at once to prevent a further spread of the disease. From Los Angeles came the report today that Slagle, who had been complaining for several days was forced to take to his bed. Heitmuller was similarly affected before going to the hospital, where he died.

Another's Down. Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 10.—That an epidemic of typhoid fever is raging among the baseball players of the Pacific Coast league was indicated here today when Pitcher Walter Slagle, of the Los Angeles team, was taken ill at his home with what is believed to be that disease. Slagle had been complaining of headaches for several days and was unable to report for practice this morning.

COLLEGE STUDENTS WILL FIND THE RIGHT REMEDY Governor West today stated that he will refer complete data gathered with relation to the salaries paid all county officials in the state, together with tentative plans he has worked out for a bill to be introduced at the next legislature, to students of the University of Oregon and the agricultural college with the request that they examine into it all and give him their views on the subject. Under the present salary system county officials are paid all kinds of salaries, and the governor contends that they are unequal and unjust. For sometime he has been planning to equalize them, and believes that if they are based on the population, the assessed valuation and the area of the county that they can be made somewhat equal. He now has data showing just how much each county pays its officials, and this together with his tentative plans, will be turned over to the students of the schools for analysis.

## NEWSPAPER LIBEL SUIT DISPOSED OF

\$10,000 LIBEL CASE OF E. HOFER AGAINST STATESMAN PUBLISHING COMPANY IS SETTLED.

(From the Daily Statesman, October 10, 1912.)

The \$10,000 libel suit of E. Hofer against the Statesman Publishing Company was yesterday disposed of in Circuit Judge Kelly's court by the defendant corporation confessing judgment in the sum of \$1. The suit grew out of a communication published in the Statesman of June 16 by H. H. McMahan, in which various charges were made as to past and present transactions of plaintiff. The disposition of the case, as above related, was made because the managers of the defendant corporation found that there was no evidence to sustain the principal charges in the McMahan letter referred to above. L. H. McMahan, who appeared as one of the attorneys in the case, wishes to state that the confession of judgment was made without his knowledge or consent.

## NEW YORKERS BEAT BEAN EATERS 2 TO 1 IN HOTLY CONTESTED GAME

### To Hang in December.

San Francisco, Oct. 10.—For the second time John Rogers, convicted of the murder of Benjamin Goodman, a young jewelry salesman of Stockton, after robbing his victim of a large sum, was sentenced here today to be hanged December 27. When Rogers was first convicted and given the death penalty his attorney took an appeal. Before the appeal was heard the date of execution expired, necessitating re-sentencing. Judge Frank Willis, of Los Angeles, sitting in Judge Cabanis' court, pronounced sentence today.

## BOSTON MADE ONE IN NINTH AND HAD TWO MEN ON BASES WHEN CADY WENT OUT ON A FLY

It Was a Hot Game From Start to Finish, and in the Ninth It Was in Boston's Power to Have Won--As It Was She Made One Run, and Had Two Men on Bases When the Inning Ended--It Was a Great Pitchers' Game, and Both Pitchers Were Certainly Great--Each Team Has a Game --Next One in New York.

(By Grantland Rice.)  
Boston, Oct. 10.—New York came back with Rube Marquard today, and made it even-all with the Red Sox, taking the third contest of the world's series by a score of 2 to 1. The Sox, fighting desperately and forced to come from behind, made a sensational ninth inning rally that threatened to pull the game out of the fire when Marquard faltered, and the Giant defense threatened to crack. But Cady, who had replaced Carrigan behind the plate, was unequal to the task put up to him in the pinch, and when Devore pulled down his long fly the agony was ended, and the race evened up. Marquard, who had been a question mark in the Giant battery of characters, came back with a flash of his early season 19-in-a-row form, and given a lead of one run in the first innings, held the Sox safe all the way. Buck O'Brien, who opposed the Giant southpaw, pitched a grade of ball that would have won with lots to spare had he been pitted against the Giants' exhibition of yesterday, but the luck was not with him, and the Giants backed Marquard up in a fashion that must have made Mathewson envious. Devore made a ninth inning error after O'Brien had given gray to a pinch hitter, and held the Giants safe in the closing stages. The attendance today was 24,621; receipts \$63,142. Of this the national commission's share is \$6314.20; players' share \$34,096.68. Each club receives \$11,365.62. The total attendance for the first three games was 102,502. That the ninth inning rally did not at least tie up the game was unquestionably due to the fact that the Boston coaches went up in the air at the critical moment. With Speaker out, Lewis singled and Gardner combed a stinging double down the right field line. Devore and Merkle handled it poorly, while Lewis scored and Gardner was held at second, and a moment later was nabbed at third, when Stahl rapped a hot grounder to Marquard, who threw to Herzog. Wagner then tanned to Fletcher, who shot one straight and true to Merkle for what should have been the closing out, but the first baseman dropped the toss. Now came the play of the day. Wagner stole second and a hit meant Red Sox victory. Cady caught one square and true. Like a bullet it went to far right center and 29,000 spectators roared over an almost sure victory. Devore started for the ball. By one last desperate dash he came in line, reached up over his left shoulder with his back to the crowd, and by one of the grandest catches of the series he saved his pals from sure defeat. Lineup: New York—Devore if, Doyle 2b, Snodgrass cf, Murray rf, Merkle 1b, Herzog 3b, Meyers c, Fletcher ss, Marquard p. Boston—Hooper rf, Yerkes 2b, Speaker cf, Lewis lf, Gardner 3b, Stahl 1b, Wagner ss, Carrigan c, O'Brien p. Umpires—Evans behind the bat; Klein on bases; O'Loughlin in left field, and Rigler in right field. Batteries: Boston—O'Brien and Carrigan. New York—Marquard and Meyers.

First Inning. New York—Devore singled over O'Brien's head. Doyle fled to Speaker. Devore out standing. Carrigan to Wagner. Snodgrass fled to Speaker. No runs. Boston—Hooper popped to Fletcher. Yerkes fanned. Speaker out. Doyle to Merkle. No runs. Second Inning. New York—Murray doubled to center. Merkle sacrificed. O'Brien to Stahl. Herzog sacrificed. Fletcher to Hooper. Murray scoring. Meyers out. Gardner to Stahl. One run. Boston—Lewis singled to center. Gardner sacrificed. Herzog to Merkle. Stahl fled to Murray. Wagner fanned. No runs. Third Inning. New York—Fletcher walked. Marquard sacrificed. O'Brien to Stahl. Devore fanned. Doyle lined to Stahl. No runs. Boston—Carrigan fouled out to Meyers. O'Brien fanned. Hooper fanned. No runs. Fourth Inning. New York—Snodgrass out. Yerkes to Stahl. Murray out. O'Brien to Stahl. Merkle out. O'Brien to Stahl. No runs. Boston—Yerkes popped to Fletcher.

## BIG SUMS GIVEN ALL PARTIES

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Washington, Oct. 10.—Louis Laylin, Ohio manager of President Taft's prevention campaign, testified that \$70,000 was contributed to the Ohio fight. Charles P. Taft and Charles D. Hillis, chairman of the Republican national committee, he said, were the principal donors. Archbold testified that he gave the late Senator M. S. Quay, of Pennsylvania \$10,000 in 1902 as a campaign contribution. He also admitted the authenticity of a letter from former Congressman Sibley suggesting a conference with "a prominent senator who would be a tower of strength in time of need." Archbold testified for an hour and thirty minutes. When noon recess was ordered he had not finished, but was expected to conclude his testimony this afternoon.

## PREPARING FOR A GREAT CELEBRATION

The officers of the Oregon Electric and Local Agent C. E. Albin are busy making preparations for the excursion to Eugene October 15, in commemoration of the completion of the line into that city. In order to accommodate those desiring to make the trip a special train will be run from Salem, leaving here at 8:30 a. m. and arriving at Eugene at 11:30. Returning train will leave there at 7 a. m. and arrive in Salem at 10:30. The fare for the round trip will be \$2.10. Special trains will also be run from Portland and Albany, the Portland train having one of the new sleeping cars, which are a novelty in the west at the present time. The Hillside club and Board of Trade will send delegations and prominent men such as Judge Moreland of the supreme court, H. B. Thielens and A. F. Hofer, of the Board of Trade will accompany the excursionists. Eugene people are making extensive preparations to receive the visitors and should good weather prevail, which now seems likely, immense crowds will go from all the leading cities along the route. The fare from all points will be one fare for the round trip. Much interest is being shown all along the line in the excursion as the trip is made in the interest of the entire valley.

## THREE-QUARTERS OF TON SPUDS FOR EVERYBODY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Portland, Or., Oct. 10.—Enough potatoes were produced in Oregon this season to give about 1500 pounds to every man, woman and child in the state, and still leave enough to seed the next crop, according to H. H. Cobb, commercial editor of the Oregon Journal. Eighty thousand acres were planted, but bumper outputs were the order despite blight in some sections.

## WILL THEN TAKE STEPS FOR EXCHANGE OF LANDS

Advices have been received by Governor West that Chief Forester Graves of the federal forest department, will arrive in Portland October 17. At this time the state board will take up with him the matter of exchanging the state's scattered school lands for a compact body of land in some forest reserve. The state has decided upon the tract it desires in exchange, but before it can be made the subject must be thoroughly gone over, and the forester's visit, it is declared, will present a splendid opportunity of presenting the subject in full to him.

Speaker singled to left. Lewis forced Speaker, Herzog to Doyle. Gardner fled to Murray. No runs. Fifth Inning. Herzog doubled to left. Meyers out. O'Brien to Stahl. Herzog taking third. Fletcher singled to left, scoring Herzog. Fletcher stole second. Marquard walked. Bodett warning up. Devore forced Marquard. Wagner to Yerkes. Fletcher taking third. Devore stole second. Doyle walked, filling the bases. Snodgrass fled to Lewis. One run. Boston—Stahl singled to center. On a short passed ball Stahl tried to steal and was out. Meyers to Doyle. Wagner fled to Murray, who made a sensational catch. Carrigan out. Marquard to Merkle. No runs. Sixth Inning. New York—Murray fled to Lewis. Merkle fanned. Herzog out. Wagner to Stahl. No runs. Boston—O'Brien fanned. Hooper fled to Doyle. Yerkes singled to center. Speaker popped foul to Meyers. No runs. Seventh Inning. New York—Meyers fanned. Fletcher out. Gardner to Stahl. Marquard out. Stahl to O'Brien. No runs. Boston—Lewis out. Fletcher to Merkle. Gardner fouled to Murray. Wagner fled to Devore. No runs. Eighth Inning. New York—Devore hit a Texas loagner behind third base. Doyle fled

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## EUGENE TO CELEBRATE THE EVENT

INVITES EVERYBODY TO JOIN HER CELEBRATE THE COMPLETION OF THE OREGON ELECTRIC NEXT TUESDAY.

Eugene, Ore., Oct. 10.—Of great importance to the whole of western Oregon is the opening on the 15th of this month of service on the Oregon Electric between Albany and Eugene. For it marks the passing of Oregon towns without transportation competition. Salem, Albany and Corvallis in the past have had the river to offer at least nominal competition, but Eugene, like the cities of southwestern Oregon, has had to depend on a single railroad for all transportation. Eugene, President Young says, is not the terminus, and it is only a question of time until the Hill line will be reaching out for Roseburg, Grants Pass and Medford. The passing of this condition is to be properly welcomed by the city of Eugene, assisted by the officials of the Oregon Electric company. Excursions are to be run from all points on the Oregon Electric, and fully 6000 visitors are expected from the outside. Carl Gray, under whom the greater part of the preliminary work was done, promises to be present if he can get here, and answers are expected daily from Louis W. Hill, and other high officers of the Hill lines in the east. Of course, all the active officers of the Oregon Electric and other Hill lines in Oregon will be there. Invitations, too, have been issued to the mayors, members of the city councils, and commercial club officers of all the cities of western Oregon. To entertain these guests there will be a parade in which the industrial riches of the upper Willamette valley will be featured, and there will be other interesting events to mark the event with the attention it deserves.

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