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RUSSIAN OFFENSIVE AGAIN IN ARMENIA DRIVES BACK TURKS

SEVERE DEFEAT SAID TO HAVE BEEN INFLICTED UPON THE TURKS BY THE SLAVS IN RESUMPTION OF THEIR OFFENSIVE THERE.

Bulgarians Claim to Have Defeated the Rumanians Who Recently Crossed the Danube into Bulg. —Further Progress Made by French in Region of Morva on the Somme Front Last Night, the French Capturing Quantity of War Material—Sofia Says Bulgarian Troops Have Been Successful in Halting Attempted Advance of the Entente Forces in Several Sectors on the Macedonian Front—Serbians Continue to Advance on their Former Territory.

The Russians, with the co-operation of their fleet have resumed the offensive in Armenia and inflicted a severe defeat upon the Turks there.

Bulgarian troops from Ruzhchuk attacked and defeated the Rumanian forces of sixteen battalions, which recently crossed the Danube into Bulgaria, says an announcement from Sofia.

The French made further progress in the region of Morva on the Somme front last night, capturing some war material, the Paris war office announces today.

Sofia reports that the Bulgarian troops have been successful in halting the attempted advances of the entente forces in several sectors of the Macedonian front.

The Serbs continue their advance into Serbia, having crossed the Tchernia river and have driven the Bulgarians out of the railroad town of Kessail.

GOETHALS AND CLARK NAMED

TWO MEMBERS OF COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE RAILROAD 8-HOUR ANNOUNCED TODAY.

WILSON'S BUSY DAY

President Having One of Busiest Days of His Career in Omaha—Given Monstrous Ovation Upon His Arrival There.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 5.—Governor Goethals of the canal zone and Commissioner Clark of the interstate commerce commission have been named by President Wilson as members of the commission to investigate the railroad eight-hour-law. Goethals is to be chairman of the commission.

President's Busy Day. Omaha, Neb., Oct. 5.—President Wilson arrived here at noon today for one of the busiest days of his career. He was given a monstrous ovation upon his arrival. He went immediately to the commercial club for his first middle west speech since the campaign opened, and he is scheduled to make two more speeches.

Rebuilding Theatre. Mexico City, Oct. 5.—Work has been resumed on the beautiful National Theatre which has been in process of construction for many years. The contract for the stained glass dome which will surmount the structure, has been let to a New York firm of jewels and glass manufacturers.

TWO BANKS IN MEXICO CITY OPEN AGAIN

BANCO NATIONALE AND BANK OF LONDON, CLOSED BY CARRANZA, ARE PERMITTED TO RE-OPEN.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The Banco Nazionale and the Bank of London and Mexico City, the two Mexico City banks which were closed on Carranza's orders requiring more adequate metallic reserves and a resumption of the outstanding notes in specie have been reopened for business under surveillance of the government, according to advices in official quarters today. They were given until November 15 to increase their reserves.

Lonnie Tucker Defeated. Lonnie Tucker of this city was defeated at St. Louis yesterday in the eighth round of a scheduled 12-round bout by Battling Reddy of New York City.

BORDEN WILL MEET DEMAND OF DAIRYMEN

COMPANY SUPPLYING ONE-FIFTH OF ALL MILK SOLD IN NEW YORK CITY AGREE TO MEET DEMANDS FOR THE INCREASED PRICE.

New York, Oct. 5.—The Borden Condensed Milk company, which supplies one-fifth of all the milk sold here, announced today that it would meet the demand for increased prices of dairymen.

The first disorder growing out of the milk situation came this morning when five hundred women, mostly fornicers with babies in their arms, formed two health department milk lines.

DYNAMITE KILLS THREE. Three Carloads of Dynamite Explodes at Factory Today.

Grafton, Ill., Oct. 5.—Three persons were killed and several injured when three cars of dynamite exploded at the Johns Powder company's plant today. The shock was felt a distance thirty-five miles.

The friends of Congressman William H. Murray are arranging for him to make a speech in Ardmore during his campaign. Mr. Murray is not out of such places as he desires to visit and will speak where he pleases independent of any itinerary prepared for him by the speakers' bureau of the national campaign committee.

WEATHER FORECAST. New Orleans, La., Oct. 5. —The weather forecast for Oklahoma for tonight is fair and colder with frost, except in southeastern Oklahoma; Friday fair.

CHAMPION BOY SCOUT DECORATED BY PRESIDENT AT SHADOW LAWN.



SCOUT MASTER MCMORRIS GETS A DECORATION FROM THE PRESIDENT

Scout Master Daniel McMorris of Hazleton, Pa., went to Shadow Lawn, the summer home of President Wilson, by special appointment with the president, to receive from the latter a decoration awarded to McMorris in recognition of his standing as model boy scout of America. McMorris has the privilege of wearing thirty-two merit decorations, shown in the picture on his left sleeve. President Wilson is seen here pinning the decoration on McMorris' coat.

NEXT TUESDAY BUNDLE DAY, BRING YOURS

THE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY WILL HAVE USE FOR EVERYTHING OF VALUE — BRING YOUR BUNDLES TO COURT HOUSE.

The Benevolent Society has designated next Tuesday as bundle day and wants every citizen who is able to contribute something of value that they can use during the coming winter among the poor people who will be dependent upon them for support.

Mrs. Kahn and Mrs. Curtis are both on duty at all times, and anything that you desire to contribute will be appreciated by them. They have a lot of work ahead and desire the co-operation of every citizen to the end that no worthy person in the city may suffer.

Call them up either at their homes or at the court house, and they will do the rest. Remember that checks are always acceptable, and every dollar secured will be accounted for. Send them in, large or small. All will be appreciated.

Ferris on Way Home.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Congressman Scott Ferris, in charge of organization work at western national Democratic headquarters, left tonight for his home in Oklahoma to spend a week campaigning for the Democratic ticket.

Brainbridge Colby has been obliged to cancel his speaking date in St. Louis tomorrow because of an accident in New York City.

Francis J. Heney, prominent California progressive, will make a speaking tour of Illinois later in the month in favor of Wilson and Marshall.

Nineteen Died on Zeppelin.

London, Oct. 5.—Official evidence presented at the inquest into the death of the members of the German crew of the Zeppelin which was destroyed near Potter's Bar on the night of October 1, showed that nineteen bodies were recovered. The jury's verdict was that death had been caused by injuries received while traveling in a hostile airship which was brought down by the anti-aircraft organization.

MILLION AND HALF WILL BE SPENT HERE

PLANS ALREADY ASSURED FOR MORE THAN \$500,000 TO BE SPENT AT ONCE — MORE TO FOLLOW.

Plans for the new hotel are being drawn in Kansas City, according to Mr. Sharpe, who is rushing the matter to as hasty completion as possible.

Plans for the new convention hall at the corner of Broadway and C streets are being prepared by a dozen architects and will be submitted to the city commissioners November 1.

Plans for the white way have been made and completed and will be submitted to the voters at large on November 14.

Plans for the new Presbyterian church have been made and the contract will be let at the earliest possible moment.

Plans for several miles of pavement have been made and their construction is only a matter of getting them in proper legal shape.

Plans for extensive improvements to the electric light company's plant have been approved and work has commenced.

In a nutshell, this is the schedule of what is absolutely assured, and in the aggregate represents and expenditure of more than half a million dollars for the coming winter.

Prospective improvements for Ardmore which are highly probable include the Simpson office building, the interurban railway to the Fox field and the union depot, representing \$1,500,000 or more.

Can it be wondered that Ardmore is considered the best city in the state?

Sergeant Kills Self.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 5.—The body of Sergeant Frank A. Alexander of the quartermaster corps, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Clark, Texas, was found at his home here last night with a bullet wound through his head. The coroner's verdict was "suicide." Sergeant Alexander had come here to take his wife and son to Fort Clark. His widow stated after his body was found.

ASK INJUNCTION OF REPUBLICANS

TEXAS REPUBLICAN WILL SEEK INJUNCTION TO PREVENT PLACING NAMES OF CANDIDATES.

GILMORE CANDIDATE

Wills Point Man Who is Avowed Candidate for Vacancy Secures Temporary Injunction Against Naming Candidate.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 5.—The republicans of Texas will enjoin the state democratic executive committee from placing any candidate for railroad commissioner on the ballot, according to George F. Rockhold, vice chairman of the state republican executive committee.

Rockhold says the Terrell election law does not provide that the committee can nominate a candidate in case of a vacancy caused by death, but can only recommend.

Candidate Gets Injunction.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 5.—C. E. Gilmore of Wills Point, an avowed candidate for the vacancy in the railroad commission, secured a temporary injunction today against the state democratic executive committee naming a candidate. The injunction also prevents the secretary of state from certifying the name of another candidate on the November ballot. The hearing is set for next Tuesday.

MOB OF TEXANS LYNCHES NEGRO AT GRACETON

BODY OF WILL SPENCER, WHO SHOT CONSTABLE, FOUND TODAY HANGING TO TREE—BODY RIDDLED WITH BULLETS.

Gilmer, Tex., Oct. 5.—Will Spencer, a negro, was lynched last night near Graceton, Upshur county, where the body was found hanging to a tree riddled with bullets this morning.

Spencer, it is said, fought a pistol duel with Constable Harrell, when the latter tried to serve a writ of attachment on him. Harrell was slightly wounded.

It is supposed that the negro was taken from the jail last night by a mob of citizens after his arrest.

GREAT BANKER THINKS WELL OF ARDMORE

IF HIS FORTUNE WERE YET TO BE MADE HE WOULD MOVE TO ARDMORE — THE OPPORTUNITIES ARE HERE.

"If I were a young man, I would come to Ardmore," said Frank Phillips of Bartlesville, who was here this week on a visit to the oil fields. "I have made several trips here," said Mr. Phillips, "and I must say that you have a very fine class of people. The citizenship of Ardmore cannot be improved upon. I would positively enjoy living among these people. You have the finest lakes and club houses in the state. You have prepared for pleasant living. You are making life worth living. In addition to this you have a city and a surrounding country that is full of opportunities to the

CHRISTIAN BROS. COLLEGE FIRE

FLAMES DESTROY MAIN STRUCTURE, SIX-STORY BUILDING, AT ST. LOUIS TODAY.

TWO BROTHERS LOST

Brother Cormac, Aged Ninety-Three, and Brother Clements, Aged Seventy-Two, Are Missing and Believed Lost.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 5.—Fire today destroyed the main building, a six-story structure of the Christian Brothers College, here today.

All of the students have been accounted for, but of the faculty, Brother Cormac, aged 93, and Brother Clements, aged 72, are believed to have perished.

An assistant nurse, who jumped from a fifth-floor window, was seriously injured.

All of the sacred vessels in the chapel were rescued by the brothers.

Hard Lines for Russell.

London, Oct. 3.—The Hon. Bertrand Russell, who was recently fined and subsequently deprived of his fellowship and residential privileges at Cambridge as the author of a leaflet published by the Non-Conscription Fellowship, is to be prevented not only from proceeding to the United States on a lecture tour as planned, but also from entering any prohibited area in the United Kingdom. A notice to that effect has just been served on him by the war office, and by an odd coincidence it was his cousin, Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. A. F. V. Russell, who signed the order as the competent military authority.

DAY'S DOINGS IN UNITED STATES COURT

STEVE TALKINGTON IS SENTENCED IN LIQUOR CASE, SEVERAL U. S. DEPUTIES ARE ATTENDING COURT HERE.

Steve Talkington, well known in this city and county was sentenced to serve three years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., and to pay a fine of \$250. In federal court here today for violating the liquor laws. This is the only sentence imposed by the court up to date, although several convictions have been returned by the jury.

D. H. Linebaum, United States attorney arrived last night and several deputy Marshalls are here for the term.

The following deputies are here: W. N. Ellis of Tulsa; L. R. Smart, Vinita; William Sheldon, Grove; Sterling Stamper, Hugo; E. B. Ballard, Miami. Yesterday O. E. Brady was convicted by the jury for violating the liquor law, and the case of U. S. vs. John Ethridge of Valliant, charged with burglary of a post office is being tried today. Earnest Neely, alleged accomplice in this case entered a plea of guilty at the June term of court.

NOTICE. There will be a joint meeting of the directors of the business mens association and the chamber of commerce at the rooms of the chamber of commerce at the court house tonight at 7:30. All are urgently requested to be present. W. W. LEWIS, President Business Mens Association.