

WAR LOAN CLOSES TUESDAY MORNING

Underwriters Announce that No Subscriptions Will Be Received After Ten O'clock.

ROCKEFELLER TAKES BIG BLOCK

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—An important announcement indicating the success of the Anglo-French loan was made today by J. P. Morgan & Co. It was to the effect that no subscriptions to the underwriting will be received after 10 a. m. tomorrow.

Declines to Comment. At the Standard Oil office here, a member of the Rockefeller staff declined to comment on the report.

There is small likelihood that Mr. Rockefeller's participation never will be officially announced unless he sees fit to announce it.

Subscriptions for the loan continued to pour in today. These seeking to subscribe were considered the number of British and French citizens residing abroad.

Morrison Declares Rockefeller's Plan Not Thing at All

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Secretary Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor today made this statement commenting upon the announcement of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company's plan for dealing with its employees:

"Mr. Rockefeller's plan is significant. In his alleged collective bargaining plan he yields more than any other employer hostile to the trade union movement. Great corporations have been using every device that can be conceived by their ablest representatives to prevent employees from organizing into trade unions, financed and controlled by the workers.

"Mr. Rockefeller says he acknowledges the principle of collective bargaining—and to enforce his conception of this theory creates a union and evolves a comprehensive plan that the great states are financed by the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. We are glad these workers will be permitted to present their grievances.

Rock Island Man is Murdered at Santa Monica, California

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Oct. 4.—City and county officials were investigating today the death of G. A. McDonald, a retired merchant of Rock Island, Ill., whose nude body was found on the beach a short distance north of here last Friday. Identification was made late last night by W. H. Carl of Los Angeles, a neighbor.

The body was found close to the water and at first it was believed that drowning was the cause of death. Later investigation, however, the police said, showed there was no water in the lungs, as would be the case had drowning been the cause of death.

According to Dr. Carl, Mr. McDonald usually carried large sums of money and wore a large diamond ring. Officers have been unable to find the clothing, nor was a ring found on the body.

METHODIST CONFERENCE MEETS AT FORT DODGE

FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 4.—(Special.)—The Northwestern Iowa conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet here Tuesday for a week's session. Bishop Frank M. Bristol of Omaha will preside. Three hundred and seventy-two ministers and their wives have provided entertainment, and they have all notified the committee that they will be present. One new superintendent must be appointed over the Algona district to take the place of the present superintendent, who must be relieved on account of serious illness. It is not thought that there will be much of a shakeup in preachers. The program which has been announced will be carried out with the exception that Rev. A. G. Nichols, of Philadelphia, will give the home mission address instead of Rev. George Bridgman of Minneapolis. Saturday evening Rev. Harry McCall will take Dr. Kynett's place. Elaborate arrangements are being made for the entertainment and reception Saturday afternoon to ministers from Iowa. It will be held in the Young Women's Christian association.

SITUATION AROUND CONSTANTINOPOLE—This map shows Constantinople as the center of the vast operations in the east, which are expected to involve the Balkans in the great war.



BULGARS REJECT CZAR'S DEMANDS AS TIME EXPIRES

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been massed along the eastern border of Serbia.

Entente Powers Are Ready. If action by the entente powers should become necessary when Bulgaria makes final disclosure of its intentions, this action would be undertaken by troops which are now in readiness to take the field simultaneously with the forces of Greece. The opinion is expressed here that a prompt movement, such as would be undertaken, would be likely to disintegrate the councils of Roumania, which for the moment seem obscure.

French Continue Advance. PARIS, Oct. 4.—French troops have continued to make progress to the north of Arras, according to the announcement given out by the French war office this afternoon.

There has been almost continuous fighting between the trenches, accompanied by artillery duels, in the vicinity of Nouvron and Quennewillers.

There also has been artillery fighting in the Champagne district.

A squadron of French aeroplanes has thrown down forty bombs of heavy caliber on the right station at Metz.

The text of the communication follows: "We have continued to make progress to the north of Arras in the forest of Givenchy and at Hill No. 113. Here we occupied the cross roads of five high-ways."

There has been almost continuous fighting with hand grenades and bombs accompanied by artillery fighting from each side, in the vicinity of Nueveveres and Nouvron.

"In the Champagne district there has been artillery fighting in the vicinity of the Navarin farm."

"Yesterday evening two counter attacks on the part of the enemy to the north of Meuse were repulsed. The night passed quietly on the remainder of the front."

"One of the air squadrons has thrown down on the Sablon railway station at Meux no fewer than forty shells of heavy caliber. Other French aeroplanes have continued the bombardments from the air of the railroad lines, stations and railroad stations behind the German front."

FLOOD REFUGEES ARE IN NEED OF FOOD

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 4.—Approximately 2,500 persons along the Mississippi river from New Orleans to the south, a distance of about 110 miles, are in need of food, fresh water, clothing and other assistance, according to the relief committee of the state commission's yacht, Daisy, which returned from a trip down the river. Almost all these people were declared to be homeless and without funds as a result of the storm.

The Daisy distributed rations to about 2,500 persons who had been without food for two days. The Daisy will depart tomorrow with more provisions for storm sufferers. Other relief vessels are distributing for food water to the needy along the river and in the lake and bayou districts.

Refugees were arriving in the city during last night, and today on boats from river and lake ports. From the most reliable information obtainable today, it was estimated the total dead in the storm region will be in the neighborhood of 50. Thirty persons reported dead near New Platform have been found at Poplar, La.

SCHOOLS ASKED TO OBSERVE RILEY DAY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Secretary Lane today made the suggestion to school authorities throughout the country that of James Whitcomb Riley's poems be read in each school on Thursday, October 7, the anniversary of Mr. Riley's birth. In doing so the secretary called attention to the fact that Mr. Riley and William Dean Howells are the last two survivors of a generation of great literary men who were distinctly American and did much in poetry and prose to reveal the characteristic beauty and struggle of American life.

DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. John Purser. MADISON, Neb., Oct. 4.—(Special.)—Mrs. John Purser, after a brief illness of three weeks, died at her home in East Madison early this morning of pneumonia and other complications.

WHOLE STATE IS HERE OR ON WAY FOR AK-SAR-BEN

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At 10:30 he emerged with pallid countenance, and staring eye.

"I'm through. When four or five of me go's lost'n' I'll plax like that, we should sign the pledge, or buy a compass. I ain't got the price of a compass. So me fer the wagin' and 'Bilby' Sunday. S'Nuff."

Most of Colorado Strike Cases Will Not Come to Trial

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 4.—The dismissal of most of the criminal cases growing out of disorders in the coal miners' strike of 1914 is imminent, according to reports from sources close to the state attorney general's office.

Developments of the last two weeks have pointed to the possibility of such action. At that time it was known that the United Mine Workers of America were considering the advisability of seeking the indictment of state officials and coal company officers with the avowed intention of using them to secure the dismissal of certain cases against union officers and members.

Last night it became known that J. P. Welborn, president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company had expressed the opinion that he would not be adverse to dismissing cases against former strikers except where evidence of guilt is very strong.

Several hundred cases are now pending, most of them against men charged with murder or conspiracy. Some of the defendants already have been tried, including John R. Lawson, who was convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to life imprisonment. Lawson's case is before the Colorado supreme court.

The next important trial set for hearing is that of E. L. Doyle, W. T. Hickey and others, charged with murder in connection with the attack on the Hecla mine in April, 1914. This case was expected to be tried during the October term of the district court at Denver.

Most of the indictments and informations now pending were brought by Attorney General Fred Farrar, acting under instructions from the then Governor E. M. Ammons. Should these cases be dismissed, the natural procedure would be for Governor Carlson to instruct the attorney general to drop the charges.

Governor Carlson, when questioned regarding the report that the cases were to be dismissed, said: "I have not decided whether or not to instruct the attorney general to drop the prosecutions. I am studying all the problems relating to the industrial situation, but have not made up my mind what should be done in this respect."

Allies' Aeroplanes Bombard Zebruggee

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 4.—(Via London.)—The Telegram announces that five aeroplanes of the allies yesterday bombed Zebruggee on the Belgian coast. Some of the bombs which were dropped weighed seventy-five pounds.

The aeroplanes were attacked by anti-aircraft guns, which brought down one machine. Another was compelled by a defective motor to land near Nieuwvliet on Dutch territory. A British officer was interned.

INSURANCE COMMISSION NAMED IN SOUTH DAKOTA

PIERRE, S. D., Oct. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—M. Harry O'Brien of Highmore was the insurance commissioner of South Dakota, taking the place about October 15, when Commissioner O. K. Stabell will take up insurance business in the eastern part of the state.

British Monitor Damaged. BERLIN, Oct. 4.—(By Wireless to Sayville.)—It was officially announced today that two British monitors had been damaged before La Panne by German naval airships.

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Trial Growing Out Of Dynamite Case is On at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 4.—Matthew A. Schmidt went on trial today for murder, and opposing attorneys immediately plunged into argument over the validity of the venire summoned for jury service.

Former Judge C. H. Fairall, chief of counsel for the defense, contested the venue because the official list did not show whether the veniremen were property holders. He lost his point, and the slow examination of talesmen was taken up.

David Caplan, co-defendant with Schmidt, who elected to stand trial separately, sat near the attorney's table. Olaf Tveitnoe, a San Francisco labor leader, conferred with counsel for the defense before court convened.

Scarcely any spectators applied for admission to the trial, and the crowd of veniremen filled most of the available space.

A new witness will be George Davis, alias George O'Connell, who was given a suspended sentence at Indianapolis when officials of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron workers and other labor leaders were convicted in connection with the so-called "national dynamiting conspiracy."

District Attorney Thomas Lee Woolwine will have charge of the case for the prosecution, aided by James V. Noel, who assisted the prosecution of the labor leaders at Indianapolis. Former Judge C. H. Fairall of San Francisco is chief counsel for Schmidt. He will be assisted by John Harriman, who was assistant to Clarence Taylor at the McNamara trial, and Frederick Moore.

A regular venire of fifty-one names has been drawn for the trial. It is expected two weeks will be required to select a jury. Various estimates of from one to four months are made as to the length of the trial.

Great Dam at Arrow Rock is Dedicated

BOISE, Idaho, Oct. 4.—Special trains over the United States government railroad today carried thousands of southern Idaho people to Arrow Rock to attend the dedication of the great dam built to store the flood waters of the Boise river. The dedicatory exercises included addresses by J. H. Lowell for the government and Governor Moses Alexander for the state and water users. At noon carrier pigeons taken to Arrow Rock from every part of the Boise irrigation project were released from the crest of the dam. The dam stores up water which will irrigate 250,000 acres.

FORMER DEADWOOD SHERIFF IS KILLED IN FRANCE

DEADWOOD, S. D., Oct. 4.—(Special.)—Word has been received here of the death in the trenches in France of Former Sheriff Arrly Trathen of this city. Trathen went to Canada several years ago when he left office, and enlisted with the Canadians last winter. He is reported to have been killed in the present drive of the allies in France. He leaves a wife and child in this country. James Harris of Teraville, also a former deputy sheriff, is reported to have met death at the same time.

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Bulgaria Formally Denies Two Alleged Deals With Germany

SOPIA, Oct. 2.—(Via London, Oct. 4.)—(Delayed in transmission.)—Formal denial that German officers have taken charge of the military affairs of Bulgaria and that Germany is supplying that country with funds, are contained in an official statement issued through the Bulgarian News Agency.

The text of the statement follows: "In view of erroneous and frankly mendacious statements circulated in the foreign press regarding the situation in Bulgaria, we are authorized to deny in the most formal manner all these rumors."

First—Concerning the arrival in Sofia of German officers who are alleged to be taking a hand in the administration of the railroads and the command of the army.

Second—Concerning alleged statements of Premier Radoslawoff that as long as the war lasts, Bulgaria will receive regularly from Germany 50,000,000 francs (\$7,000,000) monthly.

Third—Concerning numerous arrests, which are said to have been caused by internal disturbances.

As to the assertions of certain newspapers will not be qualified to direct the destinies of Bulgaria because it will not have a majority, we must observe that in a parliamentary country, which Bulgaria undoubtedly is, the government which is said not to have supported the premier with a sufficient majority in the Sobranje would not be able to remain in power.

Since the cabinet office M. Radoslawoff took over the affairs of the country over two years ago its position never has been shaken. After all there is nothing provocative in its policy for any one and it is astonishing to see the attacks made in part of the foreign press against the attitude of the Bulgarian government.

Use The Bee's "Swapper" column.

Albanian Troops Occupy Elbassan

VIENNA, Oct. 4.—(Via London.)—The News Wiener Journal has a report from Sofia that Albanian troops have occupied Elbassan, sixty-four miles southeast of Scutari, after defeating forces under Essad Pasha.

The reference to "Albanian troops" is somewhat difficult of explanation, as there is no established Albanian government, although Italy virtually has claimed control of the country since the war began. Previous despatches have reported that forces under the command of Essad Pasha, former provisional president of Albania, were fighting with Mir-dites, members of an Albanian tribe. It is possible the Mir-dites may be the troops who have occupied Elbassan.

SOUTH DAKOTA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION ELECTS

DEADWOOD, S. D., Oct. 4.—(Special.)—Mitchell was chosen for the convention for 1916 for the South Dakota Baptist association in annual session here. The officers elected were: Hon. ohn F. J. Schrader of Rapid City, president; C. W. Miller, Fort Pierre, vice president, and Charles Parks, Watertown; Dr. S. P. Shaw, Sioux Falls, corresponding secretary; Rev. L. Mann, Ipswich, recording secretary. Managers for three years: Dr. H. R. Best, Sioux Falls; Rev. R. L. Keller, Mitchell; R. L. Montrose, Rev. Parker Smith, Parker; Rev. J. H. Gagner, Vermillion; Rev. H. Q. Morton, Pierre, and Dr. Rolvick Harlan, Sioux Falls, for the one year vacancy left by the resignation of Dr. E. F. Jordan.

The report of Dr. Shaw of Sioux Falls, corresponding secretary, showed that two new church edifices had been erected, three rededicated, 4,573 sermons preached, 9,664 visits made, 4,151 prayer meetings held and 195 persons baptized. There was a net gain in church membership of 248. The income for the year was \$17,341.

Five Governors Will Address Farmers' Congress at Denver

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 4.—The International Farm congress opened here today in connection with the International Soil Products exposition already in session. Prominent agriculturists, educators and officials representing many foreign countries as well as twenty states were here to participate in the five-days' deliberations.

The congress program includes sections devoted to demonstration work, crops and soils, irrigation and forestry, rural organization and allied topics.

At the session today addresses were to be made by Congressman Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming, president of the congress; W. I. Drummond of Enid, Okla., chairman of the international board of governors; Dr. Henry J. Waters, president of the Kansas Agricultural college; W. B. Motherwell, minister of agriculture of the province of Saskatchewan, Canada. Late in the day representatives of twenty western states were to respond briefly to roll call.

A governors' session is planned for tonight, at which Governor George A. Carlson of Colorado is to preside. Governors Capper of Kansas, Moberg of Nebraska, Kendrick of Wyoming, Hunt of Arizona, McDonald of New Mexico, Byrne of South Dakota and Alexander of Idaho are expected to make addresses.

HEAVY SNOW FALLS IN THE BLACK HILLS

DEADWOOD, S. D., Oct. 4.—From three to six inches of snow fell throughout the Black Hills last night, the first general fall of the season.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 4.—The first snow of the season fell here today, the light flurry continuing only a few minutes.

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