

WILL TRY TO OVERTHROW CARRANZA

SERBIANS CAPTURE GERMAN TRENCHES

SLAVE ABLE TO HOLD COMBINED ASSAULTING FORCES

Mackensen Takes Railroad Junction Twenty Miles West of Constanza. British in Night Consolidate Gains of Yesterday—Capital of Rumania Declares Germans Got No Booty at Constanza.

Merrill and Malin Dates Oct. 25-26

An error was made in yesterday's Herald in the dates of the republican rallies this week. The dates for Merrill and Malin were incorrect. The correct dates for these two meetings are:

Merrill—October 25.
Malin—October 26.

Won't Defend Mooney United Press Service

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—Chairman Walsh, of the Federal Industrial Relations Commission, today again declined to conduct the defense of Thomas Mooney, charged with complicity in the dynamite plot during the preparedness parade last summer. Mooney's trial is set for October 30.

United Press Service

PARIS, Oct. 24.—The Serbians in remaining the advance on Monastir have captured the German-Bulgarian trenches to the depth of a half mile along the Cerna river. This important gain followed repulsion of repeated attacks by the enemy.

French German units are co-operating with the Bulgarians. All operations along the Struma have been halted by floods.

In the Doiran region artillerying is active.

United Press Service

PETROGRAD, Oct. 24.—The Slavs continue to resist the advance of the combined German, Turkish and Bulgarian forces at Dobrudja. The Austrians have had no new attempts to invade through the Trotus valley.

The Rumanians have repelled attacks at Orsova.

General Von Mackensen today occupied Medjidia, the railroad junction 20 miles west of Constanza.

United Press Service

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The British last night completely consolidated the trenches now east of Guedecourt Monday. Artillerying along the Somme is intermittent and of little consequence.

Admitting the capture of Contranza Bucharest says the Germans have secured little booty, as the evacuation of the port was decided upon some time ago.

Kaiser Wilhelm today telegraphed the czar of Bulgaria congratulating him on the victory at Constanza yesterday.

United Press Service

LONDON, Oct. 24.—General Von Mackensen today captured Rasovo, on the Danube, 80 miles south of the

A Sight London Never Saw Before



This photograph of soldiers whose legs were shot off in the war was taken in London. In time they will be given mechanical legs and will abandon their crutches. The British surgeons have followed the general policy of cutting off limbs which seemed to them could not be saved. In France a much different method has been pursued. There every effort has been made to preserve limbs of wounded soldiers.

Mayor's Veto of Ordinance Meets With Little Favor

Mayor C. B. Crisler learned at last night's meeting of the city council that his veto of the ordinance for amending the city's charter so that railroad bonds could be issued was decidedly not in accord with the wishes of the people, the mayor's sincerity in his stand to the contrary notwithstanding.

Vigorous applause by the large crowd of citizens at the meeting to speeches by Councilmen A. D. Miller and I. R. Struble, Attorney E. L. Elliott and City Attorney R. C. Groesbeck clearly indicated this.

Immediately after Police Judge A. L. Leavitt had read Mayor Crisler's veto, Councilman Miller moved that it be not sustained; Councilman Struble quickly seconded the motion. Several speeches were heard and when Miller asked Councilmen R. J. Sheets and O. D. Matthews informally if they were prepared to vote on the motion each answered no. Miller saw that to call for the question would mean to lose it. Sheets previously had moved an amendment to Miller's motion, asking that consideration be deferred. After a conference, Miller withdrew his motion and Sheets did the same, and all councilmen voted for an adjournment until 8 o'clock tonight.

In the meantime, Keeler Brothers, whose attorneys drafted the ordinance vetoed by Mayor Crisler, are being conferred with by wire and on their replies probably will hang the fate of the bond ordinance. The attorneys are being interrogated on the three objections to the ordinance set forth in the veto message.

These objections are: First—The charter of the City of Klamath Falls, as enacted by legal voters on March 10, 1913, provides that no warrants shall be issued upon the general fund unless funds are on hand with which to pay such warrants.

Second—The charter provides that the debt limit of the City of Klamath Falls shall not exceed 10 per cent of the assessed valuation of the property of the city.

Third—The charter provides that all propositions to issue bonds for any specific municipal purpose shall first be submitted to a vote of the

qualified electors of the city at a special election, called for that purpose, and defines such qualification to be the owning of real property within the city.

The ordinance which I am compelled in my judgment to veto, provides for the issuance of warrants, funds for the payment of same to be subsequently provided. It further provides that the debt limit of the City of Klamath Falls shall be set aside, and leaves the debt limit of the city in a position to be increased indefinitely. The ordinance further provides that the common council may issue the bonds therein proposed, and places the property owner and the non-property owner on the same basis so far as the creation of municipal indebtedness is concerned. Our present charter was adopted after due and extended consideration of the provisions contained therein, and it is my opinion that the same should not be hastily modified or repealed. The ordinance under consideration contains the following expression: 'And any provision or provisions of the charter or ordinances of the City of Klamath Falls which conflict with the provisions hereof are hereby repealed.'

When Councilman Miller took the floor after his motion to not sustain the veto, he said in part:

'The mayor has picked idle flaws in the ordinance and raised points that can be met. His first objection that funds must be on hand before any warrants can be issued is not good because the people should have a right to decide whether or not they care to repeal this provision of the charter and issue warrants beyond the funds on hand. The objection that the debt limit must be held at 10 per cent of the property valuation of the city is weak for the same reason. Let the people say whether or not the limit shall be raised.

'As to the third objection—that only property owners may vote on measures to issue bonds—I will say that able and trained attorneys prepared the ordinance the mayor has vetoed. But even in this case the people should have the say. If the mayor felt, as this veto indicates, he should have said something before

tonight, or even before the ordinance was passed.'

Then Councilman Miller passed to the subject of the city's indebtedness and read two copies of the Herald, one containing a statement from Mayor Crisler on the amount of the indebtedness and the other one from City Treasurer J. W. Siemens. The latter declared that the indebtedness of the city was far lower than the figure given by the mayor.

'Why have you so distorted these figures?' asked Miller. 'Evidently the mayor has had the vetoing of this ordinance in mind for several days; the statement issued last week would indicate this. Yet he did not consult with the council on the matter.'

'I hold this: that if the people want a thing let them have it; if they want to turn it down, let them do it.'

Councilman Struble then took the floor, and said: 'We hired the best legal advice on municipal bond issues in the country to prepare this ordinance. The mayor had the ordinance a long time, but did not say a thing to the council about its faults—if there are any.'

'Who are you or I, Mr. Mayor, as petty office holders, that we can say to the people, 'You shall not vote on this question or you shall vote on that one?' If they want to vote this ordinance, give them a chance.'

When Mayor Crisler offered the floor to any of the citizens present, Attorney E. L. Elliott was prevailed upon to speak. He said in part:

'What is there in our city charter that is so sacred that we cannot repeal it or change it? Even the charter of this nation, the United States constitution, has been amended and parts of it repealed. There is nothing inviolable in the charter. Let the people amend it and later reenact the amended provisions if they care to.'

Councilman Doty said: 'The people are going to get a whack at this thing somehow.'

Move to Town.

Jesse Siemens and wife moved to Klamath Falls yesterday from Felican Bay, where they spent the summer.

GENERAL ROBLES IS ON WAY TO CAPITAL

MANY BEEF AND LAMBS BOUGHT AND EXPORTED

1,020 HEAD OF FEEDERS LEFT YESTERDAY FOR TIPTON

These Were Shipped by McLemore & Walker—Willits Buys Fine Heifers for Ranch South of Town—Beckley Buys 300 Head of Beef From Bloomingcamp for Miller & Lux. McKendree Picks Up Many Lambs.

These are busy days for Klamath county stock raisers and for buyers for the outside markets. During the last week many transfers of livestock have been made, and one large shipment sent out.

Yesterday McLemore & Walker shipped 1,029 head of feeders to Tipton, Calif., where they will be fattened for slaughter. All of these were Klamath county stock. They averaged about 1,000 pounds, and were steers only.

L. F. Willits has just completed purchase of forty head of fine heifers from A. T. Langel of Bly. He also has bought eighteen head of heifers from Tom Martin. He is moving all this stock to his ranch for feeding.

J. L. Beckley, buyer for Miller & Lux, has purchased 300 head of choice beef from Bloomingcamp brothers of Bly, and is now moving this stock toward Klamath Falls.

O. T. McKendree of Lakeview has purchased 3,000 head of lambs from Frank Bloomingcamp. Most of these lambs were raised near Paisley. He also has collected about 10,000 head of lambs from other stockmen, both in Klamath and Lake county. These are now being fattened and will begin to be moved in January.

Sanction Prohibition United Press Service

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—The house of deputies of the Protestant Episcopal church today adopted a resolution giving the official sanction of the church to any prohibition movement. The resolution now goes to the bishops for concurrence.

Won't Vacate Avenue.

The council last night disallowed the petition for vacation of a portion of Johnson avenue. There were nine propositors to the vacation.

Klamath Team Leaves for 3 Football Games

To play three football games in five days, the Klamath high school football squad leaves tomorrow morning for Rogue River Valley. Coach Chester Huggins, Referee V. T. Motschenbacher and Manager Carl Newbury will accompany the team.

TROOPS TODAY ARE AST OF MEXICO CITY

Revolutionists Have Demanded Immediate Abdication of Carranza and Release of All Political Prisoners. Chihuahua City May Be Evacuated If Villa Makes an Assault on It, As Expected.

United Press Service EL PASO, Oct. 24.—General Jose Robles and several thousand revolutionists today started for Mexico City to overthrow the Carranza government, according to General Robles' secretary, who arrived here today after delivering to Carranza a demand that he abdicate and release all political prisoners. General Robles' secretary says the revolutionists are now in Pueblo, east of Mexico City.

More refugees from Chihuahua City say another skirmish has started between Villistas and Carranzistas on the outskirts of Fresno, which is Villa's ranch.

United Press Service EL PASO, Oct. 24.—Hundreds of refugees from Chihuahua City are arriving in Juarez. They declare Pancho Villa is on the western side of the city and that the inhabitants expect an attack at any moment. General Treviño, Carranzista commander, has sent his family to Juarez for safety.

Some people believe this indicates that the Carranzistas will evacuate Chihuahua City when Villa assaults it.

SPROULE LOOKS AT OTHER END

HEAD OF S. P. CONSIDERS RAILROAD POSSIBILITIES OF THE SOUTHERN PART OF MODOC NORTHERN AFTER VISIT HERE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 24.—President William Sproule of the Southern Pacific yesterday afternoon reached Westwood to investigate the railroad possibilities of Lassen and Modoc counties.

It is unconfirmedly rumored that this investigation may have some connection with the recent visit of Sproule to Klamath county, Oregon, where he considered the northern end of the proposed Modoc Northern railroad.

Westwood is the present terminus of the Fernley line via Susanville.

Reasons Why the Mayor Vetoed Bond Ordinance

To the Common Council of the City of Klamath Falls:

Gentlemen—I herewith return to you, with my veto, ordinance No. 395, being an ordinance proposing an amendment to the charter authorizing the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$300,000 for the purpose of building, equipping, etc., or railways, and give as my reasons for said veto the following:

First—The charter of the City of Klamath Falls as enacted by the legal voters on March 10, 1913, provides that no warrants shall be issued upon the general fund unless funds are on hand with which to pay such warrants.

Second—The charter provides that the debt limit of the City of Klamath Falls shall not exceed 10 per cent of the assessed valuation of the property of the city.

Third—The charter provides that all propositions to issue bonds for any

specific municipal purpose shall first be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the city at a special election called for that purpose, and defines such qualification to be the owning of real property within the city.

The ordinance which I am compelled, in my judgment, to veto, provides for the issuance of warrants, funds for the payment of same to be subsequently provided. It further provides that the debt limit of the City of Klamath Falls shall be set aside, and leaves the debt limit of the city in a position to be increased indefinitely. The ordinance further provides that the common council may issue the bonds therein proposed, and places the property owner and the non-property owner on the same basis so far as the creation of municipal indebtedness is concerned. Our