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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1915.

OREGON WEATHER Fair tonight and Friday; cooler tonight; westerly winds.

THE WAR LOSS EIGHT MILLION.

Figuring the wastage of men in millions for one year of war seems almost beyond the point of credulity, but that is what one of the best informed military men of the United States has just done.

General Greene of the United States army in an address before the New York State Historical society has estimated the total losses of the first year of the war to be eight millions of men.

He has divided the totals up as follows: Great Britain, 392,000; France, 1,400,000; Russia, 2,200,000; Italy, 25,000; Belgium, 80,000; Serbia, 70,000; total allied losses, 4,167,000.

Germany, 1,900,000; Austria-Hungary, 1,800,000; Turkey, 130,000; total for the central powers 3,830,000.

As the war progresses each of the combatants develops a greater efficiency in killing, and if it lasts another year, as it now seems certain, the thought naturally arises what will be the toll in the coming twelve months?

It doesn't seem that humanity, no matter what the national or racial feeling, can calmly look on and countenance such wholesale slaughter. The aims and ambitions of the belligerents will be defeated by their utter exhaustion at the end of the war if the present death and disability rate is maintained.

The west is not to see the heroes of the world series baseball after all. A mere matter of lack of a guarantee of \$15,000 stands in the way, and the ball tossers will sulk in their tents.

That bean-eating Hooper is some goer. It might be well to investigate his family tree and see, if he is not distantly connected with a certain John Austin Hooper, who also knew how and when to travel.

About the only thing the Courier can name as being more perfect than a day in June is a Rogue valley day in October.

BOOZE VOTED OUT OF MONTANA COUNTY Billings, Mont., Oct. 14.—The count early today indicated that Richard county went dry overwhelmingly at yesterday's local option election.

Prayer for a dry victory was offered at the national W. C. T. U. convention in Seattle yesterday.

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CHARGE REV. HILLIS WITH VICTIMIZING FRIENDS IN EAST

New York, Oct. 14.—Charges that Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, Plymouth church pastor of Brooklyn, victimized friends through dealings in north-west land tracts, were filed today by Frank Ferguson, former chairman of the church board of trustees.

Ferguson attacked Hillis' motives in seeking an order compelling Ferguson to account for certain money. Ferguson made an affidavit that Hillis persuaded many friends, both in and out of the ministry, to buy his British Columbia timber properties when he began his investments in 1906.

Hillis' brother, W. A. Hillis, of Cleveland, was prevailed upon to invest, and through him Harry M. and Percy D. Hillis, nephews, became agents for the Plymouth minister, who a few Sundays ago told his congregation his ambitions had shattered his ideals.

Flushed with his first year's success, Hillis entered into some larger contracts, Ferguson charged, including one to buy certain coal and timber lands on Graham island for \$400,000; a contract to buy timber licenses on Moresby island for \$140,000; on Quatsino sound for \$180,000, and on Nootka sound for \$90,000.

Following filing of Ferguson's affidavit, Supreme Court Justice Kelly granted an adjournment of the case until October 19. Counsel for the minister assailed the affidavit as "false, misleading and slanderous," and asked time to make an adequate reply.

HOLD McMinnville PAIR WHILE PROBING KILLING McMinnville, Oct. 14.—Seldom has this section of Oregon been so stirred as it was today over the arrest of William Branson, 22 years old, and Mrs. William Booth, 30, in connection with the murder of the woman's husband last Friday at Willamina. Booth was shot to death.

Following a preliminary hearing at Willamina yesterday, at which it developed that Booth had accused his wife of undue intimacy with young Branson, both were being held in the jail here awaiting the action of the grand jury.

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\$10.95

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\$3.75

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- \$1.50 Children's Shoes, 12 to 2 1/2 .81.15 \$1.75 Children's Shoes, 5 to 8 .81.45 \$2.00 Children's Shoes, 8 to 12 .81.65 \$2.50 Ladies' Shoes .81.85 \$3.00 Ladies' Shoes .82.15 \$3.50 Ladies' Shoes .82.55 \$4.00 Ladies' Shoes .82.95 \$3.50 to \$4.50 Pumps and Slippers choice .81.95

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

- 10c Vests .7c 15c Vests .9c 35c Union Suits .19c 50c Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves .39c \$1.00 and \$1.25 Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves .65c \$1.50 Wool Non-Shrinkable Union Suits .98c \$2.50 Wool Non-Shrinkable Union Suits .81.45 1 lot of Children's Underwear, heavy, choice .11c \$1.00 and \$1.25 Wool Union Suits for children .49c 25c Ruben Infants' Vests .17 1/2c 1 lot Infants' Hose, values to 25c .9c 15c Infant Hose .11c 35c Children's Holeproof Hose .10c 25c Onyx, for children .19c 10c Ladies' Hose .7c 15c Ladies' Hose .10c 25c Ladies' Onyx Hose .19c 50c Ladies' Onyx Hose, regular and out Sizes .39c

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MEN'S SHIRTS

- 50c Wash Shirts .29c 75c Golf Shirts .49c \$1.00 Milton & Goodman Heavy Work Shirts, in black, gray, tan .75c \$1.00 Dress Shirts, soft and starched cuffs .75c

MEN'S HOSE

- 10c Hose, black and tan .7c 15c Hose, black and tan .10c 25c Onyx Hose .19c 25c Cashmere, guaranteed 4-thread heel and toe .19c 35c Gorden Cashmere .25c 50c Gorden Round Ticket Cashmere Hose .39c

MISCELLANEOUS FURNISHINGS FOR MEN

- 25c Silk Ties .17 1/2c 50c Silk Ties .39c 25c Boston and Paris Garters .15c 25c Double Grip Garters .19c 10c Arm Bands .7c

\$6.00 Coats for Ladies, full box and Patch pockets

\$4.45

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Accompanied by the city marshal and Mrs. Todd, Stout and his former wife went to their old home to divide family property. The city marshal was asked to remain outside.

Soon several shots were heard in the upstairs of the home and Stout appeared at the window and fired at the marshal. The bullets did not take effect.

Stout then left the window, set fire to the clothing in a closet and shot himself. The fire was easily extinguished and Stout, his divorced wife and her sister were found dead.

Trespass notices, printed on cloth, at the Courier office.

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