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Mr. Bramwell Visits Fertile Valley and Sees Mammoth Smash Record for Weight

GRFAT FOR

BEFTS

gation, in the Applegate valley alone back to the west. said Frank S. Bramwell on his return from a first visit to that district Friday evening Mr. Bramwell, ac-Williams, visited the upper Apple- in the Dvinsk region were claimed. gate Friday, and on their return Mr. pecially impressed with the quality their long-desired object of reaching him said that of the hundreds of the action of the frost. thousands of tons of sugar beets that he had seen sliced, he had never seen a larger one. But Saturday Mr. Bram-well got another shock. From this ANCONA SHELLED same Applegate valley, in the Murphy district, there came a sugar beet that weighed 17 pounds and 3 ounces with the top and a part of the root gone.

"Of course we do not want to grow mammoths like that for the factory." said Mr. Bramwell. "But the farmer can get the same tonnage from his acres by growing two beets where that one was produced. It shows, however, that the soil here has got the stuff in it to make the

London, Nov. 13 .- Once advancing victoriously almost without hindrance, Austro-Germans along the eastern front now are on the defensive, and losing here and there. Russians have dealt them heavy

hynia regions. The gradual collapse of the Germans' offensive is attributed here to withdrawals for the Samples Grown There That buted here to withdrawals for the Balkan campaign, and possibly to Inadequate munitions supplies. Kammern and Anting, in the Shlok region, are in the Russians'

hands after eleven days of uninter-"I saw enough good beet land, rupted fighting, while the Germans, with a sufficiency of water for irri- badly crippled, have been thrown

to supply a sugar factory with beets," In the Ikakul region, Germans are making a desperate effort to recoup their losses.

Tribute was paid to the valor of young Lithuanian troops, recently companied by Dr. Macy and J. H. hurled into the Riga fighting. Gains

With the grips of winter on the Bramwell became an enthusiastic easterni country, the Germans now booster for the district. He was es- have no chance of accomplishing of the soll for the growth of the beet. Riga and Dvinsk, not at least until and when a 14-pounder was shown the roads have become firmer under

> AFTER PASSENGERS WENT OVERBOARD

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marine attacking the Italian liner imum of 11 per cent grade. Ancona continued to fire shells after | On the Douglas county side of the the passengers went overboard was grade the road is to follow



attacks in the Riga, Dvinsk and Vol- Highway Commission Appor- Completion of Line to Hays tions \$7,000 for Use on Hill Will Be Rushed and Wolf Creek Hill and \$18,-Rails Will Be Laid to End 000 for Cow Creek Road of Grade by December

> The state highway commission in ts alloiment of funds for the proseties of the state gave Josephine.

ed upon the Pacific highway and on the Wolf Creek hill. Josephine and done under the direction of Barney Douglas countles were alloted \$25,- O'Toole, who comes here from Med-000 for use on the highway. The ford (Medford Sun please note), to him. road building that can be prosecuted take charge of this portion of the by use of these funds will remove building of the new railroad. The the terror of travel through the Cow Creek canyon district, though it will surfacing crew follows the train that dumps the decomposed granite along not do all that must be done there

to make a perfect road of it. The the right-of-way, tamps the ballast estimate made by Engineer Cantine around the ties and levels up the tracks. was of \$44,000. The track laying crew will be The \$7,000 given Josephine coun-

ty will be used to reduce the grade rushed along the coming week, this on the Wolf Creek hill, and will make consisting also of 25 men, under the that stretch of road of an even and foremanship of Frank Kowalsky. low, gradient. Commissioner Lind "Big Frank," as his associates best appeared before the board at Salem, know him, came from Medford (Medand it was at his suggestion that ford Sun please note) more than a this work is to be done. The high-year ago, and has been associated way will be routed through Stage with the building of the road since Obach pass, which is the present ground was first broken. The ralls nia pays 12 per cent of the officers' route of the road as built by Jose-

phine county. In making this pass Josephine already has an excellent small bridge over that stream will be nearly every state of the union, but London, Nov: 13 .- That the sub- and smooth roadway with a max- delivered on the cars and the bridge business in this state is charged 12

at the office of the railroad company in this city Saturday that the bridge



Portland, Nov. 13 .- The police were convinced today that John Austin Hooper, alleged outlaw, wanted in California and Oregon, who broke parole in the former state, and broke jail in the latter, holds them in utter contempt.

Special Agent Lou Wagner, of the local traction company, received a letter from Hooper postmarked Minneapolis, and on the corner of the envelope was written "Return in 10 days to John Austin Hooper, or Outlaws' Ranch." In the envelope was

some advertising matter. Hooper escaped jail several months ago at Grants Pass, where he was awaiting cution of work in the various coun- this week to "surface" the grade as trial on the charge of robbing the fast as the train crew dumps the bal- Southern Pacific depot.

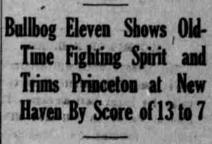
Later he was arrested in Milwhukee under an assumed name, but was released after former Governor. McGovern is said to have vouched for

The Oregon authorities charge that Hooper was responsible for a numther of bold robberies in this state and California.



San Francisco, Nov. 13 .- Califorwill be to Waters creek during the salaries of the Wells Fargo Express week, when the materials for the company. The company operates in the season in "big league" football. rapidly constructed. It was stated per cent of its salary expense.

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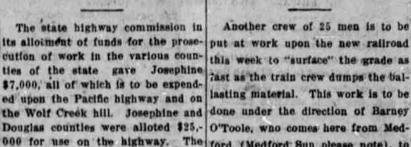


New Haven, Conn., Nov. 13 .--- Under dogs from the start of the season. maligned of the sporting experts and not conceded an outside chance to win a week ago, the Yale buildogs "came through" this afternoon and battered their way to victory over Princeton by a score of 13 to 7.

The blue victory was a personal triumph for Tom Shevlin and Guernsey, the big fullback with the educated toe. Taking hold of the team at the last moment after other coaches apparently had failed to bring order out of Yale's athletic chaos, Shevlin taught the team sufficient football to defeat the Tigers at their own game.

To Guernsey went the individual honors of the game. The fullback who made the team two years ago, but was not considered good enough for a place last year, dropped two beautiful field goals and kicked another goal after a touchdown. One of Guernsey's efforts traveled a distance of 50 yards, the best kick of The oval settled toward the bar as the crowd held its breath. .It ticked theebar, apparently poised for an in-

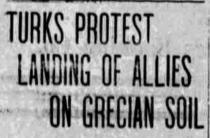
stant and then dropped on the other side. Pandemonium broke loose from the Yale adherents. Only a few minutes later Guernsey sent another shot through between the posts from an easier position. Yale was then six points to the good. Goaded to a frenzy, Princeton responded to the pleas of her rooters. Two perfect forward passes netted big gains. Glick and Tibbott were sent through the line and around the ends for more yardage. Down the field swept the black and gold. Under their own goal posts Yale held doggedly. Three times Glick and Driggs were hurled at the line. Each time the ball was stopped within inches of the chalk mark. Driggs was called upon for a final effort. . He made good. Princeton then took her turn at vocal insanity. London, Nov. 13 .- England's "stay Tibbott added his "bit" by negotiaat homes" had before them today the ting the goal. Princeton was ahead 7 to 6. Yale's unbeatable spirit, aldfigure in the nation's war affairs, vol- ed by Dame Fortune, again turned untarily relinquishing an easy gov- the tide for the blue when one of ernment berth to join his regiment. Guernsey's punts got away from the Princeton back field and Way recov-



beet."

f The campaign for acreage during the past week has been most satisfactory to the committee and to Mr. far from done. Mr. Bramwell has told the committee that the time when Mr. Niciley and his associates must know definitely whether or not the acreage can be secured is now to be ready for the beets of the 1916 crop. The committee has therefore

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(By United Press Leased Wire) Paris, Nov. 13 .- Following their est means of aiding the main Serbian here today. army west of Nish.

has caused fears that the forces there savers. are not strong enough to accomplish and checking the Austro-German rescued by life savers. drive for Constantinople.

mowing down masses of the enemy.

While there is doubt here as to the PRES. GOMPERS TELLS extent of the Saloniki landings, there is nevertheless apparently some apprehension in the Furk and Buigar capitals, inasmuch as the envoys of Gompers addressed the delegates to status. these nations have protested to the American Federation of Labor

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Forryville, Tunis.

She said a shell entered the port- In any event the Glendale hill, which Ancona to the bottom. Most of the Sisklyon mountain grade. passengers, she said, were at lunch-

con when the first shells were fired.

She could not clear up the situation concerning the vessel's effort to escape and just what the situation was with regard to halting.

SHIPS ON LAKE ERIE

(By United Press Leased Wire.) Erie, Pa., Nov. 13 .- Aground in as leader in alleged anti-American of munitions. victory at Veles, the allies are trying Lake Erie in heavy weather, the coal plottings has made him persona non viciously to pierce the Bulgarian line steamer Philip Armour threatened to grata with the administration. The can Federation of Labor disclosed to along the Vardar river as the quick- pound to pieces four miles west of decision as to what will be done with the administration that a foreign

Fearing that she was about to Lansing. Official reticence concerning the sink, her crew clambered to the rigallied landings at Saloniki, however, ging and were finally rescued by life wake of disclosures by former Aus- shoremen. Following this statement, The grain steamer Perry was re-

lery are playing an important role, waves in the vicinity of the two ships.

pear confident that there will be no portfolio in the cabinet and recent Nuber. son, exp immediate change in Greenan policy. Invorable national labor legislation. Lansing's information is that winter.

the declaration today of Dr. Cecile Cow creek, unless the county itself would be in and the ralls laid to the by John W. Newlan, of New York, dowi Greil, of New York, a survivor, at is willing to bear the difference in end of the grade at Hays Hill by vice-president and controller of the cost of building by way of Glendale. the 1st day of December.

Besides the track-laying crew and hole of her cabin and killed her has terrorized tourists for the past the surfacing crew, the payroll of paid the officials were: President, Bramwell-the most satisfactory maid before she rushed in for her few years is to be eliminated. If the the company includes also the steam \$35,000 a year: first and second viceclothing. The doctor reached the county puts up the amount to connect shovel and the train crew, these be- presidents, \$20,000 each; third and deck too late to get into a lifeboat. Glendale up with the Pacific high- ing occupied in scooping up the gran- fourth vice-presidents, \$15,000. but she leaped for a launch. The way the road will swing to the left lite for ballast from the Jerome submarine could be seen through a and the grade will be low, though Prairie hump and delivering it along light fog 100 yards away. It con- the distance will be somewhat great- the tracks. The grade at the hump tinued its shelling, the shrapnel er. In compliance with a law passed is being greatly reduced through the at hand, for the building of a factory bursting above the water line. Then by the last legislature, Jackson coun- taking out of this ballast, and will she fired the torpedo that sent the ty was given \$40,000 for use on the be down to a sufficiently low gradient when the work is completed

> a wild panic rush for the boats fol-towed as the shells continued to AUSTRIAN CONSUL GENERAL AT N. LOSES CASTE WITH AD

Washington, Nov. 13 .- Evidence Nuber has been intimately associated BATTLE WITH ELEMENTS obtained by the state department with a half dozen schemes to embarconcerning the activity of Austrian rass this government, ranging from Consul General Nuber of New York passport frauds to tieing up export

> President Gompers of the Amerihim lies with Secretary of State agent approached a "high federation official" with an offer of \$200,000

These facts developed today in the to cause a general strike of longtrian Consul Goricar of San Fran- the Goricar disclosures and other corcisco that a spy system was fostered roborative incidents, the government their purpose of aiding the Serbians ported sunk, with three of her crew in this country by Nuber and Ger- investigation has been redoubled. man Ambassador von Bernstorff; and

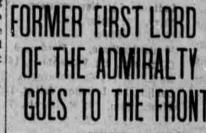
Shortly before noon the life-saving announcement that the department York, in charge of the Robert Fay Superior forces of French artil- crew was still battling with the of justice is probing recent suspicious can munitions of war plants.

OF FEDERATED LABOR ported to believe warranted by the

Greece against the landings. What convention here today, outlining the cludes that larger diplomatic mat- able" for several days. course Greece will take is doubtful. history of the organization since its ters with Austria would be compli-With her, political situation upset by formation 35 years ago. He pointed cated by such a step, he will probably the dissolution of the legislature, to what he termed the growing in- let the matter rest, trusting that the Eades left Saturday afternoon for England has now come to the reali- many without a declaration of war."

express company.

Newlan testified that the salaries



(By United Press Leased Wire.) example of a man, once a foremost That man is Winston Churchill, one time first lord of the admiralty. Holding that he could not sit in

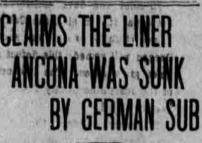
the new war council, accepting its responsibility without a cabinet post commensurate with this responsibility, he resigned. As chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster his cabinet position was more or less honorary. It brought no responsibility for directing Britain's war fortunes.

Churchill, as an officer of the Oxford Yeomanry, will soon be at the front. In quitting, he expressed appreciation for the honor of seeking to have him in the war council.

ing officers hoped it would be an in- war with Italy without declaration. spiration to others. His resignation, was claimed in a Rome dispatch to evidence, he will revoke Nuber's exe- to quiz Gorlear, but the Providence coupled with Lord Derby's threat of the Evening Sun today. San Francisco, Nov. 13 .- President quature and terminate his official Journal, which printed his story, in- conscription if England's young men

diplomats are at a loss to know just fluence of labor in national affairs, department of justice will circumvent what she will do, though they and jiting the establishment of a labor future plottings alleged against family leave today by team for Sis-pear confident that there will be no portfolio in the cabinet and recent Nuber. Sisson by rail and the men of the family leave today by team for Sis-program. Officials wait analously to ships, reported as Austrian, but in son, expecting to locate there for the program. Officials wait anziously to ships, reported as Austrian, but in winter.

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(By United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Nov. 13 .- That a German, and not an Austrian, submar-His example fired some of the ine sank the Italian liner Ancona, "stay at homes" to action. Recruit- and that this meant Germany is at

"An Italian cabinet official informformed Gregory that the former Aus- do not come forward voluntarily be- ed the Evening Sun," said the cable-Otherwise, if the secretary con- trian diplomat will not be "avail- fore November 30, together with gram, "that a German, and not an Churchill's example, has created Austrian, submarine sank the Anmore talk than any event of recent cona. Italy regards the sinking as the opening of hostilities by Ger-

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Federal Attorney Marshall of New

Mrs. John Lawler and Mrs. L. B. months.

