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KAISER QUITS THRONE

GERMAN EMPIRE IN THROES REVOLUTION

OTHER WAR LORDS

Kaiser's Son and His Successor Take "French Leave" For Tall Timbers.

GREAT EXCITEMENT

Berlin Banks Suspend. — Chancello Maximilian Issues Statement Late today, Setting .. Forth His Government's Plans.

(By Associated Press.)
Paris, Nov. 9.—The abdication of Emperor William has been officially announced from Berlin, according to a telegram to the Dispatch from Basel, Switzerland.

HAVAS CARRIES REPORT.
.Paris, Nov. 9.—The Basel, Switzer-land, dispatch, regarding the abdica-tion of the Kaiser, was carried by the Havas .Agency, ..the ..semi-official French News agency.

THRONE IS RENOUNCED.

less message received this afternoon states:

"German Imperial Chancellor, the Prince Maximilian, has issued the following decree: "The kaiser and king has decided to renounce the throne. The chancellor will remain in office until the situation connected with the abdication of the kaiser, the renouncing by the German crown prince of the throne of the German empire and Prussia and the setting up of a regency have been settled. For the regency he intends to appoint Deputy Ebert as chancellor and proposes that a bill be brought in establishing a law for the immediate proposes that a bill be brought in estab-lishing a law for the immediate pro-mulgation of general suffrage and for a constitutional German ...assembly, which will settle finally the future form of government of the German nation and those peoples which might be desirous of coming within the en-pire."

EMPEROR'S SON ABDICATES. EMPEROR'S SON ARDICATES.

London, Nov. 9.—A telegram from
Copenhagen late this afternoon asserts that Emperor William's son-inlaw, duke of Brunswick, and his successor, have also abdicated. ..The revolution is now spreading all over
western Germany, having reached Colorge. Berlin banks are reported as logue. Berlin banks are reported as having stopped all payments of de-posits owing to the great rush that is being made upon them todyy

RESIGNATION NOT ACCEPTED.

Copenhagen, Nov. 9.—Emperor
William has not yet accepted the resignation of Prince Maximillian as chancellor. He has asked that Maximillian continue provisionally until the comperor's final decision is reaching the solution of the solution with the solution in the solution in the solution with the solution in the solution

GERMANY PLANS AN ELECTION.

Herne, Switzerland, Nov... 9.—A

Berlin message says that groups are
forming as a majority of the Reichssion a plan for the election to the Reichstag and lower houses of a con-feration of German states by equal, direct and secret ballot following the principles of proportionate represen-tation and all without distinction of

UPRISING SPREADING. Copenhagen, ..Nov. 9. — Emperor ing in northern Germany, it is resported, has spread to Hanover, Oldenbur and other cities.

ENTIRE FRENCH FRONT ACTIVE. Paris, Nov. 9.—The French army today resumed their forward march along the entire front.

OUSTING THE HUNS. ated Press War Lend, Nov. 9.

been reduced from 10,000 to 2500 square miles and the enemy has been driven sixty-four miles farther from Paris during the allied offensive. Evidently badly wrought up over the fact of the continual gains made by our forces, revolutionary movements are spreading to a great degree, especially is this a fact in the northwestern part of the empire.

NO WORD ON THE ARMISTICE. Washington, Nov. 9.—No word has been received by General Foch from the German high command since the courier ...started ...back through the battle line last night, so far as the American government has been ad-vised today.

COURIER IS DELAYED.

London, Nov. 9.—The British press announced late this afternoon that owing to the heavy German barrage and machine gun fire, the courier from General Foch's headquarters to Spa had been delayed and was not expected to reach German headquarters until this afternoon, consequen

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in the world after the war is overwill depend entirely on the sort of
men, who shape and direct it.
As millions of friends look into the
eyes of the four million men who
return from training camp and overseas service, they will ask but one
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magnificent work of these great wel-fare organizations that have follower the soldler from the point of entrain ment into the very front line o trenches, and have been a constan-reminder to him of the fact that the "folks at nome" did not forget him when they sent him out to fight the Booke

He will tell you of the irksome routine of camp life made brighte by the games, the entertainments and the good fellowship of the huts, of the coffee and chocolate that came just when they were needed in the fearful onrush of the drive, of the splendid influence of the hostes houses, of the opportunity for writ-ing the home letter, of the hot baths and the comforts of rest billets, of the mighty moral influence exerted routine of camp life made brighte and the comforts of rest bilists, of the mighty moral influence exerted by the devoted men and women who managen all these, and the continual reminder that the people "over here" were providing them for the boys anywhere and everywhere they might

And then-friend reader, he may And then—friend reader, he may have a question for you. He may say, with a question in his voice, "I hope you did all you could for those organizations, for they certainly were the great forces that, along with our discipline, kept us at our best and helped to win the war."

Now is your chance to make good, and heaft to get your answer ready.

and begin to get your answer ready Already the estimates for these sever Associated Press War Lead, Nov. 9. Already the estimates for these seven will be defined by the British. French and Amercan armies are carrying on the task of eliminating the Germans and freeing French soil of the invaders. The allied forces have been so successful in their efforts in this direction that the territory formerly held by the Huns in France has

General March Comments on Garbled "Peace" Report Given to the Public.

Essential Supplies Going to Our Boys in France, Handicapped By the Ruthless Fabrication that is Given to World.

PASSED AWAY TODAY

Clifford Hyland, aged 16, and a brother of B. L. Hyland, local manager for the Standard Oil Co., parsed canadians in France. During the away at Eugene this morning after time. Sergeant Alley made his home in liness of several weeks. The in Roseburg, he was one of the foreyoung man was first taken ill with most citizens of the city, always Spanish influenza, after which pneumonia developed. Before fully recovering from the latter affliction, as of municipal affairs.

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Severe attack of appendicitis developed which necessiated an immediate operation. His weakened condition was against him and while every possible offort was made to raily the young man, this was without avail and he passed away this morning. He was a student at the Eugene High school and very popular among his associates. Mr. and Mrs. Hyland which here am sevening for Engene to be present at the funeral, which will probably occur tomorrow atternoon.

Details Concerning its Form atternoon.

STOPS IMPORTANT WORK

The teachers' of Roseburg met with Superintendent Aubrey G. Smith at the high school this morning and received their warrants for ing and received their warrants for pose of the Superintendent to make up the work, which has been missed by lengthening the school day and by lengthening the school day and cutting holidays short.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Transce, Handlacqued, Bly the Britishers Poblication that is driven to Works.

What Comment of the Comment of t Chronicle and Express from London, are among the interesting features of the collection. There is also a wing from the wrecked Hun plane which was brought down by our American aviators. One of the unique articles sent by Mr. Alley is a time two forms of the difference of the collection of the unique articles sent by Mr. Alley is a time two forms of the difference of the collection of the unique articles sent by Mr. Alley is a time two forms of the unique articles sent by Mr. Alley is a time two forms of the unique articles sent by Mr. Alley is a time two forms of the unique articles sent by Mr. Alley is a time two forms of the unique articles of all religious sects. While war may end in a short time, and it probably will, the need for the services of these seven organizations and your funds to back them, will be necessary for at least 18 months to two years and has been associated with some of the most difficult feats of railroad engineering effected by the

DRIVE EXPLAINED

Details Concerning Its Formation, Object and Character Fully Outlined.

THE 7 ORGANIZATIONS

Cover a Wide Scope In Dealing With the Problems That Go to Make Our Men Comfortable at the Battle Front.

home for the feeble minded in Pennsylvania. Boyle, who is about 27 years of age enlisted in the navy about seven years ago. After serving for four years, he re-enlisted. Just prior to the time he disappeared from Mare Island, Boyle had a severe attack of fever, during which time he was delirious and upon recovery, it is assumed that, in a slightly unbelanced condition, he slipped away from the island. His relatives, working in cooperation with the government officials, have done their utmost during the last three years to locate the unfortunate young man and just a few days ago, a government message arrived, stating that he had been found in a hospital tor the feeble minded in Pennsylvania, out was now in such a condition that he could be sent home at once, if some one would come for him, Young Business Conditions Excellent as out was now in such a condition that he could be sent home at once, if some one would come for him. Young Boyle passed the earlier portion of his life at Cayonville with his arents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boyle. One brother, Clifford Boyle, is employed in the local postoffice. The parents have arranged for an attendant for their son on the transcontinental trip and it is expected that he will arrive at his home the first of the week.

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MISSING YOUNG MAN

IS FINALLY LOCATED

According to word received here today. Thurman Boyle, who mysteriously disappeared from Mare Island about three years ago, has been located by government officials at a support of the carbon of the case of the ca

BACK FROM EAST

After Eighteen Months Visit Throughout States 'Re-

BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD

Business Conditions Excellent and Ho Looks For Some Blg Developments When the War Ends .- Plenty Loose Money at Hand.

Fred. J. Blakeley returned yester-day evening after an absence of near-ly two years from Roseburg, during which time he has visited a great number of the large eastern cities and, in conversation with a News re-presentative this morning, had the following to say in reference to his extended visit:

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"Now that glorious victory beems almost assured for humanity it has brought joy to the hearts of everyone. It is about all one can think or talk about, but in a short time people will begin to think of the conditions or changes that are bound to come in the very near future.

"Never in the history of the country has there been so much money in circulation. It is true that we have had to take Liberty bonds and contribute in many other ways to help carry on the conflict. This money though has been spent mostly in our country in the purchase of munitions, supplies, etc. Manufacturers and other lines of business, especially in the cast, have made money and made it quickly. With the war ended they will naturally begin to seek investments,

"The west will come in for its share of this money, just what state or section depends inrecip upon the efforts put forth to induce investors to spent their money in certain localities.

Oregon now has a golden opportunity. She should reach out and grasp it with a firm hand, just how this should be done, I am not prepared to say, but the many advantages of our state should be presented to the people of the east in such a way, as to at least have these people visit us and investigate our resources.

For the past three years the eastern and middle states have experienced especially severe winters, on every side you hear complaints about it, not only from people living in the cities and towns, but also among the farmers. Good attractive literature and judicious advertising will be read with interest in the east and in the end bring many people to the coast. Farm lands have been selling at exceptionally high figures in the east many farmers have taken advantage of this, sold their lands and are looking for other locations. Oregon can offer them as good, if not better looking for other locations. Oregon can offer them as good, if not better inducements than any other state in the union, but one lesson we must heed, "don't put your property on the market at too high a price.

This question of getting eastern people to come. should be taken up by the state. A few years ago, when we had people coming here, each locality tried to handle its own advertising, but the result would have been far better, if the state had handled it as a whole.

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During my absence, nearly eighteen months, I have been in practically all the large cities of the east; most of my time though has been spent in Detroit, Michigan.

Our people here on the coast can hardly realize what wonderful hives of industry these cities are, especially Pitsburg. Detroit, Cleveland and Toledo. With the great concerns manufacturing war munitions and other supplies and the enormous amounts of money paid out for labor, everything seemed to be on the move, Florida and other of the southern states are making a strong bid for emigration, but they have not nearly so many and great inducements to offer as has the Pacific coast.

I am certainly glad to be back home, especially to meet my old friends once more.