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BLAST STARTS FOREST FIRE

Three Million Feet of Lumber in Logs is Destroyed

The forest fire that has been raging in the woods back of the Carlton Lumber Company's camp is at the present time under control. Word was received in Carlton during the early part of the week that if the weather remained the same, and the wind did not rise there would be no more danger of the fire spreading.

The fire started from a blown out stump where the men had been doing some blasting. As there were two more shots in the stump the men in charge were unable to get to the fire until it had gained sufficient headway to be beyond control.

The report that camp No. 1 of the Carlton Lumber Company had been burned, and that camp No. 2 was in danger, is false. So far there has been no damage done to either of the camps and all of the machinery and equipment is still free of the fire. There has been about three million feet of lumber in the logs consumed by the flames.

ULTIMATUM SENT BY JAPAN TO GERMANY

Demands Withdrawal of German Warships From Orient and Evacuation of Kiau-Chau.

Tokio.—Japan sent an ultimatum to Germany Saturday night at 8 o'clock, demanding the withdrawal of German warships from the orient and the evacuation of Kiau-Chau and giving Germany until Sunday, August 23, to comply with the demand. Otherwise, the ultimatum states, Japan will take action.

The general expectation here is that the ultimatum will be followed by war.

Inspired utterances express regret at the inability to maintain neutrality, but say that Great Britain, the ally of Japan, is compelled to defend herself against the aggressions of Germany. Moreover, it is pointed out that Germany is making preparations day and night at Kiau-Chau, where it is storing provisions, while its warships are scouring the seas of eastern Asia to the great detriment of commerce, and that its converted cruisers are seizing English merchant vessels. Such actions, it is argued, are directly calculated to disturb the peace of eastern Asia and accordingly, after full and frank communication with Great Britain, Japan has found herself compelled to send an ultimatum to Germany.

AGGRESSIVE MOVE BEGUN

French Offensive Movement Started Along the Line From Sarrebourg.

Paris.—Official dispatches announce that the French offensive movement began in great force along the line from Sarrebourg, on the Franco-German frontier to Lunaville, in the department of Muerthe-et-Moselle.

"Blamont, 17 miles east of Lunaville, Cirey, still further east, and Avricourt, occupied by a Bavarian army corps, were stormed by our troops," the announcement continues. "The Germans are in full retreat, having left many dead, wounded and prisoners. The French continue to advance to upper Vosges, the Germans giving way before them. In upper Alsace we have retaken Thann. Prisoners affirm that General von Deimling, commanding the Fifteenth army corps at Thann, was wounded.

Too Old For Lamb.

Diner (sarcastically) - Waiter, you may possibly recollect that I ordered roast lamb a long time ago. Waiter - Yes, sir, it will be ready directly. Diner - Well, kill another; I don't want mutton. Boston Transcript.

EDITOR VISITS HOG RANCH



Last week the editor of the Tribune had the pleasure of visiting the farm of Herbert Willard, some one and one-half miles east of this city. The editor was given a cordial reception by the Willards and among other things of interest that he was shown, was Mr. Willard's herd of pure bred Poland China hogs.

Mr. Willard has been in the hog business for about twenty five years and has reached a state of perfection in his line. He has about ninety hogs of the above mentioned strain that any owner ought to be proud of. Last year at the Fat Stock Show in Portland he took several prizes with his herd, among which was the Junior champion boar, which he still has in his possession. As the same show he managed to capture many other prizes which were of credit to his herd. He took the first and second prizes on boars under six months.



The accompanying photo shows 'Willard's Choice Second' sow, which is now 5 years old and weighs about 600 pounds. This sow is the dam of the boar which took the Junior Championship prize at the Fat Stock show in Portland last year. This sow has a large number of pigs to her credit, being an excellent brood sow.

He then showed us a pig that was born last October that would weigh in the neighborhood of 300 pounds. Mr.

Willard has his pigs in excellent condition, and they have learned that they are not to be hurt which makes it possible to get within a reasonable distance of them at any time. Among the other fine pigs was a sow one year and four months old that would weigh 400 pounds.

We were then shown a drove of 15 sows ranging in age from nine to eleven months that were the finest we have ever seen. Mr. Willard told us that he had one litter of pigs that, when sold, netted him a trifle over two hundred dollars, when the pigs were only a few months old.

The Willard farm consists of 177 acres of land, some of the finest in the state of Oregon. He raises corn, kale and other green feed which he uses for the winter feed. He contemplates erecting a silo this fall in which he will put away this year's crop of corn.

The farm is beautifully located on the banks of the Yamhill river, in such a way that the stock may run to the river for water. Mr. Willard has been on this farm four years and during this time has put on between two and three thousand dollars worth of improvements. In fact this is one of the finest farms in this section of the country.

He has also been able to raise some trees on this place. One tree is a black walnut that has grown to large size and is loaded with nuts this year having the largest amount on it of any tree we have ever seen.

Near the barn in the barn yard, so that the shade in the afternoon falls over one of the pig pens stands an elm tree with a spread of branches of about 60 feet. These trees are very rare in this country and it would be worth your while to see it.

Anyone interested in the hog raising enterprise would find their time well spent in visiting the Willard ranch. If you intend to buy any full blood stock we would advise you to see his strain before making a purchase.

AT THE THEATRE

The following will be shown at the Arcade Theatre, Saturday evening, August 22nd.

(Edison—Drama)

"A Proposal from the Spanish Don." Second part of "Who Will Marry Mary" A fiery Spaniard becomes enamored of Mary and her bank account. She uses him in a railroad train and the treacherous Don uncouples the car at the top of the grade down which it dashes and is barely stopped at an open draw bridge by the courage of Captain Bradford.

(Vitagraph—Drama)

"Her Faith in the Flag." Faith has wrought miracles, but none greater than the poor woman's belief in the protection of our flag.

(Kalem—Comedy)

"Emancipated Women." The ladies tire of performing man's work

Trying Wall Paper.

Red wall paper, especially in a small room, is often found to be trying to the eyes and temper.

JAPAN ASSURES U. S. OF FRIENDLY ATTITUDE

Washington.—The Japanese ambassador, Baron Chinda, delivered to Secretary Bryan the written announcement of Japan that an ultimatum had been addressed to Germany requesting the latter's withdrawal from her field of activity in China.

At the same time she communicated the assurances of Japan to the United States that the utmost endeavor would be exercised to safeguard the interests of this country and all others not immediately concerned in the present operations.

The ambassador presented a communication which contained a strong statement concerning Japan's purposes of maintaining the territorial integrity of the Chinese republic by restoring to her the territory of Kiau-Chau, originally taken from China by Germany as an act of reprisal for the killing of German missionaries.

The United States, it became known after Baron Chinda's call on Mr. Bryan, does not intend to be drawn in any way into the controversy, regarding it as a matter purely between Germany and Japan. The American government considers satisfactory the promise of Japan of "eventual restoration to China" of the territory of Kiau-Chau.

Invading Uhlans Suffer Great Loss.

Antwerp.—Stories were published here of the frightful losses the German Uhlans, the kaiser's finest cavalry, have sustained since they invaded Belgium. Of 5000 of them who took part in the battle of Haelen it was declared only 1000 escaped alive and unhurt.

Japanese Cruiser to Follow Leipsig.

San Diego, Cal.—Under orders to follow the German cruiser Leipsig, the Japanese cruiser Idzumo left the harbor here with decks cleared for action. Captain Moriyama, commander of the Japanese warship, made no secret of his orders.

PANAMA CANAL IS OPEN

Vessels of Warring Nations Must Pass Without Halting.

Washington.—With the passage through the Panama canal of the war department steamship Ancon, the great waterway becomes "free and open to the vessels of commerce and war of all nations on terms of entire equality," in accordance with the provisions of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. Vessels drawing not more than 30 feet of water may now make the passage. It would be possible to put the big American dreadnoughts through at any time.

Any of the foreign warships now in the Atlantic and Pacific waters could also make the trip. Except in cases of absolute necessity, vessels of belligerents must make uninterrupted passage through the canal. They may not coal, revictual or embark or disembark troops in the canal zone.

Not Much.

Boss: Do you think much of Jimmie?
Tess: No; only about twenty four hours a day. Judge.

THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST

Presented in the Dayton Opera House August 27, 1914

On Thursday evening, August 27, David Belasco's superb production, "The Girl of the Golden West," will be staged in the Dayton Opera House under the auspices of the Dayton Band and the direction of C. J. McNaughton and Miss Myrtle McDowell. Both of these people are well known locally through the success they scored with the Belieu-Elliott Stock Company, with which show they appeared here on several occasions. They are spending their summer vacation in this city, while the regular show is laying off, and not only direct, but take part as well.

"The Girl of the Golden West," is a story laid in California in the days of '49, and tells the story of a mining camp devoted to the little motherless girl, proprietor of the "Ranchman's Rest," the saloon. Never having been out side of the little mountain camp

GERMANS MOVE ON CAPITAL OF BELGIUM

Belgian Seat of Government Is Hastily Removed From Brussels to Antwerp.

London.—A Reuter dispatch from Brussels says: "The seat of government has been moved to Antwerp. Measures have been taken for the defense of Brussels because of the approach of German cavalry."

The Belgian ministers of war, finance and foreign affairs and the French and Russian ministers to Belgium have left Brussels for Antwerp.

Fleeting with their right at Diest and diverting to some extent the attention of the Belgian field army centered on Louvain, the German were reported as marching directly on Brussels by way of Huy and Jodoigne. This raiding force is believed to consist mainly of cavalry and artillery, including the much-feared motor quick-firers.

Trenches are being thrown up feverishly in the environs of the city, while exhortations in large, black type are being placarded right and left, calling on the inhabitants for their own sakes not to engage in any hostile acts in the event of German occupation.

On the line of battle in Belgium, Germany and France, despite the repeated repulses which they have suffered, the German battalions continue to move forward for a decisive encounter. The invaders are sweeping along the valley of the Meuse, south of Namur and have reached Dinant, where part of a strong French force, which is established behind that town, took the offensive and defeated them.

Italy Defies Austria.

Rome.—There was much public excitement over the news that the government had defied Austria, refusing to permit the passage of Austrian troops through Italian territory on their way to Alsace.

her code of moral runs without regard for latter day conventions and as she expresses it, 'it seems to me that saloon keeping is a good way to bring a girl up; gives her knowledge of the world that she couldn't get any other way.' So she just lives on with the boys for pals until the great desire comes—the great love, and thus the story begins.

They are ten people in the cast proper and ten more will appear in specialties between the acts making a show that none can afford to miss. A full orchestra will be on hand for the show and after the curtain the floor will be cleared and a big dance will be given.

We also wish to state that the new scenery that has been promised the show going people of Dayton, has arrived, \$250 worth, painted by the famous Graybell Studio Co., of Portland, and will be used in this play. Also a new front curtain costing nearly as much will be ready and up by show time. This is being painted by T. F. Miles of this city, and is a model of beauty.

The show will play over in St. Paul on the following evening Friday the 28.

The cast of characters is as follows:—

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Jack Delmore, the road agent George A. Gabriel
Sam Burton, bartender of "Ranchman's Rest" E. S. Filer
Wah Chin, a Chinese Laundryman T. F. Miles
Tony Valdeze, a Mexican vaquero F. T. Mellinger
Bat Smith, a cowboy Edward Leckband
Clay Allison, a Wells Fargo detective H. D. Skinner
Luke Short, Sheriff of Rio Blanco County C. J. McNaughton
Betsie Berry, with an eye on Sam Miss Blanche Tincher
White Fawn, an Indian girl Miss Abbie Nichols
Miss Myrtle McDowell as Roxie Tremaine, "The Girl"

SCENARIO

Act I The bar room of "Ranchman's Rest". Morning
Act II Interior of Roxie's cabin. The same night.
Act III The Rest-room of "Ranchman's Rest". Ten days later.

Double specialties between acts.