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GERMANY MAY REJECT PEACE TERMS

There appears to be a growing tendency among all parties in Germany, radical and conservative alike, to refuse any treaty of peace which shall make excessive territorial demands. At first the movement to reject such terms was apparently initiated by the government in order to influence the Paris Conference to make more reasonable terms, but now the movement has gotten out of government control.

In a speech at Berlin, Dr. Schiffer, Minister of Finance in the new Cabinet, said: "I take a most solemn oath that the government will not surrender to the enemy one inch of German territory, either east or west." In the Prussian assembly, Premier Hirsch declared that the government had no intention of giving up the eastern districts of the state and he considered it the state's chief duty to ward off all attacks, especially attempts aimed at West Prussia, Posen, and upper Silesia.

WORK FOR SOLDIERS

As chairman of the Emergency Employment Committee for Soldiers and Sailors, Colonel Arthur Woods, who is acting as assistant to the secretary of war in charge of handling soldier unemployment problems, has sent a letter to chambers of commerce throughout the country, finding work for soldiers. Colonel Wood has also sent a similar letter to 5,000 trade, employers' and industrial organizations.

Nothing On Earth Lasts Forever

Prosperity is with us. But adversity has a way of snapping at the heels of Prosperity and sometimes biting—hard.

Financial health, like physical health, does not always stay at high tide. Sometimes it ebbs. Start your Savings Account, increase your Checking Account, buy your Certificates of Deposit TODAY—and you will be prepared for changing conditions.

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Oldest Bank in Clackamas County

vide jobs for soldiers whose names you can find at the bureau. "The soldier should be urged to go back to his home town and, unless a better position can be obtained for him, take his old job, not because that is the best he is fitted for, but because owing to the industrial situation, it is an unfavorable time for him to seek a different position. He should certainly not give up his aim to get the better job, but he should work for it from his old position and not from a state of unemployment.

COUNTY AND CITY LOCALS

Miss Iva Harrington, ex-county clerk, whose home is in Gladstone, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Copley, at Modesto, California. Miss Harrington left Saturday morning for California.

West Linn C. W. Inn will buy your pig and pay cash. Call on Mr. Barlow when next in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lyons of this city, Dan Jr., that he has arrived safely in Los Angeles, California. He made the trip by steamer, and the voyage was exceedingly rough. The boat took five days to make the trip. Young Lyons will spend the summer at Long Beach.

FOR SALE—Seed potatoes, "American Wonder" and "Multnomah Pride."—John Vinney, Falls View. Call after 5:30 p. m. Bring sacks with you.

Miss Ruth Gregory, an instructor in the Seattle schools, arrived in Oregon City Saturday evening, and is spending her Easter vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Cartledge.

If you have any good apples, potatoes, beef or other farm produce for sale see F. T. Barlow at C. W. Inn, West Linn, and he will pay you cash on delivery. Phone 608.

Ivan Frost, who is connected with the Western Union Telegraph company at Vancouver, Wash., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Frost.

Mrs. J. P. Lovett and daughter, Nan, spent Saturday in Portland.

Mrs. Edward Schwab of Portland, formerly of this city, was a visitor in Oregon City last week.

Joseph Spees, well known farmer of Redland, was in Oregon City Saturday.

Clarence Morrell, who has seen overseas service with the 373d Aero Pursuit Squadron, has received his honorable discharge and is now back home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morrell, of Willamette.

You can get the best 50c meal in Clackamas county every day, including Sunday, at West Linn C. W. Inn, across the bridge from Oregon City, 6:30 to 8 a. m., 12:00 to 1:00, and 5:30 to 6:30 p. m. Haircut 35c. Shave 20c. Same place.

Mrs. Copman and daughter, Miss Rita, of Portland, have rented the cottage of Mrs. James on Eighth and Washington streets.

Miss Maude Cook, teacher in the Portland schools, spent the week-end in this city visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooke.

Mrs. Clarence Green and children, of Clairmont, visited friends in this city Saturday.

You must clean the stomach and bowels, purify the blood, each Spring, or you leave Winter's germs and impurities in your blood and system. Drive them away, clean out the stomach and bowels,—take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, a Spring cleanser-purifier. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Huntley Drug Co.

Miss Roma Stafford, a teacher in the Portland schools, spent the week-end at her home at Mount Pleasant. She was accompanied by Miss Porter, of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jones left Monday evening for Texas, where they are to spend about a month visiting relatives.

"A Good, Old-Fashioned Physic" Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome physic, thoroughly cleanse the bowels, sweeten the stomach, tone up the liver. For indigestion, biliousness, bad breath, bloating, gas, or constipation, no remedy is more highly recommended. Wm. O. E. Bielke, Hancock, Mich., writes: "I have given Foley Cathartic Tablets a thorough trial and I can honestly recommend them as a mild, but sure laxative. They work without griping." Give stout persons a free, light feeling.—Jones Drug Co.

NOTICE

We will buy all the gooseberries, raspberries, strawberries, loganberries and blackberries that you care to bring in to us, at a very unusual high price.—Larsen & Co., Oregon City.

The Courier and Oregon Farmer, both for one year, \$1.15.

SUCCESSFUL FARMER URGES USE OF LIME FOR GRAIN

Here is a little information for the people of Clackamas county. Forty years ago I went to Salem to get a fan mill. Now the grain goes all through it and one doesn't get much seed wheat, so I had to get another mess to get a quantity of the seed wheat.

I have plowed under buckwheat, clover and rye, and I have hauled manure from five places and applied it to the soil. I milled some oats and wheat before the World's Fair that was too wet—I couldn't sow it right away. So I went and got a spoonful of black lime and used it.

When the World's Fair was to take place the county wanted some of my grain for the exhibition. I sent it down to the court house, and my neighbors also sent oats and wheat. I got a premium on oats and wheat, but my neighbors did not get any. Afterwards I found out it was the use of lime on my wheat ground that did the trick.

In early days we took the wheat to the mill to get it ground. The miller weighed the wheat when he received it and also when he returned. He said that I got more pounds out of my wheat than anyone else.

Brother Farmer, we have to put our heads together and get a car load of lime, for all lime you put in will help to raise better grain. GODFRIED WALLACE.

GAS DIDN'T KILL RATS.

DUMB ANIMALS IN WAR

Germans, cooties, mud and rats—were the four most obnoxious things the American fighting men found overseas, according to Frank W. Ryan, a Y. M. C. A. war worker who accompanied the 91st Division into the Argonne as an athletic director.

"I have been asked many times why the deadly gas didn't kill the rats and other animals when it was destructive to humans," said Ryan recently. I have seen birds flying through the air without taking any notice of the artillery fire; rats by the thousand and stray dogs and cats feeding upon heaps of waste. All of a sudden the birds would fly to the rear, the rats would disappear as if by magic and cats and dogs find safe hiding places. By the time the bugler had sounded the warning signal most of us had our masks adjusted. Thus nature took care of the dumb, and I never saw it fail."

STEWART-M'KINNIS TRIO

WAIVE FOR FURTHER TIME

Cecil Stewart, Arthur McKinnis and George McKinnis, arrested some time ago charged with the delinquency of minors, and indicted by the grand jury, were arraigned Saturday, and asked for further time in which to plead their case, which was granted. They will be given a trial later. All three plead not guilty. The case is the outgrowth of an auto ride, in which the three young men accompanied by three young ladies from this city were out all night. One of the girls, afraid to come home afterward, ran away, and was apprehended later by the officials. She was found at the time at Canby, and brought home to this city. The young men were arrested afterward.

Obituaries

Mrs. Flora A. Dewalt

Mrs. Flora A. Dewalt died at her home in Clackamas Thursday morning at 6:30 o'clock. Her death was due to a paralytic stroke. She is the wife of George T. Dewalt, of Clackamas. Mrs. Dewalt was born in Illinois February 18, 1851, and was 67 years of age. She came to this county about 10 years ago, and had always resided at Clackamas station since coming to Oregon. Besides her husband, she is survived by the following children: Mrs. Elmer Cagle, Clackamas; Mrs. Charles F. Kinney, Portland; Wilson Dewalt, Clackamas; and two grandchildren, Theodore and Helen Kinney, Portland. Funeral services were held from the home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment took place in the Clackamas cemetery.

SOME GOOD ADVICE

Strengthened by Oregon City Experiences

Kidney disease is too dangerous to neglect. At the first sign of backache, headache, dizziness or urinary disorders, you should give the weakened kidneys prompt attention. Eat little meat, take things easier and use a reliable kidney tonic. There's no other kidney medicine so well recommended as Doan's Kidney Pills. Oregon City people rely on them. Here's one of the many statements from Oregon City people.

Mrs. J. B. Schatz, 213 Seventeenth St., says: "I know Doan's Kidney Pills are a medicine of merit and whenever I can recommend them to others I gladly do so. I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills at different times for kidney trouble and backache and they have always done me a lot of good."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Schatz had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. (Adv.)

Some Job!

Giving a wooden spoon, half pound of sugar, an ounce of tea, one half sugar biscuit and ten cigarettes to 20,525 Russian prisoners in Siberia was a light task for Y. M. C. A. war work secretaries in comparison to getting clothing for 1,148 ill-clad and cold men but it was accomplished recently and official cablegrams to the State Department at Washington commending the able work of the Y. M. C. A. in meeting the situation.

Advertisement for Oldsmobile Economy Truck. Includes image of the truck and text: "It has been proven that the Oldsmobile Economy Truck will give more service with less cost than any truck on the market. SEE THE TRUCK IN OUR SHOW ROOM. Miller-Parker Co. Main Street at Ninth Oregon City, Ore."

TRAINING LITTLE CHILDREN

Suggestions by mothers who have been kindergartners. Issued by the United States Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., and the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West Fortieth Street, New York.

(By Mrs. Ruth Heppner Swaine)

All kindergartners have one characteristic in common—the respect which the children show for the individual rights of others. Where many little children are gathered together, there must be governing laws and obedience to these laws.

In the ideal kindergarten these laws are more feelings than facts. The children grow to respect and obey them spontaneously, almost unconsciously. Thus, even when they are 4 and 5 years old, they can be led to a right relation toward their fellow-beings. Could anything be more important?

All children do not live near a kindergarten, but all children have playmates. A wise mother will quickly establish the law of right relationships among the children who play in her home. Even a busy mother—and are not all real mothers very busy?—can with a word now and then impart a feeling for the rights of others and this, once gained, is never lost through life.

The kindergarten is the most democratic of institutions. The children feel no class distinctions—in fact, there are none in the world of the three-year-old. My Philip plays as



"You don't look old or cross with those glasses, Daddy."

Brown's eyes are now gaining in looks as well as in usefulness. His eyes are constantly in focus with everything within his range of vision. He can see near and far with the same pair of glasses, and no one but himself knows that they are two-eight glasses, because they are

KRYPTOK GLASSES THE INVISIBLE BIFOCALS

entirely free from seam or hump—that's why they are universally known as "the invisible bifocals."

Please pass this article on to a friend and thus help Uncle Sam reach all the mothers of the country. In a base ball game between the Barclay school team of this city and the Canby team at the latter place Friday afternoon, the Barclay team won by a score of 18 to 8.

Mother, Why Don't You Take Nuxated Iron

And Be Strong and Well and Have Nice Rosy Cheek Instead of Being Nervous and Irritable All the Time and Looking So Haggard and Old?—The Doctor Gave Some to Susie Smith's Mother and She Was Worse Off Than You Are and Now She Looks Just Fine

Any Woman who Tires Easily is Irritable, Nervous and Run-Down, Should Take Nuxated Iron to Help Increase Her Health, Strength and Vitality.

"There can be no strong, healthy, beautiful, rosy-cheeked woman, without iron," says Dr. Ferdinand King, a New York physician and Medical Author. "I have strongly emphasized the fact that doctors should prescribe organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for their nervous, run-down, weak, haggard-looking women patients. Pallor means anemia. The skin of an anemic woman is pale, the flesh flabby, the muscles lack tone, the brain foggy, and the memory fails, and often they become weak, nervous, irritable, dependent and melancholy. When the iron goes from the blood of women the roses go from their cheeks."

"In the most common foods of America, the starches, sugars, table syrups, candies, polished rice, white bread, soda crackers, biscuits, macaroni, spaghetti, tapioca, sago, farina, degenerated cornmeal, no longer is iron to be found. Refining processes have removed the iron of Mother Nature from these impoverished foods, and silly methods of home cookery, by throwing down the waste pipe the water in which our vegetables are cooked, are responsible for another grave iron loss. Therefore you should supply the iron deficiency in your food by using some form of organic iron, just as you would use salt when your food has not enough salt."

Iron is absolutely necessary to enable you to do your work and live long. Without it, no matter how much of what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it, and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking. Just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient in iron. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far

people who were ailing all the while have most astonishingly increased their strength and endurance simply by taking iron in the proper form and this, after they had in some cases been going on for months without getting benefit from anything. But don't take the old form of reduced iron, iron acetate, or iron of iron simply to save a few cents. The iron demanded by Mother Nature for the red coloring matter in the blood of her children is, also, not that kind of iron. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

MANUFACTURER'S NOTE: Nuxated Iron, which is prescribed and recommended above by physicians is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, makes them black nor upset the stomach. The manufacturer guarantees successful and entirely satisfactory results to every drugstore or they will refund your money. It is dispensed in this city by all good druggists.



The Child's Appeal

you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron, three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. Children of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the while have most astonishingly increased their strength and endurance simply by taking iron in the proper form and this, after they had in some cases been going on for months without getting benefit from anything. But don't take the old form of reduced iron, iron acetate, or iron of iron simply to save a few cents. The iron demanded by Mother Nature for the red coloring matter in the blood of her children is, also, not that kind of iron. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

GASOLINE PRODUCTION

85,000,000 Barrels in 1918. All Previous Records Broken

"We floated to victory on a wave of oil," said a British admiral in the first enthusiastic moments following the armistice.

Just how much truth there is in this statement has been disclosed by Van H. Manning, Director of the Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, in the yearly statement on the production of gasoline in this country.

In 1916, before the United States entered the war, according to the statement, the production of gasoline was a little short of 50,000,000 barrels. In 1917, when war activity was accelerated by the entry of the United States into the war, the production of gasoline had increased to nearly 68,000,000 barrels, an increase of more than 50,000 barrels a day.

It was thought by many that this must be the peak of American patriotic effort, but in 1918, when the war had assumed even greater proportions, the production of gasoline was over 85,000,000 barrels, an increase for the year of more than 17,000,000 barrels. The daily increase for this year over the record-breaking year of 1917 was about 47,000 barrels for each of the 365 days, or almost as much more as the increase of the previous year.

How this country sent an ever-increasing flood of this gasoline to the allies and to friendly countries is

seen in the export figures. In 1916 there were 8,473,102 barrels of gasoline sent abroad. In 1917 this amount had increased to 9,901,877 barrels, an increase of about 4,000 barrels a day. In 1918 these exports had reached a total of 13,312,508 barrels, an increase of nearly 10,000 barrels a day over the year 1917.

It is the opinion of Mr. Manning that no single industry in this country of so important a nature ever made such a showing in a single year and he doubts if the future will ever show such a record of achievement.

LIEUTENANT HENRY RUSSELL KILLED IN ACTION, FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hughes are in receipt of word that Lieutenant Henry Russell, who had visited at the Hughes home at Gladstone upon several occasions, was killed in France while in action just before the armistice was signed. Lieutenant Russell is a nephew of Mr. Hughes, and while visiting in this locality, made many friends and acquaintances. The young hero was 24 years of age at the time of his death. He entered the service as a private, and was soon promoted to a lieutenant. He is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Russell.

The salmon fishing so far this year has been very slow, owing to the recent rains. The fish are thick in the river here, but the muddy water makes it impossible to catch them with a "spoon."