RECIDIVIST BREAKS OUT FROM PEN AT SALEM

SALEM, Or., May 13 .- Jeff Baldwin. who was one of the most dangerous convicts that ever escaped from the get away from the penitentiary Sunday morning about 9 o'clock, forcing his way through prison bars and calmly walking out the front gate, and dashing for the woods. This is the second time he has escaped inside of a year and Warden Murphy says he does not believe Baldwin will be taken alive if he can help it. He looks for Baldwin to arm himself and put

up a stiff battle if he is run to earth. Haldwin was in the rear yard of the prison Sunday morning. He sawed the bars in a basement window, made his the front yard and calmly walked out through the gate.

worn by cooks. Warden Murphy says the discovery guards were sent in pursuit.

Baldwin was first seen near the Davidson place, south of Salem, and was observed again as he crossed the Liberty road. The posse was about 20 minutes behind him then. Later in the day, Guard Bohlsen saw him just south of City View cemetery and took a shot at him, but the fleeing convict ducked into the thick brush and although hours were spent beating the thickets he was not seen again.

About 10 o'clock Sunday night house in South Salem was broken into and a coat and hat were stolen. It is thought this was the work of Bald

Baldwin caused a lot of trouble when John Minto was warden of the penitentiary.

After Warden Murphy took charge of the prison, Murphy sought to tame Baldwin by treating him mildly, and, in the course of a few months, made him a trusty. Soon he and another convict ascaped. Baldwin was located in Linn county by Deputy Sheriff Fram, who captured him single handed after a running pistol duel inwhich Baldwin emptied his gun at the of-

SHORTAGE OF LABOR THREATENS FARMING THROUGH NORTHWEST

Inability to harvest the crops to be grown in the Pacific Northwest this ent size to wash the clothes of 1000 year threatens the entire section.

Unprecedented wages for farm hands, coupled with the absolute faiflure of some of the farmers to obtain help at any price, will result in thousands of acres not being planted and unless they can obtain harvest hands in the fall, the yield will wasted.

ficers composing the exemption board whatever nature there. in Camp Lewis from 1200 applicants. all of whom are farmers in the eight states contributing troops here, asking that relatives and friends be temporarily released from military services that they may be used during the planting season on the farms.

INDUSTRIES OF GERMANY PARALYZED THRU WAR

AMSTERDAM, May 10 .- Her Kraet zig, a Socialist member of the Reichstag, asserted in Wednesday's debate on the appropriations to meet the im- * association. perial economic demand, that fourfifths of the textile industries of Germany were completely paralyzed, and that the position of the idle textile workers was rapidly growing desper-

He demanded that adequate provis ion be made for them so as to keep skilled textile workers in readiness for resumption of the industries after tha war.

At present, he said, they were being compelled to accept menial employment from the authorities at starvation wages.

Satan Extends Hand We Hope It Is True Maybe Hindys Dead

LONDON, May 13 .- All German prisoners captured in France say that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is dead, letters from British officers on the western front report, according to the Daily Express. At the same time the name of General von Mackensen is brought into prominence as that of a great man who is to bring the Ger-

mans victory. The Express assumed that the Von Hindenburg story is circulated to explain the failure of the great offen- fairs.

PRESIDENT PROCLAIMS MAY 30 FOR FASTING AND PRAYER

WASHINGTON, May 13 .- National memorial day, Thursday, May 30, is designated by Presie dent Wilson in a proclamation as a day of public humiliation, · prayer and fasting. The people of the nation are asking to gather ? on that day in their places of o worship and pray for the victory & of the American armies which & • will bring a peace founded upon • mercy, justice and good will.

ASQUITH MOTION IS DEFEATED BY DECISIVE VOTE

LONDON, May 9 .- Ex-Premier As-Oregon state penitentiary made his rejected in the House of Commons tonight by a vote of 293 to 106.

Premier Lloyd George was cheered loudly when he arose to speak. He said he had been treated unfairly. It was the business of General Maurice to come to the Cabinet and point out where the Ministers had made mistakes, he declared.

The Premier said that if the motion be responsible for the conduct of the

Denying that the strength of the way through the basement, and pried British fighting forces had been misapart the bars to the front windows represented, as stated by General Mau- mission under the railroads act and of the basement and crawled out into rice, Mr. Lloyd George asserted the final decision will be with President figures which he had given were taken from official records at the War Before making his escape he stole Office. Since that time, he had made and donned a suit of white clothes inquiries on this point, he added, and erican railways as the percentage is the figures were not inaccurate.

The demand made by Mr. Asquith of the convict's escape was made for a select committee was charged about 20 minutes later and that by the Premier as without precedent in the history of the House

RECORDS FOR WORK OF ORGANIZATION

PARIS, May 13 .- The work accomplished by the American Red Cross in April surpassed all records of the organization since it took up its activities in France, Food and drink were supplied to American soldiers on the way from ports of entry in France to the various camps.

Nine rest stations on the American lines of communication and seven canteens on the French lines provided Nine metropolitan 408,000 meals. canteens served 454,000 meals.

A complete new hospital with 200 beds was established in a chateau imfamous race track near Paris.

Convalescent homes have opened at Cannes and Biarritz. Nineteen artificial arms and 169 artificial legs were distributed gratis. Americans at the front there completed a shower bath establishment, with equipment for removing vermin. It has a capacity of 25,000 men weekly. Two laundries were in stalled at aviation camps, of sufficimen weekly. Six field kitchens furnished food to soldiers going to and returning from the battle field. Each has a capacity of 5000 men daily. The Red Cross in the month dis-

packages of cigarettes. Under an arrangement just con-

tributed 691,000 bags of to

The Grange in all parts of Oregon is passing resolutions condemning the Non-Partisan League. Oregon has led the procession in patriotism and it doesn't want to be backslider now.

TOO SOON FOR PEACE @ 4 LONDON, May 14.- The gov. . but it is idle to talk about it un. . Frank Bay ies of New Bedford, · been fought out on the battle · · eighth enemy machine. * men's Unionist Tariff Reform * * the side during a duel with

RAILROAD RATES TO TAKE SHARP ADVANCES

muith's motion for the appointment of WASHINGTON, May 13.—Estimates select committee to investigate the made today by railroad administration charges made by General Maurice was officials indicate that an increase of at least 25 per cent in freight and pas senger rates will be necessary this year to meet the higher costs of fuel. wages equipment and other operat ing expenses now set at between \$600,000,000 and \$750,000,000 more than last year.

Recommendation that rates be raised been made to Director-General Mcwas carried, Mr. Asquith would again to act within the next six weeks and to put increases into effect immediate-

> Shippers will be permitted to appeal to the Interstate Commerce Com-Wilson.

Such an increase as is proposed would be biggest in history of Amlarger than any ever sought by the railways under private management and would apply alike to the entire country. Both class and commodity schedules would be affected.

J. ADKINS LAND GOES TO PEOPLE WHO AIDED HIM

For 19 years L. G. and Nettie Riggs kept up the home of the late James Adkins, sewed for him, cooked his started. meals and nursed him when he was

The sole consideration for their ser vices was the promise of a deed to a 5-acre tract of land on which they lived. This promise was held to be binding by Circuit Judge Campbell, and an order was entered in the circuit court Thursday, decreeing Riggs and his wife to be the owner of the 5-acre tract in question. The trial was held a few weeks ago.

In 1905, Adkins, formerly a well known lumberman of Clackamas county, and a man of wealth, stated to Mrs. Riggs, accordingto the testimony, that he would give them the home place upon his death. This was mediately behind the front. A hos- always his intention, they claimed, pital of 500 beds is being erected at a but he was killed suddenly in a railroad accident near Canby a year or so ago and left no will. The Riggses had then been with him about eign. years, when the promise was made.

LA GRANDE CHAPTER OF RED CROSS PUTS **OVER \$23,000 QUOTA**

PORTLAND, May 13 .- (Special.) -La Grande Chapter of the American Red Cross tonight smashed all precedents in any patriotic drive cluded the Y. M. C. A. withdraws from telegraphing to Red Cross campaign These conclusions are the gist of all hospitals, the Red Cross assum- headquarters at Portland an affidavit sworn statements received by the of- ing responsibility for activities of that its quota of \$23,000 was already in the hands of the war treasurer.

Anna M. Pollack. War Chairman E. E. Kiddle depos ited a certified check with Miss Pollack providing that Union and Wallowa counties were so sure of their quota that they were willing to put up the money in advance before a single person has been solicited.

BRINGS DOWN FIGHT ernment is not opposed to peace, * PARIS, May 14.-Aviator

til the great trial of strength has 🔹 🏵 Mass., has just shot down his • ber of the war cabinet declared
• 'ace" who has 23 victories to
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of mutual co-operation. FOR GOOD ROADS, BY FIGHTING the PAVING TRUST We are paying about \$5000 more per 16 foot mile of Bitulithic Pavement in Oregon than is being paid in Washington.

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fluence of the Paving Trust from Oregon politics.

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CRAZY JIM'S RIDE

By L. A. WALWORTH.

The Chicago & Northwestern railway built an extension in South Dakota in 1891 which was known as "Deadwood Hill." The length of the extension is about

ten miles, with an average grade of approximately one hundred and fortyfive feet to the mile.

The Deadwood yard was situated on by approximately this percentage has an extreme incline; and as cars would not remain standing unless the hand-Adoo by his advisers. He is expected brakes were securely set, a derail switch was placed at the lower end of the yard.

The railroad men immediately called the extension "Deadwood Hill." It is now more commonly known as "the Hill." Soon after it was first operated the railroaders realized the chances of accident on the line, and many refused to work on the perilous grade. As a result, it was necessary to select a number of reliable men of long experience to run its trains.

Among those chosen, and he consented without objection, was Jim. Sunny Jim, it should have been, for he was a most genial and optimistic char-

Jim usually reported and waited until he was called. When he appeared he complained that he did not feel quite so well as usual, but he responded promptly to his call.

He performed the routine duties preceding a trip, then ran to the end of the yard; and as there were no cars to be taken out, he coupled to a waycar, obtained his running orders, and

His engine ran to the derail in the lower yard, stopped, set it clear, passed it, set it once more to the safety position, and proceeded to the derail beyond the tunnel. Here the operation was repeated, and the short train moved on its way.

With almost five miles of tortuous track before them, they started down the steep grade.

A great change passed over Jim as they drifted down the mountainside. It was remarkable because it was so sudden and unexpected. Perhaps it was the illness of which he had complained or the strain of many trips over the same line; in any event, in a few minutes Jim's smiling placidity was transformed into a most irritable nervousness. He snapped tartly at his

At this point of the descent the engineer was obliged to proceed with utmost caution. Jim evidently had kicked caution out of the cab and was dallying with death.

The fireman rushed to Jim's side and seized him by the sleeve. "What's the matter with you. Jim?" he bellowed. "Are you crazy?"

Jim turned to him with a vicious "Matter?" The words rasped through

his drawn, white lips, "Why, we're on our way to the devil, and you're going along," He laughed harshly, and the fireman

had overturned. The fireman approached cautiously. "Why, surely, Jim, I'm going along." His voice was calm.

Quickly he leaped forward and, grasping Jim by the shoulder, reached for the throttle. Jim thrust aside his detaining hand and, with a vigorous push, sent him staggering toward the

Before he could regain his feet, the engineer picked up a wrench and waved it with a menacing gesture. "I'll brain you," he grated, "if you

try to interfere. I'm running this engine! The fireman looked at him helplessly. Jim was running to the devil and death, indeed.

For a moment he considered the possibility of overpowering Jim, but a violent maniac with a wrench is a dangerous foe. He glanced out of the gangway and

watched the right-of-way rush by. The speed was becoming more perilous with every plunge of the drivers. Jim sat leaning out of the window,

The fireman could scarcely stand, so violent was the lurching of the en-

He crept forward, but Jim turned and discovered him. "Back," he snarled at the fireman "Remember, I'll brain you if you don't

stay where you belong." The fireman stepped to the tender, cast an apprehensive glance behind him, and, observing that Jim was once more intent on his mad purpose, he clambered over the coal and climbed down the steel ladder behind the ten-

Gasping, he burst into the way-car. On the floor, their faces frozen with terror, was the train crew. At sight of the fireman, their mouths gaped

stupidly. In a few words he explained what had occurred in the cab, and, after some hesitation, they joined him when he urged them to help him to overpow-

er the insane engineer. One by one they made their way in silence to the cab, and then rushed at Jim. He turned with an oath and swung the wrench, but a hand caught it and held it aloft while the others

mastered him after a short struggle. The speed of the train was reduced, and, with Jim in the way-car and the fireman at the throttle, the train was halted a few yards before the derail which would have hurled them down

U. S. STARTS WORK IN NEXT LIBERTY LOAN

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- With work on the third Liberty Loan 4 unfinished, the treasury loan publicity bareau has started preparations for the fourth loan, which will be held next fall. All e artists and designers were asked ers, window cards and buttons by * June 1. These are to be donated * * to the government.

DISHWASHER PRIVATE TAKES \$10,000 IN LIBERTY LOAN BONDS

ATLANTA, Ga., May 13 .- One of the team captains in the Liberty loan campaign was canvassing a company at Camp Gordon and paused to interview a private who was washing dishes in the kitchen.

"You ought to be able to handle : \$50 bond at least," he insisted. "The commander will arrange to hold small amounts out of your pay, and you'll have a bit of nest-egg when you get back from France. How about taking Breadless Day your subscription?"

"I'd rather draw all my pay, thank you," he said. "I may neet it. But you may put me down for bonds to that amount," he added, handing check to the captain.

The check was for \$10,000. The priv ate was W. J. Etherington of Penn sylvania, who owns a controlling in terest in one of the big coal campanles. He subscribed \$50,000 to each of the former bond issues and had taken an equal amount in the third issue through his home bank.

UNIONS NOT PLEASED OVER WAGE INCREASE FOR RAIL EMPLOYES

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- Recomending wage increases of \$300,000,whose wages were less than \$250 a month in December, 1915, the railroad wage commission made several farreaching suggestions on the problem of labor which, attracted the attention today of Director Gerenal Mc Adoo.

Mr. McAdoo is expected to announce RUSS NOBILITY his decision on the recommendations in about 10 days. There are indications that he will not accept them in their entirety.

Some union officials already have expressed dissatisfaction with the amounts recommended for the men of their organizations, the increases to 4.6 per cent, the highest paid men over the 1917 pay roll.

PROTEST IS FILED AGAINST PAVEMENT TO MATCH COUNTY

provement which would connect up the Rhine has been warned to the pavement through the city with vide itself with gas masks. County. The city has figured that this berg wear the gas masks daily. improvement should be made, as this s an arterial road and the street at this point is in bad condition. The council considered the question and put it over for final disposition next Wednesday.

GOMPERS ASKS YAGER'S HEAD IN PORTO RICO

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- Removal Arthur Yager as governor of Porto Rico was asked of President Wilson today by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Gompers charged the governor with incompetency in handling the abor situation in Porto Rico.

Austrian Slain For Purchasing Liberty Bonds

BUTTE, Mont., May 10 .- Police today arrested three Austrians charged 🐵 ia, ranking Republican on the 🏶 with the murder of John Starks, a 🐵 military committee, declared that 🕏 fellow countryman, who had bought @ in his opinion class 1 of the draft @ tailment of tronscontinental passen-Liberty bonds and spoke freely of his @ would be exhausted within a @ love for America. Friends of the slain 🎯 year and that before the war was 🏶 fective June 2, to save 11,728,000 train man informed the police that they had * over the United States would * miles a year, by eliminating compeheard him threatened by the trio for * need 8,000,000 men in Europe. his purchase of bonds

FORECLOSURE SUIT FILED Mrs. S. J. Dickerson has brought @ of men in class 1, accepting the @ sult against Claud B. and Luelle @ elimination of its amendment @ mortgage upon Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 of

Aphis Appears On Flowers In **Douglas County**

ROSEBURG, May 13.-Crop con ditions are unusually good, with the exception of an unusual attack of aphis on vetch, garden peas, prunes and Roseburg roses. The aphia is small green bug which propagates very rapidly, and for the first time in 20 years is seriously attacking certain crops in Southern Oregon and portions of the Willamette valley, So far as reported it has not attacked grain with the exception of which is mixed with vetch

Faces Austria Flour Scarcity

LONDON, May 13.-The Austrian ood controller is considering the in troduction of one breadless day a week, according to a dispatch from Geneva to the Daily News. Vienna newspapers say the government is forced to take this action owing to the rapid diminuation of the flour supply and the small prospects of obtain ing more wheat before the next har

SENATE PROBES INTO PRICE OF FARM MACHINES

WASHINGTON, May 13.-Investigation by the federal trade commission ooo annually for all railroad employes of the production and supply of agricultural implements, and of the price paper. farmers are compelled to pay for machinery is authorized in a resolution introduced today by Senator Thompson of Kansas and adopted by the senate.

IN HUNS HANDS NEAR AITODOR

AMSTERDAM, May 13 .- The Ukranging from 43 per cent downward formation from Odessa according to cialist league was raided last night receiving the lowest increase, and the of Russia, Maria Feodorovna, and squad and 17 men and 18 boys were average being 15.021 per cent advance Grand Dukes Nicholas Nicholasevich arrested. Twenty-two were booked of the Germans.

SCHOOL PUPILS WEAR GAS MASKS NEAR FRONTIER PERSHING'S NEPHEW

GENEVA, May 13,-Swiss troops PORTLAND, May 9.-A protest has on the Alsatian frontier have began been filed with City Auditor Funk to suffer from German poison gas against the city's proposal to pave floating back from the Western front East Seventhinth street, from Ochoco toward the Rhine, Swiss newspapers avenue to Nehalem avenue, an im- say. The civilian population along the new pavement through Clackamas school children in Mulheim and Frei-

SAWMILL BURNS AT BANKS

BANKS, Or., May 13 .- A fire de stroyed the sawmill and planing mill of Macfarlane Brothers at Manning yesterday morning. It was discovered about 3 o'clock, shortly after the night watchman had passed on his rounds. It started outside the mill, making rapid progress from the start, and is thought to have been of incen-

diary origin.

FIRE IN EUGENE LAUNDRY EUGENE, Or., May 13.—The plant of the Fisher Laundry company, on South Willamette street, was totally destroyed by fire this morning, entailing a loss of \$15,000, with about

. KAHN SAYS CLASS 1 OF . DRAFT WILL BE EXHAUST-ED IN YEAR

half that amount of insurance.

WASHINGTON, May 10 .- * Speaking in the House today, @ · Representative Kahn, of Californ-

The House today adopted the . se conference report on the bill to se base draft quotas on the number · volunteers.

WEALTHY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER ALLOWED **NEW CLASSIFICATION**

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 13,-The appeal to President Wilson by James George Scripps, newspaper publisher of San Diego, for deferred classification in the draft on the ground that he was engaged in work of a military necessity has been granted, according to a telegram received today by Governor William D. Stephens from Provost Marshal General E. H. Crowder. Scripps applied for deferred classification, but the exemption board denied the application and placed him in class 1. He applied to the president, who ordered him placed in class 4, di-

PAPER OF SOCIALISTS **DEMANDS THAT PARTY** ASSERT ITS LOYALTY

GIRARD, Kan., May 13 .- Demands that the Socialist party "either purge itself of its distoyal platform and leaders or prepare itself for a new political alignment that will serve both our country and our cause and not the disloyalists and central powers," are included in a statement being sent out by the New Appeal, formerly the Appeal to Reason, the Socialist paper published here. The statement, it is announced, will be published in this week's issue of the

SOCIALIST LEAGUE AT SAN FRANCISCO RAIDED BY POLICE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13 .- Headquarters of the Socialist League of rainian press bureau has received in America and the Young Peolpes Sowhich the former dowager empress by the army and police neutrality and Alexander Nicholaievich, who on charges of violating the selective had been living at Dulbar, near Altod- draft and three were charged as vaor, in the Crimea, are in the hands grants. Women and girls in the place were not molested, Industrial Workers of the World literature was found on the premises, according to the

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED ON WESTERN FRONT

NEW YORK, May 13 .- Major Rich ard B. Paddock, reported as slightly wounded, is a nephew of General John J. Pershing, commanding the American experitionary forces in France, and has been on his uncle's staff since the American pupitive expedition was sent into Mexico. Major Paddock was born in Lincoln. Neb., the son of General Paddock, who was killed in the Boxer uprising.

SOLDIER CUTS TWO FINGERS OFF WITH AX

GREENVILLE, S. C., May 13 .- Convicted of wilfully having cut off two fingers with an ax, Private Lake C. Triplett, 119th infantry, 30th division, Camp Sevier, has been sentenced by a court-martial to six months' con finement.

WESTERN TRAIN SCHEDULE CUT EFFECT SAVING

WASHINGTON, May 13 .- Director General McAdoo today orderer curger schedules from Chicago west, ef-& tition and cutting down running sched-

LUMBER MILL BURNED

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., May 13 .-Brown, seeking to foreclose a \$132 @ authorizing credits on quotas for @ The new mill of J. H. Chambers, the old Wildwood plant here, was burned . carly yesterday.



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