Store Opens

at 8:30 A. M. Saturdays at 9 A. M.

Pacific

Marshall 5080

### RUSSIAN PLIGHT IS LESSON TO AMERICA

Nation at Beginning of War Was Two Years Away From Real Preparedness.

PEOPLE NOT UNDERSTOOD

Men Are Gentle Rather Than Quarrelsome-Competent Generals Not Lacking, but Want of Material Handicaps Them.

BY EUGENE T, HURD. ON THE RUSSIAN FRONT, June 3 .-At the beginning of the war Russia found herself in the same predicament that America would if she were suddenly called upon to go to war with a first-class power. When I arrived in Russia I predicted that it would take her at least two years to get ready to My prediction has come true.

The Americans in general have a wrong idea of the Russians and Russia. The Russians are larve, robust specimens of physical manhood. They are a gentle rather than a quarrelsome people. The officers from the General down, are a nice, well-educated bunch

. It is a mistake to think that Russia does not have competent Generals, for they have lots of them. But they have been handicapped by the unpreparedness of the nation.

Great Victory Miscalled Defeat.

the war on the eastern front was con sidered a great defeat in America. That was the great retreat of the Russian armies after the fall of Fort Kovno. the Niemen River, following which the Russians gave up Warsaw, Fort Grodno, Fort Brest Litovsk, Fort Ossovitz TITANIC BATTLE GOES ON and Fort Novo Georgievsk.

The Russians started back to their second time or fortifications. The Germans, after 40 years of preparedness, took over a year to break the first for-

tified Russian line.

Does that not speak well for the Russian Generals? But wait; I said Does that not speak well for the Russian Generals? But wait; I said they started back for their second line of fortifications. They never got there. It was not necessary. Had the General in command of Fort Kovno not turned traitor, but had held his ground as he could have done, it would probably not have been necessary for the Russians to give up even their first line of defence.

The ground over which the Russian armies retreated is a rolling country full of sand dunes. It was here that Napoleon had to leave his transports when he marched to Moscow. Wagons sank up to their hubs in the loose sand and it took many extra horses to pull a loaded wagon or an artillery, limber, to say nothing of the artillery, through it.

their trenches willingly to retreat to

I saw the Germans make on an average of five attacks a day for four days at one place. Each drive was made en masse. The division that I was with had put their light artillery in their trenches and set the time of the shrapnels to burst after leaving the

Never. He comes up with a grin on his face and tries to get even. They know nothing about boxing and never thit each other with their fists. If a team is stuck in the mud with a load every soldier that comes along will positions between Montauban and Manuellars to lay down his gun, sten into the

hold them back until the artillers

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package

proves it. 25cat all druggists.



With the relations between the United States and Mexico about to snap at any moment, the border patrol is particularly vigilant. This photograph, taken at Nogales, Ariz, on the line, shows on one side the American trooper patrolling and on the other side the Mexican soldier doing sentry duty. The photo gives a comparison between the snappy American trooper and the sloppy, unkempt Mexican soldier. The white slab in the middle of the road indicates the boundary line between the United States and Mexico.

For instance, the greatest victory of Works in Verdun Region Succumb to Violent Assault

Capture 500 Prisoners, While Germans Regain Footing in La Boisselle From British.

(Continued From First Page.) tained in an interview with Major-General F. B. Maurice, who predicts

Russians Themselves Surprised.

Even the Russians were surprised that they could stop the Germans so quickly in a country where they had no preparations made to make a stand on the side lines groups of peasurements.

The recreat left Russian Poland on the side lines groups of peasurements of the drivers of ammunition trains, and the drivers of one division to the passing solders are of one division to the passing solders are one of the drivers of the drivers of ammunition trains, and the drivers of one driving trains.

Werbal Synopsis Indicates Lack of Specific Assurances.

Werbal Synopsis Indicates La

withdraw once he is satisfied the Car-ranza forces are able to maintain peace

Carranza troops in Northern Mexico
now are in such numbers that they
ought to have no difficulty in destroying the Vilia adherents still at large.
Under such circumstances the President and his advisers are impressed by
the view that there is a lessening reason for the presence of American troops
in the neighboring country.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Lansing have not
been inclined to accent the prepared of

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Lansing have not been inclined to accept the proposal of mediation by the Pan-American republics, because of their belief that the results could be obtained through direct negotiations. If mediation had been accepted and failed war would have been the inevitable consequence. Therefore they deemed it inadvisable to agree to the proposal.

EL PASO EXPECTS WITHDRAWAL

Belief on Border Is That Pershing's Force Will Be Called In.

EL PASO, Tex., July 4 .- Bewilderment, as complete as it was undis-guised, held the border today after

cial communications of the fighting southeast of Tlumach indicate that General Von Bothmer's forces must have failen back from the Tarnopol front in an effort to meet the threat to his communication lines. It is thought that Von Bothmer may be forced to retire to Lemberg.

Attack by Land and Sea Threatened.

An attack by land and sea against Field Marshal von Hindenburg's forces in the north, together with a new Russian attack at Baranovichi, promises

shrapnels to burst after leaving the mouth of the cannons.

This, with machine gun and rifle fire, mowed the foe down in great swaths, in places as high as the posts that held the Russians' barbed wire entanglements.

The Russians retreated in order toward their next fortified line, but they only went part of the way, when one morning the Germans had become so morning the Germans had become so weakened that they failed to appear via London July 4.—Facts and impressions to burst after leaving the mouth of the came to the border.

Interest was manifested in the state-night by General Trevino, commander the facto government's campaign the defacto government's campaign against banditry and the disposal of his troops to crush outlaw bands as proof that his government had adopted effective means to comply with conditions set forth by the United States as to the withdrawal of the punitive The Russians retreated in order to-ward their next fortified line, but they only went part of the way, when one imorning the Germans had become so weakened that they failed to appear for their customary morning slaughter and the Russians had to start back to hunt them up. They were found in so weakened a condition that they were in turn driven back, in some places one and in other places two days march.

Thomselves Supprised.

hitherto have been able to hold the Russians retreated in order to-ward they been able to hold the Russians.

PRESS CAMP IN FRANCE, July 2, proof that his government had adopted effective means to comply with conditions set forth by the United States as to the withdrawal of the punitive as to the move morning and night trying to grasp the details of the gigantic opportune to affect the verdict to be in turn driven back, in some places one and in other places two days march.

Thomselves Supprised.

morrow to Secretary Lansing by Eliseo

Arredondo, Ambassador-designate, It
arrived by telegraph early in the day
and only the fact that the Fourth of
July was being celebrated by all Government departments prevented its immediate delivery.

A verbal synopsis of the communication made public by embassy ataches
with the approval of Mr. Arredondo
indicates that it is of an unexpectedly
conciliatory character.

Lacking the text of the note it was
impossible tonight to say whether it
would prove satisfactory to President
Wilson. Since the release of the American troopers taken at Carrizal the
question at igsue has been narrowed
to Mr. Wilson's desire for a formal
declaration of intention toward the
American expeditionary forces in Mex-

every soldier that comes along will stop, lay down his gun, step into the mudhole and give a lift.

Men Kind to Each Other,

They are exceptionally kind to each other and especially when one is ill or wounded. I have never known the Russian soldiers to refuse to leave their trench and attack the enemy when ordered to do so.

Under the present way of making an attack, the soldiers must wait about two hours while the artillery tears up the trenches and barbed wire for them. From quite peaceful fellows at the beginning, they get worked into an excited condition which resembles the rage of a buill. It is almost impossible to hold them back until the artillery

CARRANZA OFFERS PEACE

(Continued From First Page.)

Department of New Mexico and is responsible for the talk pow emanating from official circles that this officer is to proceed shortly to El Paso, leaving a Colonel in command of the troops remaining in Mexico.

What the President desires to do is to convince General Carranza and his chiefs that this Government has no lust for Mexican territory and that he mercial value.

It is not known whether any mention is made of previous orders to general Trevino that American troops be attacked if they moved east, south or west in Mexico. Apparently the opmmunication avoids the definite diplomatic statement in that regard sought by Secretary Lansing and substitutes an argument as to the general situation.

A cutalogue of the fishes of Maine shown that the state has 149 species, but only 25 are fit to eat, and only 17 are of commercial value.

Berlin Says Only French Have Gained Considerable Results.

BRITISH SUCCESSES DENIED

Russian Movement on Northern Part of Front Described as Chiefly Demonstrative - Flerce Fighting Admitted.

BERLIN, via London, July 4 .- On the basis of information received by the apportunity had been given to digest thoroughly the significance of the latest development in the Mexican sit-

The ground over which the Russian armies retreated is a rolling country full of sand dunes. It was here that Napoleon had to leave his transports when he marched to Moscow. Wagons sank up to their huba in the loose sand and it took many extra horses to pull a loaded wagon or an artillery, limber, to say nothing of the artillery, through it.

German Losses Terrible.

Each night during the retreat the Russians fell back to a newly prepared trench, and the Germans had to come up at the break of day and dig their trenches under fire. The loss to the German runy was terrible. It was so great that it is doubtful if it will even the German prisoners are beginning to arrive in England, 1500 being landed at Southampton today.

But, to place a conservative estimate, I would say that the Germans lost 12 timen for every one the Russians lost 12 timen for ev

fensive from correspondents at field headquarters, but these contain no par-ticular information, being for the most part mere commentary on the officia report. The correspondents point out that the offensive, as in the Autumn, again was launched from the junction point of the Angio-French armies, which has moved southward since Autumn, and now is between Gonimecourt and the old Roman road from Amiens to St. Quentin. The correspondent of of the Post telegraphs the German line south of the Somme had to retire some-what after the front trenches were so

damaged under a week's bombardment that they were untenable."

Cove Citizens Attend Chautauqua.

TWO AT 10c Yard

FOUR AT 25c Yard

For Embroideries Worth to 48c Yard. 18-inch Corset-cover and Flouncing in patterns suitable for Baby Dresses, Children's Dresses, 

The Most in Value, the Best in Quality

Store Closes Daily at 5:30 P. M. Saturdays at 6 P. M. Home Phone: A 2112

THE MOST STUPENDOUS SHOWING AND

### Sale of Embroideries

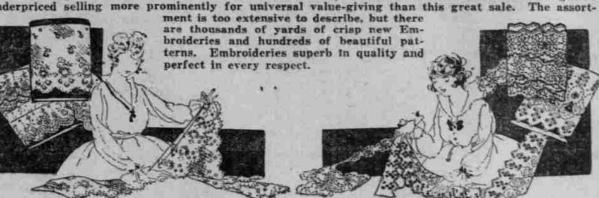
Ever announced in this city. Thousands of yards in hundreds of beautiful patterns

### Price Savings That Are Marvelous!

Don't let anything prevent your attending this sale.

We are willing to have you judge this announcement of extraordinary embroidery values in this sale by your experience in this department in former sales. We would have you know that the references made hereunder concern the worthy qualities that invariably constitute our regular stocks and DO NOT represent Embroideries bought especially to sell at less prices.

We furthermore promise you choice from the greatest selection we've ever asked you to see and the best money's worth you ever bought in Embroideries. See our great double-window display. Portland probably has never witnessed an Embroidery sale which stands out in the limelight of underpriced selling more prominently for universal value-giving than this great sale. The assort-



These Items Will Give xou a Good Idea of the Wonderful Savings-Don't Fail to Secure Your Share!

ONE AT 5c Yard

For Embroideries Worth to 121/2c Yard. Swiss Edges, Longcloth Edges, Narrow and Wide Insertions, also Beading of all descriptions. A fine assortment of embroideries sold regularly at 12%c. This sale, yard...................5c

For Embroideries Worth to 25c Yard. Fine Baby Edges and Sets, Hand-loom Convent Edges, Swiss and Plauen Bands and Galloons, Fine Beadings, etc., are included in this lot. Regular values to 25c the yard, special 10c this sale, yard.....

THREE AT 15c Yard

For Embroideries Worth to 30c Yard. This assortment includes a fine lot of 18-inch Corset-cover and Flouncing Embroidery, also fine 

LOT STOR Yard

For Embroideries Worth to 65c Yard. 45-inch Voile Flouncing, 27-inch Swiss Flouncing, 18-inch Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries are included in this assortment. Values to 65c 35c yard. This sale at, yard.......

SIX AT 50c Yard

For Embroideries Worth to 95c Yard. A fine line of 27-inch Embroidery Flouncing for Summer dresses, also dainty patterns in ruffled and hem-stitched and scalloped effects, 50c suitable for baby dresses. Vals. to 95c, yd. 50c

SEVEN AT 69c Yard

For Embroideries Worth to \$1.25 Yard. A fine assortment of Batiste Embroidery suitable for Summer dresses in a large range of new patterns. Shown in 27-inch width. Regular 69c values to \$1.25 yard. This sale, yard.....

LOT EIGHT AT 98c Yard

For Embroideries Worth to \$2.50 Yard. We have just received these beautiful Voile and Organdie 45-inch Flouncings. They are shown in high-class patterns in white and colored 98c effects. Values to \$2.50 yard, Today, yd.

ZIONIST TAX IS APPROVED

Aid Work in Palestine

PHILADELPHIA, July 4 .- Resolutions approving the plan of self-taxa-

Cove citizens who visited La Grande the sessions here today of the Federadents, who fail to feed the deer proposed that the secretary's report showed that Victor Murdoch on "Preparedness."

The secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been to be chased by the secretary showed that the secretary showed the secretary showed that the secretary showed that the secretary showed the sec tion of American Zionists.

The secretary's report showed that pledges aggregating \$163,000 had been received from all parts of the country

Bucoda Resident Buried.

for the emergency fund,
Judge Julian W. Mack, of Chicago,
urged the student delegates to unite in
the dissemination of the Zionistic propaganda, "by which the goal of establishing a Jewish colony in Palestine
will uitimately be reached."

Fawn Permits to Be Denied.

MARSHFIELD, Or., July 4.—(Special.)—Game Warden J. M. Thomas announces that permits to keep fawns hereafter will be refused cittzens of Coos County. In making this ruling warden Thomas said the privilege tractors, had been abused by a number of resi-COVE, Or., July 4.—(Special.)—Royal tion of Zionists throughout the United Allen, A. Conklin, A. C. McCown, J. H. States to create an emergency fund to McCall, C. H. Powell, K. J. Stackland, further the work of the Zionists in F. L. E. and S. A. Anderson, with their families, and Misses F. I. Rob-partment for its co-operation in recrus. F. and B. Severs were among the lieving suffering Jews abroad featured had been abused by a number of residue.

Bucoda Resident Buried.

CENTRALIA, Wash, July 4.—(Special.)—The funeral of Thomas Allibone, a pioneer resident of Bucoda, was held from the family residence yesterday afternoon, interment being in the Tenho Cemetery. Mr. Allibone was a particular of England. native of England, and had lived in Bucoda for the past 26 years.

ECHO, Or., July 4 .- (Special.) -- Echo's day by the City Council from the con-tractors. The large auditorium was

Echo's City Hall Accepted.

# 4 Big Clothing Specials for July

### Five Hundred Kirschbaum Suits Reduced for Quick Clearance

These are our regular stock of hand-tailored garments from the best clothes makers in America. Every one is a smart, desirable model, worth every penny of the original marked price. Every suit is this season's style-tailored along advance Fall lines, and finished with that superb thoroughness and nicety of detail for which Kirschbaum clothes are famous. Box models, extreme English, pinchbacks and conservative styles in all the new colors and weaves. Buy now and measure your savings by these prices:

\$18.00 and \$15.00 Suits, \$12.00 \$22.50 and \$20.00 Suits, \$16.00

\$27.50 and \$25.00 Suits, \$19.00

\$35.00 and \$30.00 Suits, \$23.00 now.....\$

LET US SHOW YOU TODAY

## PHEGLEY & CAVENDER

At the Sign of the Cherry Tree

Corner Fourth and Alder Streets