WEARY HUNS HALT ATTACKS TO REST

Battle Front in France Comparatively Quiet After Great Boche Offensive.

ENEMY FORCES DEPLETED

Only Activity Along Front Above Normal Is Southwest of Soissons, Where French Deliver Several Assaults of Violent Nature.

(By the Associated Press.)
With the commencement of the long expected Austrian offensive the fight-ing in France has simmered down al-most to sub-normal, except southwest of Soissons, where the French have de-livered several violent attacks against the Germans holding territory captured last week last week.

Where the enemy a week ago was throwing thousands upon thousands of men against the allied lines between Montdidier and Noyon, Sunday saw him worn out with his useless efforts and his forces sadly depleted through men billed and wounded, unwilling or unable further to give battle. Macedonian Front Active

In Macedonia the operations dally increase in importance. Along the greater part of the front there have been heavy reciprocal bombardments and Bulgarian troops several times have endeavored to penetrate the al All their efforts, however, met with ill success.

LONDON, June 16.—The Germans late Saturday night carried out heavy bombardments against British positions north of Bethune and between Locre and the Ypres-Comines Canal, says the British official communication issued today. The artillery was particularly active early Sunday morning in the neighborhood of Dickebusche Lake.

PARIS, June 16 .- German troops at tempted during the night to cross the Matz River near the Oise, but were halted by the fire of the French, says today's war office statement.

French Capture Prisoners. In local actions northeast of the woods of Genlis, south of Dammard and the region of Vinly (northwest of Chateau Thierry), the French took 70 prisoners and a number of machine guns.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, June 16.—Intense bombard-ments have been carried out by the Germans during the past 24 hours in various sectors along the British front. These have been especially heavy in Flanders, about Hinges, where the British advanced their line considerably Friday night, and in the region of Dickebusche and Scherhenberg.

The initiative, so far as infantry ac-tivity was concerned, rested mainly with the British, who carried out a number of highly successful raids. Attack on Two-Mile Front.

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Germans were shooting more or less blindly in the dark, which saved the British many casualties. The attacking infantry finally reached the enemy's posts and bitter hand-to-hand fighting occurred at most of these

The battle was fierce in the region of La Pannerie. Here the contending troops struggled throughout most of the night. With the arrival of daybreak, the British had secured all their objectives and forced the enemy to fall

British Take 200 Prisoners.

Upward of 200 prisoners remained in the British hands. Large numbers of German dead against gun positions told

building up the blood which being Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a tonic, not a stimulant. They build up the blood and have transformed thousands of sick, grouchy, irritable, tired and EXPRESS CHANGES PENDING nervous people into active, energetic,

CHILDREN AT RED CROSS ORPHANAGE AT TOUL, FRANCE, WHO HAVE DODGED SHOT AND SHELL, ENJOYING FEAST OF OREGON APPLES.



FREE-FOR-ALL SCRAMBLE FOR NEWTOWNS AND SPITZENGERGS WITHIN RANGE AND SOUND OF BIG GUNS

Oregon Fruit Welcomed at Orphanage in France.

RED CROSS WARDS HAPPY

Children Who Have Seen Miserles of War, Through Americans Get Glimpse of World That Is Right Side Up.

They had seen bombs and shells; they knew what poison gas was; the walls of the very building in which they were sheltered had a gaping shell hole and were spattered with shrapnel.

It was at Toul. The children were playing in the snow, when from one of the windows came a volley.

But it wasn't the kind of volley those children were accustomed to!

The missiles were apples, and just as mady as those children had durked. as madly as those children had ducked shot and shell, they raced and fought for those apples. But that isn't all the story, by a

"'And, madame, it need not be of a littleness,' said the wee daughter of the tricolor."

MIKE AND IKE OUTDO THEM-SELVES AT LYRIC THIS WEEK,

Musical Farce Written for Sole Pur pose of Producing Laughter and In Great Success.

Debility is not only distressing to the individual but it is an economic loss. If your blood is thin and your head aches, if your digestion is weak and your nerves unsteady, you cannot do your work well. True efficiency consists in building up your general health so that you again find pleasure in work. Stimulants do not give real help. They enable you to draw on your reserve strength, but this in turn leaves you weaker than before.

Deblity is not a disease of any one organ. It is a general condition of unfitness. It must be met by a remedy whose good results will be quickly generalized throughout the entire system. In fact, it must be corrected by building up the blood which being the first of the youlding up the blood which being they it we happilly, until one by one their thing finally fine drop in accidentally, and they live happilly, until one by one their thing finally in accident specific to "touch" for \$500 discovers their some and their secret.

Among the friends is one lke Leschirs with one in the fact of the wedding. Mike and Nellie pretend to be visiting a certain Mr. Jones, so they who could not swim, upset their canoe near the Oaks yesterday and clung to be visiting a certain Mr. Jones, so they tell lke one thing, other friends other things and finally Brother Dan still more things, until everybody is apparently married to everybody else, and the mix-ups and comical situations which follow seem as if they are to continue until eternity, when suddenly the big blowout comes and everything miraculously comes to an end.

The Rosebud chorus furnishes a delightful variation from the general mix-up of the plot, and a number of new patriotic and harmonious melodies are entertainingly sung. Among the carly until rescued by the launch Mar-loss of the plot and they it we happily, until one by one their cards and they it will be cut of the first wife to "touch" for \$500 discovers their their finally the brother, whom they had tried to "touch" for \$500 discovers their home and their secret.

Albert Lucas and

entertainingly sung. Among these are. "The Yanks Started Yankin red and rich, carries renewed health and strength to every part of the body. "Back to Dixie Land," "When He's All Dolled Up," and several others.

ters at Salt Lake City, is in Portland in connection with the arrangements for consolidation of the local general agencies of the American and Wells-Fargo companies July I.

The merger will probably be known as the American Railroad Express Company

as the American Railroad Express
Company and will have a virtual
monopoly of the express traffic of the
country under the United States Railroad administration.
Under the direction of Mr. Whittle
will come the rearrangement of the
personnel of the consolidated office.

It was announced at the time the consolidation was authorized under erms by which the new corporation takes over the express business of the railroads under Federal control that the Northern Express Company would probably be absorbed later also probably be absorbed later, also a few other independent companies, the merging of which had not yet been concluded.

Baker Players Score New Triumph concluded. For a time, at least, Portland will still have the agencies of the Northern, which serves the Northern Pacific Railroad.

CREASE YIELD.

Superintendent Johnson Expects to Get 1000 Tons, Which May Be Increased by Summer Rains.

SALEM, Or., June 16 .- (Special.)-With little flax in condition for pull-

Belgian soil. It was this eighteenth division which committed such horrify-division which committed such hor

After Successful Session.

and is Great Success.

alt pushed in the Sharp is North Bend. It is Fisher; Hopewell, Morris Goodrich; Orthogology Continues of Frank. Proposed in this week's play at the Lyric Theater, with the well-known commedians, Dillon and Franks, in the leading roles as Mike and Ike, is so much superior to all others along that line portion of the sole purpose of faster in their offensives. Pood conditions in Germany, said this prisoner, were getting worse and worse and the situation was especially bad since the new bread restrictions went into effect.

A TONIC FOR EFFICIENCY

Debility is not only distressing to the

sisted in the rescue.

Canning Lectures to Be Given.

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E. M. Whittle in City in Connection Week canning demonstration lectures will be given in the Red Cross work-rooms of Kalama on the subject of food conservation, by Mrs. Slowe, Federal food conservation worker for Clarke and Cowlitz counties.

Were 16.—(Special) were 1

"Paid in Full," Written Before War, Has Significance.

In Eugene Walter's Favorite;

"PAID IN FULL" CAST.

Joe Brooks Eugene Shakespears

Emma Brooks Ruth Gates

... Edward Everett Horton

RAIN AT THIS TIME WOULD IN-

Captain Williams Smith Davies Mrs. Harris.....Lora Rogers Beth Harris Josephine Dillon

BY LEONE CASS BAER.

"Jimsy" Smith.

Let me see. One pair of shoes at ing surface rock. A fine little spring \$12 guaranteed to last two months if furnished them with water.

you don't walk in them, is \$12. If The stationing committee's report of the Oregon annual conference of the United Brethren in Christ, which closed its sessions for the year of 1918 at the Vancouver Church yester-

closed its sessions for the year of 1918 at the Vancouver Church yesterday, was read last night.

The appointments follow: Presiding Bishop, William H. Washinger; conference superintendent, G. E. McDendald; Beaver, C. E. Pearson; Brush Prairie and Manor, V. N. Blodgett; Coos River, T. W. Williams (supply); Coos River, T. W. Williams (supply); Coos River, T. W. Williams (supply); Everett, B. E. Emerick; Hazel Green, Francic Fisher; Hopewell, Morris Goodrich; Irving, Cleveland Sharp; North Bend. H. F. White; Philomath, T. W. Ring-th, Philomath Circuit, Dale Hammer; Near, William who always is conveniently near.

That leaves \$1 to squander on riotous living that week.

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Joe stole \$16,000 and Emma had a silven in a hotel and Joe dress-suited around and Emma had a pioneer of Oregon, resident of Dundee, Or., died June 16 at the Portland Convalescent Hospital after a short ill-ness.

Mrs. Crawford was married to J. M. Crawford in San Francisco, Cal. February 10, 1889. She came to California around the Horn in 1861. In 1889, soon after her marringe, she came to Dundee, Or., died June 16 at the Portland convalescent Hospital after a short ill-ness.

Oh, there's so much in the story,

wheels within wheels, but it's been played here often in traveling produc tions and in stock, so a further going into the details isn't necessary. Ruth Gates is superb as Emma. She played the role in the Eastern traveling production and critics everywhere paid her big tributes for her splendid dramatic interpretation.

Eugene Shakespeare has the diffi-cult role of Joe Brooks, but he is sin-cere in his art and makes Joe exactly Boys and Young Men Cling to Craft sympathy or pity as many a less ethical actor might do.

Edward Everett Horton is the lov-able Jimsy Smith, a gentle, manly an-gle to the triangle, and Smith Davies gives a gemlike characterization, full of surprises and fine flashes of dra-matic inspiration, as the old sea cap-

Lora Rogers as the prescribed mother-in-law, Josephine Dillon as a snippy girl and William Lee as a wily

Scout Hall Is Dedicated.

Under the leadership of Scout Master James E. Brockway, 175 Boy Scouts of this city went to Park Place Saturday, returning yesterday. They were inreturning yesterday. They were invited by the troop of Park Place to assist in the dedication of the Scout hall, which has been built and furnished by the members of that troop. There was among the capsized the canoe. They clung to the which has been built and furnished by the members of that troop. There was an impressive flag-raising ceremony boys' plight from his launch and as-Yesterday afternoon residents of

Gladstone and Park Place gathered on the banks of the Clackamas River and were led in a community sing by the members of the Portland and Park Place troops. While the boys were away they

CLEARED BY RAID

Illicit Seizure in Eastern Oregon Reveals Source of Bootleg Supplies.

3 MOONSHINERS ARRESTED

One Prisoner Says Net Returns \$500 Daily: Reputed Postmaster From South Carolina Taken by Authorities.

PENDLETON, Or., June 16.—(Special)—Through the discovery last night of a 10-vat moonshine still and the capture of the three men operating it. Sheriff Taylor has probably put an end to a thriving bootlegging business the source of which has been a puzzle to the officers of the section for some time.

For the better part of the last week Sheriff Taylor and his deputies have kept nightly vigil in the country from which the whisky seemed to come. Night after night they were unsucessful in intercepting any of the ship ments, but they picked up evidence in one way and another, which strongly pointed to the location of a still in the immediate vicinity.

With a sufficient number of men to surround the place where the officers believed the still to be located, the sheriff last night led an invasion in force. The raid was almost a complete

Plant Found in Mountains.

The still, in full operation, with liquor in the vats almost ready for removal and some 25 gallons stored, with the shack, is situated in the mountains about 45 miles from Pendleton, on Lit-tle Buttercreek. The party reached the place just before dusk Saturday

evening One man, supposedly on guard, was soundly sleeping with his gun by his side, another was tending the still and a third was nearby, also armed. None of them had any chance to give battle, but one managed to escape temporarily through the underbrush.

The two men first arrested were Bill Clark, son of a former rancher of this county, who has been making his home in the state of Washington lately, and Sam Holder. The man who escaped was Ben Jarrell. Holder and Jarrell are South Carolinans and are said to have brought the still here about a year ago and to have operated it near the place where they were found for several months.

Last Winter the still was moved into Washington, but was brought back to this section only a few months ago. About the place were found supplies sufficient to keep the establishment going for some time. There were 12 bushels of cornmeal and a quantity of barley and rye.

In searching the country nearby the

small barrels of whisky hidden in thicket. The prisoners were brought here to

o blame. His wife admits she needs things. Her shoes, for instance, are all patched and she hasn't had a dress for cernable and lost itself often in cross-cernable and lost itself often in cross-cernable and lost itself often in cross-cernable and the latter before the House apparent of the latter before the latter before th

SUSAN E. CRAWFORD DEAD Early Settler of Oregon, Aged 72,

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HUGE WAR APPROPRIATIONS TO BE PUSHED THROUGH.

Budgets Carrying Enormo Sums Now Before Both House

The House is expected to vote early this week on important Senate amend-ments to the \$1,600,000,000 naval ap-priation bill, including that increasing the naval personnel from \$7,000 to 131,145, which is strongly urged by Secretary Daniels.

MARKETING JOBS ARE OPEN Rupture Kills Government Seeks Men for Positions Paying \$1200 a Year.

The United States Civil Service Com ission announces that the Department of Agriculture is in urgent need of asand where he held a do-she has lived in Dundee salaries ranging from \$1200 to \$1800 a fr. Crawford is a promi-year, and assistants in white-pine bilster-rust eradication, at entrance salaries

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civil service examiners at Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Atlanta, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Louis, New Or-leans, Scattle or San Francisco.

BOYS WILL BURY COMRADE

Funeral Services for Joseph M. Ald. rich to Be Held Today.

Full military honors will be paid at the funeral services of Joseph M. Aldrich, late a member of Battery F. Ninth Field Artillery, which are to be held this aftergoon at 2 o'clock from the conservatory chapel of the East Side funeral directors. Interment will be at Riverside Cemetery,

Dr. C. E. Cline, chaplain of George Wright Post, G. A. R., will conduct the funeral service, The pallbearers will be soldiers, and a funeral salute will be red over the grave, The body is to arrive in Portland this morning, from Fort Sill, Okla., in charge of Corporal Danhof. Private Aldrich died at that post on June 11. was 26 years of age, and was the

7,000 Annually

son of Joseph H. Aldrich, of Canby, Or.

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