

6 U.S. PLACES ARE VICTIMS OF BOGIE

General Pershing Reports on 5 Missing Flyers and Fate of Bagging Sixth.

ACTS OF BRAVERY RELATED

Commander-in-Chief of American Expeditionary Forces Confers Distinguished Service Cross on Many Heroic Soldiers.

BERLIN, via London, July 12.—All six of the American airplanes which attempted to bombard Coblenz yesterday have fallen into German hands.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Five American airplanes which went on a bombing expedition have failed to return.

Berlin reported five American airplanes in German hands yesterday.

The commander-in-chief of the expedition last evening five of our machines are missing.

The commander-in-chief has awarded distinguished service crosses to the following enlisted men for the acts of gallantry set forth after their names:

Corporal James R. Thornley, infantry.—Wounded early in the Selcheprey engagement, April 20, 1918. He displayed great gallantry and devotion to duty in continuing to urge his men to defend their positions, sliding greatly in the defense of the same by climbing a tree and from there shouting directions as to the enemy's location.

Private H. C. Johnson, field artillery.—For exceptional bravery and devotion to duty on April 20, 1918, when, although wounded in the arm and leg, he repaired telephone lines and succeeded in re-establishing communications.

Private J. C. Ezzent, field artillery.—For faithfulness and great coolness in the execution of his duty April 20, 1918, when, although severely wounded in the head and left leg, he continued, under heavy shell fire, to repair telephone lines, and succeeded in re-establishing communications.

Private Edward L. Dion, infantry.—Displayed extraordinary heroism in defending his post during the Selcheprey engagement, April 20, 1918. He was entirely surrounded by the enemy on several occasions, but fought them off with grenades and rifle fire, and finally succeeded in driving them away, after which he carried a wounded comrade through a rain of shrapnel to a first-aid station and returned to his post.

Private John H. Johnson, infantry.—Displayed unusual daring and courage during the Selcheprey engagement April 20, 1918, when, under heavy artillery fire, he climbed out of his trench on the front line on to the top and killed a sniper who was pouring destructive fire into our trenches.

Two Give Lives.—The commander-in-chief has also awarded distinguished service crosses posthumously to the following enlisted men for the following acts of gallantry:

Sergeant Joshua H. Broadhead, field artillery.—Displayed exceptional bravery and devotion to duty during the action of April 20, 1918, when, although wounded early in the engagement, he refused to leave his gun, remaining on duty and keeping his gun in action until killed later in the day.

Private, first class, Frank P. Gordon.—Displayed conspicuous courage on April 20, 1918, in voluntarily going to the aid of a wounded comrade, during which action the man he was assisting was killed.

WE'RE INSULTED-HERTLING

(Continued From First Page.) sake of war, but has said to me that as soon as serious desire for peace manifests itself on the other side we must follow it up.

Kaiser Hears Peace Talk.—"You will be interested to know how we are working on this standpoint and certain problems will appear which the present time forces upon us.

"Exhaustive discussions took place regarding these questions July 1 and 2 at general headquarters, under the presidency of the Kaiser.

"Naturally, I can only announce here quite generally the lines which were laid down at the time regarding the east, west and on the basis of the peace of Brest-Litovsk and we wish to see this peace carried out in a local manner. That is the wish of the German imperial administration and it is supported in this by the chief of the army administration.

Russian Condition Uncertain.—"However, the difficulty of the execution of the peace of Brest-Litovsk does not lie on our side, but in the fact that conditions in Russia are still exceedingly uncertain. We are inclined to believe in the loyalty of the present Russian government, and especially in the loyalty of the representative of the Russian government in Berlin.

"But we may not, and cannot, presume unconditionally that the present Russian government has the power to carry through everywhere the loyal promises made to us. We do not at all wish to create difficulties for the present Russian government, but as conditions now are, there are incessant developments and endless frictions in the frontier region.

"However, our principle is that we stand on the basis of peace made at Brest-Litovsk and we will carry out this peace loyalty and will deal loyalty with the present government.

Murder Blamed on Allies.—"They are still under the depressing influence of a terrible crime in Moscow. The murder of our ambassador there was an act in violation of international law than which a worse could never cry to heaven.

"All indications point to the fact that the accused deed was instigated by

the entente allies in order to involve us in fresh war with the present Russian government—a state of things which we are most anxious to avoid.

"We do not want fresh war with Russia. The present Russian government desires peace and needs peace and we are giving her our support in this peaceful disposition, aim and attitude.

"On the other hand, it is true that political currents of very varied tendencies are circulating in the Russian empire—movements having the most diverse aims, including the monarchist movement of the constitutional democrats and the movements of the Social Revolutionaries. We shall not commit ourselves to any political counter-current, but are giving careful attention to the course Russia is steering."

In connection with this point the Imperial Chancellor passed to a review of the political situation in the West. He then spoke of the reasons which led to the resignation of Dr. von Kuehlmann and concluded:

Hintze to Be Obedient.—"The name of the man who is proposed as Dr. von Kuehlmann's successor is known to you. Admiral von Hintze possesses a thorough knowledge of Russian affairs, which is a matter of great importance in the present situation. But it goes without saying that I shall give my counter signature to the appointment of Admiral Hintze only on condition that he follows my line of policy and not his own.

"However, as far as I am concerned, I shall direct the line of foreign policy and the Secretary of State will carry out my policy. The proposed Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs is absolutely clear on this point.

"The course with which the great majority of the Reichstag declared its agreement in November of last year will still be followed. Amsterdam advices say that during a debate Wednesday in the Prussian upper house, Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, former German Minister of Colonial Affairs, argued that a peace was never concluded on the battlefield, alone. Without the aid of diplomacy, he declared, no peace could be established.

Dr. Dernburg, said Dr. Dernburg, is to maintain her leading position, she must make and continue to make moral conquests.

"I am rather doubtful if she has succeeded in this," he added.

Martial Reply Made.—There were shouts of contradiction at this, and the extremist Junker, Herr Oldenburg-Jachatz, replied with a flamboyant discourse on the greatness of the house of Hohenzollern, whose motto is "God with us," and that he and his people to fight and die for the state.

Dr. Dernburg is the last man who ought to talk about moral conquests," he added. "Such things lead to banquets in honor to the American Ambassador, Dr. Dernburg replied: "I never regarded Mr. Gerard as a fit object for moral conquest. I did attend the banquet in question, but so did the Vice-Chancellor and the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs."

A Dutch traveler from Germany, says a dispatch from The Hague to the Exchange Telegraph Company, declares the rumor has spread over Germany that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is ill and is unable to participate in the work at the army headquarters.

Ludendorff in Control.—The military duties there have been taken over entirely by First Quartermaster-General Ludendorff.

GENEVA, July 12.—Another campaign has been undertaken along the Rhine in order to prevent allied bombardment of Rhine towns.

The Landtag of the Duchy of Baden has been asked to request the grand duchy to exercise its influence with the imperial authorities to come to an arrangement with the belligerents to abandon the aerial bombardments of towns outside the zone of military operations.

PARIS, July 12.—Germany has excused herself from the society of nations and without any hesitation, as long as she is embarrassed by militarism, says Andre Lebey, who is writing for the League of Nations for the Chamber of Deputies. In a statement to the Petit Parisien, Deputy Lebey added:

"The allies have organized at Versailles an inter-allied war council; why should they not organize there an inter-allied committee to study the idea of league of nations? The two actions are parallel and complementary. Why not declare the occasion of the anniversary of July 14 to create it?"

SPRUCE DIVISION IS OPEN

Nation Calls for 175 Men of Sawmill and Logging Experience.

In a special draft call announced yesterday Oregon is asked to furnish 175 men of sawmill and logging experience to be sent to Vancouver, Wash., and enter the spruce production division of the Signal Corps.

For the first time registrants in classes 2, 3 and 4, who are qualified, will be permitted to volunteer in these quotas. Volunteers will be accepted up to and including July 23. After that date involuntary inductions will be invoked to round out the allotments of men still lacking men. Entrainment is set for July 25.

The skilled lumber workers demanded are: Chalkermen, 70; head buckers, 60; doggers, 24; general sawmill foremen, 6; planer trimmers, 25.

Class 1 men acceptable in this call are only those assigned for special and limited service. From the other classes the eligibles must be fit for general military service. Only white men are wanted.

Senate Would Honor France.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—A resolution by Senator Walsh of Montana urging American citizens to observe Bastille day on July 14 as a mark of special regard for our ally, France, and extending to that country the fraternal greetings of the United States, was adopted unanimously today by the Senate. A copy will be transmitted to the French government by the Secretary of State.

Yukon May Get Food Controller.

DAWSON, Y. T., July 12.—Representations are being made by officials at Ottawa that a food controller should be appointed for the Yukon Territory, or that special provisions should be made for this country as has been done for Alaska by the United States. It is said that many regulations applicable to the rest of Canada are impracticable here and distance from Ottawa causes confusion in efforts to conform local conditions to general food regulations.

Will You Give Soldiers Ride?

Who will help the Progressive Business Men's Club entertain the soldiers in the city on a ride by auto over the Columbia River Highway tomorrow? The club has made a plea for cars and will welcome all who will telephone William J. Sheehy, Main 3235, or Mr. Boynton, at Portland Railway, Light & Power Company.

Napavine Man Enlists.

CENTRALIA, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—Yesterday William Downing, of Napavine, enlisted here in the Marine Corps and was sent to Seattle by Sergeant Percy Pizor for final examination. Downing was the fifth Marine recruit secured by Sergeant Pizor this week.

COOLIDGE SEEMS NEAR IN AUSTRIA

Belief Expressed in Official Italian Circles Teutonic Nations Are Crumbling.

ALLIED VICTORY BIG BLOW

Battle Front Now Established for Distance of Two Hundred Miles From Adriatic to Saloniki on Aegean Sea.

ROME, July 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Austria is about to crumble away," is the opinion of political and military observers here after the publication of the latest reports from Albania and the Balkans, where the entente allies have succeeded in perfecting a single front, extending from the Adriatic Sea to Saloniki, on the Aegean Sea, a distance of some 200 miles.

CORFU, July 12.—A serious mutiny among the Austrian troops in one of the occupied districts of Serbia is announced by the Serbian press bureau here.

The garrison at Kraguevatz, the former Serbian arsenal, broke into rebellion because of bad food, the statement declared, and many of the officers were killed.

The mutiny was suppressed after a battle in which machine guns and artillery were freely used.

FOOD SHORT IN ROUMANIA

Crops Failure and Requisitions by Germans Heavy.—PARIS, July 12.—Roumania's peasant population is in a more precarious condition from lack of food and clothing than at any other time since the nation entered the war.

Reports reaching the Associated Press from authoritative sources indicate that all crops this year are failures. What little food there has been has been requisitioned by the Germans. The bread ration amounts to less than half a pound daily.

The crops in Bessarabia are uncertain and are in almost as poor a condition as in Roumania.

BLOW IN NORTH PLANNED

KAISER CONSIDERS CONTINGENCY OF RUSS CIVIL WAR.—Tchernoffs Social Revolutionary Leader, Leads Unarmed Peasants Against Moscow.

AMSTERDAM, July 12.—German official circles are of the opinion, says a Berlin dispatch to the Rhenish Westfaelische Zeitung of Essen, that in the event of civil war in Russia, the vital interests of Germany would force her to act in order to eject the British in the north. (The reference here is evidently to the Murman Coast region.)

Intervention by Japan in Siberia, adds the dispatch, is regarded as of secondary importance.

Colonel Sergius Cyon, a Russian army officer, who has arrived at Stockholm, says that M. Manos, a banker, was arrested in Petrograd some days ago, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Several documents and 3,000,000 rubles discovered in the house where the banker was apprehended, proved, said the Russian officer, that M. Manos had been in direct communication with the late Count Mirbach, the German Ambassador at Moscow, who was intimately connected with the monarchists.

PARIS, July 12.—(Havas Agency.)—M. Tchernoff, a leader of the Russian Social Revolutionists, is marching on Moscow at the head of numerous bands of unarmed peasants, says a dispatch from Stockholm to the Matin. Part of his force has arrived in the outskirts of the Bolshevik capital.

PARIS, July 12.—(Havas Agency.)—Russian railway men are on strike in several districts, according to a Zurich dispatch quoting the Leipzig Neueste Nachrichten. The strike, it is said, has become general, the newspaper reports.

Germany's claim for indemnity from Russia amounts to the round sum of 7,000,000,000 rubles.

Immediate settlement of the claim is asked, it is said.

TACOMA IS GOOD LANDLORD

Back Rents on Books Total \$2000 and Many Long Overdue.

TACOMA, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—The City of Tacoma apparently is a good landlord to have for if the renters do not want to pay their obligations no regard for our ally, France, and extending to that country the fraternal greetings of the United States, was adopted unanimously today by the Senate. A copy will be transmitted to the French government by the Secretary of State.

RED CROSS TO ENTERTAIN

Japanese Mission Plans Conference With President Wilson.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Elaborate arrangements for the entertainment for the Japanese Red Cross mission headed by Prince Yoshihisa Tokugawa, which is to arrive in Washington next Tuesday, were announced today by the American Red Cross. Its members will be received by President Wilson on Friday evening the party will leave for New York.

SEATTLE LAWYER IS ILL

Will H. Thompson Suffers Nervous Breakdown While at Ranch.

WENATCHEE, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—Suffering from a nervous breakdown, Will H. Thompson, prominent

Seattle attorney, was brought to Wenatchee last night from his ranch on the Spokane River and today is in the care of friends here. Relatives and friends in Seattle were notified last night of his condition, and Captain Calhoun, from Camp Lewis, a son-in-law, reached here today. Mr. Thompson has been in ill health some time and about a month ago gave up the practice of law.

Early this week he came to Wenatchee with his daughter-in-law, whose husband, Lieutenant Oscar Thompson, is in the Army. They went to the Thompson ranch, two miles up the Spokane River, hoping the rest would benefit Mr. Thompson. Relatives will take him to a sanitarium.

He is known throughout the state as a lawyer and writer. Two of his sons, Maurice Thompson, formerly Adjutant-General of the state, and Oscar, a Lieutenant, are in France.

FIR SUPERVISORS NAMED

Two States Divided Into 25 Districts, of Which Oregon Has 8.

Division of the territory covered by the fir production board of the Northwest—the states of Washington and Oregon—under appointment of the supervisors in the various districts was largely completed yesterday and announced by H. B. Van Duzer, chairman of the board.

The two states have been divided into 25 districts. In each division a competent supervisor will represent the board and act as intermediary between the board and the mills. Washington has been apportioned into 17 districts and Oregon into eight.

OLYMPIC PEAK NAMED.—Memory of Roy Muncaster, Former District Ranger, Is Honored.

Muncaster Mountain is the name given a peak located between the Quinalt and Ruckel rivers on the line between townships 24 and 25 north, range 7 west. It was named by the United States Geographic Board to commemorate Roy Muncaster, former district ranger who lost his life in the Tuscumia disaster while on his way to France as a private with the 20th Engineers (Forestal) Regiment. His fighting spirit is indicated by his motto, spoken to E. E. Harpham, a brother forester, just before the life boat went overboard: "Choke up, Harp. We'll get the Kaiser yet."

Two other departed foresters have been similarly commemorated in the Northwest. Fred G. Plummer, for whom Plummer Peak in the Tatesh Range was named, and Henry Ireland, in whose honor Ireland Mountain, in Eastern Oregon, was named.

O. A. C. MEN NUMBER 40

Four Members of College Faculty to Take Officers' Training Course.

CORVALLIS, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—Moved today that the number of Oregon Agricultural College students who will be permitted to receive special training at the 60-day camp at Fort Belknap, beginning July 18, to fit them to train members of the new military unit next fall has been increased from 20 to 40. Four faculty members will attend the training.

Captain T. F. McGinnis, commandant at the college, who has been at the Presidio this summer, will be at the college during the training.

Those wishing this training are asked by President W. J. Kerr to apply by wire or special delivery letter. Half of the students selected will be picked from the list of men to be sent to the Presidio. The list will be forwarded to Washington.

MINISTERS NEEDED IN ARMY

General Pershing Cables to Dr. MacFarland for Chaplains.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ of America, which sent greetings to General Pershing and the American Army in France through the Rev. Charles S. MacFarland, received a cable message from Dr. MacFarland today saying that General Pershing asked the churches to send over their very best ministers as chaplains.

General Pershing says, the clergyman called, that ministers "are very important influences in the highest efficiency of the Army. The men need them for all kinds of help. They sustain the men especially at the most critical times."

Dr. MacFarland said further that he was impressed with "the fine Christian spirit" of General Pershing, and that it was "a great thing to have such a man in charge of our boys."

LANE CHERRIES PRAISED

California Man Says He Never Saw Such Fruit Before.

EUGENE, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—The 1918 Lane County cherry crop is entitled to first honors in the estimation of F. V. Martin, general field manager for a California fruit company. "In all my 30 years' experience I have never before seen such cherries," Mr. Martin said today.

Mr. Martin, who came to Lane County yesterday with a view to visiting the Lane pear orchards, purchased two 19-pound boxes of cherries to send to his home in Washington. He shipped one of these to S. A. Lines, general manager of the organization, at Sacramento.

Canada Accepts Grays Harbor Bay.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 12.—(Special.)—After being twice rejected for

July Clearance Brings Sales Throughout the Store

GIRLS' Own Store LITTLE GIRLS' SMOCKS, \$1.98 to \$5.00

TOILETRIES Today's Sale of Summer

BATHING SUITS \$5

HEY, FELLOWS! Let's Read About This Sale of BOYS' SUITS \$5.95 and \$6.50

WOMEN'S SILK STOCKINGS—\$1.75

Sipman Wolfe & Co. Merchandise of Merit Only

COUNCIL CREST PARK TONIGHT Sunday Concert

White Victory Bread KLEEN-MAN BREAD