

ALLIED BOMBERS PUT GERMAN AIRLINES DOWN

German Machines Hampered by Constant Bombing of Air-dromes Back of Lines.

YANKEE AVIATORS ACTIVE

Americans Send Down Three Enemy Planes Monday and Drop Many Tons of Explosives on Towns, Inflicting Much Damage.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE LORRAINE FRONT, Sept. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—The American line on the Lorraine front this afternoon stood as follows: Romans, Manheulles, Barcheville, St. Hillar, Doncourt, Woel, Haumont, a point between Jaulny and Rembercourt, north of Vandieres and south of Champey to the old line east of Pont-A-Mousson.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE LORRAINE FRONT, Sept. 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—Enemy aerial activity has shown a decided slowing up in the last 24 hours, partly because of the aggressiveness of American fliers and partly because all air-dromes behind the German lines have been greatly damaged in the persistent bombardment they have undergone.

Allied co-operation in bombing operations has been a notable contribution to the success of the offensive. French patrols yesterday engaged in 11 combats, bringing down one plane and four observation balloons. The American pursuit group has been especially active, sending down three planes. Reconnaissance machines took photographs and directed artillery fire.

Enemy Centers Suffer.

Bombing planes dropped more than 11 tons of explosive incendiary and Barroncourt and two tons on Conflans and Audun. Observers reported the damage at Conflans was especially heavy. All enemy centers in this section have been seriously damaged in the past few days.

American and allied aviators also carried out extensive bombing raids on Bayonville, Frescatville, Le Sablon and in the direction of Metz. Fires were observed at Sablon. One of the American planes shot down a German balloon near Frey.

Lieutenant Duckstein, observer, and Lieutenant Richardson, pilot, were attacked by an enemy center in being French markings. They were forced to land inside the American lines, but were uninjured. An American balloon was shot down yesterday, but the observer escaped safely by parachute.

Yank Flyers Do Well.

Magnificent work of the American aviators under most difficult weather conditions must not be forgotten in telling the story of the St. Mihiel victory. To them was entrusted every kind of mission which falls to a flying man's lot, but the task in which they distinguished themselves most, perhaps, was harassing the enemy's withdrawal from the deepest part of the salient.

A careful study had been made of the roads by which the German trains must move, and these observations turned out to be strikingly accurate, showing that the Germans had thought out quite as carefully as the Americans the exact spot which would remain open longest. This was the gap between Vigneulles and Thiaucourt, with St. Bonnet as the center. It thus happened that the American aviators found the transport trains exactly where they expected to find them, and their attempts to enforce delay were most daring.

"Ceiling" is Low.

Owing to the weather conditions, the "ceiling" to use the aviator's technical term, was little more than a thousand feet high, and the dense rain occasionally made evasive maneuvers a few yards away, but not one of the selected roads was left unattacked. The aviators swooped upon the German trains, flying only 40 feet from the ground, to make sure of their targets. Lorry after lorry was wrecked and wagon teams torn to pieces by shells fully dropped bombs or machine-gun fire.

PEACE FRAME-UP CLOSED

(Continued From First Page.) details of the position and therefore should be the governing utterance. Accordingly, before the central powers can have any peace discussions with the entente powers and America, they must accept the principles of: No secret treaties; freedom of the seas except to suppress predatory nations that fail to respect international covenants; the removal of all trade barriers; reduction of armaments; adjustment of colonial claims with reference to the wishes of the governed population; the evacuation of Russia's territory and abandonment of economic control therein; independence of Belgium; indemnification; restoration of Alsace-Lorraine; readjustment of Italian frontiers; autonomous government for the different nationalities of Aus-

Don't Let Soap Spoil Your Hair

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soap or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store and a few ounces will last the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.—Adv.

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STATE FEDERATION OF WOMEN MEET

Eighteenth Annual Session of Oregon Organizations Opens in Unitarian Church

PATRIOTISM IS KEYNOTE

Mrs. Charles H. Castner in Address Sounds Slogan: "Nothing but Service of Our Country is of Interest to Us Now."

The State Federation of the women's organizations of Oregon opened its 18th annual session last evening in the Unitarian Church.

GERMANY PLEADS INNOCENT

Previous Knowledge of Austria's Peace Note Disclaimed.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 17.—The German government had no previous knowledge of the note Austria-Hungary's belligerents to a conference, it is declared in "authoritative German circles," according to the Vienna newspapers.

HUNS ARE "NOT SURPRISED"

"Americans Preach Force," Comments Semi-Official Organ.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 17.—Washington dispatches indicating the attitude of the American government to the Austrian peace offer are conspicuously displayed in all German newspapers.

STARS ABSORB PROFITS

Movie Representatives Tell of \$3500 Weekly Salaries.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Salaries upward of \$3,000 a week are paid to motion picture stars absorb profits of the film business, although the rentals of films in theaters in the United States and Canada are estimated at \$7,000,000 a year, the Senate finance committee was told today by William A. Brady and Walter W. Irwin, representing the motion picture industry.

CARDINAL FARLEY DEAD

ARCHBISHOP OF NEW YORK SINKS RAPIDLY AFTER RELEASE. Aged Prelate, Taken by Pneumonia, Born in Ireland, Highly Educated in Various Colleges.

MAMARONECK, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Cardinal John M. Farley, Archbishop of New York, died at his country home here tonight. The aged prelate was sinking rapidly since he suffered a relapse last Saturday following partial recovery from an attack of pneumonia.

BRITISH WIN NEW GROUND

works and chemical factory at Mannheim, railways at Metz-Sablons and Treves and the station at Frankfurt. The air ministry announces these attacks in its communication this evening.

RUSSIA SEES SLAUGHTER

executions are increasing in Petrograd. Private telegrams received by the way of Helsinki report that during the past week 812 persons were executed. More than 400 others are on the prescribed list, most of whom have been made hostages.

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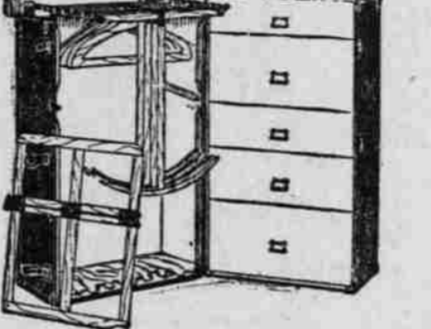
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The Sale of Fall UNDERWEAR IS NOW AT ITS HEIGHT

The buying in this sale has been most active, and no wonder! People appreciate that much of this underwear could not be replaced at any price. Most of it is wool or wool and silk or wool and cotton, and it is now impossible to obtain woolen underwear. Much of the underwear in this sale is imported direct from Switzerland, and, of course, that could not be replaced. DO NOT LET THIS EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY PASS WITHOUT SUPPLYING YOUR UNDERWEAR NEEDS.

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Women's Heavy Rib Wool Union Suits, \$2
Women's "Athena" Wool Union Suits, \$3
Children's Silk-and-Wool Garments, at \$1.50 to \$1.75
Women's Part Wool Garments \$1.25
Children's Wool-and-Cotton Garments at 49c to 79c
Girls' Wool-and-Cotton Union Suits, \$1.50
Children's Silk-and-Wool Union Suits at \$2.25 and \$2.50
Infants' Part Wool Shirts 39c
Infants' Bands 35c
Infants' Fine Wool Shirts 50c to 85c
Boys' Heavy Rib Part Wool Shirts \$1.49
Boys' Three-Quarter Wool Suits \$1.75
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