3 OREGON MINISTERS MEET AT PRIZEFIGHT

Members of "Y" Forces in France Hold Many Reunions.

DAN POLING IS GASSED

Assignments Place Men in Various Parts of Continent - Thoughts Now Turned Toward Home.

BY REV. E. B. LOCKHART,

Former Oregon preacher and newspaper man, now with Y. M. C. A. in France. "Three Oregon preachers at a prize-fight," cried out Jim Elvin to me recently as he turned about in his place at the weekly boxing bouts put on by the "Y" and laughingly pointed out Guy Fitch Phelps who made up the trio. "And the funny part of it is they are all from Salem," added the pulpit man. The picture is of Phelps of Salem,

Ellot of Portland, now lecturing in the field, Lockhart and Harris of Salem. Phelps is going home soon. He has been lecturing in the Louvre Museum, where I am now one of the lecturers in the department of ancient sculpture.

Mr. McGill of McMinnville is in the

Mr. McGill of McMinnville is in the Tarls "I" postoffice and is one of the popular men at headquarters.

An interesting story was told here the other day, concerning D. J. Taylor of Forest Grove and St. Helens. He salled from New York in April of last year and had the experience of having his ship torpedeed on April 28. Mr. Taylor served in England for six months, came here for some time and at last reports was in Germany doing "Y" work. Mrs. Taylor in visiting friends in lows. Later Mr. Taylor will go to Russia for the "Y."

Oregon Minister Gassed.

Oregon Minister Gassed. Concerning Dan Poling, who recently went to America, I find the following

duta: He served with the 1st division last He served with the 1st division last winter and spring; was slightly gassed Blarch 1, at Leicheprey, in from Toul; went through the affair of that day with Pest, physical director of Newark, N. J., Y. M. C. A., who was wounded in the foot. They were caught in two heavy barrages; carried out a wounded German lieutenant, prisoner of war, and found single refuge in an abandoned trench where Poling got the mustard. trench where Poling got the mustard I met Edwin G. Gles, who worked for Mason, Ehrman & Co., in Portland, here some days ago. He is a United States army man now. Fred Witham of Wash lugton state, whose former home is Salem, where his children now live, came hore recently from Camp Win-chester in England and has been placed in the personnel department at head-quarters "Y." Mr. Bridges, formerly with The Oregonian in Portland, is now or the headonasters staff in Paris Miss. with The Gregorian in Portland, is now on the headquarters staff in Paris Miss Fern Hobbs of Hillsboro, formerly private secretary to Governor West, is doing Red Cross work at head-quarters, and Miss Elizabeth Bain of the music department of Washington high school, Portland, is doing police work on the Paris streets at night, having recently come from England for that purpose.

Oregon Ministers Meet. Roy Clark of Portland left for home fast week. He has done fine "Y" work in France. Rev. Mr. Ellot, who was in France. Hev. Mr. Eljot, who was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Salem before coming to France for "Y" work, is out in the field and enjoying his labors with the army lads. Mr. Eliot is well liked. He was in Paris a few weeks ago. I met Clinton Cotrander of Salem here last week. The last time I saw him was when he sat beside me on a church platform in Oregon. He has gone into the field outside as private secretary to a regional

Corporal Harold Stovel of Salem and Portland invited me to dinner the other day. I accepted the invitation and had a fine meal. Rev. Mr. Davis, pastor of the Baptist church at Eugene. I met recently at a lunch table. He is hard at work in the ranks of the "Y." Clarance F. Jones has gone home to Walla Walla, Wash, after making a fine record in France of more than a year's length. His wife and two children have remained in the Washington state town where he has probably arrived see this. He saw service at Chateau Thierry and other hot places. It's now "Home, Sweet Home" for Clarance. Thierry and other not be. Home, Sweet Home, for Clarance,

BOND SWINDLERS EXPOSED

Organized Country-Wide Scheme to Defraud Holders Uncovered.

NEW YORK, April 27.-The federal NEW YORK, April 31.—The Inderni trade commission and stock exchange houses are urged to take joint action toward putting out of business "liberty bond scalpers" in a letter sent to Sec-retary of the Treasury Glass by Assist-mnt County District Attorney Edward S. ant County District Attorney Edward S. Brogan. Mr. Brogan declares he has dissovered that an organized country-wide campaign has been entered upon by swindlers to defraud 25,000,000 liberty bond holders by inducing them to part with their bonds at ridiculously low prices or in exchange for worthless stock in wildcat schemes.

Mr. Brogan suggests that stock ex-

Mr. Brogan suggests that stock ex-change houses could assist materially by refusing to buy bonds from scalpers who pay unfair prices, retain accrued interest, or charge excessive commis-pions to needy subscribers.

RECLAMATION FUNDS LOW

Officials in Yakima Section to Do Less Work Than Expected.

YAKIMA, Wash, April 27.—(Special.)

Shortage of funds has made it necessary for the reclamation service to cut its expenditure for the remaining onths of the fiscal year from

two months of the fiscal year from \$56,000 to \$36,000.

Water users have been offered, as an alternative to shutting down work, a plan whereby their district organizations would assume payment of the expense of the work of operation and maintenance t at would be eliminated. The shortage of funds is said to be due to the fact that sales of public lands have been less than was anticipated.

Third Hun Diver Arrives.

NEW YORK, April 27.—The UB-88, third of the fleet of five German sub-marines allotted to the United States to reach American waters, arrived at Sandy Hook bay yesterday. The UB-88 is one of the smaller types of undersea

French Actors to Have Union.

PARIS, April 27 .- Dramatic and lyric performers on the French stage at a meeting Saturday decided to form a union. The organization will be affili-ated with the General Labor federa-

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FARMERS TO BE PROTECTED BY U. S. GOVERNMENT.

Demand for Product May Force Prices Above Quotations Fixed by Nation During War.

NEW YORK, April 27 .- Officers of the food administration grain corporation announced last night their convic- The Dalles Boy Tells How Yanks tion, at the close of a three-day conference to determine policies for the coming year, that the government price guarantee to wheat growers could be made effective without endangering the market or causing lofs to the national

treasury.

Julius H. Barnes, president of the corporation and federal wheat director, dectared that crop indications were that wheat would be traded in on the government fair price basis. It will be possible, he added, that the market generally might be above the fixed price schedule, in which event the wheat director would not be an influence in trading, as congress adopted no maximum trade policy.

In case a crop exceeding a demand required government purchases and required government government government government government government gov

gon. He has gone into the field outside as private secretary to a regional director. Both Ostrander and Bridges in case a crop exceeding a demand now sport healthy appearing young mustaches. I met Harry Mills, a well-known pianist of Salem, recently in the Louvre.

Corporal Harold Stovel of Salem and Corporal Harold Stovel of Salem and conference recognized the necessity of measures to insure reflection of the

Dance and Reception Other Features of Entertainment.

PASCO, Wash., April 27.—(Special.)

—Plans have been completed for the entertainment and reception for returned soldiers and sailors Thursday evening. The banquet for service men only will be presided over by B. B. Johnson. The men will proceed to the Knights of Pythias hall, where the re-

eption will be held. A dance will fol-

Patrons and patronesses have been appointed as follows: Mrs. E. A. Davis Mrs. J. M. Arnett, Mrs. J. B. Crain, Mrs. C. T. Walters, Mrs. G. R. Bertholet, E. A. Davis, B. B. Johnson, E. J. Reynolds, Dr. G. L. Bammert and J. B. Conroy.

MAYOR HANSON IS GUEST Seattle Executive Speaks Before

Denver Mile High Club.

DENVER, Cole., April 27.—(Special.)

-Upon his arrival in Denver last evening, Mayor Hanson was taken in charge
by the Mile High club, who insisted that e be their guest of honor at a dinner

nation today by the bolshevist element and the part that employers must play in giving labor even more than its share n order that the country may once more settle down to a great reconstruc-

tion programme.

The Mile High club is composed of the leading citizens of Denver and has had the honor of entertaining at its dinners in the past President Wilson, Charles Evan Hughes and others of national prominence. Secretary of Treas-ury Glass spoke for the victory loan here today.

HUN GUNS ARE DETECTED

Outwitted Boche Troops.

THE DALLES, Or., April 27 .- (Special.)-Delicate microphones, mounted behind the American front line trenches detected the distance and direction of

man was gassed and spent several weeks in a base hospital.

CALDWELL ON WAY HOME

Pendleton Roundup Star Captain of Umatilla Cavalry.

PENDLETON, Or., April 27.—(Special.)—Lee Caldwell, captain of head-quarters troops. Rainbow division, is in New York on his way home, according to a message received by his sister here. The famous roundup star left here as captain of troop D., Umatilla county's cowboy cavalry, and has been kept in that branch of the service although the majority of the members of the organization he first commanded were transferred to the artillery.

Word has also been received here of

Word has also been received here of the return of Sergeant Tom Searcy, Pendleton boy, wounded veteran of Chateau-Thierry, St. Mihiel, Solssons and Belleau Wood.

PORTLAND MEN ARE NAMED

Metal Trades Association Elects Officers for Year.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 27.—Officers elected at the concluding session here yesterday of the thirteenth annual meeting of United Metal Trades asso-ciation of the Pacific coast were as folciation of the Facilic coast were as follows: B. B. Truitt, Spokane, president;
William Prier, Portland, first vicepresident; John Wallace, Seattle, second
vice-president; E. V. Young, Vancouver,
B. C., third vice-president; Jack Card,
Portland, treasurer.
John B. Jones, Portland, secretary,
was reappointed. The association embraces metal dealers of Oregon Washbraces metal dealers of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and British Columbia.

The first thrift day in America was hey had arranged for him at the Brown Palace botel.

His talk consisted in pointing out the imminent danger confronting our ing attention to thrift.

FOUR WELL-KNOWN OREGONIANS NOW WITH Y. M. C. A. IN FRANCE.



ABOVE-R. A. HARRIS AND E. B. LOCKHART. BELGOTT AND GUY FITCH PHELPS. LOCKHART. BELOW- W. A.

STRUGGLING RUSSIA

Bourtzev and others. 7

A New Weekly Magazine Devoted to Russian Problems The first four issues of the magazine contain articles by Catherine Breshkovsky, Alexander Kerensky, Nicholas Tchaikovsky, Paul Miliukov, Leonid Andreiev, Vladimir

Are You Interested in Russia?

DO YOU realize that the Russian problem at this moment is the fundamental European problem, and therefore the fundamental

World problem of today? Peace in Europe is impossible without

peace in Russia. The League of Nations is impossible without Russia

becoming an orderly democracy and a participant in the League.

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lishment of a stable, democratic government in Russia.

What Is Bolshevism?

Writing on Bolshevism, Catherine Breshkovsky, "The Grandmother of the Russian Revolution,"

"Lenines tyranny, just like the Tzar's tyranny, is the rule of a small minority over a great people, through armed force. The absurdity and criminality of the Bolshevist tyranny is evident. There is one hope for Russia, and a very strong one-that is our peasantry. This class cannot long endure the chaos brought about by Bolshevism. The existence of their families, of their husbandry," is at stake. Traditionally they are religious and they ask for justice and truth. And there is no doubt that under the general depression and anarchy which is ravaging Russia, there is a strata of strong characters and honest souls that will finally tear off the crust of vice and depravity from the body of Russia and prove their ability to be good citizens of their country and true friends to their countrymen."

("Struggling Russia," March 22, 1919)

Writing on the same subject, the well-known revolutionist, now President of the Archangel Government, Nicholas Tschaikovsky, says:

"THE Bolsheviki are not a political party. Bolshevism is not a politi-cal and not a social concept or theory. It is a disaster, a horrible aftermath of the war which we had to wage under trying and disadvantageous conditions. A disaster must be fought. There can be no agreement with an affliction. Justice-no matter under what conditions-cannot come to terms with criminality. To us Bolshevism is a crime and the Bolsheviki as much of a common enemy as the Germans who have despoiled Belgium and France. That is the reason why we turn to the Allies for aid, so much more because we recognize that Bolshevism, as a destructive power, may spread like an unchecked conflagration into other countries. But once it meets an armed and disciplined force, it is bound to capitulate and to surrender even unconditionally. Such an armed and disciplined force must be placed in its way. There must be a unity of front!" ("Struggling Russia," March 22, 1919.)

The Issue of April 12th Contains:

Are the American Radicals Against the Democracy of Russia? . . EDITORIAL What We Are Fighting For . CATHERINE BRESHKOVSKY

The program of the Russian Democracy Struggling Against Bolshevism, outlined by "The Grandmother of the Russian Who Are the "Counter-Revolution-

ists" in Russia? . . C. M. OBEROUTCHEFF The Tragic Misunderstanding . V. M. ZENZINOV The Death of Herman Lopatin 1. Life Story of Herman Lopatin . A. J. SACK 2. Herman Lopatin as I Knew

· CATHERINE BRESHKOVSKY Him .

Cable News:

From the Russian Telegraphic Agency at Omsk.

Russian Documents:

 The Results of the Bolshevist Rule, Described by a Leader of the Russian Cooperative Movement;
 Russia under Bolshevist Rule, Seen by a British Trade Unionist; 3. Why Are the Bolsheviki

Russia and the League of Nations

Writing on Russia and the League of Nations, Catherine Breshkovsky says:

Woe to the world if, at this moment, when the fate of mankind is in the balance, the Allies forget their moral and political obligations towards Russia! Her immense distances, her miscellaneous and enormous population, do not permit her to organize herself into a compact and solid force in a short time. She feels her way in the dark and seeks her salvation blindly. In her passionate efforts she can disturb the life of her peaceful neighbors. And, what is worse, she can, in her anxiety, bring darkness and disturbances to other countries for a long time. Nations! Remember, the offending of even a small nation often evokes consequences that disrupt the order of international relations. And what is there to say about the rights of a country occupying one-sixth part of the globe, including in its boundaries not fewer than a hundred different races, a country which contains in its lap the most wonderful riches, which has bred a people of the highest spiritual type, a people prepared to die in the struggle for truth, for an honest life, founded on just principles!" ("Struggling Russia," April 5, 1919)

The Threat of Bolshevism

Discussing the spread of Bolshevism in Central Europe, and the relations between Russia and the Allies, "Struggling Russia" says editorially:

Russia's sacrifices and sufferings have been so enormous and her present situation is so pitiful that nothing can happen which can possibly make the situation in our country more grave. We have sounded the depths of all possible misfortunes long ago, and the situation grows worse not for us, but for our friends. Will the handwriting on the wall be properly and timely understood? Will the Allied nations understand, with the Bolshevist infection going deeper and deeper, nearer and nearer to their hearts, that the Russian problem is the problem and that it is necessary to take it up and solve it once for all time, engaging for its solution all the available moral and ("Struggling Russia," March 29, 1919)

The latest Issue, of April 19th, Contains:

Feeding Russia EDITORIAL Russia Will Emerge, Free, Strong and United! . . CATHERINE BRESHKOVSKY The Case of Poland PAUL MILIUKOV The Bolshevist Economic Policy ., M. K. EROSHKIN The Ukrainian Problem . . . C. M. OBEROUCHEV Lenine and Malinovsky

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Russian Documents: Russian Villages Under the Bolshevist Rule;
 Lenine and Maria Spiridonova;
 Bolshevism before the International Socialist, Conference at Berne;
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MEXICO HELD WEAK NATION

RMED INTERVENTION BY THE UNITED STATES OPPOSED.

Richard Cole Would Have Americans Assume Mandatory Over Strife-Infested Country.

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- Richard H. Cole of California, who, as an intimate friend of Francisco Madero, the mur-dered Mexican president, and later the dered Mexican president, and later the personal representative and adviser of President Carranza in the United States, until, as he says, Carranza hegan to lean toward Germany, said here yesterday armed intervention in Mexico, ico would be a mistake, but that the United States should assume a mandatory over Mexico because no faction or group of factions there was capable of establishing a stable government. He declared his belief that the Carranza government could not last six months longer.

'Mexico is rich with treasure and is right at our doors crying for food and fair treatment. While the United States is thinking about Russia, Japan, with an eye for the commerce of the Pacific, is trying to get a foothold in Mexico. Japan knows where the wealth is Let Japan or Germany get a foothold in Mexico and you will see such wealth developed as was never known before.'

Receiver of Fruit Fined.

EUGENE, Or., April 27.—(Special.) months longer.

mouths longer.

"Any strong power could conquer Mexico in 60 days," said Mr. Cole. "But military intervention would be a shame and a crime. What the Mexicans want is food, not force. About 16,000,000 of the 17,000,000 people of Mexico will welcome Americans who come with food and the help they are entitled to. "I know the United States is sensitive about hurting the feelings of the Mexicans and hates to intervene, even Mexicans and hates to intervene, even in a friendly way. Some Germana friendly way. Some German-ened Mexicans might protest. But Devers, Portland.—Adv.

United States have huge interests in Mexico and the foreign nations are not

Mexico and the foreign nations are not going to allow Carranza to confiscate their large investments and sell them to Germans in that country.

"Mexico is bankrupt, hopelessly so. Carranza cannot borrow any money. Six per cent of Mexico is actually in rebellion and the peons are starving. Mexico is far worse off than Poland, Belgium, Russia or Armenia, But right now any adequate financial assistance given Carranza would cause his downfall, for if any appreciable amount of given Carranaa would cause his downfall, for if any appreciable amount of money were placed in the Mexican treasury nothing could stop a movement against him led by the men who are now in positions of trust in his very shadow.

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