

FRANCE CLOTTED WITH PURE GOLD

English Budget Meanwhile Restores Sympathy and Confidence of Allies.

ECONOMY IS PRACTICED

Early Waste Is Eliminated, as Nations Settle Down to Realities of Long War—System of Saving Is Organized.

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PARIS, Sept. 22.—The gold continues to pour into the coffers of the Banque de France. It now amounts to over \$80,000,000 francs, and this addition to the national reserve makes a fund of just about \$1,000,000,000 in gold held by the government.

But when one reads the figures of statistically inclined gentlemen who compute to minutes and seconds the cost of the war one realizes that there is need for every sou. I sometimes wonder how the little countries, not directly concerned with the war, such as Holland and Switzerland, stand the increased expense, and if they could not make up their debt by extra taxation, rather like England's, on those manufacturers and merchants who are so largely profitable.

In an address of President Motta, of Switzerland, the other day, he announced that up to the first of September the cost of mobilization alone had been 240,000,000 francs. "If the war continues another ten months," he said, "the expenses will reach 400,000,000 francs. At the end of three years Switzerland will have a deficit which will necessitate besides a war tax and augmentation of postal and telephone taxes the creation of new financial resources, such as the monopoly of tobacco."

The new English budget seems to have induced a general crisis of economy. The French papers are enthusiastic in their praise of the improvement in their turn demand a similar taxation of income and reduction of the profits of war manufacturers.

Warships Economize in Salutes. A little economy that has just been decided on by the heads of the allied navies is the cessation of salutes given by warships to the land or ships of any of the allied powers.

Mechanics Being Re-organized. Automobiles are the only thing coming back from the front. There has been a complete organization of the lists of men in trades who are serving at the front and also a list of the professions of men now serving in factories and state employment.

Nothing Goes to Waste. This man tells me that there is absolutely nothing that goes to waste. Everything is sorted into different parts in various sheds.

Whitman Class Election Held. WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special).—At a meeting of the junior class of Whitman College Thursday night the following officers were elected: Silas Gaiser, Ritzville, president; Marion Drumheller, Walla Walla, vice-president; Effie Duff, Pendleton, secretary; Joe Johnson, Hood River, treasurer.

CONQUERED BELGIAN STILL REMAINS WIT

Will Irwin Tells Incidents Such as Are Occurring Every Day in Country.

German Fails to Understand Real Humor, Says Author—Butcher "Puts One Over" on Kaiser's Officer Who Taunts Him.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 16.—That the Belgian retains his sense of humor, notwithstanding his country has fallen into German hands, was established amply by Will Irwin, the war correspondent, in a talk he made at Washington. He maintains that the Belgians, when it comes to wit and humor, can make rings around his German conqueror, and the only recourse of the German is to throw the Belgians in jail.

Another Incident Typical. Mr. Irwin also related an incident that occurred in Belgium in a small town, immediately after its capture by the Germans.

MUSICAL ACTIVITIES MANY. Hood River Clubs Prepare for Series of Winter Recitals. HOOD RIVER, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—Hood River is to be decidedly musical this winter.

REBEKAHS HOLD ELECTION. Annual Convention for Chehalis District Draws Big Attendance. CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special).—The annual convention of the Rebekah Lodges for this district, which just closed in Chehalis, attracted an attendance of about 400 members from outside the city.

ODDFELLOWS TO CONVENE. Southwest Washington Lodges Will Meet at Chehalis, October 23. CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special).—The annual convention of the Independent Order Oddfellow Lodges of this district will be held in Chehalis, Washington, Oct. 23.

La Grande Has Business Men's Club. SALEM, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—Articles of incorporation were filed today by the Epperson Nursery Company, of Portland. The capital stock is \$2000.

ASHLAND PUPILS HAVE MARKET DAYS. ASHLAND, Or., Oct. 16.—Following the installation of domestic science and gardening courses, pupils of the public schools have introduced market days.

Klamath High Juniors Triumph. KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—The election of officers for the student body in the history of Klamath County High school was held yesterday.

Monmouth Students Get Jobs. MONMOUTH, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—The high school of this city has formed a student employment bureau with the student body officers acting as the board.

SEATTLE LAWYER TAKEN

GEORGE P. ROSSMAN ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE. Man, Caught on Puget Sound, Under Indictment Here, Charged With Obtaining Money Falsely.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special).—George P. Rossmann, a prominent Seattle lawyer, was arrested here today charged with being involved with a questionable Canadian land company.

Rossman first came to the attention of District Attorney Evans when several persons to whom he had sold half interests in land-locating offices with Canadian land locating, had an indictment pending against him in Portland in which he is charged with obtaining money by false pretenses.

Extension Work Is Big. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 16.—(Special).—A new wrinkle in extension work has been added to the University of Oregon commerce school, and a correspondence course in commercial accounting is being instituted.

Milk Bulletin Proposed. Object Is to Show if Expansion of Dairy Interest Is Justifiable. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 16.—(Special).—A milk bulletin which will show the economic feasibility of milk production throughout the world will be issued soon by the State University.

O. A. C. Graduate Named. L. J. Allen Appointed Animal Husbandman in Extension Service. OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 16.—(Special).—Leonard J. Allen, a graduate of the Oregon Agricultural College with the class of '14, has been appointed animal husbandman in the extension service.

Widow Wins for Year. WOMAN WHO DEFIED SHERIFF NOT TO BE REMOVED FROM HOME. Mortgagee Agrees to Waive Legal Point and Gives Time in Which to Redeem Property. SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 16.—(Special).—Mrs. Sarah Bigelow, who yesterday routed four deputy sheriffs by the display of a rifle and shotgun and threats to shoot, will be permitted to remain in peaceful occupation of her home until May 24, 1917.

Injury by Car Brings Lockjaw. WALLACE, Idaho, Oct. 16.—(Special).—Julia Tonti, 8 years old, died in Kellogg as the result of lockjaw, which was in turn injuries received a week ago, when she was run down by an auto.

Power Plant Has Break. Baker Municipal Lights Off and Current Is Bought. BAKER, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—Because of its plant being out of commission Baker is buying its power from the Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company.

Handle Mill Proposed. Factory at Eugene to Make Accessories for Variety of Tools. EUGENE, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—A factory for the manufacture of wooden handles for tools was announced last night with the purchase of the Fairmount planing mill by Charles Colton, B. C. Crowl and Lew Kester.



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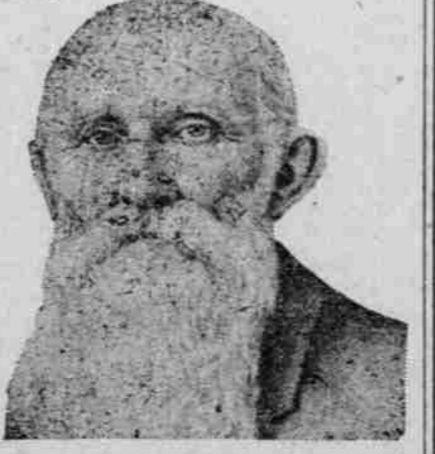
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HOME COMING DAY CALL

Administration at Oregon and Corvallis Co-operating With Students.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 16.—(Special).—"Homecoming day" has been kept constantly before graduates of the University of Oregon and the Oregon Agricultural College for the past month and it will be broadcast until November 20.

HEALTHY OLD AGE BRINGS HAPPINESS



MR. J. H. BRISTOL.

STREET WORK IS AWARDED

Contract Let to R. D. Shelley for Job at Stevenson.

MOLALA, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special).—Dr. J. W. Thomas, of Molalla, was married in Victoria, B. C., to Miss Nanette Maidee Thomas, of Cameron, Mo.

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