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## GERMANS SINK JAP CRUISER WITH 347 AT KIAO CHOW BAY

Cruiser Takachino Goes Down as Result of Striking Mine and Only Ten Members of Crew of 357 Rescued—Few Details Given Today

WAR DEPARTMENT OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCES DISASTER TO MIKADO'S NAVY IN FAR EAST

Cruiser Was Built in 1885, But Was Refitted for War Purposes in 1900—Reported to Have Occurred on the Night of October 17

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
TOKIO, Oct. 19.—It has been officially announced that the Japanese cruiser Takachino was sunk by a mine in Kiao Chau Bay on the night of October 17. One officer and nine members of the crew are known to have been saved. The cruiser, built in 1885, carried a crew of 357 men. She was refitted in 1900.

## GERMANS SAY KAISER'S TROOPS ARE GAINING AROUND LILLE

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
BERLIN, Oct. 19.—The German army headquarters have given out the following: "Attacks of the enemy to the west and northwest of Lille have been repulsed by our troops with the infliction of heavy losses. In the Eastern area of war the situation remains unchanged."

## TURKEY DEFIES ENGLAND IN ANSWER TO NAVAL DEMAND

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 19.—The Porte has declined to discharge the German crews of the cruisers Goeben and Breslau, which have been in Turkish waters since early hostilities and which were said to have been sold by Germany to Turkey. The reply was given in reply to British representations.

## TURK OUSTS GREEK CHURCH HEAD.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 19.—A telegram from Berlin says the Turkish government has requested the patriarch head of the Greek Orthodox church to leave Constantinople.

## MORE CANADIAN TROOPS ARRIVE.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
AVONMOUTH, England, Oct. 19.—Additional Canadian troops were landed here today.

## SEND JAM TO ENGLISH ARMY

Immense Quantity of Rations Required for Troops—Send Purifying Articles

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
LONDON, Oct. 19.—The call for contributions of jam, which is made certain British war relief societies backed by the press, may lead soldiers to believe that Thomas Colquhoun is the most pampered of fighting men. But this is not true, and the hard Egyptian campaign of 1884 proved that jam is not a luxury but a necessary preventive of scurvy. Millions of pounds of jam were consumed by the British troops in the Boer War, and the army of France has been kept well supplied with it in the present campaign.

The British soldier is the best fed in Europe. A force of 200,000 men is given four months' rations in this scale: 24,000,000 pounds of bread, 18,000,000 pounds of meat, 1,600,000 pounds of compressed vegetables, 720,000 tins of condensed milk, 800,000 pounds of salt, 800,000 pounds of coffee and 80,000 pounds of tea, 40,000 gallons of rum, 64,000 bottles of port and 24,000 bottles of whiskey and 1,000,000 tins of jam of one pound each. Among the miscellaneous stores piled at the front are tons of alum for purifying water, chloride of lime and carbolic acid powder for disinfectants. Hay, oats and bran are also furnished on a generous scale for the horses and mules.

## OSTEND PAYS BIG TRIBUTE

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
LONDON, Oct. 19.—Advices from Flushing, Holland, state that the Germans have levied a fine on Ostend of a million dollars. Early Sunday great forces began to pass through. The indications were of a big movement against Dunkirk on the Allies' left. German sailors arrived at Blankenborgho, a Belgian port on the English Channel, Sunday.

## FRENCH CLAIM TO BE WINNING

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
PARIS, Oct. 19.—The French War Office announced Sunday that considerable progress had been made by the Allies north of Arras.

## LONDON RIOTS HURTS GERMANS

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
LONDON, Oct. 19.—A series of anti-German rioting occurred Sunday on High street. Shops conducted by Germans were wrecked and one shop was set on fire.

## CENSUS ESTIMATE SHOWS COOS COUNTY HAS GAINED 6,000 IN FOUR YEARS

### BAD WEATHER DELAYS SHIPS

Five Vessels in Lower Bay Waiting for Opportunity To Put To Sea

In the lower harbor there are at present five ships laying at anchor waiting for the weather to clear enough to allow them to cross out. At the Smith Terminal Dock is the gasoline schooner Rustler, the sixth member of the fleet, also waiting for a favorable opportunity to make the open sea.

The Daisy Putnam, which first went down about six days ago, came up to North Bend yesterday to take aboard some fresh provisions and today is back again on her vigil. The other ships there are the Adeline, which left here Saturday, the Alvarado, the A. M. Simpson and the four-masted schooner Encore, bound for San Pedro.

Those who were at the bar declare that the elder made a hard fight in getting out and that for several minutes the big boat struggled hard before the engines won the battle and she forged on out to sea.

A late report from the lighthouse states that the Alvarado succeeded in getting out over the bar this afternoon, but that she shipped four or five heavy seas in the attempt. None of the other ships, heavily laden, have attempted the passage.

### WIRES DOWN AGAIN TODAY

As a result of the heavy rainstorm and wind, Coos Bay is today isolated from the rest of the world. The Western Union wire is down between here and Roseburg and just when service can be restored Mr. Schetter can not be certain.

The long distance phone line is also down between here and Roseburg. Some of the other local lines are down. This morning A. H. Powers was unable to reach any of his camps by phone.

Aside from the wire trouble and the delay caused to shipping, no damage was sustained from the storm. In consequence of all the wires being down, The Times was unable to get its Associated Press report today, the news received yesterday by The Times being the latest that came relative to the war.

### HAD HARD TRIP HERE.

Brother of James Tracey Arrives Here to Take Body Home.

M. Tracey, a brother of James Tracey, who was killed in the accident at the Smith-Powers log dump ten days ago, and J. F. Fahey, of Green Island, Minn., arrived here Saturday night to accompany the body back home. They came in via Eugene and Florence and report a hard trip. The train did not run out far and the stage service was bad, compelling them to walk several miles during the intense warm weather. They were almost as long coming from Eugene to Marshfield as they were getting from Green Island to Eugene. It had been some years since Mr. Tracey had seen his brother. The latter was a member of the Forester's Lodge and carried some insurance in that organization. They will leave soon for home and may get out via San Francisco.

Celebrated End of Week—Because it was Saturday night, the end of the week, and because they were mighty tired, the hunters with the west wind, James Galloway, Paddy Quinn, J. E. Lowe and A. James were arrested and put in jail, charged, every one, with being too drunk to appear in society. The men were the guests of the city for the night and yesterday morning were sent out into the creek world with severe admonitions to stay sober.

DR. HORSFALL HAS MOVED TO ROOMS 112-113, IRVING BLOCK

### OREGON IMMIGRATION COMMISSION COMPILES DATA ON THE GROWTH OF THE STATE

CURRY COUNTY HAS GAINED ABOUT 800

Douglas County Has Lost a Few and State as Whole Shows Material Increase

Coos County is credited with a population of 23,131 in 1914 against 17,959 in 1910 in the statistics compiled by the Oregon State Immigration Commission for the Oregon Almanac. Curry County is credited with a growth of about 800 since 1910, now being credited with a population of 2823. Douglas County is credited with losing about 200 population since 1910.

A gain of 170,091 in the population of the state is estimated. The estimate is based on the population of the counties of the state as shown by the United States figures on population and the per cent increase in the school census as taken in each school district in the state. The tabulated figures are as follows:

County	1914	1910	sq mi
Baker	21,281	18,076	7.0
Benton	14,945	10,662	26.5
Chickama			
Clatsop	38,711	29,931	20.8
Clatsop	24,009	16,106	29.2
Columbia	13,338	10,580	29.3
Coos	23,131	17,959	14.2
Crook	17,896	9,315	2.3
Curry	2,823	2,054	1.9
Douglas	19,752	19,674	4.0
Gilliam	3,864	3,791	3.2
Grant	6,355	5,607	1.4
Harney	6,919	4,959	.7
Hood			
River	7,944	8,916	14.6
Jackson	27,969	25,756	9.6
Josephine	8,446	9,567	4.8
Klamath	12,260	8,554	2.1
Lake	5,378	4,658	.7
Lane	35,580	33,783	8.4
Lincoln	7,211	5,587	7.2
Linn	26,680	22,662	11.9
Malheur	11,766	8,601	1.2
Marion	47,948	39,780	40.0
Morrow	4,179	4,357	2.0
Multnomah			
Polk	303,067	226,261	672.0
Sherman	17,437	13,469	24.6
Umatilla	3,870	4,242	4.6
Tillamook	7,719	6,266	6.8
Union	23,829	20,309	7.5
Wallowa	17,181	16,191	8.2
Wasco	9,211	8,364	2.9
Washington	19,189	16,336	8.2
Wheeler	26,428	21,522	36.2
Yamhill	2,592	2,484	1.5
Total	822,856	672,765	31.8
		Sq. Miles	
Total land area		35,607	
Water area		1,692	
Total		37,299	
Population per square mile		8.8	

### ELDER SAILS NORTH SUNDAY

Has No Trouble Getting Over Bar Yesterday—Carries Eighty Passengers

The George W. Elder left out of Coos Bay yesterday morning bound for Portland with a passenger list of eighty persons. Having been detained several days at Eureka on account of bad weather on the bar there the Elder is now running off schedule, but will be back on her regular run when she leaves Portland next Sunday morning.

Those who went north on the Elder yesterday were: Louis Schanberg, W. E. Houth, E. S. Louie, Violet May Andrews, Mrs. C. J. Storey, F. Nottingham, Geo. Murry, Frank Horton, O. F. Oeben, Mrs. J. Will, Mrs. J. G. Currie, W. M. Hall, M. J. Powell, J. W. Davis, Mrs. C. W. Cross, J. W. Hawkins, Dr. J. W. Morrow, Chas. H. Hochberg, Mrs. P. W. Dodson, Mrs. T. C. Atkinson, Ceell Atkinson, A. Gooper, James Hughes, Geo. Letters, Fred Rother, J. Deehl, Louis Eckloff, C. G. A. Fies-trim, F. O. Houck, C. J. Neil, Miss Elizabeth Telferson, R. A. Peterson, J. A. Hann, E. B. Martin, Clark Will, Orvil Will, H. J. Currie, H. R. Howes, Mike Lewis, W. E. Richardson, J. K. Henderson, Mrs. Mary E. Roberts, G. M. Binkey, A. E. Labowitch, Miss Gertrude Harrington, Larrie Howe, Mrs. E. D. Howe, M. G. Copley, Jas. Grunas, W. F. Stangel, Peter Pierson, Alfred Raheburk, Law Pay, J. H. Anderson, Wm. Camp, J. H. Schaffer, John F. Andrews, Mrs. May Bassett, A. A. Hale, C. W. Crawford, J. H. Armistead, Joe Will, J. G. Currie, E. Johnson, Fred Coleman, B. O. Burr, M. C. Wallace, A. Butterworth, E. Cameron, H. B. Tickner, Geo. F. Reynolds, Eugene Atkinson, Frances Howe, John Nicholas, J. Close, Pete Cardell, A. J. Huhner, E. Filed and Ed Oster.

Agent C. P. McGeorge, of the Geo. W. Elder, said the report circulated here this morning that the Geo. W. Elder had trouble in crossing out yesterday was without foundation. He called up the Cape Arago Lighthouse and was informed that she went out in good shape, only one sea breaking so as to shower spray over her bow.

### AMONG THE SICK

Andrew Landies was operated on Saturday morning at Mercy Hospital for appendicitis and a series of complicated illness by Dr. E. V. Morrow, and his father, Dr. Morrow, of Portland.

### TOM JAMES SHOT IN BACK

Receives in Back Part of Charge Meant for Lone Duck—Not Serious

Hunting yesterday on Haynes Inlet, Tom James, agent of the Arrow Line, was accidentally shot in the back and ear when a hunter discharged his gun at a duck flying close to the water. Only three shot hit James in the back and one went through the lobe of the ear. None of them inflicted any serious damage.

With a companion from the Glasgow Hunting Club, James went out in a small boat after ducks. Little attention was paid to a man in a blind but a little distance from the shore. The man evidently paid little attention to the man in the boat for when a lone duck appeared overhead and was about to light on the water he brought his gun to his shoulder and fired. The shots scattered over the water, part of the charge striking James.

The hunter attributed the accident to his excitement, declaring that he figured James and his partner were much farther away than they were and they would be out of range of the gun.

That this is a fortunate accident, is the belief of many hunters. They declare that no one was badly injured and that this will be a warning to some gunmen who are careless in handling their firearms. Mr. James was about his business today and declares the accident was but a slight one.

### DEER HUNTERS FINED TODAY

Stanley and Edmond Oldland of South Inlet appeared before Justice Shuster at North Bend today and pleaded guilty to the charge of chasing deer with dogs. They were fined \$25 and costs apiece, each totalling about \$40. Their three dogs were returned to them.

The charges were preferred by Game Warden Thomas. Oldlands did not attempt to fight the case.

Joe Devaul of the North Coquille was fined \$50 and costs the other day for stringing his fish net clear across the river. Game Warden Thomas also picked up two nets near Riverton, but so far has been unable to locate the owners.

He states that a few of the duck hunters have been crowding the daylight shooting limit pretty close and some according to reports have slipped over. He warns them that this law will be rigidly enforced.

## RUSSIANS CLAIM TO BE WINNING ALONG VISTULA RIVER

Great Battle of Poland Appears to Be Progressing in Favor of Czar's Troops, According to Dispatches From Petrograd Today—Check Germans

KAISER'S TROOPS DEFEATED IN DESPERATE EFFORTS TO CROSS THE VISTULA RIVER

Austrians Claim to Have Killed or Wounded 40,000 Russians Around Przemysl—Russians Repulse Austrian Attempt to Cross the River San

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
LONDON, Oct. 19.—In the eastern war area, a great battle in Poland appears to be progressing in favor of the Russians, who claim to have checked decisively the German attempt to cross the Vistula River. Around Przemysl, the Austrians claim to have killed and wounded 40,000 Russians and also to have crossed the Carpathians, but on the other hand, the Russians repulsed the Austrian attempt to cross the River San.

## ENGLISH FLEET AIDS ALLIES IN BATTLE SOUTH OF OSTEND

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
LONDON, Oct. 19.—The struggle for the possession of a strip of French seacoast that is nearest to the shores of England was the most interesting phase of the war situation today. The British naval forces are reported to have joined in the movement with the Allies, who are making a determined stand on the Belgian frontier against the westward drive of the German right wing. King Albert, with the remnant of his Belgian army is reported fighting with the Allies' left wing near the France-Belgian border. The exact battle line near the seacoast is not known. A French report says the German artillery attacked without success the front of Neuport to Vadsloo while the Allies have advanced as far as Roulos. The Allies are also reported moving on Lille, which was occupied by the Germans October 13. There is no doubt the Germans are bound for Dunkirk and Calais and are prepared to meet strong resistance.

## AMERICAN MARINES LANDED IN HAYTI TO END REVOLUTION

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
CAPE HATTIEN, Oct. 19.—The latest development in the Haitian revolution is the occupation of Cape Haitien by the victorious rebels today. American marines from warships in the harbor have landed and are in control of the situation.

## AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE IS SUNK BY FRENCH CRUISER TODAY

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
CETTINJE, Montenegro, Oct. 19.—An Austrian submarine was sunk in the Adriatic Sea today by a French cruiser.

## ENGLISH CAPTURE GERMAN VESSEL DISGUISED AS HOSPITAL SHIP

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
LONDON, Oct. 19.—An unconfirmed Central News dispatch from Harwich says the British cruiser Undaunted, accompanied by two torpedo boat destroyers, captured a German mine layer in the North Sea. The dispatch says the mine layer was disguised as a hospital ship.

## GERMANY RELENTS IN BELGIUM

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19.—The German Government has consented to the admission of food supplies for destitute Belgians. The British ambassador here and American Ambassador Page in London have been notified by the State Department.

RUSS THANKS NORWAY. gratitude for the kindness which Norwegians have shown to Russians during the passage of the latter through this country.  
CHRISTIANIA, Oct. 19.—The Norwegian government has received from Count Tolstol, mayor of Petrograd, a communication in which, on behalf of the Russian people, he expresses his appreciation for the kindness which Norwegians have shown to Russians during the passage of the latter through this country.  
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