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AUSTRIA SAYS RUSSIANS BEATEN IN CAMPAIGN IN CARPATHIANS

Officially Announces That Attacks of Czar's Troops Have Finally Been Broken.

RESULT IS IMPORTANT SAY MILITARY CRITICS

Will Decide Mastery of Territory for Future—Warsaw Battle Continues

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Austrian government announced today that the attacks of the Russians in the Carpathians had broken down and that the Russians suffered heavy losses. On certain sections of the front the Austrians are on the offensive and the capture of more than 4000 Russians is reported. In a statement from Petrograd yesterday it is admitted that the Russians had retreated in one of the mountain passes. Particular significance is attached by strategists to the outcome of the campaign in the Carpathians on the ground that it probably will decide the mastery of this region for the remainder of the war.

Warsaw reports the situation unchanged in Poland and West Galicia.

Petrograd dispatches agree that a battle of almost unexampled fury is in progress along the Warsaw front.

Desultory fighting is in progress in Argonne and Alsace, but elsewhere in the western arena activity is diminishing. Paris reports nothing but minor artillery engagements yesterday.

MADEIRA FRAUD IN PAPER CONTEST

Maude Barber Alleges Crookedness in Auto Voting Subscription Deal

DAVENPORT Wash., Feb. 6.—The arrest of C. B. Gordon at Walla Walla, and A. C. Cronin at Dallas, Ore., was made by Sheriff John A. Davel, and the men will have to answer to charges of fraud preferred against them as a result of their management of an auto contest for a newspaper in Davenport last fall.

Maude Barber, one of the contestants, secured the warrants for the arrest of the men in October, when a search has been prosecuted for them. She alleges that just before the close of the contest she received a slip from them purporting to the standing of the six candidates at the time, and which showed her to be lacking but 3000 votes of first place in a total of several millions of votes. Thus encouraged she placed \$200 cash of her own money toward subscriptions, only to find when the contest closed that she was beaten about two to one.

Gordon, when arrested, was managing a similar contest for the Daily States at Walla Walla, while Cronin was managing a contest in the Oregon 1094.

GARDNER RESORTS ARE RAIDED AGAIN

(Special to The Times.) GARDNER, Or., Feb. 6.—Marie Hammack and Margaret Mikkola were required to get up \$250 cash bail for their appearance before the Douglas county grand jury on the charge of keeping disorderly houses near Reedsport. Marie Hammack, under the name of Marie Greenwood, was fined \$250 by Judge Hamilton at Roseburg not long ago. The women were preparing to leave until after the grand jury when Sheriff Gehls and District Attorney Neuner arrived from Roseburg and raided them. It is announced that a number of arrests of Gardner and Umpqua people will be made soon for bootlegging.

GARLIC SAUSAGES, Palmetto Market.

Mexican Peace Conference to Appeal for America's Aid

About 200 Former Governors and Generals Gather in San Antonio Today

MAY REQUEST ACTION BY UNITED STATES

Carranza Forces Pass Death Sentence on Four American Railroad Officials

FRANCE SAYS GERMANY IS DESPERATE

PARIS, Feb. 6.—The German Admiralty's proclamation including in the war zone the waters surrounding the British Isles provoked an outburst of indignation in the French papers, although it is hailed as an indication that Germany is beginning to find the situation desperate.

MARSHFIELD WINS AT MYRTLE POINT

Coquille Wrests Close Victory From North Bend—Locals at Bandon Tonight.

168 CAUGHT BY MINE EXPLOSION

All Except Ten Escape—Six Known Dead and Four Others are Missing

SHIP BILL'S FATE STILL UNCERTAIN

President Wilson May Call Special Session of Congress—Amendments

ADMITS MURDER OF 8 AGED GERMANS

Employee of New York Odd Fellows' Home Makes Confession—Many Arrests

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GERMANY LIFTS EMBARGO FROM FOOD FOR ALLIES' CIVILIANS

Announces Blockade is Merely Against War Supplies of Enemy Countries

ARKANSAS IS PUT IN DRY LIST NOW

Gov. Hay Signs State-wide Prohibition Bill—Closes Saloons by 1916

LITTLE ROCK, Feb. 6.—A bill providing for state-wide prohibition in Arkansas was signed today by Governor Hays. The measure was passed by the Senate yesterday and by the House today. It prohibits the granting of further saloon licenses for 1915, but does not disturb those already granted, allowing them to run until 1916.

JAPS SEIZE NORWEGIAN STEAMERS

TOKIO, Feb. 6.—Japanese warships seized the Norwegian steamer Christian Bors on the allegation that they found an irregularity in her papers. She was turned over to the prize court. The vessel sailed January 27 for San Francisco from Shanghai by way of Japan.

NORTH BEND MEN TAKE OVER CORNER

Half Interest in Old Bank of Oregon Property Purchased by Eight for \$9,000

It was announced today that a party of leading North Bend men have taken over the half interest in the Bank of Oregon corner which the former bank held. It was transferred to them for \$9000 for the half interest. W. U. Douglas, who owns the other half interest, is said to hold his half interest worth more than \$10,000.

JAP WRECK WAR PROBLEM TODAY

Rescued Officers and Men of Asama Could be Interned by Mexico—Details Given

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 6.—According to information received today, the Japanese cruiser Asama struck an uncharted route at the entrance of Turtle Bay, Lower California, last Saturday. The warship settled quickly and a gale which began to blow that night completed its destruction.

According to word brought here, the officers and crew of the Asama will not be brought into an American port, but will embark either aboard the Hizen or Izumo. Under a strict interpretation of the neutrality laws, Mexico has a perfect right to intern the officers and men of the Asama until the expiration of the war.

Return in March. L. J. Simpson has sent word from San Francisco that he cannot return to Coos Bay before March 1. He did not state definitely that he will be here then, but intimated that he will reach here soon after that date.

Will Ship Auto. Capt. Edgar Simpson has ordered his Simplex auto shipped to San Francisco on the A. M. Simpson next week. It is understood that he plans to dispose of it or trade it in on a new car.

Many Dogs Poisoned. A number of valuable dogs in North Bend have been poisoned the past week. One of them was a fine blue hound belonging to L. J. Simpson. Whether there is a dog poisoner in North Bend or whether the canines are getting poisoned meat that has been put out to kill rats is a question.

Go to San Francisco. Miss Hage, who has been employed in the offices of the Simpson Lumber company for the past year or so, will leave on the A. M. Simpson for San Francisco. Since the mill closed here she has been taking a vacation and had been planning a trip to California for some time. She may take a position in the offices of the Simpson Lumber company there.

ENGLAND TO FIGHT TO BREAK GERMANY

LONDON, Feb. 6.—In an interview given here, Winston Spencer Churchill, England's first Lord of the Admiralty, said:

Germany is like a man throttled with a heavy gag. You know the effect of such a gag, when action is necessary. The effort wears out the heart and Germany knows it. This pressure shall not be relaxed until she gives in unconditionally, or even if France and if our ally Russia should decide to withdraw from the struggle which is inconceivable, we English would carry on the war to the bitter end.

DATES OF LENTEN SPECIAL DAYS

The next church day of importance will be Ash Wednesday, which will be observed in all the Catholic and Episcopal churches and will be the beginning of Lent, Ash Wednesday falls on February 17 this year, February 24 is St. Matthias' day; March 1, St. David's day; March 21, Passion Sunday; March 28, Palm Sunday, and April 4, Easter.

PALACE MARKET makes BEST FRANKFURTERS. Phone 406-J.

A CARD PARTY and DANCE will be given by the CATHOLIC LADIES of NORTH BEND in LOGGIE'S HALL, Wednesday evening, Feb. 10.