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AUSTRIA TAKES BACK PRZEMYSL

Great Galician Fortress Captured by Russians Again Changes Hands in War

USED THE BIG GUNS

Czar's Arm Held the Big Stronghold for Period of Ten Weeks Only.

MEN AND SUPPLIES MOVED

Russians Anticipated Their Fall and Save All They Can Take Out of the Place Before the Enemy Enters—Deny Italian Advance

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, June 3.—Przemysl has been reclaimed by Austria. Official announcement was made at Vienna today that the great Galician fortress, won by the Russians ten weeks ago after a long struggle, had been recaptured. With Przemysl in their hands the Austrians and Germans have concluded the first phase of the new Galician campaign which was launched in a drive from Cracow. Dispatches indicate the attacking forces relied largely on their heavy guns which they used effectively all through the advance across Galicia. Dispatches say the Russians had removed men and supplies from Przemysl in anticipation of its fall and that they considered it not improbable that they would lose Lemberg as well. Italian reports of steady progress in Austria are disputed in Vienna.

NEWS WAS SURPRISE.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, June 1.—The fall of Przemysl was received here with a certain degree of surprise. The Austrians entered Przemysl at 3:30 p. m. today after a hammering with heavy guns that lasted more than 20 days. The capitulation must be ascribed to the effectiveness of this artillery onslaught. When the Russians were forced to abandon some of the out Przemysl forts they had no time to destroy the guns, which are falling into the Teuton's hands were turned by the new owners against the inner fortifications.

THE VIKING SAILS IN

MANNED BY NORSEMAN CLAD IN ANCIENT WAR GARB

In a Figurative Invasion of America to Celebrate Norway Day at Exposition.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—A Viking ship, manned by 57 Norsemen, clad in the ancient war garb, sailed into the harbor at the Panama-Pacific Exposition today, her quaint sails aided by oarsmen, figuratively invading America for the celebration of Norway day.

PREMIER ATTACKED

NATIONALIST BITTER AGAINST ASQUITH IN PARLIAMENT

Meeting of British Parliament Today Results in Strong Opposition to New Measure.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, June 3.—The first assembly of coalition of the British Parliament today developed into an attack on Premier Asquith by Laurance Ginnell, Nationalist, who bitterly opposed the suspensory bill introduced by the Home Secretary.

HONOR JEFF DAVIS

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

ATLANTA, Ga., June 3.—The 108th anniversary of the birth of Jefferson Davis was observed generally throughout the South today. It was a legal holiday in most of the Southern states.

NEW ARMY ORDER

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, June 3.—An amendment to the army act has been proposed by H. J. Tennant, under secretary of war, by which Parliament is asked to give the war department power to transfer soldiers from one command to another without their consent, even if to a different branch of the service. Such transference, however, shall not deprive the soldier of any pay or allowance formerly received.

Have your letter heads printed at the Times office.

ALLIANCE BEACHED

GOES ASHORE AT RICHMOND BEACH NORTH OF SEATTLE

Is in No Danger and Will Probably be Hauled Off Sand Tonight

RECENTLY CAME HERE

The Alliance for a long time was on the run to Coos Bay and was taken off the run when the George W. Elder started visiting this port about a year ago.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

SEATTLE, Wash., June 3.—The steamer Alliance, which went ashore last night at Richmond Beach just north of Seattle, was bound for Alaska with passengers and freight, and is still in the sand, but is in no danger. Arrangements are being made to haul the Alliance off at high tide tonight.

WANTS TERRITORY

RUMANIA MUST KNOW WHAT SHE IS TO GET

King of Italy Offers His Services to Settle Question With Russia

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

PARIS, June 3.—King Victor Emmanuel of Italy offered his services as intermediary in the adjustment of territorial questions which have arisen between Russia and Rumania, according to the Milan Secolo. Rumania is believed to be exchanging notes with Russia as to what territory is to be hers if she joins the allies.

MORE VESSELS SUNK

BRITISH SUBMARINE DESTROYS GERMAN TRANSPORT

Italians Sink Two Austrian Merchant Vessels and Damage An Auxiliary Cruiser

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, June 3.—A British submarine operating in the sea of Marmora torpedoed a large German transport in Pandernia Bay yesterday morning. The announcement was given out officially in London today. It is also said the submarine was one of several operating in these waters.

ITALIANS SINK TWO

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

GENEVA, June 3.—News dispatches declare two Italian torpedo boats early yesterday entered the Gulf of Trest and sank two merchant vessels and damaged an Austrian auxiliary cruiser.

RAISES LARGE SUM

BILL FOR REVENUE INTRODUCED IN FRENCH CHAMBER

Provides for Over Five Billion Francs to Carry on the War.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

PARIS, June 3.—French Minister of Finance Ribot today introduced a bill in the Chamber of Deputies for an appropriation of 5,600,000,000 francs, provisionally, for the requirements in the third quarter of the present year.

PEOPLE VOTING TODAY

Bond Issue for Railroad is Being Decided Today

(Special to The Times)

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 3.—The people of Roseburg are today voting at a special election on the proposition of whether or not the city shall issue bonds in the sum of \$300,000 to build a railroad from Roseburg to the Cascade mountains. The Kendall Company, an eastern concern, has agreed to build the road, erect a lumber mill in Roseburg, and bring logs over the road to Roseburg and manufacture them into lumber. They ask only the issuing of the \$300,000 in bonds on the part of the city. If the proposition is carried by the people the Kendall firm will build a big saw mill and do big developing work in the woods. It is said that if they establish their plant the payroll at the mill will amount to a large sum.

BERLIN RULES STRICT

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

BERLIN, June 3.—The regulations concerning the mixing of rye with potato flour and of wheat with rye flour apply as well to homebaked bread. Disregard of these regulations led to a disagreeable surprise for a christening party in Berlin. The mother had baked an elaborate cake to celebrate the occasion. Just as the guests were sitting down to the table, a police official appeared, demanded a slice of the cake, and, alleging that it was not lawfully prepared, confiscated it. A fine was later imposed.

VILLA WINS IN LATEST BATTLE

By Blank Movement He Routs Carranza Cavalry in Fight in Chihuahua

TAKE SUPPLY TRAIN

General Obregon is Surrounded and Loses a Large Quantity of His Stores.

CARRANZA AGENT TALKS

Says President's Note is Due to Lack of Relations of the United States With the Constitutional Government of Mexico

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.—Consulting Agent Carothers at Chihuahua reported today that the Villa troops in a blank movement captured Silac and routed the Carranza cavalry. Obregon, he said, is surrounded at Trinidad by Villa infantry and has lost his trains and a large quantity of supplies.

CARRANZA MAN TALKS

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.—The head of the Carranza agency here issued the following comment on President Wilson's Mexican statement: "I believe President Wilson's note is largely due to a lack of relations between the United States and Constitutional governments and this has given room for many false reports which have victimized Carranza. Lately Carranza ordered an advance toward Mexico City, which he will undoubtedly make before the week is over. There is no danger therefore that the strife may prolong itself and cause any greater calamity.

FOOD FOR MEXICANS

RED CROSS IS DISTRIBUTING SUPPLIES AT MONTEREY

Appeal from Mexico City Says That There is Bad Shortage of Food

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.—Distributions of the American Red Cross relief supplies has begun in Monterey, Mexico. Consul General Hanna today reported that one car of corn, one car of beans and a car of flour has arrived. The Red Cross will push on the supplies to other interior points as the transportation facilities are restored. An appeal to the Red Cross coming from the international relief committee in Mexico City says the situation in that city is desperate on account of a shortage in food and medical supplies.

CHARGES GEN. OTIS

MEXICAN REBEL SAYS HE WAS HIRED TO MAKE REVOLT

Claims Newspaper Man and Boer General Wanted Trouble Started in Lower California.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LOS ANGELES, June 3.—N. S. Zogg, a self-styled Mexican revolutionary general, declared in the Superior Court today that he had been engaged by General Harrison Grey Otis, owner of the Los Angeles Times and General Viljoen, a former Boer leader, to organize a revolt in Lower California, an alleged project which recently resulted in the indictment of Otis' son-in-law, Harry Chandler, on a charge of conspiring to violate American neutrality.

RESTAURANT MAN LEAVES

C. F. Tucker, who has been conducting the Grand restaurant in North Bend has left the city and left behind a number of bills unpaid. He had his fixtures all paid for excepting \$50. Through an attorney the creditors secured from Mrs. Tucker a bill of sale for the fixtures and she has left for Portland.

TWO BIG JOBS

The North Bend City Council will at the next meeting let two big contracts, one for a sewer system estimated to cost \$25,300 and the other for grading Virginia and McPherson avenues, estimated to cost \$11,627.

WILL GIVE BANQUET

The Marshfield Masons will give a banquet tonight when many Masons from North Bend will be in attendance. Frank Heath and several others are to be given the third degree at a session preceding the banquet.

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR

JUNE 5th.

BERLIN HAS BREAD

PRICE OF VARIOUS KINDS HAS BEEN REDUCED

Government Allows People to Again Bake Small Loaves of White Flour Bread

BERLIN, June 3.—As an indication that Germany's flour supply is not insufficient the authorities announced that the prices of various kinds of bread will be reduced all over Greater Berlin June 7. Baking small loaves of white flour bread again will be permitted.

TROOPS RETREAT

AUSTRIANS WITHDRAW FROM POSITIONS NEAR TIENTSIN

Soldiers Have Virtually Destroyed One of Noted Health Resorts of Southern Europe

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

VERONA, Italy, June 3.—The Austrian troops are withdrawing from the positions along the Fiemme Valley, northeast of Trent. They virtually destroyed the health resort of San Martino De Castrozza.

BATTLE UNDECIDED

GERMANS AND FRENCH FIGHT VIOLENTLY WITHOUT RESULT

Belief is That Teutonic Army is Preparing for Another Drive at Warsaw

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

LONDON, June 3.—Violent infantry fighting occurred yesterday near Loretto. Paris says no advantage was won by either side in this engagement. Berlin says the battle with the English at Hooge, near Ypres, has taken a course favorable to the Germans. The German attack on the lines near Warsaw are growing in intensity and it is believed another drive toward the Polish capital is contemplated. No new developments are reported at the Dardanelles except the sinking by a British submarine of a German transport in the Sea of Marmora.

AGED NINETY TODAY

W. A. BORDER CELEBRATES HIS BIRTHDAY ON COOS BAY

Formerly Resided at Myrtle Point for Many Years and Built Hotel There

W. A. Border who resides in Plat B. is today celebrating his birthday and he is 90 years of age. Although one of the oldest persons in the county he takes a deep interest in the war news and looks every day for the Coos Bay Times to see what has happened in Europe. He follows the war news carefully and now he wants to live to be 100 years old so that he can see what transpires.

MUCH ACTIVITY SEEN ALONG ROGUE RIVER

Wedderburn Trading Company Has Been Making Many Improvements There This Season

Roderick Macleay, president of the Macleay estate of Portland and head of the Wedderburn Trading company writes that he will leave in a few days for Portland after a visit to his Curry county property, and expects to return to Wedderburn June 15 and will remain there most of the summer. Mr. Macleay has been doing big things on his property this season, having introduced blooded stock to build up the herds of the community, started up a cheese factory and installed dairying with many of the farmers and is laying out much of his property for sale to settlers.

BAYNE PLEADS GUILTY AND SENTENCE PUT OFF

Belief is That Other Arrests to Be Made in Connection With Elk Horn Case

Alfred Baynes in the Justice Court yesterday afternoon pleaded guilty to a charge of illegally having elk horns in his possession preferred by Deputy Game Warden Thomas. Sentence was postponed.

WILL PLAY BALL

The Marshfield fire department will go to the salmon hatchery on south Coos Bay next Sunday to play the hatchery nine. They will make the trip on the boat Rainbow leaving Marshfield at 8 a. m.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

The graduation exercises are free to any who wish to attend and no admission fee will be charged.

FOR SALE

Lots 5-6-7. Blk. 14. Ferndale for \$1,000. \$200 down, \$20 a month, at 6 per cent. Phone #433X.

STEAMER SPEEDWELL

calls south from North Bend, Friday, 3 p. m. Reservation at Abstract office, Marshfield, and Warren Painter, North Bend. Five schools in meet Friday.

JAPS REVOLT AT CAPITAL

The Anti-Government Faction Holds Mass Meeting Which Ends in Disturbances

MANY ARRESTED

In House of Representatives the Opposition Party Turned Down by the Loyalists

SESSION DISORDERLY ONE

Jeers and Hoots Greet The Members Who Attempt to Make Speeches—Introduced Resolution On Lack of Confidence

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

TOKYO, June 3.—The holding of an anti-government mass meeting here tonight resulted in serious disturbances. The situation outside the building where the meeting was held was most serious. Many arrests were made and manifestos issued by the organizers of the meeting were confiscated. Reinforcements of police were sent every where throughout the city.

BAN ON FEATHERS

MRS. SHERMAN, OF CHICAGO, SAYS NOT TO WEAR THEM

Thinks Women's Club Federation Members Would be Inconsistent If They Do So.

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

PORTLAND, Ore., June 3.—At the closing session today of the Mid-Biennial Council of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. John Dickinson Sherman, of Chicago, created a stir among the delegates when she declared: "Just as long as the women of the federation wear feathers on their hats will they be open to charges of inconsistency." She spoke on the work of conservation.

DIET AT RANDOLPH

Mrs. Carl Hughes Passes Away at Her Home

COQUILLE, Ore., June 3.—Mrs. Georgiana Hughes, wife of Carl Hughes, who died at Randolph May 28 was the daughter of Mr and Mrs. George Leneve and was 31 years old. She was born in Myrtle Point May 13, 1884 and had lived all her life in the Coquille valley, most of the time at Coquille. Besides the husband, she leaves two children, a boy of ten and a baby girl 14 months old. Her health had never been robust, a fever in her childhood having left her heart in bad condition. The cause of her death was heart failure brought on by some excitement caused by the hunt for a wild animal that had attacked the chicken house late in the evening. Mrs. Hughes became much excited and died in a short time.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued at the county clerks office:

CITY ENTERTAINS

RUTHERLIN, Ore., June 3.—The city of Rutherford was host to the commercial men of the state a few days ago when the keys of the city were turned over to them. Nearly a hundred "Knights of the grip" had gathered together to enjoy a day's outing in various forms of amusement which had been provided for the occasion.

MANY TO SIBERIA

OMSK, Russia, June 3.—Since the beginning of the war, 5,193 officers and 265,944 men have passed through this city on their way to the camps in Siberia.

HOME IS DESTROYED

RESIDENCE OF BERT DAVENPORT BURNED

Memorial Day Exercises at Myrtle Point and Other News of That City

(Special to The Times)

MYRTLE POINT, June 3.—Wednesday afternoon about one o'clock the Bert Davenport home on the Catching creek road was burned. The house is about two miles southwest of town. Mrs. Davenport and the three younger children had started over to Mrs. Slingby's home, the nearest neighbor and a sister of Mr. Davenport's and happened to look back and saw smoke rolling from the roof. Help came, but only a few things could be saved from the burning house. There is insurance for \$1,000 but this will not cover the loss to this couple. All bedding and clothing were lost. The house was a good frame structure, painted and in fine condition.

Memorial Service

The Memorial sermon for the old soldiers was preached at the Presbyterian church, by Rev. J. F. Vernon last Sunday morning. Old hymns selected by the Veterans were used in the service, sung by a union choir. Mrs. Roy Worley sang a beautiful arrangement of Rock of Ages, in a contralto solo.

Monday afternoon at the Unique theater the Decoration day service was held. There was a ladies quartet and male quartet and chorus. Prof. Jones of Bridge gave an address for the Sons of Veterans and Dr. L. G. Johnson was the speaker of the day for the soldiers. Both addresses were splendid and well given. The little girls gave a pretty drill and several from the school recited poems or readings fitting to the day.

Young Couple Married

Wayne Woods and Miss Nettie Miller were married at the Christian church, parsonage, by Rev. Cannon, last Tuesday evening. The many friends of the young couple wish them many years of happy life.

Hold Examinations

The state eighth grade examinations will be held in the grammar school Thursday and Friday of this week. Mrs. J. S. Whitaker will conduct the examination.

Miss Ida Gamble, of North Bend, will be here Thursday to assist in the state examination in the work of arranging for the pupils what they are exempt in, as she was the efficient teacher of that grade the last two years.

Notes of the City

W. C. Bradley was calling on the candy trade in Myrtle Point last week.

Charles Stauff of Marshfield, was a business caller here Thursday morning, while the train went on to Powers and returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Roberts have gone to California to make their home, sailing on the Nann Smith from the bay last week.

W. H. Wauna of North Bend is a business caller in the city.

Max Dement and family have moved to their home for the summer.

Miss Blanch DeArmond, the schoolmistress at Henryville, came up home Sunday, returning Monday.

Miss Meta Hanson returned Saturday from school at Riverton, remaining until Monday afternoon.

W. C. Cooley arrived from eastern Oregon Friday night. He expected to take his car out with him but will have to wait on the roads or leave it. Mrs. Cooley did not return, and Mr. Cooley says they will come home after they harvest the crop on the eastern state farm. They will have three crops of alfalfa there this season.

DEATH AT RANDOLPH

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ANOTHER NOTE IS PREPARED

President Wilson Works Today on a Message to Send to the German Government

VESSEL NOT ARMED

Germany Claims Lusitania Carried Guns But U. S. Has Proof to the Contrary

INSISTS ON ONE POINT

Germany is Asked to Say Whether She Will Observe International Laws Regarding the Treatment of People on Board Vessels

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.—The President worked most of today on the new note to Germany. The situation developed to a point where although the visit of German Ambassador Bernstorff to the President yesterday was believed likely to enlighten Berlin on the attitude of the United States, the American government is unmoved in its intention to determine promptly whether German submarine commanders will hereafter respect the principles of international law.

The facts upon which Germany asked for an agreement, it is now practically certain, will be treated by the note as not irrelevant with one exception. It is understood the note will restate that the Lusitania was on a peaceful cruise, did not resist capture and was unarmed.

The purpose of the United States in the new note will be to discover whether Germany will in the future, on encountering vessels of any nationality that are unarmed, to answer that the passengers and crew are to be taken to places of safety. Should the vessel be carrying contraband it would be certain of condemnation in the prize court and therefore subject to destruction. It is reiterated at the State Department that while affidavits filed by the German Embassy contending that the Lusitania was armed have been carefully considered and that the proof of the United States that the vessel was unarmed is beyond question.

NEW WIRELESS STATION

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

BERLIN, June 2.—The German illustrated newspapers give pictures of the Telefunken wireless station at Damascus. The apparatus came from the Hamburg steamer Peter Rikmers, which was sunk in the early days of the war. It is stated that the Damascus station has repeatedly spoken with the great station at Nauen, near Berlin, and that it has intercepted wireless messages from the Eiffel Tower in Paris.

STEEL TRUST WINS

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION IS VICTOR

Decision in Historic Suit is That the Concern Should Not be Dissolved

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

TRENTON, N. J., June 3.—The United States Steel Corporation won the government suit in the opinion filed in the United States District Court here this afternoon. It held that the corporation should not be dissolved. The principal points of the decision were: it refuses