# WAGE SCHEDULE IN WOODEN SHIPYARD HAS BEEN DRAFTED

## Adjustment Board for Oregon District Prepares Tentative Report for the Resident Examiner.

## Slight Time Extension Is Asked for Because of Short Time in Which to Adjust Local Situation.

A tentative segregation of employment and a wage schedule for all wooden shipyards in the Columbia and Willamette river districts, under directions prescribed by the labor adjustment board, were arranged at a meeting, Monday night, of the Columbia River Shipbuilders' association, but before publishing the schedule, members of the association first desire to submit it to the board through the resident examiner for approval.

In view of this and the short time the ship builders have had to adjust their payrolls since the board's findings were published, the builders ask for a slight extension of time over November 12, the date set forth in the board's findings for placing into effect the new schedule.

P. J. Hennessey, executive secretary of the shipbuilders' association, this morning said:

"A more or less complete schedule and wage segregation for the steel shipbuilding plants has been published by the adjustment board, but the wooden shipbuilding plants have been left, to a great extent, to work out their own segregation, based upon a standard of $6 per day for experienced shipwrights and $3.25 per day for laborers and helpers.

"There are a number of other classes of labor in the wooden shipbuilding yards which come between these two classifications, some few of which are provided for in the schedule arranged by the board for the steel shipbuilding plants. Others, however, are left for adjustment between employers and employes. It is the spirit of the decision of the labor adjustment board that all employes be considered in the readjustment of wages, to meet as far as possible the advanced cost of living, and that in the Columbia river district the increase in wage shall be retroactive to September 5."

### WEATHER DAMAGES SHIPPING

**Unusual Conditions Reported in Northeast Trades Zones.**

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—The weather has been bad through the regular northeast trades zone earlier than usual this year. The schooner Heampa arrived Monday with a story of "kons" winds that carried away an entire suit of sails.

The bad weather reached far enough inshore for steamers north bound from south Pacific ports to feel it. The steamer South Coast arrived Monday with her foremast gone and other damages to her hull, enough to have her sent to Hanlon's ways for repairs. She was forced to return to port from Westport without a deck load.

Matson auxiliary schooner, Annie Johnson, arrived here Monday from Mahukona, Hawaii, with the starboard propeller shaft broken. She made the run from Hawaii with her port engine and sails in 18 days. The accident happened 48 hours out of Mahukona.

Andrew Mahony has received word from Captain Leb Curtis to the effect that the Prentiss had been floated off the rocks near Albion and is in excellent shape, leaking very little.

The steamer Helen P. Drew took tow on the Prentiss and made an offing. A Red Stack tug will bring the Prentiss to San Francisco.

Captain Curtis was assisted in floating the vessel by a gang of Haviside riggers. This is the third successful floating accomplished by Captain Curtis since he left the employ of the underwriters.

**Service Is Suspended**

Buenos Aires, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—The Lloyds-Brazileiro Steamship Co., which operated many liners from from South American ports, has suspended its European service, it was announced today.

Dr. Ferdinand King, New York Physician and Medical Author, Says:
EVERY WOMAN EVERY MOTHER EVERY DAUGHTER NEEDS IRON AT TIMES
To put strength into her nerves and color into her cheeks.
There can be no beautiful, healthy, rosy cheeked women without iron. The trouble in the past has been that when women needed iron they generally took ordinary metallic iron, which often corroded the stomach and did far more harm than good. Today doctors prescribe organic iron—Nuxated Iron. This particular form of iron is easily assimilated, does not blacken nor injure the teeth nor upset the stomach. It will increase the strength and endurance of weak, nervous, irritable, careworn, haggard looking women 100 per cent in two weeks' time in many instances. I have used it in my own practice with most surprising results.—Ferdinand King, M. D.
NOTE: NUXATED IRON recommended by Dr. Ferdinand King can be obtained from any good druggist with a guarantee of success or money back. It is dispensed in this city by all good druggists.
F. King, M.D.

Gray Hair? Use BARBO
A preparation of great merit for streaked, faded or gray hair.
You Can Make It Yourself
Get a box of Barbo Compound at any drug store. Directions for making and use come in each box. Costs little and easy to make.

## Emil Seidel Is Held For Abusive Speech

Horicon, Wis., Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.) Emil Seidel, Socialist ex-mayor of Milwaukee, arrested here last night for abusive language during a speech in which he is charged with calling Mayor Hawks a "traitor to the constitution and a two-by-four kaiser" was released on $200 bail, furnished by friends after he had spent a few hours in the village lockup. His hearing will take place November 26. Seidel left today for Beaverdam, where he is scheduled to speak tonight.

## Kaiser Feels Force Of U. S. on West Line

Amsterdam, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Germany is already feeling the force of the United States on the western battle front, says a dispatch from Frankfort-on-Main today, quoting the Frankfurter Zeitung.

The paper admits that Germany has lost the air supremacy on the western front and attributes the recent heavy losses of German airplanes mainly to American aviators fighting with the allies.

## Capt. Berg Again in Internment Camp

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Captain Hans Berg, commander of the prize ship Appam, is again behind the bars in the wire prison stockade at Fort McPherson today after having been at liberty since October 10.

Berg and Lieutenant Alfred Loescher, who escaped at the same time, with eight other prisoners, were returned early today from Largdo, Texas, where they were arrested while trying to cross to Mexico. Only one of the 10 men who escaped is now at large.

## Sherman County Is First for Y. M. C. A.

Moro, Or., Nov. 13.—Sherman county's quota of $3000 for the Y. M. C. A. fund was over subscribed Saturday night and Sunday at Moro, Wasco, Grass Valley and Kent. L. Barnum was campaign manager. Heads of committees were: Ed McKee, Wasco; L. W. Baker, Grass Valley; J. M. Wilson, Kent; George B. Bourhill, county chairman. Speakers were: Rev. Frank Maples of The Dalles and J. B. Hosford of Moro.

## North Yakima Bank Clearings Increase

North Yakima, Wash. Nov. 13.—Clearings through the North Yakima banks for the year ended in November, aggregated $35,365,954, as compared with $23,738,668 for the year of 1916. The gain was $11,567,285, or 44 per cent. The figures are taken from the annual report of the retiring manager, J. J. Bartholet. At the annual meeting of the clearing house E. D. Clark was elected president and Frank Sharkey manager.

## NEWS OF THE PORT

**Arrivals November 13**

Oleum, American steamer, from San Francisco, oil.

Ryder Hanify, American steamer, from San Francisco, ballast.

**Departures November 13**

Rose City, American steamer, for San Francisco and San Pedro, passengers and freight.

**Departures November 12**

W. F. Herrin, American steamer, for San Francisco, ballast.

**Marine Almanac**

**Weather at River's Month**

North Head, Nov. 13.—Conditions at the mouth of the river at noon: Wind, northwest, 8 miles; weather, clear; sea, smooth.

**Sun Record for November 14**

Sun rises, 7:10 a. m. Sun sets, 4:41 p. m.

**Tides at Astoria Wednesday**

| High Water: | Low Water: |
|---|---|
| 0:48 a. m....7.3 feet | 6:19 a. m....3.5 feet |
| 0:06 p. m....9.4 feet | 7:16 p. m....—0.2 foot |

**Daily River Readings**

| STATIONS | Flood Stage | Height (in feet) | Changes in last 24 hours | Rainfall in last 24 hours |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lewiston | 22 | 2.6 | 0 | 0.14 |
| Umatilla | 25 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.03 |
| Albany | 20 | 1.1 | +0.1 | 0.00 |
| Salem | 20 | —1.3 | 0 | 0.00 |
| Oregon City | 12 | 2.4 | —0.2 | 0.20 |
| Portland | 15 | 2.7 | +0.8 | 0.12 |

(+) Rising. (—) Falling.

The Willamette river at Portland will, on account of the tides, rise to about 4.5 feet and fall to about 1.0 foot during the next two days.

**At Neighboring Ports**

Astoria, Nov. 13.—Sailed at 8 a. m., steamer W. F. Herring, for San rFancisco.

Point Reyes, Nov. 13.—Passed at 8 a. m., steamer O. M. Clark, from Portland for San Pedro.

Astoria, Nov. 12.—Arrived at 1:25 and left up at 7 p. m., steamer Oleum, from San Francisco.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—Arrived—Bee, Los Angeles, 8 a. m.; Daisy Freeman, Port Townsend, 6 a. m.; Norwegian motorship Brazil, Nanaimo, 8 a. m.; Elizabeth, Barton, 7 a. m.; Yale, Los Angeles, 8:30 a. m.; Phoenix, Bandon, 11 a. m.; schooner Inca, Manila, 11:30 a. m.; M. Turner, Manila, 11:30 a. m.; Queen, Seattle, 12 noon; Admiral Watson, Victoria, 9:15 a. m.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Arrived Nov. 12—South Coast, Westport, 4 p. m.; Pasadena, Los Angeles, 4 p. m.; Chehalis, Aberdeen, 4:30 p. m.; Westerner, Eureka, 7 p. m.; Fearless, with Fullerton, Fort San Luis, 8 p. m.; Willamette, Los Angeles, 9 p. m.; Admiral Dewey, Los Angeles, 11:30 p. m.

Sailed—Star of Greenland, Nanaimo, 12:20 p. m.; J. A. Moffett, Prince Rupert, 1 p. m.; Delay, Matthews, Columbia river, 2 p. m.; Yosemite, Puget Sound, 7 p. m.; Pasadena, Los Angeles, 10:15 p. m.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—Arrived: Multnomah, San Francisco, 6 a. m. Sailed, Jefferson, Southeastern Alaska ports, 10:15 a. m. Nov. 12.—Arrived, President, San Diego, via San Francisco, 10 p. m.

Sailed: Admiral Wainwright, Southeastern Alaska ports, 9 a. m.; Lyman Stewart, Port San Luis, 7:15 p. m.; Admiral Farragut, San Pedro, via San Francisco, 6:45 p. m.

Seward, Nov. 12.—Sailed: Mariposa, southbound, 10:30 a. m.

Juneau, Nov. 12.—Sailed: Admiral Evans, southbound, 6 p. m.; Princess Sophia, southbound, 8:30 p. m.

Ketchikan, Nov. 12.—Sailed: Alexander, northbound, 2:45 p. m.; Ravalli, northbound, 6 a. m.

Bellingham, Nov. 13.—Arrived: Firwood, Seattle.

Port Townsend, Nov. 13.—Passed in: Rainier, Seattle, 7:40 a. m.; Princess Ena, Tacoma, 7:40 a. m.

Everett, Nov. 13.—Sailed: W. S. Porter, for Port San Luis.

Tacoma, Nov. 13.—Arrived: Nome City, and Alaska, from Seattle.

## Army-Navy Orders

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—The following army orders were issued today:

To San Francisco, for duty or assignment at western department: Captains J. B. Ludy, from present duty; A. J. Wilkinson, for assignment; First Lieutenant A. H. Leister, dental reserve.

First Lieutenant G. F. Stoodly, to school of aeronautics, Berkeley, Cal.; D. E. Repp, to aviation school, San Antonio, Texas; Second Lieutenant W. E. Knapp, assigned to active duty at Kelly field, Texas.

Captain E. W. Dusenbury, from Pacific branch United States disciplinary barracks, will proceed to Fort Leavenworth as instructor of army service schools.

# IRRIGATION DISTRICT IN MALHEUR COUNTY IS DECLARED VALID

## Supreme Court Puts Official Approval on Warm Springs Project and Bonds.

Salem, Or., Nov. 13.—In an opinion written by Justice Moore and handed down by the supreme court today, the validity of the organization of the Warm Springs Irrigation district in Malheur county, and authorized issue of $750,000 bonds, is affirmed.

Suit to enjoin the issuance of bonds was brought against the district by Vernon T. Herrett on the grounds that the district had never been legally organized. Circuit Judge Biggs upheld the validity of the district, and Herrett appealed. The supreme court today affirms the decision of Judge Biggs.

Other opinions were handed down as follows:

Myrtle Point Transportation company vs. Port of Coquille River, appellant; appealed from Coos; suit for damages for loss of property; opinion by Justice McCamant; Circuit Judge Coke affirmed.

M. L. Pollock, appellant, vs. Lumbermens National bank of Portland; appealed from Multnomah; suit for damages for failure to carry out alleged contract; opinion by Justice Benson; Circuit Judge Davis affirmed.

Rachael E. McLaughlin vs. William Head, appellant; appealed from Gilliam county; action to recover balance on note; opinion by Chief Justice McBride; Circuit Judge Parker reversed.

George W. Hanna, appellant vs. M. G. Hope et al, appealed from Malheur; suit to quiet title; opinion by Justice McCamant; Circuit Judge Biggs reversed.

X. Michellod, appellant, vs. O-W. R. & N.; appealed from Wallowa; suit for damages for goods destroyed through alleged negligence of defendant; opinion by Justice Burnett; Circuit Judge Knowles affirmed.

Hiram Links et al, appellants, vs. North Unit Irrigation district; appealed from Jefferson; proceedings to contest election; opnion by Justice Burnett; Circuit Judge Duffy affirmed.

## KERENSKY DEFEATED IN BATTLE IN CAPITAL

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graph Agency dispatch received here today.

This is the first word indicating that the fighting known to have been in progress for the past 48 hours around the capital has actually reached the city itself.

The dispatch asserted that Kerensky's forces now controlled the Nevsky Prospekt. No details of the battle were given, but from private reports it was believed that the fighting had been sanguinary. The Bolsheviki were reported by the Telegraph Agency to be fleeing to the Smolny Institute, their governmental headquarters, for refuge.

**Resistance Grows Weaker**

The provisional government's loyal forces deployed down the historic Nevsky Prospekt and swept through other thoroughfares. According to unofficial reports, the fighting was from barricade to barricade in the steets, but with the Bolsheviki making fainter and fainter resistance as the strength of the loyal troops was made apparent to them.

The Smolny Institute was reported in previous dispatches to have been put in a state of defense preparatory to withstanding a siege if necessary.

The Bolsheviki numbered sailors from the Kronstadt garrison in their forces and were fairly well armed with both rifles and machine guns.

**Bolsheviki Not Recognized**

Apparently the fighting centered on the Nevsky Prospekt — the street which has already been repeatedly dyed with the blood of various revolutionists. It was along this thoroughfare that the czar's guards made their last stand against the victorious duma revolutionists back in March; where the Kronstadt rebels swung along with their automobiles a few months later, spattering death, and along which, during the last week, the Bolsheviki executed their coup in seizing control of government machinery.

Estimate of the Bolsheviki strength received here from sources favorable to them declared the Trotsky-Lenine combination was claiming 50,000 soldiers and sailors.

All allied ambassadors and ministers here today refused to deal with the Bolsheviki. Dispatches declare that Maxim Gorky has refused to support them.

**Offer to Surrender Spurned**

Copenhagen, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Leaders of the Bolsheviki forces in Petrograd effered to lay down their arms and give themselves up to the loyal legions under Premier Kerensky, but the offer was rejected unless there was an unconditional surrender, said a dispatch to this city today.

Advices from the Russo-Swedish frontier today gave details of the fierce street fighting which raged in the Russian capital throughout Sunday.

The fighting centered along the Nevsky Prospect, the chief street in Petrograd and one of the most beautiful thoroughfares in Europe. Military cadets, loyal to the provisional government, rode up and down the street in motor cars in an effort to clear it of the Maximalist and anarchist forces, but were taken at a disadvantage when fire was opened upon them from machine guns mounted on the roofs of buildings.

**Russian Commissioner Hopeful**

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—A commission without a country arrived in San Francisco Monday.

The special airplane commission from Russia, recently dispatched by the Kerensky provisional government, reached American shores on the Siberia Maru only to learn that the officials who called it into existence had now gone into the discard in the international shuffle.

The commission is headed by P. Stogoff and includes also Serge Zviaguine, Alexander Toutchisoff, B Slubodinsky and K. Kochiro.

Stogoff is optimistic. He said:

"The overthrow of the Kerensky government is not to be taken seriously by the world. Lenine has the following of the disaffected anarchist element in Petrograd, but this will not carry him on to the domination of Russia. Kerensky will return."

**Women Reported in Battle**

Stockholm, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Many women are fighting with the loyal Russian troops under Premier Kerensky against the Bolsheviki, it was stated in advices from the border today.

The location of the fighting and the outcome were not given.

**Uprising Put Down, Report**

London, Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—A cablegram from Stockholm today stated that announcement has been made by the Kerensky government that the Bolsheviki uprising in Russia has been put down.

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS BEGIN POURING IN

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going to the Americans abroad in these Christmas boxes. Then there are home knitted sweaters, wristlets, helmets, mouth organs, games, trench mirrors, trench kits, smokes, periscopes, compasses, mittens, books, playing cards, khaki handkerchiefs, wrist-watches, family albums with pictures of the folks at home, tiny phonographs and innumerable other devices for the comfort and amusement of Pershing's lads.

Whenever it was necessary to remove an article, the censor placed a little printed slip in the box, saying that something had been taken out.

To one side was a heap of already badly broken boxes. Carpenters were tinkering with them or roping them, doing everything possible to make them hang together until they reach the trenches.

There was another heap of boxes lacking addresses. On some of them the labels had peeled off. On others the name had been obliterated or the address was insufficient. A corps of men is at work trying to ascertain to whom these gifts are consigned.

Fifty men work 12 hours a day inspecting each box as it is received. Each is given a serial number and a record kept of the man to whom it is consigned and the sender. The officer in charge issued an appeal today for small wooden boxes in which to pack articles that might be damaged in transit.

For shipping many small boxes are being placed in big crates. These are swung down into the hold of the battleship-gray steamer with its frowning guns fore and aft. Arrived in France the crates will be loaded aboard military trains, hurried to American headquarters and there distributed to each unit in the expeditionary force.

OLD PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK KIDNEYS

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy that I know of has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and verified testimony of thousands who have used the preparation, the success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact that, so many people claim, it fulfills almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder ailments, corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcels Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention the Portland Daily Journal. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores. (Adv.)

# Jazz Tunes on Firing Line

## Y. M. C. A. Workers at Front

### Vimy Ridge Veteran Brings From France Thanks of the Soldiers.

Would a piano lilting a good old jazz tune in one of the huts a few hundred yards behind the first line trenches be cheering to the helmet topped warriors waiting their turn of duty on the rim of No-Man's Land?

It would, say Sergeant J. W. Smith of the Canadian Western Scottish and Private W. W. Fahrni of the Sixteenth Scottish battalion, who have arrived from the front to tell Oregon folk what the field army units of the Y. M. C. A. did for them and for the hundreds of thousands of others fighting kaiserism.

Both are Victoria, B. C., men. Sergeant Smith is recuperating from a contact with poisonous gas. For 21 weeks he was in the hospital in Bologne. He has fought in battles in Ypres, on the Somme and at Vimy ridge.

"What the army Y. M. C. A. has not done to make conditions more bearable at the front was due to lack of facilities and to the break in human endurance," Sergeant Smith said.

"The Y. M. C. A. workers are everywhere. During the two and a half years of my service I have never been out of sight of a cheering Y. M. C. A. headquarters, little or big, temporary or permanent. Wherever there are soldiers there is a Y. M. C. A.

**On Edge of No Man's Land**

"This is meant literally. Far out on the edge of No Man's land a Sammie, Poilu or Tommy will find at least one of the sodden huts transformed into a canteen where he can get fresh news from home and buy fruit, sweets, other foodstuffs and cigarettes and tobacco.

"After an engagement where the casualties have been perhaps five or six thousand the Red Cross is taxed to care for the wounded. Here the Y. M. C. A. workers take a hand lightening the burden of the hospital units in caring for hundreds of the lesser injured.

Usually these canteens employ about six men, who work 24 hours of the day administering to the wants and providing comforts in a comfortless land to the soldiers.

"At Vimy ridge, only a few hundred yards behind the first line trenches, was a piano carted to the precarious position after much diligence and patience by a canteen staff. Its cheering harmony, coming from the hut in which it was partly sheltered from the weather, was inspiration and comfort to the men."

Sergeant J. W. Smith of the Canadian Western Scottish.

**Theatrical Talent Enjoyed**

"Association men have made it a great part of their work to scour the regiments for the best possible theatrical and athletic talent. We have wonderful shows through their efforts. The performers are all soldiers, but before they enlisted were drawing weekly salaries made in three and sometimes four figures. We witnessed a performance by former players at Drury Lane.

"In one of the cities the theatre was taken over by the military authorities and turned over to the Y. M. C. A., which arranges an almost continuous program."

## ONE-MAN CONTROL OF WAR FAVORED

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ing his efforts to political propaganda. Along the Italian sector he has recently made desperate attempts to secure a decision by means of a politico-military drive.

**Teutons on Defensive in West**

In the west, while attempting to sap the fighting strength of the belligerent peoples the enemy has now been compelled to act on the defensive and is being slowly but surely driven back.

"It should be borne in mind, however, that the further disintegration of the Russian forces will mean that the Germans will be able to thin out their lines along this front which will thus automatically contribute to the stiffening of their resistance in the west as well as render available added contingents to take part in the engagements now proceeding in Italy.

"During the week just closed (November 10) both the British and French were able to record significant tactical gains, the culmination of a long series of powerfully driven offensives.

"In Flanders the British captured Passchendaele. The high ground of the main ridge in and beyond this village fell into British hands as the result of a well-directed attack by the assaulting columns of Canadian infantry.

**Gained Positions Are Held**

"With Passchendaele securely in British hands the first stage of the operations begun during the last week of September have been brought to a successful conclusion.

"The British forces have been fortifying the positions won and pushing ahead advance outposts, while to the north and south forward thrusts along the elges of the salient are being continued.

"The reaction of the enemy has hitherto been relatively slight.

"The French counterpart of the British success took place north of the Aisne. Here the retreat of the enemy anticipated last week was carried out. The pressure of the French offensive, which has grown slowly and methodically in volume and intensity, reached a climax when by the recent French advance in this sector they were enabled to enfilade the German lines along the crest of the Chemin Des Dames.

**French Make Progress**

"For the past three years the presence of the enemy on this ridge had been a source of anxiety to the French. To dislodge them was a principal objective of the repeated offensives developed by General Petain since last April. The sudden forced evacuation of some 40 square miles of the most important terrain in this sector of the western front has been the tangible result achieved.

"The French continued in close contact with the enemy. In the region of the newly-captured ground along the Aislette, they are organizing their positions from the Oise canal to Corbeny, where lively artillery duels are noted. The main German positions now centered about Mt. Bermult ridge will come under the converging fire of French guns from Corbeny and the fort of Malmaison.

**Advance of Great Importance**

"The importance of this successful French advance must not be overlooked. It means more than a mere gain of so many square miles of territory; it means the penetration of the powerfully-fortified Siegfried line hitherto considered by the enemy impregnable, and pushes back his main defensive positions to within five miles of the fortress of Laon, the major objective.

"Along other sectors of the western front, relative quiet prevailed. However, the harrassing of the enemy continues unabated along the entire front. The usual artillery duels, the trench raids and patrol encounters took place.

"Near Armentieres and east of Arras the British executed very fortunate raids, while the French, by surprise attacks in the neighborhood of Rheims, in the region of the Woevre, and elsewhere, achieved local successes, resulting in the capture of a number of prisoners.

"In the vicinity of Verdun the enemy persists in his attacks on the French entrenchments in Chaume wood.

**American Forces Attacked**

"In the sector where a small detachment of our troops had taken up their places in the trenches as a part of their training, the enemy (as is customary in trench warfare when fresh troops are believed to have taken places in front line trenches) for reconnaisance purpose, executed a well-planned raid and succeeded in temporarily penetrating the short segments of the line held by our forces, inflicting a few casualties and taking prisoners.

"A unit of our artillery, also in the course of its training came in contact with the enemy and acquitted itself very creditably in this first encounter.

"In Italy the situation is developing as normally as can be expected under the circumstances.

"For the time being it would be of little avail to endeavor to seek for the contributing causes of the successes gained by the Austro-German forces in their incursion into Italy.

**Italian Retreat Now Orderly**

"The Italian retreat, somewhat confused in its earlier stages, has now become more orderly and the retirement of the main forces of the Italian armies during the week continued uninterrupted.

"The line of the Tagliamento river was held by the Italians long enough to insure the safe retirement of large bodies of troops. This line has now been abandoned and the enemy, penetrating the Venetian plain, has reached Livenza.

"The Italians are continuing their efforts to check the advancing Austro-German forces.

"The morale of the armies, shaken by the recent events, is being rapidly restored.

"Allied reinforcements have now formed a junction with the Italians. The pressure of the enemy is no greater.

**English Gain in Palestine**

"In Palestine the British, enlarging their gains of last week, have succeeded in capturing Gaza, the principal city of the line of march on Jerusalem.

"This step is being taken full advantage of, and the British forces engaged are maintaining continued contact with the enemy both north and east of Gaza, where the pursuit of the retreating Turkish troops is being rapidly and vigorously carried on.

"More than 40 guns and a large quantity of other booty fell into the hands of the British in this sector.

"In Mesopotamia the British are likewise extending their recent successes.

**Drive Along Tigris Progresses**

"The drive northward along the Tigris is progressing rapidly. Tekrit, an important center 95 miles northwest of Bagdad, was captured by the British.

"Along the eastern front no operations of military importance took place.

"The enemy, instead of attacking, has renewed his efforts to fraternize with the Russians. Owing to the involved political situation and the fresh outbreaks of the extremist elements, it is probable that these may have a marked influence on the general strategy of the war, which must be prepared to meet."

Relieves Indigestion In Two Minutes
Simple Remedy Saves Doctors' Bills

If you suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion, pain after eating, gastritis, heartburn or any stomach trouble due to acidity or food fermentation—and over ninety per cent. of stomach complaints are due to these causes—go to your druggist and get 50 cents worth of Bi-nesia. The next time you eat or have pain in the stomach take a teaspoonful in a little hot water and note how quickly all pain and discomfort ceases. It is said that thousands of soldiers use this simple remedy at the front and many attribute their freedom from all digestive troubles in spite of exposure, hasty eating and poorly cooked food, to its regular use. Chemists say that its almost invariable success is due to the fact that Bi-nesia instantly neutralizes the excess acid and stops fermentation, thus promoting healthy, natural digestion. Being absolutely harmless as well as inexpensive, Bi-nesia should be kept on hand in every home for there economy and good health are sought.

IMPORTANT—The Bi-nesia mentioned above is a harmless but wonderfully effective remedy which you can make at home or any druggist can prepare for you by mixing 1½ ounces bisoma carbonate with 1 ounce magnesia carbonate. If, however, you wish a guarantee of satisfaction or money back, be sure to ask for an original package of Bi-nesia.—Adv.

# SENATOR M'NARY HAS PLAN TO ASSIST ALL STATE WHEAT RAISERS

## Will Go Into Eastern Oregon to Get First-Hand Information on Situation.

Salem, Or., Nov. 13.—Senator Charles L. McNary announced today that he will leave Thursday for Pendleton and other eastern Oregon points to gather information pertaining to the effect of the grain embargo, and will also give some time to looking into irrigation projects and investigating proposed Hermiston cantonment site.

Last week Senator McNary telegraphed Herbert Hoover, food administrator, urging that relief be given to farmers who are prevented from shipping their grain to market, by having the government use the revolving fund created by the food administration bill to purchase wheat and make substantial advance payments.

Since then Senator McNary says he has learned that some farmers who have been forced to borrow money on their wheat are paying as high as 10 per cent interest. It is for the purpose of eliminating this interest charge that Senator McNary is endeavoring to get action on the part of the government.

In addition to his personal investigations, Senator McNary has wired commercial bodies in all wheat growing counties to furnish him information on existing conditions. This information is to be presented to food administration in support of his request for government to purchase wheat.

If it should not be feasible for the government to buy wheat, Senator McNary said he would endeavor to get relief for farmers by means of improved transportation and milling facilities.

**Hermiston Site Approved**

Pendleton, Or., Nov. 13.—Having made first hand inspection of the site near Hermiston offered for an army training camp, Congressman N. J. Sinnott arrived in Pendleton Monday and expressed himself as satisfied that the site meets requirements.

"So far as a layman can say, I believe the site is entirely satisfactory," he said. His only doubt before coming was of soil, but he says he found it sufficiently hard for military purposes.

## Assassin Kills Three Members of Family

Parsons, Kan., Nov. 13.—(I. N. S.)—An unidentified assassin this morning broke into the home of H. O. Wick, a traveling salesman for a Joplin firm, killed Mrs. Wick and two children and fatally wounded a third.

The man walked into the bedrooms of his victims, shot them and hurriedly left the house before help arrived. He had cut the phone wires from the Wick home and those adjoining.

Mrs. Wick, who lived a few hours, said she had no idea why any person should shoot her and the children. Mr. Wick was in Henrietta, Okla., at the time.

**Washington Not Informed**

Washington, Nov. 13.—(U. P.)—Hope for favorable adjustment of Russia's immediate difficulties grew here today despite evidences of a reign of terror in both Petrograd and Moscow. The state department anticipated it would have before night some details of the Kerensky-Bolsheviki fight.

Hurrah! How's This
Cincinnati authority says corns dry up and lift out with fingers.

Hospital records show that every time you cut a corn you invite lockjaw or blood poison, which is needless, says a Cincinnati authority, who tells you that a quarter ounce of a drug called freezone can be obtained at little cost from the drug store, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You simply apply a few drops of freezone on a tender, aching corn and soreness is instantly relieved. Shortly the entire corn can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

This drug is sticky but dries at once and is claimed to just shrivel up any corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this. (Adv.)

HOW FAT FOLKS MAY BECOME SLIM
Reduce Your Weight Happily

Fat persons, particularly those from ten to sixty pounds above normal weight, will be interested to learn how they may easily reduce without starvation or strenuous exercise.

If you are above normal weight you are drawing on your reserve stength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Don't jeopardize your health or be a joke any longer.

Spend some time daily in the open air, practice deep breathing and get from any good druggist a box of oil of korein capsules; take one after each meal and one before retiring at night; also follow the simple directions that come with the box.

Surprising weight reduction often is reported—even after just a few days' treatment. With proper riddance of superfluous fat, the flesh should become firm, the skin smooth and the general health should be improved.

This treatment is guaranteed to reduce ten to sixty pounds—whatever is desired.

Oil of korein is absolutely harmless and is pleasant to take. If you would like to reduce your weight comfortably, increase your vivacity, become more efficient and lengthen your life, this is your opportunity. The guarantee comes with the box. Start today and be happy! (Adv.)

STOMACH TROUBLES ARE DUE TO ACIDITY
Tells Safe, Certain, Speedy, Relief for Acid Indigestion.

So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, gas, sourness, stomach-ache and inability to retain food are in probably nine cases out of ten, simply evidence that excessive secretion of acid is taking place in the stomach causing the formation of gas and acid indigestion.

Gas distends the stomach and causes that full oppressive burning feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the excessive development or secretion of acid.

To stop or prevent this souring of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid, and make it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a good and effective corrector of acid stomach, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after eating or whenever gas, sourness or acidity is felt. This sweetens the stomach and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments and is a perfectly harmless and inexpensive remedy to use.

An antacid such as bisurated magnesia which can be obtained from any druggist in either powder or tablet form enables the stomach to do its work properly without the aid of artificial digestants. Magnesia comes in several forms, so be certain to ask for and take only Bisurated Magnesia, which is especially prepared for the above purpose. (Adv.)

Bright Eyes
indicate buoyant health. When the eyes are dull, liver and bowels need regulating. Quickly restore healthy conditions with a dose or two—in time—of
BEECHAM'S PILLS
Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Breaks a Cold in a Few Hours
First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves all grippe misery.

Don't stay stuffed-up!

Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute.—Adv.

DON'T SUFFER WITH NEURALGIA
Use Soothing Musterole

When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on your temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister.

Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.

30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

CATARRH CAUSED BY A GERM
How to Destroy the Germ and End Disease

To cure catarrh so it won't come back you must, according to a noted authority, first drive from your body the millions of germs that are flourishing in the inner recesses of your nose and throat and are causing the disease.

There is a preparation which does this called Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me). Hyomei is a germ killing vaporized air formed from the purest oil of Eucalyptus combined with other healing and antiseptic ingredients. You breathe Hyomei through the mouth and nose by means of a little hard rubber inhaler which druggists furnish with it. This medicated germicidal air penetrates into every fold and crevice of the mucous membrane of your nose and throat, kills the catarrh germs that lodge there, soothes, reduces and heals the swollen inflamed membranes, stops the discharge and opens up the clogged nose and air passages in a truly wonderful way. The Owl Drug Company and many other leading druggists in Portland and vicinity sell Hyomei with the positive guarantee that it must cure catarrh or that the money paid for it will be refunded. (Adv.)

Physician Advises Portland People

"My wife suffered for years with stomach trouble which did not yield to any treatment. She took a dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy last Saturday with wonderful results. I have practiced medicine for 70 years and have never seen anything like it before. I have recommended Mayr's Wonderful Remedy to several that I know need this treatment. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at The Owl Drug Co. (Adv.)

To Thin Scrawny People
A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE

Thin people are often weak, nervous, sleepless and in addition to suffering the humiliation of ugly hollows, scrawny neck and arms and sunken cheeks, they often become addicted to the use of harmful stimulants and drugs. To increase weight, strengthen nerves and overcome sleeplessness there is nothing to equal the use of Bitro-Phosphate, which can be obtained from any good druggist at moderate cost. In many cases after the first few days the improvement in appetite, nerve force, general fitness and increase in weight is truly wonderful. (Adv.)

HOW HE QUIT TOBACCO

This veteran, S. B. Lamphere, was addicted to the excessive use of tobacco for many years. He wanted to quit, but needed something to help him.

He learned of a free book that tells about tobacco habit and how to conquer it quickly, easily and safely. In a recent letter he writes: "I have no desire for tobacco any more. I feel like a new man."

Any one desiring a copy of this book on tobacco habit, smo