

PORTLAND AVIATOR ONE OF SEVERAL OF CORPS WERE ALIVE

George Marion Kyle Is Home After Series of Thrilling Ad- ventures in World War.

FATHER WAS BANDIT CAPTIVE Young Man Is Son of Engineer Now in San Francisco Who Was Held for Ransom in China

George Marion Kyle, who, as a Portland aviator with the first Stanford University American ambulance service unit in France, wrote a series of highly interesting stories for The Journal describing vividly what he saw of the horrors of the war, has returned to Portland and is now with the Lumbermen's Trust company.

He comes from a family in which excitement runs in the blood. His grandfather, a former Journal editor, was a man who flew over the enemy lines and scattered bombs over troops and maneuvered his machine while his pilot shot down Hun airplanes. He can still readily rival his father, George L. Kyle, who is now in San Francisco and who spent a long time in China as a prisoner of a bandit tribe for ransom.

While the elder Kyle was in China, sliding down rocky mountain sides in the dark, lying in wait while bandits searched for him and doing such things as escape from the robbers by whom he was held for ransom, the younger Kyle was in France flying hundreds of miles behind the German lines in search of munition dumps and factories to bomb.

PORTLAND BOY FLIES OVER ENEMY LINES



Lieutenant George Marion Kyle

work against the Germans and that was how so many of our men got killed. The Germans had machine guns planted every short distance along any road, and when a machine came down low they would just keep a stream of lead pouring at him. The anti-aircraft guns didn't bother us much at all.

When we did troop work it was usually being flying alone at an altitude of from 300 to 1000 yards, and dropping splatter bombs. Some of them were contact bombs and some time they could be dropped in a committee. When the troops were marching and when they exploded they splattered out and did a lot of damage. They did not try that very much on our troops because they would not fly in the day time.

Mr. Kyle was sent back after a few months as an instructor just before the Chateau-Thierry drive opened. The school was located at Clermont-Ferrand. He came back to the United States four months ago and has been at Stanford until he returned last week.

TEXT OF COVENANT OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS As Adopted by Paris Peace Conference in Revised Form, April 28, 1919

The following is the text of the Covenant of the League of Nations as presented to the plenary session of the Peace Conference:

PREAMBLE

In order to promote international cooperation and to achieve international peace and security, by the acceptance of obligations not to resort to war, by the prescription of open, just and honorable relations between nations, by the establishment of the understandings of international law as to actual rule of conduct among governments, and by the maintenance of justice and scrupulous respect for all treaty obligations in the dealings of organized peoples with one another, the high contracting parties agree to the Covenant of the League of Nations.

ARTICLE I

The original members of the League of Nations shall be those of the signatories which are named in the annex to this covenant, and also such of those other states named in the annex as shall accede without reservation to this covenant. Such acceding states shall be deemed to have accepted the obligations of the League of Nations.

The members of the league agree that the manufacture by private enterprise of munitions and armaments of war is open to grave objections. The council shall advise how the evil effects attendant upon such manufacture can be prevented, due regard being paid to the necessities of those members of the league which are not able to manufacture the munitions and implements of war.

The members of the league undertake to interchange full and frank information as to the scale of their armaments, their military and naval programs and of such other matters as they may deem to have a bearing upon the arms race.

ARTICLE II

The members of the league undertake to respect and preserve as inviolable the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league. In case of any such aggression or in case of any threat or danger of such aggression, the council shall advise upon the means by which this obligation shall be fulfilled.

occupied by the league or its officers or by representatives attending its meetings shall be inviolable.

ARTICLE VIII

The members of the league recognize that the maintenance of a peace requires the reduction of national armaments to the lowest point consistent with national safety and the maintenance of common action of international obligations.

The council, taking account of the geographical situation and circumstances of each state, shall formulate a plan for the reduction of armaments to such a point as will ensure the maintenance of international peace and security, and the council shall submit this plan to the members of the league for their consideration and action of the several governments.

Such plans shall be subject to reconsideration and revision at least every five years.

After these plans have been adopted by the several governments, limits of armaments therein fixed shall not be exceeded without the concurrence of the council.

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ARTICLE IX

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HOUSING FACILITIES ARE REQUIRED FOR ROSE FESTIVAL WEEK

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Unless even the finest Portland residences are temporarily turned into rooming houses, the Rose Festival week in all the public schools where the children live near the heart of the city. The housing condition is considered so grave by Superintendent Grout that his permission to use the teaching force and the school children to make this survey was granted. It constitutes his report to the board of education, announced immediately following his election as superintendent in which he declared too much outside work was being done by school children and that in the future the school would refuse to aid in an undertaking excepting the Liberty loan drives.

Efforts are being made to have a large number of Pullmans brought to Portland and left on outside tracks where they will be available as extra sleeping accommodations. It is also planned, however, that the Pullmans will be used to commandeer sleeping accommodations in boats anchored in the harbor. Arrangements have been made to erect 200 tents near the downtown district to be used if necessary.

The War Camp Community service has agreed to put its cots at the disposal of service men who participate in the patriotic parade. The Red Cross has a process by the War Camp Community service to lease the floor above the Soldiers and Sailors' club in the Royal Building to increase the dormitories.

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Rheumatism

Remarkable Home Cure Given by One Who Had It—He Wants Every Sufferer to Benefit.

Send No Money—Just Your Address

Years of awful suffering and misery have taught this man, Mark H. Jackson of Syracuse, New York, how terrible an affliction to human beings rheumatism is, and has given him sympathy with all unfortunates who are within its grasp. He wants every rheumatic victim to know how he was cured. Read what he says:

Horse Drawn Hearse Fast Disappearing

Boston, Mass., May 31.—(I. N. S.)—Scores of horse-drawn hearses are being shipped from here to New Brunswick. The advent of motor hearses has thrown a large number of the old style hearses on the market. It is said that the purchasers in the province are being misled by unscrupulous dealers. Instead of being used for conveying the dead, they are employed in some places in Nova Scotia to collect poultry. The rear doors are removed and the chickens and fowls are carried alive to market. Other hearses have been converted into peddler's wagons.

Frightened Mule Drags Boy to Death

Rome, Ga., May 31.—(I. N. S.)—James Lewis, 13, living in the Ligon district, 11 miles from Rome, died as the result of being dragged by a mule for more than a mile. The lad was riding a plough mule from the field when the animal became frightened, throwing the boy, whose foot became entangled in the harness. His head was crushed to a pulp.

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GERMAN PRISONERS ARE USED TO HELP THE RECONSTRUCTION

Portland Man Tells of Relief Work That Is Going on in Devastated France.

About 200 German prisoners of the French are stationed in the Arzonne forest and are brought here daily and distributed in the town, where they do repairing of various kinds," writes H. Oncken, a former Journal employee, who is now with the Friends' war relief committee, under the Red Cross doing reconstruction work in the war-torn areas of France. "Some of the prisoners have been working for us in unloading cars and we found them very satisfactory. The French seem to treat the Germans very well and I have seen the prisoners treated to bread and wine by their employers. The mayor of Neuilly goes among them and distributes tobacco. We are being to portabize houses at Neuilly as part of our program of reconstruction, for the French government has commissioned the Quakers with the reconstruction in the department of the Meuse. Most of our work is of a temporary nature, thus enabling the French to come back to their homes without delay. We have 600 men and women in our mission, 107 trucks, delivery cars and motorcycles, besides a large number of horses, tractors and implements.

"Our work is divided into building, agriculture and relief departments. It is spread over a large area with members of the various branches forming companies with a certain amount of work assigned to each. Neuilly was government land consisting of 600 people of all the houses that were once their homes, only two that remained were habitable, the rest are in ruins. Each department in company and we average more than one house a day and have already put up more than 40 in the village."

PORTLAND MAN RECEIVES COMMISSION AS ENSIGN

The many friends of Rex Thorne of this city will be glad to know that he was recently commissioned ensign at the United States naval training school at Bremerton. Ensign Thorne entered the school in June and completed his course with high honors, receiving his commission April 1. Thorne came to Portland 25 years ago and received his schooling in the Portland schools, with special work at Benson Polytechnic. He has been prominent in athletic work of the Y. M. C. A. and was some time a Y. M. C. A. secretary stationed at Vancouver barracks. Ensign Thorne is at present a guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. A. M. Thorne of Cedar Mills, Or., and will soon return to Bremerton.

STUDENTS THANKED By Marshal Foch

Youngstown, Ohio, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—Stevens Bromley, editor of the Rayon High School Record, sent to Marshal Foch a copy of the school publication in which the activity of the school in French relief work was "covered" in a two-page article. Foch replied with his own engraved personal card, thanking the school for its personal signature.

ARTICLE XXII

To those colonies and territories which as a consequence of the late war have ceased to be under the sovereignty of the states which formerly governed them and which are inhabited by peoples not yet able to stand by themselves under the strenuous conditions of the modern world there should be applied the principle that the well-being and development of such peoples form a sacred trust of civilization and that the best method of giving practical effect to this principle is that the tutelage of such peoples be entrusted to advanced nations who, by reasons of their resources, their experience or their geographical position, are best qualified to discharge this trust should be embodied in this covenant.

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The character of the mandate must differ according to the stage of the development of the people, the geographical situation of the territory, its economic condition and other similar circumstances.

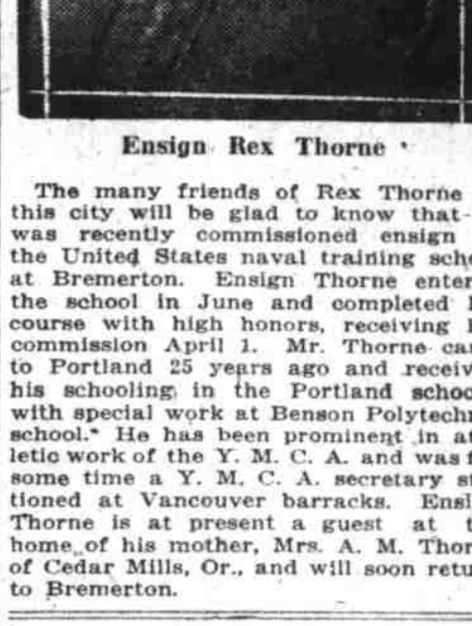
Certain communities formerly belonging to the Turkish empire have reached a stage of development which entitles them to independent status, but which cannot, for reasons of geographical position or otherwise, be immediately recognized, subject to the rendering of administrative advice and assistance by the mandatory until such time as they are able to stand by themselves.

The wishes of these communities must be a principal consideration in the exercise of the mandate.

Other peoples, especially those of Central Africa, are at such a stage that the mandatory must be responsible for their social and economic development, and will also secure equal opportunities for the trade and commerce of other members of the league.

There are territories, such as South West Africa, and certain of the South Pacific Islands, which owing to the sparseness of their population or their small size or their remoteness from the centers of civilization, their geographical contiguity to the territory of a mandatory and other circumstances, can be best administered under the laws and regulations of the mandatory, subject to the safeguards above mentioned in the interests of the indigenous population. In such a case the mandatory shall render to the council an annual report in reference to the territory committed to its charge.

The degree of authority, control or administration to be exercised by the mandatory shall not be prejudicial to the interests of the members of the league, but shall be explicitly defined in each case by the council. A permanent commission shall be constituted to receive and examine the annual reports of the mandatories and to advise the council on any matters arising from the observation of the mandates.



Ensign Rex Thorne

ARTICLE XXIII

Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of international conventions existing or hereafter to be entered into by the members of the league (a) will endeavor to secure and maintain fair and humane conditions of labor for men, women and children in all countries to which their commercial and industrial relations extend; (b) will endeavor to establish and maintain the necessary international organizations; (c) will undertake to secure just treatment of the native inhabitants of territories under their control; (d) will intrust the league with the general supervision over the execution of agreements with respect to traffic in women and children, and the traffic in opium and other dangerous drugs; (e) will endeavor to secure and maintain the necessary international organizations; (f) will endeavor to take steps in matters of international concern for the prevention of control of the traffic in arms and ammunition.

ARTICLE XXIV

There shall be placed under the direction of the league all international bureaus already established by general treaties or by special international treaties and all commissions for the regulation of matters of international interest hereafter constituted shall be placed under the direction of the league.

In all matters of international interest which are regulated by general conventions but which are not placed under the control of international bureaus or commissions, the secretary of the league shall, subject to the consent of the council and if desired by the parties, collect and distribute all relevant information, and shall render any other assistance which may be necessary or desirable.

The council may include as part of the expenses of any bureau or commission which is placed under the direction of the league.

ARTICLE XXV

The members of the league agree to encourage and promote the establishment and cooperation of duly authorized voluntary national relief organizations having as purposes improvement of health, the prevention of disease and the mitigation of suffering throughout the world.

ARTICLE XXVI

Amendments to this covenant will take effect when ratified by the members of the league whose representatives compose the council and by a majority of the members of the league whose representatives compose the assembly.

No such amendment shall bind any member of the league which signifies its dissent thereto, but in the absence of such dissent it shall be deemed to have accepted the amendment.

ANNEX TO THE COVENANT

Original members of the League of Nations, signatories of the treaty of peace, are: Belgium, Brazil, British Empire, Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, India, China,

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