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## EXPLOSIVES TO BE WATCHED BY DESIGNATED MEN

Government Regulation to Be Enforced to Letter in Oregon

### WELLS REPORTS MEETING

Extensive Campaign of Education Is to Be Launched at Once

however, have been extremely light. Sunday night the Americans continued to shell the enemy and put down two batteries on his position. The infantry activity was confined solely to patrol parties. The Americans searched No Man's Land in the snow for the bodies of enemy killed in the raiding.

None was found but the body of one American was discovered in the American wire in front of a listening post. The man had on his gas mask. A bullet had passed through his head. Only two cartridges remained in his rifle, which was found under his body and there were other indications that he died fighting. The heavy snow is continuing.

### PROHIS TO UNITE

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The federation was actually organized in New York a week ago at a private meeting of more than thirty of the chief national prohibition societies, but announcement of its formation was withheld until Mr. Bryan accepted the presidency. Dr. Charles Scanlon of Pittsburgh, who was appointed by President Taft and Wilson to represent the United States international congresses against alcoholism, was elected acting president at the New York meeting, but now becomes general secretary.

As long as the country is involved in war government regulations governing the sale and use of explosives of all kinds will be enforced to the letter and an exact account will be kept of the amount of explosives handled in any manner. This policy, as stated yesterday by Harvey Wells, state insurance commissioner and state fire marshal, was adopted at the first meeting of the advisory committee for the regulation of explosives in Oregon. The meeting was held recently in Portland.

The meeting was called by William N. Campbell of Medford, chairman of the committee and who is United States explosive inspector for Oregon. Those attending were designated by the director of the United States bureau of mines at Washington, D. C. They were: Harvey Wells, representing the state council of national defense; W. K. Ralph, Portland, representing the national safety council; Paul C. Bates, Portland, representing the casualty insurance organization; James N. McCune, Portland, representing the national board of fire underwriters; N. J. Lynch, representing the Oregon insurers of explosives; George F. Willman, representing Oregon dealers in explosives, and N. F. Johnson, chief of police of Portland.

Public to Be Educated. Mr. Wells announces that the committee has determined to launch an extensive campaign of education and

caution for the benefit of all persons concerned and for the public in general. Complete authority has been delegated to the advisory committee to enforce the regulations in Oregon and each member is designated "assistant inspector, bureau of mines, explosive regulations" and has power to enter any premises to enforce the regulations. Inspection work will be started at once and will be followed by the campaign of education in the meantime the following five requirements are set out by the committee for dealers, users of explosives and the general public:

First—They must cooperate with the government to prevent explosives from falling into the possession of disloyal people.

Second—There is no restriction in purchasing explosives, if a license is secured from a licensed dealer and, further, a record must be kept of the persons that said explosives are turned over to.

Third—Every person authorized under this act to manufacture or store explosives or their ingredients shall clearly mark and designate the premises on which his plant or magazine may be and shall conspicuously display thereon signs bearing the words: "Explosives—Keep off."

Fourth—Report without delay any condition of carelessness or disregard of proper regulations of explosives. Laxity in Oregon may result in loss of life and property here or elsewhere.

Fifth—Ignorance of the law will not excuse any person and the penalty is a fine of not more than \$5000 or imprisonment for not more than one year.

Some Inconvenience Probable. Chairman Campbell is quoted as saying: "The new regulations for the handling of explosives will doubtless cause some inconvenience to those who are loyal and engaged in legitimate business, which inconvenience will be slight and temporary, but if all will cooperate in enforcing these regulations, the disloyal persons will suffer and vigorous prosecutions will be made."

"We must realize that all our enemies are not in Europe," said Paul C. Bates, secretary of the advisory committee. "These enemies do not wear uniforms nor do they fight us in the open, but they are here plotting in every way possible. Therefore, it has become essential that drastic action be taken in handling explosives of any kind. This does not, however, prevent a person from purchasing explosives as the sale is not prohibited, but all persons handling it in any form must be licensed."

Public Must Help. "As a rule the county clerk, justice of peace or some responsible person is authorized to issue licenses and the person who secures a license is held responsible for the use, storage and disposition of all explosives. The government desires to know that becomes of the powder after it is sold and each person will be held responsible for failure to keep a record of same."

"If any citizen knows where explosives are stored without the protection of the public institutions of the state and the powers of the quadruple alliance. Ukrainian territory will be immediately evacuated by the Russian troops and the Russian red guard. Russia will cease all agitation or propaganda against the government of the public institutions of the Ukrainian people's republic. "Esthonia and Livonia will likewise be evacuated without delay by the Russian troops and the Russian red guard."

Russia Must Evacuate. "The eastern frontier of Esthonia follows in general the line of the Narova river. The eastern frontier of Livonia runs in general through Pelpus lake and Pskov lake to the southwesterly corner of the latter; then over Lubahner (Luban) lake in the direction of Livenehof, on the Dvina.

"Esthonia and Livonia will be occupied by a German police force until security is guaranteed by their own national institutions and order in the state is restored. Russia will forthwith release all arrested or deported inhabitants of Esthonia and Livonia and guarantee the safe return of deported Esthonians and Livonians.

"Finland and the Aland islands will also forthwith be evacuated by the Russian troops and the red guard and Finnish ports by the Russian fleet and Russian naval forces."

"So long as the ice excluded the bringing of Russian warship to Russian ports only small detachments will remain behind on the warships. Russia is to cease all agitation or propaganda against the government of the public institutions in Finland."

Fortifications To Go. "The fortifications erected on the Aland islands are to be removed under care and guards, he should immediately communicate with William N. Campbell, who is the government inspector for this state. Either write or telegraph him at Medford, or you may get in touch with any member of the advisory committee who will immediately take it up with Mr. Campbell, or in case of his absence, they will communicate direct with the department of interior."

## YANKS AGAIN ROUT HUNS IN LORRAINE

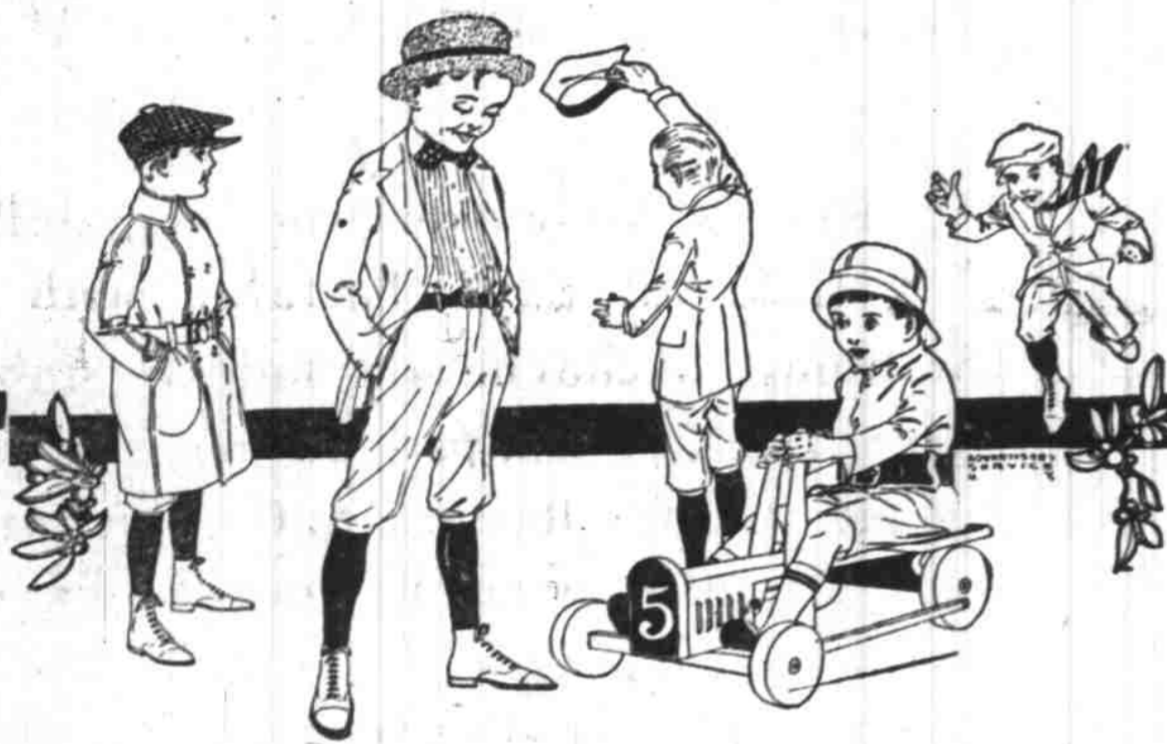
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artillery duels of considerable violence have taken place.

Shells Fly Thickly in Toul. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Monday, March 4.—Shells have been falling thick and fast within the American lines and upon the enemy positions on the Toul sector today. Aside from a 150 barrage which the enemy placed on the American positions at daylight in this neighborhood, 2000 projectiles have been dropped in the vicinity of the terrain occupied by the Americans, many of them upon towns. The American casualties,

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Kaiser Gets Power to Govern Provinces and Commerce Will Resume

### RUSSIA MUST EVACUATE

Two Weeks Given for Ratification; Prisoners to Be Exchanged

AMSTERDAM, Monday, March 4.—

Russia and the central powers, in the peace treaty reached at Brest-Litovsk, agreed that the war between them should be at an end. Berlin dispatches say. The third clause of the treaty provides that the regions west of a line agreed upon and which is to be delineated later, formerly belonging to Russia, shall have no further obligation toward Russia and Germany and Austria will determine their fate in agreement with their population. Article four provides for the evacuation of the Anatolian provinces and the surrender of Ervan, Kars and Batoum to Turkey. The treaty continues: "As well as the treatment of merchant ships which are in enemy hands will be regulated by separate treaties with Russia, which shall form an essential part of the present peace treaty and as far as is feasible shall enter into force at the same time."

"Article 12—The restoration of public and private relations, the exchange of prisoners of war, interned civilians, the amnesty question as well as the treatment of merchant ships which are in enemy hands will be regulated by separate treaties with Russia, which shall form an essential part of the present peace treaty and as far as is feasible shall enter into force at the same time."

"Article 13—For the interpretation of this treaty the German and Russian text is authoritative for the relations between Germany and Russia; for the relations between Austria-Hungary and Russia, the German, Hungarian and Russian text; for the relations between Bulgaria and Russia, the Bulgarian-Russian text; for the relations between Turkey and Russia, the Turkish and Russian text."

Ratification in Two Weeks. "Article 14.—The present peace treaty will be ratified. Instruments of ratification must be exchanged as soon as possible in Berlin. The Russian government undertakes at the desire of one of the quadruple alliance powers to exchange ratifications within two weeks. The peace treaty enters into force on its ratification insofar as its articles, appendices or supplementary treaties do not prescribe otherwise."

The signatures of the plenipotentiaries are attached. The treaty was drawn up in quintuple form at Brest-Litovsk, March 3.

The semi-official Wolf bureau of Berlin says that the trade and political questions to which article II refers are to be regulated according to the demands of the German ultimatum and analogously to the Ukrainian treaty. The legal and political agreements correspond substantially to the proposals which were submitted at the first sitting by Germany on the basis of its ultimatum.

with all possible dispatch. A special agreement is to be made between Germany, Russia, Finland and Sweden regarding the permanent non-fortification of these islands as well as regarding their treatment in military, shipping and technical respects. It is agreed that at Germany's desire other states bordering on the Baltic are also to be given a voice in the matter."

"Article 7—Starting from the fact that Persia and Afghanistan are free and independent states, the contracting parties undertake to respect their political and economic independence and territorial integrity."

"Article 8—Prisoners of war of both sides will be sent home. "Article 9—The contracting parties mutually renounce indemnification of their war costs, that is to say, state expenditure for carrying on the war, as well as indemnification for war damages, that is to say, those damages which have arisen for them and their subject in the war regions through military measures, inclusive of all requisitions undertaken in the enemy country."

Diplomacy To Be Restored. "Article 10—Diplomatic and consular relations between the contracting parties will be resumed immediately after ratification of the peace treaty. Special agreements are reserved relative to the admittance of the respective consuls."

"Article 11—The prescriptions contained in appendices two and five shall govern the economic relations between the powers of the quadruple alliance and Russia, namely, appendix three for Austria-Hungarian-Russian; appendix four for Bulgarian-Russian and appendix five for Turkish-Russian relations."

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### OBITUARY

Clark Ricket was born near Ashland, Ohio, on November 25, 1845, and was married November 25, 1867, to Mary E. Allisen-Borden, near Prairie Du Chien, Wis. He was converted in Excelsior, Wis., and united with the United Brethren church, and has lived consistently and supported the church cheerfully. He worked at various employments until a year ago he came to Oregon and retired from active labor. He is survived by his widow and three children, one of whom, Frank Ricket, lives on Gardon road. He died suddenly of heart failure February 26, 1918. Interment took place in City View cemetery.

## YANKS AND HUNS IN HARD BATTLE

Police Squad Is Called to Twelfth and D Streets to Curl Fight

When the SOS signal came into police headquarters from a Mr. Hunt who lives at Twelfth and D streets, it did not take Officer Mariels and a squad long to reach the battle grounds, where they found two ar-

mies, ranging from 12 to 14 years engaged in a fight to the finish, using sticks, clubs and stones.

United States troops were composed of the following boys:

Ben Kantelberg, captain; Francis Baker, Ruth Baker, Grant Liveock and Phillip Gosser.

The Huns outnumbered the Americans, but went down to defeat, their names were: Walter Munt, captain; Hubert Barker, Senve Baker, Albert Barker, Julius Wilson, Dick Dicked and Mark Waldespiel.

As the battle raged the Huns were driven to cover, and took refuge in Mr. Munt's barn. The Yanks, entrenched behind the Southern Pacific tracks, fired sticks and stones against the barn and house of Mr. Munt who then phoned the police for help.

These boys have had several battles of this kind, and like an old fashioned Kentucky feud, the war never ends until one of the leaders is killed.

But in this instance they were scattered by the officers, who sent them home, and warned them that if the offense was repeated, it would be all off with both Huns and Americans.

Love of country must have some of the attributes of a watch dog that barks when things are not just right.

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