

THOUSANDS HONOR LORD ROBERTS AS CORTEGE GOES BY

Streets of London Lined With Silent Crowds as Funeral Procession Passes on Way to Cathedral.

8000 TROOPS FOLLOW GASKET

Representatives of Allied Powers Now Engaged in War Against Germany, Austria and Turkey, Are Present—King George and Cabinet Members Attend in Body.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Thousands stood with uncovered heads in a cold drizzle today as Lord Roberts' funeral cortege moved from the Charing Cross railroad station to St. Paul's Cathedral. Private services had been previously held in All Saint's church at Ascot. From Ascot the body was brought in a special train to London. From the station it was drawn to the cathedral, draped in the Union Jack on the same gun carriage which bore the corpse of Roberts' son, a victim of the Boer war.

The funeral was attended by the king and all his cabinet members and by representatives of the president of France, the czar, the mikado and the king of Belgium.

The pallbearers included five field marshals, five generals and two admirals. The procession consisted of approximately 8000 men representing all the branches of the service, including Canadian and Indian troops, all in khaki, marching with reversed arms to the sound of dirges played by several military bands.

On the casket were the dead soldier's plumed hat, his sword, medals, decorations and several wreaths, among them offerings from King George, the king of Belgium, Lord Kitchener, and General Joffre and French.

Behind the gun carriage, on which the casket rested, was Roberts' favorite horse, with the owner's boots reversed in the stirrups.

Services were held at the cathedral this morning.

SALARY INCREASE WANTED BY OFFICIALS AT BAKER

MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSIONERS MAY OBTAIN RISE IN PAY.

BAKER, Ore., Nov. 19.—A petition was filed with City Auditor Cuningham calling for a vote on a proposal to increase the salaries of the mayor and city commissioners from \$1500 and \$1200 respectively, to \$2400 and \$1800. The vote is called for the next general election, the first Monday in November, 1916.

The petition was filed by A. Hansen of the firm of Hansen & West. It is signed by 20 citizens and is the first of a series of similar petitions which are now being circulated. Attention was called to the fact that members of the various factions in the recent city campaign have subscribed their names to the petition and it is declared that the movement is a general one to undo the great slash in salaries at the recent election.

The proposed new salaries are a return almost to the original figures which were \$2500 a year for the mayor and \$2000 a year for the two commissioners.

Officials at the city hall said today that they knew of no organization which was behind the movement for the increase of salaries.

There will be required 293 names on the petitions before the commissioners will be authorized to put the measure on the ballot.

Mr. Hansen said that business men of all interests are back of the movement.

FOREST FIRES SWEEPING OVER CALIFORNIA HILLS

ONE MAN BURNED TO DEATH—MUCH PROPERTY IN PATH OF THE FLAMES.

OXNARD, Cal., Nov. 19.—Forest fires are devastating the hills in the Ventura county hills. F. H. Dunham was burned to death in Lyon Canyon while fighting the flames. Ranch houses at East Northoff are threatened. Resorts and cottages at Sulphur Mountain Springs are in the path of the flames.

Homes Ordered Vacated.

AMSTERDAM, via London, Nov. 19.—The German authorities in Belgium issued a proclamation, according to the Handelsblad, ordering everybody in St. Nicholas and the surrounding villages to quit the houses until further notice "as the Germans will be practicing firing in this district."

RUSSIANS MAKING TERRIFIC EFFORT TO CRUSH GERMANS

Slavs are Trying to Win Such a Victory as Will Force Kaiser's Troops Out of Russian Poland.

BATTLE RAGES NEAR ARRAS

Allies Making Determined Effort to Cut German Lines of Communication—British Take Leading Part in Effort to Swing Line Eastward—French Lose Heavily.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 19.—The Russians in East Prussia are trying to win such a victory over the Germans as will compel the latter to abandon the offensive in Russian Poland.

The Germans plainly were trying to relieve the pressure on their lines in East Prussia by striking a crushing blow against the Slavs.

The war office asserted the Slavs have taken the German entrenchments in the Masurian lake region. Desperate battles raged along a line from Gumbinnen to Anzerburg and about Soldau.

The Russians were confident of victory as this engagement would enable them to rush matters in east Prussia so rapidly as to compel the Kaiser's speedy withdrawal from Russian soil in order to protect himself.

It was admitted the Germans were pushing in enormous numbers from Thorn, between the Vistula and the Warthe rivers into Russian Poland.

The Russians have fallen back to Bura river and it was expected the main clash would occur along this line.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—The allies were making a determined attempt today to cut the Kaiser's line of communication north of Arras. The British were taking a leading part. Their aim was to swing the line eastward with Arras as a pivot, forcing the Germans back.

An unconfirmed rumor was current the Germans have evacuated Lille and that the allies have occupied it. The fighting was sanguinary, it was reported.

Cannonading was very violent between Nieuport and Ypres but no notable changes have occurred in the lines in this region.

The French suffered appalling losses on Wednesday at Chaulvaucourt, following the capture of the western part of the village. The Germans had mined it. As soon as they evacuated and the French were in possession, the mines were exploded with deadly effect.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 19.—It was officially announced that the Turks have occupied Kalatunah, Egypt.

BERLIN, Nov. 19.—German gains west of St. Quentin and Roye in Northern France, were officially reported. It was stated the German positions at Arras and Ypres have been strengthened since new big guns reached the front. That the floods were hampering operations in Belgium was admitted.

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED FOR 40 BARRELS OF FLOUR

SHIPMENT TO BELGIANS BEGINS TO GROW—MORE FLOUR IS IN SIGHT.

Subscriptions of more than forty barrels of flour have already been made toward the shipment which Pendleton is to make to the starving Belgians. Today the members of the committee appointed by the Commercial association have been receiving numerous telephone calls from people wanting to contribute to the shipment. Some are making donations of several barrels and some are contributing a single sack but all are gratefully received by the committee.

The following are the contributions made up until noon today: Pendleton Roller Mills, 10 bbls.; Walters Mill, 10 bbls.; John Vert, 5 bbls.; W. R. Campbell, 4 bbls.; W. W. Harrah, 2 1/2 bbls.; C. Vlasenroot, 2 1/2 bbls.; H. G. Blydenstein, 1 bbl.; R. Alexander, 1 bbl.; Gray Bros., 1 bbl.; Drs. Poyden, 1 bbl.; J. T. Lambirth, 1 bbl.; John W. Dyer, 1 bbl.; Kenneth McRae, 1-2 bbl.; H. J. Mann, 1-2 bbl.; Cash, 1-2 bbl.; G. W. Coutts, 1-4 bbl.; Mrs. Cobbett, 1-4 bbl.

The mills are selling the flour at the regular export price of \$4.50 a barrel and people wishing to make contributions may do so by telephoning either of the mills or to Secretary Cranston of the Commercial association.

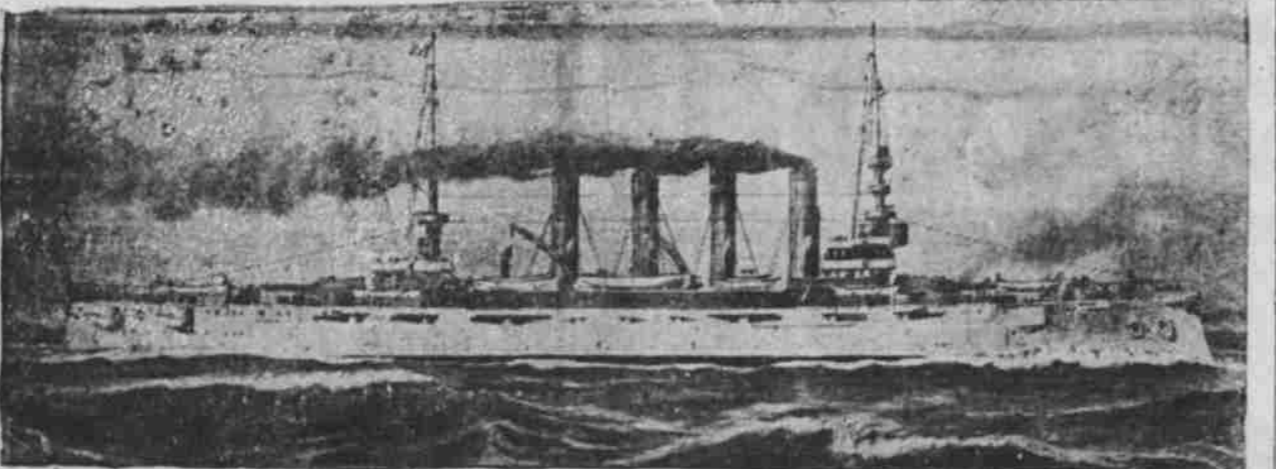
TURKISH GOVERNMENT EXPECTED TO REFUSE TO UPHOLD SMYRNA AUTHORITIES WHO FIRED ON A LAUNCH FROM THE U. S. CRUISER TENNESSEE

Apology Anticipated by Washington Officials—State and Navy Departments are Awaiting Explanations of Incident From Captain Decker of the Warship—Administration is Determined Not to Permit This Country to Become Involved in European War Through Clash With Turkey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Explanations from American Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople and Captain Decker of the United States cruiser Tennessee concerning the incident at Smyrna when the American flag was fired upon by Turkish land batteries, were still being awaited today at the state and navy departments.

In the meantime, it was announced in behalf of the president, the administration would not permit this country to become involved in the European war through a clash with Turkey.

Smyrna authorities, even if the latter should prove to have been belligerent. More than this, much reliance was placed on the influence of the Germans who dominate Turkey and who are on the friendliest terms with the United States.



The United States cruiser Tennessee which figured in the incident at Smyrna when one of its launches was fired upon by the Turkish forts.

WOOL WILL BE HIGH; HOLD FOR GOOD PRICES SAYS M'CLURE

That the price of wool next spring will be high and that growers should insist on good prices if they are asked to contract their wool is the advice of the National Woolgrowers association, official organization of the woolgrowers of the United States. The following message from the office of Dr. S. W. McClure, secretary, was received by the East Oregonian this afternoon: Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 19, 1914. East Oregonian, Pendleton, Oregon. At the present time the prospect for wool prices next year seem very bright. There is a distinct shortage of wool in this country and it is probable that the war will demand that future wools be used in Europe. Of course the embargo now prevents the shipment of wool to the United States. Efforts are being made to have this embargo removed. Even though it should be removed the increased charges for importing wool and the inconvenience and delay that the importer will have to suffer will prevent imported wools from competing with domestic wools this year. We believe wool growers should hold for good prices and not become alarmed. NATIONAL WOOL GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

On December 1, Pendleton will be without an official pound, the council last evening voting to abolish that institution as a step toward greater economy in city expenses. Acting Mayor Dyer made the suggestion, stating that his investigation had shown that in the past 34 months the city had paid out \$346 in the maintenance of such an institution in addition to the regular fees and that the receipts had been but at \$72.55. He announced that at the next meeting he would make a recommendation, which, if carried out, would result in another saving of \$125 a month. Once before the city abolished its pound, hiring temporary quarters when needed, but came back to the established system later. The ordinance regulating the liquor business was amended last evening to permit of 14 saloons after January 1, 1915 and allowing holders of licenses to give freeholders' bonds instead of surety bonds. A resolution was also passed requiring all applications for licenses for the next year to be in by November 25 and specifying that all saloon licenses issued must be for the full year of 1915. Peters & Sutton filed an application last evening. A tax ordinance was introduced and referred to the ordinance committee last evening. However the amount of the levy for the coming year was left blank until the finance committee has prepared its budget. An executive meeting was held after the regular meeting at which the finances of the city were discussed. B. F. Grattan, who purchased the peanut and popcorn wagon of S. L. Richardson recently, submitted a protest against the action of the council of October 28 in ruling these wagons off the streets. He represented that he had purchased the Richardson business in good faith as a means of livelihood, had invested nearly all of his capital in the business and that the order of the council practically meant the confiscation of his property. Property owners near where his wagon has been operated petitioned the council to allow it to remain. No action was taken last evening. The bond and contract of S. Ruge & Co. for the improvement of Tustin street was approved last evening and the bid of the Oregon Lumber Yard to furnish the city with a carload of coal for \$7.75 per ton was accepted.

CITY TAKES FIRST STEP TO CUT DOWN RUNNING EXPENSES

CITY POUND WILL BE ABOLISHED AFTER DECEMBER 1, SAYS COUNCIL.

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DELEGATES AT CONVENTION VISIT AT BRANCH HOSPITAL

CONFERENCE OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES WILL COME TO CLOSE TONIGHT.

This afternoon the delegates at the conference of Christian churches of eastern Oregon are being taken upon an auto trip to the Eastern Oregon State Hospital. The excursion is under the auspices of the Commercial club and is being handled by the entertainment committee. J. F. Robinson, chairman. The Christian conference closes with the program tonight which is as follows: 7:30 p. m.—"Devotional" led by George H. Ramsey, of Prineville. 7:40 p. m.—"An Ideal Church." C. F. Swander, of Portland. 8:10 p. m.—"How Far Are We From the Ideal of Jesus?" W. W. Baker, of Walla Walla. Special number by Helix class. Pendleton choir will furnish some special music.

Logger Crushed at Camp.

LA GRANDE, Ore., Nov. 19.—William Herr, an employee of the Grande Ronde Lumber company, was killed at the Whiskey Creek camp of the company, near Higard. Herr, who was a Cambok man, had stepped in front of the roller way on which were a number of logs in position to be sent down to the mechanical loader. A large log caught him and crushed him, death being instantaneous. He was about 40 years of age and unmarried.

NEWS SUMMARY

- General. Thousands pay honor to memory of late Lord Roberts in London. Turkish government expected to refuse to uphold Smyrna authorities regarding incident over U. S. S. Tennessee. France is prepared for long war. Russians make terrific effort to crush Germans in Russian Poland. Local. National Woolgrowers' Association urges growers to hold for good prices. City Pound is abolished by council. Move to raise car load of flour for Belgians meets with liberal response. Pendleton high school will have Thanksgiving game with All-Stars. Former local Jap weds white girl.

ALGERIAN TROOPS RELEASE GERMANS IN FIERCE FIGHT

Kaiser's Forces Attack First Line of Entrenchments of Allies But are Forced to Retire.

DISEASE IS WORKING HAVOC

Germans and Allied Forces Suffering from Effects of Damp in Belgium—Trenches Full of Water and Men Crippled With Rheumatism—Fighting Continues.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—"The Germans attacked our first line of trenches at Tracy-le-Val on Tuesday," announced the Bordeaux war office, "but a vigorous attack by the Algerian contingent repulsed them heavily. Artillery fire in the north was particularly violent from the sea to the river Lys. Our positions in the Argonne has been maintained. Otherwise there is nothing to report."

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Pneumonia and rheumatism are killing and crippling more men in Belgium than bullets, the war office admitted. Every day the Germans are forced to spend in a cold wet trench was declared to be a gain for the allies but it was cwned the latter were suffering terribly, too. Efforts to drain the trenches have been unsuccessful.

PARCELS POST LIBERALLY PATRONIZED IN PENDLETON

REPORT BY LOCAL POSTOFFICE SHOWS EXCELLENT BUSINESS INCREASE.

The public generally is giving the parcels post a liberal patronage if one is to judge from the following statistics for the fiscal year just ended as prepared at the local office: Total number of parcels insured, 2596; total number of insured parcels received for delivery, 1895. Total number of C. O. D. parcels, 178. Total amounts to be remitted by money orders to senders of C. O. D. parcels mailed, \$803.60. Total amounts collected, C. O. D. parcels, \$811.69. Total of money order remitted to senders of C. O. D. parcels delivered, \$2170. Total money order fees remitted to senders of C. O. D. parcels delivered. Registration also gives interesting figures for the fiscal year, as follows: Domestic letters, paid, 3372; parcels, 117; foreign letters 417; foreign parcels, 3; official letters, free, 52; distribution, re-registered free, 210; insured parcels were as follows: Domestic, 5 cent, 2424; for 10 cents, 173. The declared value of all mail insured, was \$31,294.78. Amount to be remitted by money order to senders of C. O. D. parcels mailed, \$803.69.

LOCAL JAPANESE AND WHITE GIRL OF BAKER ARE WEDDED

Harry Arata, a former Pendleton Japanese, and Harriett Allen, a white girl of Baker, are now man and wife, having secured a marriage license in Welsler, Idaho, last Saturday and having been married there that same evening. The bride did not accompany the Japanese to the clerk's office to secure the license but remained in a rooming house while the permit was being obtained. The justice of the peace performed the ceremony.

Montenegrins Are Beaten.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The following wireless dispatch was received from Berlin by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph company: "In the latest fighting against the Servians and Austrians captured 42 guns and 31 machine guns. "After three days fighting the Austrians defeated the Montenegrins near Frabowr. The Servians are now concentrating three divisions in fortified position south of Belgrade."

Railroad Loan Approved.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 19.—The stockholders of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company voted unanimously in approval of the plan to place a general refunding and improvement mortgage to the amount of \$400,000,000 upon the property, as well as the purchase of subsidiary lines of the company in Ohio, at the annual meeting here.

Ashland Bonds Validated.

ASHLAND, Ore., Nov. 19.—The proposed and much discussed charter amendment empowering the common council to issue additional bonds for water and light purposes when so authorized by a majority of the electors, was carried by 967 majority.

FRANCE PREPARED TO WAGE STRUGGLE TO DECISIVE END

First American Correspondent to See "Behind the Scenes" Tells of Plans for Long War.

FRENCHMEN ARE DETERMINED

Optimism Prevails Everywhere and the Army is Sure It Can Outlast the Germans—Joffre is Conserving His Men—Wounded Anxious to Return to Fight.

(By William Phillip Sims.) (Copyright 1914 by the United Press. Copyrighted in England.) FRENCH ARMY FRONT, via Paris, Nov. 19.—France is prepared for war to the bitter end. Everything shows that the republic is ready. What I've seen and heard gives the impression that France faces a long war, unafraid.

After talking to officers and men at the front for several days, I'm confident that the general situation of the allies is excellent. Optimism is evident everywhere. One thing impressing me the most is the absolute preparedness of the government and the forces in the field. Since quitting Paris, a correspondent and the military attaches of eight neutral countries have been permitted behind the scene. Designated as America's press representative, I was permitted to visit the fields and enter the lines from which civilians heretofore have been barred. I visited and inspected the revictualing station feeding 350,000 soldiers. The system is perfectly organized. Great sheds are filled to the roof with staples of flour, wheat and wine. Sidetracks are crowded with loaded cars awaiting space to unload.

Joffre stands forth as a guardian of France's men. French officers are confident they will outlast Germany from the standpoint of men despite the smaller population. They believe this because Joffre masterfully is conserving his troops. His losses have been infinitely inferior to Germany's.

In the last four days I have inspected several military hospitals and talked to the wounded. Even the most seriously wounded said they were impatient to return to the front.

At a supply station I was permitted to examine the commandant's books, showing statistical figures. It is evident from them that France is prepared perfectly in this direction for a protracted war.

The countries represented by your correspondent and the attaches on this trip are Italy, Spain, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, Holland and the United States.

WEALTHY ILLINOIS WOMAN IS DYING AFT'R ASSAULT

AURORA, Ill., Nov. 19.—Miss Jennie Miller, the richest woman in Aurora, is dying from a fractured skull. She was found unconscious last night behind shrubbery in the yard of the First Methodist church, her skull badly crushed from a blow with a steel pipe wrench. Physicians do not believe robbery was the motive as three gold rings were found on her fingers. The churchyard lies near a lonely graveyard where Therese Hollander was clubbed to death in February.

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BAKER COUNTY INFESTED BY RABIES SPREAD BY COYOTES

DR. NOTZ TELLS OF SPREAD OF DISEASE—MANY DOGS AIRE BITTEN.

BAKER, Ore., Nov. 19.—That there is no doubt that rabies exists in a widespread area in Baker county and that it is a distinct menace not only to human life but to stock all over the country was the declaration today of Dr. F. T. Notz, county stock inspector, who is assembling data from all over the county as to the extent of the disease. Reports of strangely acting coyotes give rise to the belief that these animals are distributing the disease by biting dogs and stock.

Dr. Notz today received a letter from the state board of health commenting on a picture of a dog belonging to Stephen Jacobson which died of hydrophobia. The dog's head was found to contain niger bodies in large numbers, giving proof of the existence of hydrophobia. The authorities at Portland declared the photograph to be an ideal one of a dog suffering with dumb rabies.