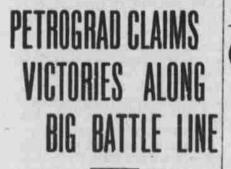


That was the way Lody went to his."



PETROGRAD, Feb. 16 .-- Victories

at both ends of a long battleline on German-Austrian forces are officially claimed. The principal successes were declared to have been achieved at Stanislau in Galicia, where an enormous Austrian force had been trying to force a crossing of the Dneister river in an effort to recapture Lemberg. The effort has been effectively checked the statement declares

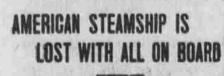
LONDON, Feb. 26 .- Torrents of Simultaneously a formidable Russian force is declared to have advanc- rain are hindering operations in Beled from Wyskow pass and to be gium, Field Marshal French announc-dish steamer Svarton has arrived at ceived notification from the Eritish association for the ensuing year and All the canals in Flanders are Vanities with a big hole in the how admiralty that all sailings to New threatening the communications of the ed. All the canals in Flanders are Ymuiden with a big hole in the bow admiralty that all sailings to New M. L. Watts of Athena, vice presimain Austrian column. It was ad- out of their banks. Activities are now the victim of either a German mine York from Liverpool, Glasgow and dent. George Sanderson of Freewamitted the Germans have gained confined to artillery exchanges. The or a submarine. There were no casu- London have been temporarily susslightly south and east of Warsaw, allies and Germans have been com- alties. but north and northeast of the Polish

capital the Slavs have resumed the offensive and are meeting with uni- LEADER OF PIUTE INDIANS form success.

5 Injured in Wreck,

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Feb. 26 .- Five passengers were injured, three seriously, when a Big Four special traveling at 60 miles an hour, was derailed at Templeton. Every car was torn from the trucks and two cars were

practically cut in halves."



FINDING OF LIFE-BOATS IN MID-OCEAN TELLS STORY OF DISASTER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 .- The loss Senate Confirms Postmasters, of the American steamship Theodore Palmer, with all hands, was indicated in a dispatch received here by the senate confirmed the following poststate department from the consul- masters for Oregon: Albany, C. H. general at Copenhagen. It said that Stewart; Baker, John G. Foster. the Esbjerg, a newspaper, declared

that the Swedish steamship Vala arrived and reported it had picked up in midocean on February 22 life- phone message received told of the boats bearing the Palmer's name. The Palmer sailed from New Lun- of Almont, North Dakota. At last reports the fire was still raging. den.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26 -- The Arch of the Rising Sun and the Column of Progress are two of the noteworthy structures that stand out in the panorama of buildings that comprise the Panama Pacific exposition here.

GERMAN OFFICIALS INSIST BRITISH TRANSPORT SUNK WITH LOSS OF 1800 MEN

BERLIN, Feb. 26 .- Officials still; pelled to evacuate trenches at several which the Russians are engaging the insisted today that a British transport Points because the pits were flooded. was torpedoed recently by a German

Rain Hinders Operations.

TO ESCAPE RESULT

FATALLY.

prisoners. A heavy guard accompa-

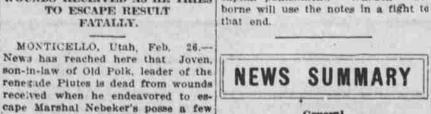
Town Nearly Destroyed.

Pluty reservation.

Torpedo Boat Sinks, submarine in the English channel. A PARIS, Feb. 26 .- It was officially statement by the press bureau said 1800 British soldiers had been drown- Dague struck an Austrian mine yes- mine and sank. ed. It was declared a report to this terday in Antivari harbor and sank. effect had been sent Lloyds from Thirty-eight members of the crew perished. The Dague was escorting

ships laden with food to Montenegro. Swedish Ship Damaged.

Murderers Are Electrocuted. OSSINGTON, Feb. 26.-Robert SUPERVISORY SYSTEM MAY Kene, Oscar Vogt and Vincenzo Cam-IS REPORTED TO BE DEAD Kane, Oscar Vogt and Vincenzo Cam-punelli, all murderers of women. were electrocuted at Sing Sing, Each left a note urging the abolishment of WOUNDS RECEIVED AS HE TRIES capital punishment. Warden ' Os-



General. days ago. The sheriff of San Juan Allied fleet reduces other forts of county has left Bluff with five Indian Dardanelles, United States assumes the attitude

July.

Bath and Oxford,

nied them. More than 160 friendly of big brother toward European sit-Indians have been rounded up by Nebeker's posse and started toward the uation. German officials insist British transport with 1800 men has been ent to the bottom. Warsaw threatened by two German

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-The armies. Local Odd Fellows will meet at Pilot

Rock next year. School Supervisory system to be MANDAN, N. D., Feb, 26 .- A tele- abolished next July probably. Pasco wants Pendleton to join in almost complete destruction by fire Cellio celebration at that point. Farmer stricken with paralysis,

Columbia Road gets setback,

3 Perish on Carib.

Sailings Not Cancelled.

the International Mercantile corpora- year. This anniversary falls upon consideration by the directors of the tion, operating the White Star and April 26.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26 .- The Swe- Red Star lines, denied they had repended.

ter was re-elected secretary and G. W. Bradley of Pendleton was again chosen as treasurer.

In the first degree work competi-**BE ABANDONED IN COUNTY** In all probability the county school

gender.

in Umatilla county the first of July, the same lodge as the best David, C. borne jointly by the district affected. according to Supt. I. E. Young, P. Miller of Integrity lodge of Pen- the county and the state. Though the Dimick bill, as passed by dieton was chosen as the best Jon-Though the Dimick bill, as passed by dictoit was chouse of Weston as the whether there is a law under which Justice Weeks today. the county whether or not the sys-

FOR NEXT YEAR.

The convention was one of the tem shall be retained, Supt. Young most successful ever held in the coun-ty. Pendleton sent a delegation of 50 to Weston and Walla Walla sent thinks it will be abolished here at the expiration of J. A. Yeager's term in

Under the law as passed, the directrain. Every lodge in Umatilla countors of the various districts decide te had representatives there. for or against the system. A major-The program of the day was carity petition can either abolish or esried out practically as arranged. J. tablish the office. Supt Young be-S. Norvelle of Helty being unable to lieves a repeal of the supervisory law or a law making the supervisory system mandatory would have been preferable to the present one inasmuch as under the present law, a supervisor would work under a disadvantage. Henry Groth of Milton were the oth- river may be built.

er two judges. Assembly Makes Inspection. One of the best speeches of the ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 26 -The asspeeches.

well grounded principles of interna- in the upper columbia basin in the capital of Poland, is menaced by two tional law, hitherto universally accept- celebration of the opening of the Ce- Teutonic armies which are advancing ed, might be distrusted or ignored al- 111o canal rather than to have separ- upon it north of the Vistula river, actogether in the heat of passion which ate celebrations at each point is the cording to advices received from the such retaliatory measures might en-I. O. O. F. WILL HOLD NEXT asking that Pendleton join in one big advancing slowly but steadily. **CONVENTION AT PILOT ROCK**

celebration at Pasco. Because of the short period of

DISTRICT MEETING AT WESTON for entertaining the down-the-river FARMER STRICKEN WITH excursion, Mr. Elrod suggested that YESTERDAY DECIDES PLACE it would be impracticable to prepare celebrations on any scale at every

Pilot Rock will be the scene of the town. It would be much more prac WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 .- Consul next Umatilla county district con- ticable, he thinks, to have one large General Listoe at Rotterdam, advised vention of the L O. O. F. lodge, which celebration at Pasco and suggests will be held on February 10, 1916. that a committee from that city come the state department that three men TLis was the decision reached yester- here to discuss the matter with Penannounced the French torpedo boat perished when the Carib struck a day at the convention held in Wes- dietonians. The expense of a celeton yesterday, a convention that was bration such as he proposes would be

ettended by more than 500 Odd Fel- borne by Pasco and Kennewick, he lows. It was also decided to hold the states in his letter. NEW YORK, Feb. 26 .- Officials of anniversary picnic at Milton this The matter has not yet been given

> Commercial association. George W. Done of Pilot Rock,

COLUMBIA GIVEN SETBACK

The failure of the legislature to tion last evening between the drill enact any good roads legislation is teams of the Weston and Freewater proving embarassing to the Cold ledges and Integrity lodge of this Springs farmers in connection with city, the Freewater lodge carried off their move for a road to the Columthe first honors and also two of the bia river. It was their hope that the individual prizes. John Irons of that Brown good roads bill or some simlodge was selected as the best no- ilar measure would pass so that highsupervisory system will be abandoned ble grand and Earl Bartholomew of ways could be built with the expense

As matters stand it is uncertain

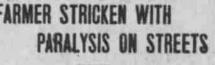
such a road as is desired may be built

even if the farmers interested should a delegation of 200 on a special portion of the expense. They are having this matter investigated by an attorney and the committee is planning for a meeting within the near

future to discuss the situation. Members of the committee were . destroyed the outer Dardanelles attend, his place on the program in expecting that some good roads leg- forts and was threatening the the morning was taken by Supt. I islation would be enacted and express whole strait, played havoc with E. Young of this city, while M. L disappointment over the outcome. . the whole strait, played havoc with Watts filled his place on the board However, they are hopeful a way may at a dollar fifty-one and July of judges. Joe Balley of Echo and yet be found whereby the road to the • a dollar twenty-one. Heavy loss-

day was made by Judge William Springs region may be hauled to the . at a dollar forty-nine and a sembly committee of the state legis- Galloway, grand master of Oregon river after the boat lines are estab- • quarter and July at a dollar • lature on soldiers and sailors homes Two past grand masters, R. Alexand- lished. At present the farmers have @ nineteen and three-fourths. is today inspecting institutions is er and H. J. Taylor also made to haul their wheat uphill to Myrick at a considerable expense.

BERLIN, Feb. 16 .-- Warsaw, the latest development in the proposal front. Traveling westward through to observe fittingly the formal open- Plock, the German advance guard is ing of the canal. A letter was re- less than 40 miles from the Russian ceived by the Commercial association stronghold. From the other side the this morning from A. J. Elrod, secre- center of Von Hindenburg's right tary of a Pasco-Kennewick committee, wing is less than 50 miles distant,



DAVE VAN SKIVER TAKEN TO HOSPITAL FOLLOWING SER-IOUS STROKE.

Dave Van Skiver, a farmer of the Weston country, was stricken with paralysis of one side while standing by the American National Bank building about 10 o'clock this forenoon. He fell over to the steps and on being picked up was taken to the office of Dr. T. M. Henderson where he was given medical care. He was then removed to the St. Anthony's hospital where he still remains. This afternoon his condition was given as not Improved.

Mr. Van Skiver formerly farmed in the Holdman section and sold out his land there to purchase a farm near Weston. He is an Odd Fellow and was in attendance at the L O. O. F. convention in Weston last night, coming down to Pendleton with the local delegation of three-linkers.

Mrs. Van Skiver will arrive this evening in response to a message telling of her husband's illness.

Becker Denied New Trial.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 .- Becker was denied a new trial by state supreme

BLOW TO WHEAT MARKET

CHICAGO, Feb. 26 .- News . • es overnight. Wheat sagged • It is desired to have a road to the . later but recovered somewhat Columbia so that wheat of the Cold . in the afternoon, May closing .