

THOUSANDS GUNS, MORE SHELLSWON BY ALLIES

LONDON, Aug. 6.—Since the Germans began their retreat from the Marne the allies have captured a thousand guns, thousands of machine-guns and millions of rounds of artillery ammunition, say agency dispatches from the front.

FORMER PENDLETON MAN IN TOTAL OF 1,214 CASUALTIES

Sgt. H. Franklin Severely Wounded; War Office Preparing Announcements.

Casualties given out today included Sgt. H. Franklin of Pendleton, wounded severely. Other casualties announced today included Corp. M. K. Crabtree of Toppish, Wash., and S. F. Brit of Tonasket, Wash., killed in action. Lieut. B. H. Brockman of Weiser, Idaho, O. Hornhardt of Kennewick, Wash., and E. E. Mikhelson of North Yakima, Wash., were wounded severely.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The war department has published a casualty list containing 498 names. The total thus far announced from the drive is 1,214. More will probably be announced later today. Today's list included 21 killed in action, six died of wounds and 313 wounded severely.

From all that can be learned Sgt. H. Franklin reported in the casualty list of this morning as being from Pendleton and among the severely wounded, left Pendleton between 15 and 20 years ago. He is understood to have enlisted in the regular army in Texas two years ago during the trouble on the Mexican border. Prior to that time he lived in Omaha, where he followed railroading.

At first it was thought by H. Franklin was meant Herman Franklin, brother of Mrs. J. T. Thorne, 427 Tutuilla. Herman Thorne, however, is in the navy and at present is stationed at Bremerton.

MAY MODIFY EXEMPTION RULE
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Crowder today told the senate military committee that present exemption regulations must be interpreted liberally and modified, under the new manpower bill because of the greatly increased number of men affected.

SCHWAB SAYS THEY'RE LICKED
BOSTON, Aug. 6.—Charles Schwab in a speech here today declared: "We've met 'em, they're licked both ways."

LAY NO CLAIM ON BEING HEROES BUT ARE "DAM GOOD SWIMMERS"

Mrs. Otto Nelson, of Walla Walla, has received a letter from her brother-in-law, Henry Nelson, who was one of the men on the San Diego when it was sunk off New York. Henry Nelson formerly lived in Pendleton and had many friends here who remember him and his brother. The letter follows: Pelham Bay, N. Y., July 26, '18. Dear Sister-in-Law: I just received your welcome letter and have a few minutes before leaving on liberty, we are only one hour from 42 and Broadway. I have meant to write you since having the German bath. Can you imagine our surprise after making seven trips across getting "giggled" on a measly little trip from Portsmouth N. H. to New York and only 33 miles from here. I was in the barber shop getting all dolled up, because we were due in New York at three o'clock, and this happened at eleven five. We worked to get the boat out but couldn't because they hot out with electric cranes and the water flooded the dynamo room. And she sank in eighteen minutes and believe me it was a sight I never will forget. It seemed as tho the old girl hated to leave us. We swam a few yards from her and the suction wouldn't get us and watched her. She turned belly up and just disappeared. The crew layed there in the water and sang the Star Spangled Banner, then they sang everything and joked one another.

ALLIES TO DRIVE BOCHES BACK TO HINDENBURG LINE



CLELL BROWN HIT IN ANKLE BY MACHINE GUN BULLET, BUT SAYS HE LIKES WHITE SHEETS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown of this city received word today from their son, Clell G. Brown, now in the service as a member of the Marines, that he was wounded June 23 in the left ankle by a machine-gun bullet. He seems to be suffering from no ill effects and writes in good spirits. Following is the letter: France, June 26.

Dear Mother: This is the first time that I have had a chance to write for a month. I was wounded last Sunday night, hit through the left ankle by a machine gun bullet. I was operated on Monday night. When I awoke I found myself between white sheets for the first time in five months. The anaesthetic didn't make me sick. Don't think I'm unlucky, cause I am not. It has been a tough month. I had several close calls but my time hasn't come yet.

I don't know how Sheldon made out. I haven't seen him for a couple of months. I received your letter of the 12th of May and grandma's but no letters from April. I have heard no word from you.

You can believe me or not, we had a regular picnic. I took me about an hour and a half to find where Xanox was and then I climbed aboard a raft. We were in the water about four hours and some boats bound for Boston picked us up. We got into Hoboken about three a. m. The Red Cross gave us caps and blankets and a suit of pajamas, most of us had only a life preserver. I got two papers from you people and will look them over after I get back. I like to get the news from around there once in a while. I sent for money and if I can get it will come home right away but am not sure we can get two hundred, we intend to make an allotment out to the party for forty a month and that will pay up in five months. You know we lost everything. I lost a tailor made suit of blue and three tailor made whites besides a regulation bag of regulation clothes and the little trinkets and pictures and stuff I gathered up in sixteen months amounted to considerable. As far as Burke having two here unless I can say they are two damn good swimmers when the water is deep. They just passed the word for liberty and I'll have to knock off for now. Give my love to Lew and Nett. Oo Ever Yours Lovingly, HENRY Nelson Pelham Bay Park, N. Y. San Diego Barracks.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 6.—Rumors here say some German submarine crews at Wilhelmshaven revolted and several sailors have been executed.

123 MISSING FROM TORPEDOED BRITISH HOSPITAL VESSEL

LONDON, Aug. 6.—Latest address place the number of missing from the British hospital ship Warilda torpedoed Saturday to 123. The ship remained afloat for two hours.

AUSTRIANS ON ASIAGO PLATEAU ALARMED BY ALLIED DETACHMENT

ROME, Aug. 6.—Southern German newspapers announce that the resignation of Admiral Von Cappelle, minister of the marine, is imminent.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Russian population actively aided in the landing of allied naval and military forces at Archangel Friday. It is officially announced. The allies' arrival was a signal for enthusiastic demonstration by the inhabitants.

FOE STANDSON HEIGHTS NORTH OF VESLE ADDED ALLIED FORCES ACROSS

PERSHING WINS CROSS OF HONOR FROM POINCARÉ

WITH THE AMERICANS
Aug. 6.—President Poincaré personally decorated Pershing today with the grand cross of the legion of honor in impressive military ceremonies at the American general headquarters.

FRENCH OCCUPY WEST AVRE BANK, TAKE PRISONERS

PARIS, Aug. 6.—The war office today announced the French are maintaining their position on the Vesle's north bank despite German efforts to eject them. The French again advanced north of the Mone Didier, occupying the west bank of the Avre, on a three mile front between Montel and Braches. A German raid southeast of Montel-Didier, the French taking prisoners.

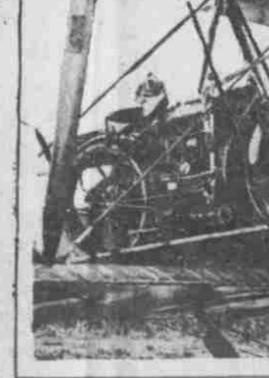
PENDLETON ROLLER STARTED SUNDAY GRINDING FLOUR

The Pendleton Roller Mills started grinding full time last Sunday and will be running night and day for the rest of the year. Manager W. Swartzemberk states wheat is being delivered to the mill in greatly increased quantities, and as the harvest advances more farmers are starting wheat hauling. He states the quality of the wheat is proving good, if anything better than last year. It will be a week yet before the Walters' Flouring Mill Co. starts grinding. Repairs are being made to the machinery and everything put in shape to run. The company reports a large quantity of wheat being delivered to the mill by farmers and there will be a large supply on hand for a continuous run when the plant starts.

NEWSPAPERS MUST REDUCE READING MATTER TO CONSERVE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The war industries board will send paper mills and newspapers drastic rulings enforcing the reduction of weekday and Sunday editions. The board ruled "no new newspapers shall be established during the war." On week days papers must reduce five per cent of their reading matter, up to 50 columns, 15 per cent in reading matter over 50 columns up to 70 columns; 30 per cent over 70 up to 90 columns and 50 per cent on additional space over 90 columns. Sunday editions must reduce 10 per cent in reading matter up to 150 columns, 20 per cent up to 200 columns, etc.

U. S. AIRPLANE CARRIES MOTORCYCLE



Here's the latest efficiency factor in aircraft production. The motorcycle is standard equipment on this reconnaissance machine. Its object being for use where a landing is made on the outskirts of a city or in the country. Heretofore the aviator has either had to telephone for help or trust that a passing automobile would take him into the town or station. The idea was originated by Glenn Martin, aviator and airplane builder for the U. S. government.

HUN SNIPERS BUSY AT FISMES

Long Range Fire Claims Paris Victims, Damage
PARIS, Aug. 6.—Long range bombardment of the city has been resumed. There are some victims and some material damage.

GAS AND ARTILLERY FIGURE IN PICARDY, FLANDERS FIGHTING

LONDON, Aug. 6.—Haig today reported raiding operations in Flanders and Picardy. The British thwarted an enemy attempt to capture a British post northwest of Merris. Hostile artillery is active and there is shelling north of Villers-Bretonneux, and about Beaucourt and north of Bethune.

BERLIN ARTICLE HINTS AT HUN RETIREMENT INTO BELGIUM LINE

THE HAGUE, Aug. 6.—The Berlin Voetsche Zeitung in a pessimistic article hints at German retirement to the Meuse line. Neutral travelers returning from Berlin say the citizens are nervous and are beginning to expect defeat. Such retirement would mean the relinquishment of practically all occupied French territory and two thirds of Belgium.

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NO CONNECTION WITH INTRIGUE IS VERDICT

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Former Minister of Interior Louis Malvy was today acquitted of all charges of treason growing out of his alleged connection with the Polo Pasha's "defeatist intrigue."

INTENSE ARTILLERY REPORTED, FOE AMMUNITION BLOWN UP.

ROME, Aug. 6.—Intense artillery and minor infantry fighting is reported by the war office today. "On the Asiago plateau, on Mont Grappa and on the lower Piave there is intense reciprocal artillery. We promptly and effectively encountered the enemy's bombardment, our fire being directed at important centers blowing up ammunition dumps on the lower Piave. On the Asiago plateau an Italian and British detachment kept the enemy trenches in a state of alarm."

RUSSIAN POPULATION AIDS ALLIED LANDING

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Allies Hold Gains at Vesle in Face of Two Strong Counters and Heavy Fire; Bridges Seized and Hun Positions Get Terrific Shelling While Advanced Troops Await Reinforcements for New Advance.

(Fred Ferguson)
WITH THE AMERICANS AFIELD, Aug. 6.—German resistance continues along the Vesle. There is heavy fighting on the entire line. The enemy is holding the heights along the river's north bank. His artillery has increased while machine guns swept the river crossings and approaches to the heights. American artillery is pounding Boche positions. Additional allied infantry and others units have crossed the river. Isolated Germans in Fismes are sniping Americans, but are rapidly being silenced.

FRED W. HENDLEY DIES; VICTIM OF HEART FAILURE

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STRONG COUNTERS FAIL WITH THE FRENCH AFIELD

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The French maintained the Vesle bridgeheads this afternoon despite two strong German counter attacks. The French seized two bridges and a mill near Braine-la-Croix. The Germans still hold Braine. The enemy established machine-gun nests in Braine, making heavy resistance there. Artillery of both armies is heavily shelling along the Vesle, Oise and Aisne rivers. Further north the French are solidly established on the Avre north of Braches and Neuville wood.

YANKS GET 4 AUG. 3

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The French war office today called that American airmen killed four enemy planes on August 3.