

BRITISH CAPTURE FAMOUS VILLAGE

Town of Ploegsteert in Flanders Falls for Haig's Men After Years of Bitter Contest.

16,000 PRISONERS 100 GUNS IN 4 DAYS

Thousands Died in Village and Adjoining Wood in 1914-15-17.

LONDON, Sept. 5.—The famous village of Ploegsteert in Flanders, has been taken by the British, Haig today announced.

OUTLOOK FOR EARLY VICTORY BRIGHT, BUT OVER EXUBERANCE BAD

BY WEBB MILLER (United Press Staff Correspondent) PARIS, Sept. 5.—Advancing American people against over-exuberance regarding the possibility of an early termination of the war.

BERLIN ANNOUNCES WITHDRAWAL. BERLIN, Sept. 5.—The withdrawal of German defenses from the Vesle is announced by the war office today.

SHUFFLE OF STRINGS IN GIRLS' RELAY RACE PROMISES THRILLS

SHUFFLE SHIDL SHIDL UU With Mabel DeLong, Bertha Ilanecet and Dora Card already entered for the contest on the three fastest relay strings in the west.

TROOPS CROSSING ATLANTIC ENJOY ROUND-UP FILMS; THAT IS ABOUT ALL CENSOR PERMITS

Crossing the Atlantic with troops, Rev. J. M. Cornelson showed the Round-Up picture films he carries with him and says they were much enjoyed.

LUXURIES--AT THE FRONT



Not all the luxuries are missing at the front. Here's a bunch of British Tommy's enjoying fresh pie from a cow left behind by a French peasant who fled from the Huns.

SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS BENEFITTED BY METHODISTS; STEWARDSHIP IS OUTLINED AT EVENING SESSION

An account of the stewardship of the Methodist church was given last night at the second evening meeting of the annual Columbia River Conference being held here.

BOLSHEVIKI KILL, ARREST BRITISH

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—While the Bolsheviki at Petrograd were killing British embassy attaché Cromie, arresting the British embassy staff, and sacking the embassy there, simultaneous arrests were occurring in Moscow.

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BY FRED P. AUSTIN. The next session of the Pendleton Public Schools will open on the morning of September 9.

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The city council at the meeting last night ordered drawn in favor of the Pendleton companies of the Umatilla county guards, a warrant to the amount of \$250.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPEN SEPTEMBER 9TH, PENDLETON

New Vocational Training Covers Practical Shop Work, Gas Engines, Autos.

HELP RED CROSS, LIBERTY LOAN

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SOLEMN PATRIOTIC CELEBRATION FOR REGISTRATION DAY

"I want every flag flying and every band playing on Registration Day. These are the words of Adjutant General Crowder, and are included in the orders received in Pendleton by the Patriotic Service League.

The notices from the council carry the announcement of President Wilson's proclamation naming Thursday, September 12, as Registration Day.

RED SOX WIN FIRST 1918 GAME

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KEEPING THE HOME FIRES BURNING



FRANCO-AMERICANS ON HEELS OF RETREATING HUNS BEYOND VESLE

NINETEEN UMATILLA COUNTY MEN TAKE UP FIGHT FOR UNCLE SAM

Watermelons and Well Filled Boxes Prepare Lads for Army "Chow."

Twenty Umatilla county draft men left today for Camp Lewis. They will be joined at The Dalles by William E. Hoffnagle and at Camp Lewis by Clarence E. Hancy and Theodore L. Canfield.

These Men Go To Fight for Freedom



Henry J. Hurd, Robert Jenkins, Assistant Leader, James Crane, Frank L. Hutchinson, Orville J. Banks, Leslie Merlin Boyd, Claude R. Samps, Harry Brackett, James Arthur Painter, Frank Albert Glaze, assistant leader, Ralph Hyatt Lansdale, George Allen Nolen, I. Raymond Wilks, St. Elmo Murray, Garth Stoll, Robert Bern Moll, leader, William E. Hoffnagle, INDUCTED FOR OTHER BOARDS, Clarence E. Hancy, Theodore L. Canfield, Henry Loo.

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LIBERTY PRESS GUARANTEE SUSPENDED

MADRID, Sept. 5.—A royal decree made public today suspends all guarantees for the Liberty Press. Premier Bata is conferring with the King at San Sebastian.

HEIGHTS DOMINATING AISNE ARE REACHED, FRENCH CROSS SOMME CANAL IN FAST SWEEP

Line of Vesle Entirely Taken, Banks of Aisne Nearer; Hundreds Guns Airplanes Harrassing Fleeing Foe.

TURK FORCE TO EVACUATE U. S. TABRIZ HOSPITAL

State Department Today Informed That Turkey Concedes to All Demands.

AMERICANS IN PERSIA REMAIN UNMOLESTED

Definite Instructions Sent by Government to Commander in Chief.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Turkey has instructed the forces at Tabriz, Persia, to evacuate the American hospital there if it is occupied and has given the position commander in chief definite instructions that Americans in Persia shall be unmolested, the state department was informed today.

CENTENARY MOVEMENT DISCUSSED

Fund of \$80,000,000 to be Given by Methodists for World Work.

The "Centenary movement" was the subject under discussion throughout the morning session of the Methodist conference in session here for the week.

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BY FRED FERGUSON WITH THE AMERICAN ARMIES, IN FRANCE, Sept. 5.—The main German forces have retreated across the Aisne, American artillery supporting the pursuit is over the Vesle river. Bridging material is being rushed forward to cross the Aisne and Oise-Aisne canal beyond, if the enemy withdrawal continues to Clemencia des Dames.

PARIS, Sept. 5.—General Bortholot's army around Rheims in cooperation with the American divisions today, including General Hunter and Strick to develop their successes was elsewhere on the Aisne-Vesle line. The line of the Vesle has been entirely taken. Undoubtedly tonight the French and Americans will appear on the banks of the Aisne. Hundreds of guns and airplanes are harassing the German columns crossing the Aisne.

PARIS, Sept. 5.—Closing in on Ham and striking eastward to flank the new German positions above the Vesle river in pursuit of the retreating enemy, the French gained steadily during the night, the war office announced today.

DOMINATING HEIGHTS REACHED

The Americans and French, advancing north of Vesle, have reached the heights dominating the Aisne. East of the Vesle the French have crossed the Somme canal in the region of Voyennes and Offey. Further south they have passed Hombleux, Esmev-Ballon and Flavy-le-Meldeux and have carried the line northward of Guisancourt until they have reached the border of Beaucourt. Enlarging their action, the French have crossed the Vesle between Les Venoux and Jomchery also. North of the Oise on the southern flank of the Picardy battlefield, the French line is pushing forward so rapidly it is impossible to outline the present location of the foremost troops. Jussey, Canny and La Fere are in flames.

ROUND-UP SEAT SALE OPENS AT 8 O'CLOCK SATURDAY

Round-Up seat sales will open Saturday morning at 8:00 o'clock at the usual place on West Alta street, just off Main street.

THE WEATHER FORECAST. Tonight and Friday fair. Temperature 54 82 Here. Maximum temperature, 82. Minimum temperature, 42. Weather, clear. Wind, calm. Rainfall, none.