

CANADIANS GAIN INCH AT A TIME

BROOK NO OBSTACLES IN LENS ADVANCE.

Central Powers' Loss in Great Allied Offensive Estimated at 100,000 Fighting Slackens Slightly on the French Front.

By William Phillip Simms.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
WITH THE BRITISH ARMY.
August 23.—More than 30 consecutive desperate German counter attacks gained only a few yards near one point at Lens today. The Canadians are repulsing picked German troops, and are crawling, inch by inch, into the city.

New advanced posts are established and are being firmly held.

GERMAN LOSS HUGE.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Lens is the hottest point on the British front. Despite all resistance, the Canadians are advancing, slightly encircling the German positions. It is estimated that the great Allied offensive has cost the Central powers 100,000 dead and wounded.

At least 21,000 prisoners have been taken on the British, French and Italian fronts.

In spite of their tremendous losses, the Germans started their drive against the Russians on the Riga front.

FIGHTING SLACKENS.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—Since Monday, the French have taken prisoners 8426. It is officially announced, and have captured 20 cannon and 200 machine guns. Fighting slackened slightly today.

ITALIANS CAPTURING THOUSANDS IN FIGHT

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
ROME, Aug. 23.—It was officially announced today that the Italians have captured 16,350 Austrians, including 350 officers. The war of attrition announced new successes made by the south wing of the army, including the capture of strong positions.

SLAYER MAY KILL OWN TRIAL JURY

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
PORTLAND, Aug. 23.—Jana Hassing, wife murdered, who escaped from the penitentiary yesterday, has written the authorities asking for the names of the jurors and the district attorney who convicted him. It was learned today. It is feared that he may try to kill them. Efforts to locate Hassing have been redoubled.

SMELTERMEN'S STRIKE STARTS

THIRTY PER CENT OF ANACONDA WORKMEN WALK OUT—MISS RANKIN DECLARES CLAIMS OF MINERS ARE JUST.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
BUTTE, Aug. 23.—The smeltermen's strike at Anaconda began today, and 30 per cent of the workmen are reported to have quit work. The prospect of a strike in the metal trades unions in Butte and Anaconda and Butte again looms up, and a referendum is being held to determine whether or not the Central Council should make fresh demands.

SAYS CLAIMS JUST.

MISSOULA, Mont., Aug. 23.—Miss Jeanette Rankin, representative in Congress from Montana, stated today that the demands of the Butte miners are just, and suggested government control of mines as the only permanent solution for the labor problem in this state.

MANY ARE REJECTED IN EXAMINATION FOR THE NATIONAL ARMY

ONLY SIX OUT OF 17 MEASURE UP TO REQUIRED STANDARDS—NUMBER OF EXEMPTION CLAIMS WILL BE HIGH, REPORT OF DRAFT BOARD.

Rejection of a large proportion of candidates presenting themselves for examination for the National Army under the conscription law, continued today, but results given out by the county draft board were not quite so discouraging as the percentage of failures announced yesterday. Six out of 17 Deschutes county men were passed, while yesterday only seven out of 21 were accepted.

Members of the board state that the total number of exemptions asked will be high.

Results for today's examinations were as follows:

Passed—Charles A. Nichell, John W. Schunk, Harold K. Curtis, R. A. Blanchard, Melvin M. Foster and James E. Rothgeb.

Failed—Ernest B. Fuller, Elmer L. Hopper, Shigeru Akiyama, Sherman G. Wilson, Howard B. Scroggs, Cecil H. Pratt, Emil A. Nelson, Oscar J. Johnson, Winfield Creighton, Frank Tattl and August Bartsch.

CREW GOES TO COMBAT FLAME

FIRE NEAR SUMMIT STAGE STATION IS CIRCLED BY MILES OF TRENCH, AND BACK-FIRING IS RESORTED TO.

After smouldering for several days, fire near the Summit stage station broke out afresh last night, and this morning covered more than 500 acres of territory, Acting Supervisor V. V. Harpham was advised by telephone today. Three carloads of men were sent out from here by 10 o'clock to aid the fire fighters already on the ground.

Shortly after noon, Ranger Perry South, who is in charge of the fire fighters, reported that nearly four miles of trench had been dug, completely inclosing the conflagration, and that back-firing was being successfully resorted to. He believed the fire to be under control.

No further word was received in regard to the Square Lake fire, and Mr. Harpham is of the opinion that the flames have been quelled.

GERMANY DEMANDS HOLLAND VESSELS

Must Have Use of Ships for Five Years After War, or Will Shut Off Supply of Steel.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—Germany is threatening to give the Netherlands no more steel for shipbuilding unless the ships are used in German interests during the remainder of the war, and for five years thereafter.

Germany also notified the Netherlands today that Holland can have only a certain allotment of coal, and that if more is desired, Dutch miners must be sent after it.

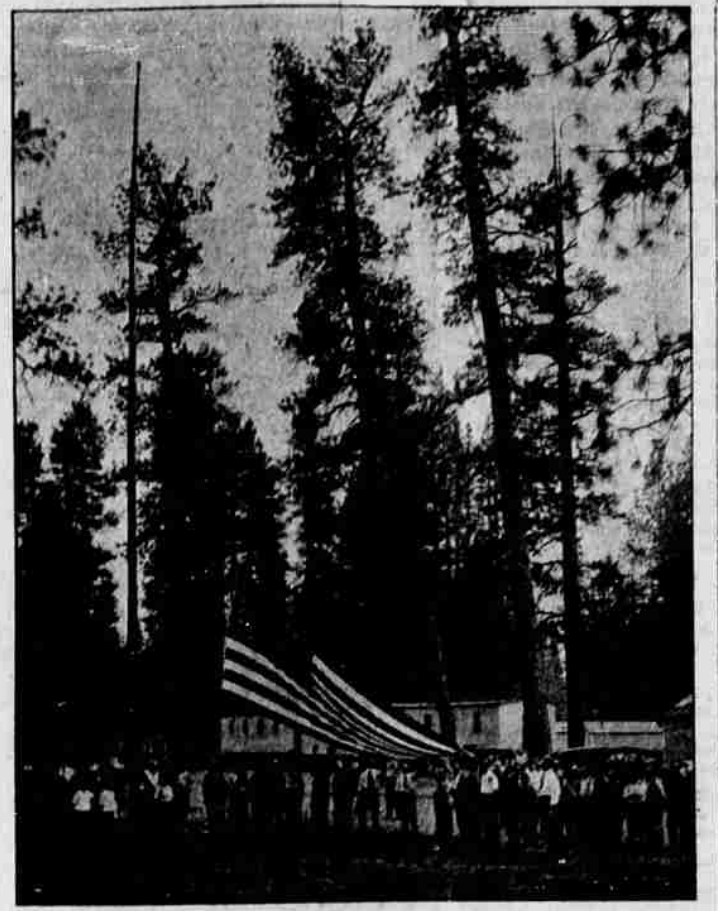
NEW COAL PRICES EFFECTIVE TODAY

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—Prices fixed by the President for bituminous coal are now in effect.

NORTHWEST TROOPS WILL LEAVE SOON

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—Guardsmen originally intended to train at Palo Alto, California, will be shifted to North Carolina, the War Department announced today, indicating that after the first two Rainbow divisions arrive in France, the third to go will be composed of forces from the Northwest.

FLAG RAISING EXERCISES AT A BROOKS-SCANLON CAMP



There is plenty of patriotism in and around Bend and plenty of testimonials to the respect in which the Stars and Stripes is held by the loyal citizens of Deschutes county.

Among the recent events of a patriotic nature celebrated locally was the raising of the flag at the logging camps of the Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Company recently. The above picture is of the flag raising ceremony at Camp One. More recently a similar flag, 10 by 20 feet, has been raised at Camp Two. On each occasion many people from Bend were present and appropriate speeches were made. W. H. Inman represented Camp Two, and Jesse Fulton Camp One.

Following is the list of those employed at the two camps at the time the flags were installed:

G. P. Allison, G. Anderson, M. S. Andros, J. B. Austin, R. Battersby, B. Beeman, M. Baty, Gail Blakely, S. A. Blakely, Frank Brobert, F. L. Brown, D. J. Brown, J. H. Buckner, J. Clark, C. E. Culler, Martin Culler, J. C. Culler, C. Douglas, Fred Frisby, Capt. Jesse Fulton, T. Gerrish, B. Gillespie, J. Gottlieb, E. C. Gray, K. P. Hickey, J. W. Hess, Wm. Hill, W. F. Hoffman, J. J. Holt, R. C. Hornling, C. H. Horning, Wm. Inman, H. O. Jackson, Thos. Jacobs, J. Johnson, Gus Johnson, Dick Kassell, R. H. Landfare, W. L. Lowery, Bob Lisk, A. McGibbon, D. J. McClennan, Chas. Miller, Mike Morrison, A. Muller, Nell McPherson, H. McVitty, Louis Morris, Owen Morris, C. O. Myers, C. J. Nicholson, R. W. Nicholson, Frank Murray, Steve Nosko, Paul Nosko, Jno. Nyström, Ole Olson, A. F. Pedrault, F. Ramsey, C. H. Rolfe, R. Redmond, F. W. Root, Harry Sandeud, B. Sarale, Wm. Scriber, S. H. Sannerud, Ed. Schafer, R. Kruger, Chris Somers, F. L. Tomblin, Mrs. F. L. Tomblin, Lester Vaughn, H. Villard, Ed. Wait, A. Wates, Ward Raymond, R. E. Ward, Jerome Ward, Chas. Weiglin, Roy Wilson, R. L. Higgins, F. Williams, N. G. Appel, A. B. Davis, M. Gillett, L. H. Gless, Joe Hillbacher, H. A. Jerrard, Oscar Johnson, O. D. Kirby, Joe Markee, C. H. Oakes, A. D. Peppin, W. B. Rogers, C. Seiffert, E. Spencer, F. Spencer, F. Van Cleve, A. E. Pelker, Carl Hartley, A. D. Norton, L. Blakley, E. Yarbrough, Joe Simmons, Dan Woods, Howard Pribble.

Prize List is Completed for the 1917 Flower Show

Offering a wide latitude to exhibitors, the Ladies' Library club today issued the prize list for the annual Flower Show, which will be held in Bend one week from tomorrow. The exact place in which the show will be given, as well as the rules governing competition, will be announced later. Prizes are being provided for entirely by unalloyed contributions this year. Among those aiding in this were: The City Beautiful league, \$25; Harrison Latham, \$3; Deschutes County court, \$50. The last named donation was made with the stipulation that it be used in making up a prize list for vegetables and grains.

- The complete prize list is as follows:
- Sweet Peas—best regardless of color, 50c; best bunch solid color, 50c; greatest variety, 50c. Asters, best collection, 50c; Carnations, best collection, 40c; Roses, best collection, 50c; Pansies, artistic arrangement, 50c; Sunflower, tallest, 40c; Potted Plants, Geraniums, 40c, pink 40c, red 40c, white 40c, ivy leaf 40c; Martha Washington 40c; Petunias, single 40c, double 40c; Ferns, 40c; Begonia, 40c; Baby Fingers, 40c; Texas Star Plant, 40c; Fuchsia, single 40c, double 40c; Best bunch of wild flowers, 40c; Best display of fruit, first \$1.50, second 75c; Best display assorted berries, first \$1.50, second 75c.
 - Vegetables—Best collection, with irrigation, first prize \$2, second, \$1; best collection without irrigation, \$2, second, 1; largest cabbage, first \$1, second 50c; beans, first \$1, second 50c; cauliflower, first \$1, second 50c; cucumber, first \$1, second 50c; tomatoes, first \$1, second 50c; radish, first \$1, second 50c; squash, first \$1, second 50c; carrots, first \$1, second 50c; turnips, first \$1, second 50c; peas, first \$1, second 50c; leaf lettuce, first \$1, second 50c; head lettuce, first \$1, second 50c; rutabagas, first 1, second 50c; potatoes, first \$1, second 50c; endive, first \$1, second 50c; onions, first \$1, second 50c; spinach, first \$1, second 50c; beets, first \$1, second 50c.
 - Flowers—Sweet peas, pink, 20c, red, 20c, white, 20c, lavender, 20c, orange or salmon, 20c, cream buff, 20c, cream pinks, 20c, cerise, 20c, perennial, 20c, dark red or claret, 20c, purple, 20c, mottled or variegated, 20c, blue, 20c; Asters, pink, 20c, red, 20c, white, 20c, lavender, 20c, purple, 20c; Carnations, pink, 20c, red, 20c, white, 20c; Poppies, single, 20c, double, 20c, California, 20c, orange or yellow, 20c, mixed colors, 20c, Shirley, 20c, Santa Barbara or tulip, 20c; Pinks, single, 20c, double, 20c, Chinese, 20c; Roses, pink, 20c, red, 20c, white, 20c, yellow, 20c, La France, 20c, rambler, 20c; Pansies, best, 20c; Sweet Elysiun, 20c; Nasturtium, 20c; Daisies, Shasta, 20c, African, 20c, English, 20c, Swan River, 20c, mixed colors, 20c; Verbenas, mixed, 20c; Coreopsis, 20c; Calliopsis, 20c; Snapdragon, 20c; Baby Breath, 20c; Margold, single, 20c, double, 20c; Calendula, 20c; Larkspur, 20c; Candy-tuft, white, 20c; colors, 20c; Gollardia, 20c; Canterbury Bells, 20c; Salpiglossis, 20c; Cosmos, 20c; Fox Glove, 20c; Dahlias, 20c; Godetia, 20c; Petunia, bedding, 20c, single, 20c, double, 20c; Golden Glow, 20c; Hollyhock, single, 20c, double, 20c; Gladiolus, 20c; Ragged Sailor, 20c; Sunflower, best cut, 20c; Phlox, annual, 20c; perennial, 20c; Fever Few, 20c; Centaurea, 20c; Mignonette, 20c; Lavender, 20c; Love-in-the-Mist, 20c;

POWER OUTPUT WILL BE ABOUT DOUBLED BY NEW EQUIPMENT

FOUR WHEEL, 600 HORSEPOWER, 500 KILOWATT TURBINE RECEIVED BY THE BEND WATER, LIGHT & POWER CO., AND WILL BE INSTALLED SOON.

New equipment for the local plant of the Bend Water, Light & Power Co., which will increase the present power generating capacity 500 kilowatts, is now being unloaded at the freight yards, and will be installed within the next three weeks. The machinery consists of a four wheel, 660 horsepower water turbine, weighing 26 tons, and requiring two cars to bring it to Bend. The turbine was shipped from Springfield, Ohio, and mere transportation cost \$1020.

The present output of the Bend plant is 750 kilowatts, but increase in the city's population has taxed the power station to the uttermost. The new turbine will relieve this situation, and will provide considerable surplus over present needs, in accordance with the company's policy of keeping well ahead of the city's development.

Foundations for the installation of the machinery are complete, and the construction of a building to house the new power unit will be started as soon as the turbine is in place.

TO GIVE HELP FOR PASS ROAD

\$121,299 WILL BE SPENT BY THE STATE, COUNTIES, AND GOVERNMENT—OTHER ALLOTMENTS FOR ROADS MADE.

SALEM, Aug. 23.—(Special to the Bulletin.)—While probably not the first which actually will be undertaken, the following named projects have been favorably acted upon by the State Highway Commission and allotments have been set aside:

The McKenzie Pass road through the Cascades has been allotted \$121,299, of which \$21,299 is to be paid by Lane county, \$50,000 by the state and \$50,000 by the government. On the McKenzie Pass road through Deschutes \$30,000 is to be allotted, Deschutes county paying \$5,000 and the state and government \$12,500 each. The Ochoco and Canyon Creek Highway through Crook county is allotted \$30,000, and through Wheeler county \$30,000. Crook and Wheeler counties to pay \$15,000 each and the government and state to pay \$15,000 each.

The La Pine-Lakeview project has been given \$30,000 under the recommendation made, to be split between the state and the government.

All told, the allotment recommended so far is \$1,114,194, of which the counties are to pay \$131,694, the state \$491,250 and the government is asked to pay \$491,250.

The government, under the Shickler act, pays for Oregon roads \$121,794 a year, to be matched by state or local funds.

MECHANICS' STRIKE CRIPPLES SHIPYARD

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
Tacoma, Aug. 23.—The Wright shipyard was completely closed here today when 50 mechanics struck because the yards refused to recognize the unions and pay the union scale.

NO RACE SUICIDE FOR HORNED TOADS

Everyone knows that Guinea pigs don't believe in race suicide, but the leanings of horned toads in a similar direction aren't so widely recognized. Yet horned toads seem to run to large families, too. At least, such is George Young's experience with the "critters." Last May he caught a couple of them out on the High Desert, and since then the toads have made themselves at home in the Young menage. Yesterday there was only Mr. and Mrs. Toad, but this morning nine youngsters had put in their appearance.

U. S. TO EXTEND HELP TO SLAVS

MAY MAKE NEW LOAN TO BUY SUPPLIES.

Distressing Developments in Russia Hinted, But Real Nature Kept a Close Secret—Propagandists are Threatened.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—While German troops are hammering at Russia, a conference is being held here, which it is believed will forecast speedy assistance to the new democracy. The assistance may take the form of a new loan, enabling Russia to replenish her stock of supplies and to keep her transportation systems in running order.

Distressing developments in Russia were rumored here in answer the State Department admits receiving in confidential reports from Petrograd. These are being carefully concealed. Commissioner Root consulted with Secretary of State Lansing in regard to the Russian situation.

Charles Edward Russell, a member of the commission to Russia, charges that sinister influences are at work in the Slav republic, seeking to discredit Russia as a democracy, and to alienate Russia and the United States. He threatened to disclose the names of responsible persons, if propaganda continue to be circulated. He said that the pacifist element in this country is not to blame.

BRITISH AIRPLANES RAID SUCCESSFULLY

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—The admiralty today announced the successful raiding of British airplanes, of Zebrugge harbor, and the Ghistilles aerodrome. A number of hits were observed. All British machines returned.

LINER DEVONIAN IS VICTIM OF TORPEDO

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)
BOSTON, Aug. 23.—The liner, Devonian, was sunk today, according to cable dispatches received by local officers of the Leyland company. Details of the sinking are lacking, but it is believed that the vessel was torpedoed. No passengers were on board.

ONE SEASON'S CROP PAYS UP ON RANCH

Just how valuable Central Oregon irrigated land really is, was shown today in the experience of A. J. Riggs, who last winter bought a 40-acre tract in the Powell Butte section, for \$3000. From 27 acres he has just sold 194 tons of alfalfa at \$1500, and has contracted the second cut, which will run close to 120 tons, at the same rate, more than paying for the ranch in one season.

A. F. OF L. JOINS WAR ON WEALTH

GOMPERS WOULD WIPE OUT EVERY PENNY OF WAR PROFITS—FIGHT IN SENATE GAINING BIG HEADWAY.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 23.—The American Federation of Labor today joined the forces working for the conscription of wealth and war profits, to finance the war. Taxation wiping out every penny of war profits was advocated by Samuel Gompers, head of the federation, in a statement which he issued today to the United Press.

In the meantime the movements started by Senators La Follette and Johnson, have gained such headway that opponents of wealth conscription are being forced to organize to start a vigorous fight in committee.