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OREGON WEATHER

Weather tomorrow: Warm.

WHISTLING THROUGH THE WOODS

A recent speech of German Chancellor Michaelis shows the dire straits to which leaders of that government, the last remaining civilized adherent to the principle of the divine right of kings, is put, in an effort to unify the people behind the military aims of its autocratic government.

In his silly contention that Germany's enemies want to destroy her and have entered into a solemn compact to that end, the chancellor is waving in the face of his people the fear of the iron-shod hoof of a conqueror, in an effort to revive their waning courage of confidence.

No reasonable person desires to destroy Germany as a self-governing nation. That its present form of government will be destroyed has almost become axiomatic among her enemies. But the German people would be the first beneficiaries of that allied aim. Premier and foreign secretaries of all the allied nations have repeatedly insisted that it is Prussian militarism which must be combated. If this militarism affected only the people of Germany, it would be only their business. But with it driving armies of Germans into Belgium, northern France, unhappy Poland, Serbia and Roumania, German militarism concerns Europe and the entire world. Free nations would be guilty of a neglect of duty should they not exert themselves to the utmost to free the world of this nightmare.

Germans are fighting not for self-preservation but in a vain hope to build for their rulers a pre-eminent position of domination over the rest of the world. Such a dream carries with it mastery by brute force.

Only yesterday Burgemaster Reiche of Berlin used remarkably blunt language in the Berliner Zeitung, when he spoke of Germany's internal situation. In answering the question whether Germany, after three years of war, could claim both internal and external progress, he said: "At best, the answer is a halting affirmative. Those who are not corrupted by the chase after profits are haunted with the fear that the country is slipping back in the rut of officialism. We are not really a free people. Councils are called but the word is passed quietly from the government table: 'These people must be treated like children.' What is wanted is a parliament that has power; a government by men who are not educated to believe that a bureaucrat necessarily knows more than an ordinary mortal. Let us be a free people but not free only on paper."

Either this war will wipe out the present German government or the German people will have to win their liberties in a bloody revolution. The circle of enemies with which her armies are battling serve

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to unify the people under the existing leadership. They fear that a change of horses while crossing the stream would spell disaster.

Could it come about that the German people as a whole were brought face to face with the problem of settling for themselves the question of a change in their government without fearing that such an effort might prove disastrous to their armies, we believe peace would be in sight. With a government-bridled press this would be difficult. So, as a starter toward a real freedom for the German nation, a free press that could inform the German people of real facts and permit of a candid discussion of their governmental problems, would be a great step in advance.

DEMOCRACY'S HOPES

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tantic task. Some of her soldiers are in France. At home, the nation has started raising her selective draft army. Her greatest businessmen, inventors and manufacturers have lent aid. The farmers have responded. The plain people have contributed \$2,000,000,000 to a "Liberty loan."

America's effect in the war is not expected by experts to be fully apparent until next spring. Every preparation being made by the United States is based on three years more of war.

Meanwhile Germany is steadily sinking the world's supply of ships.

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Dennis' Eucalyptus Ointment
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Her estimate is that since February 1, nearly 5,000,000 tons have been sunk. England's estimate is 600,000 tons.

It is on this submarine menace that the democracies of the world will first concentrate.

Corvallis, Aug. 6.—M. J. Brown, a Corvallis newspaperman, is touring Alaska, and figures on writing some stories about it. He left here July 5. A card just received from him was mailed at Dawson just before Brown started down the Yukon river.

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POSSES HUNT MOBS

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however, an additional danger thrust itself upon pursuers of the crazed tenant farmers, Indians and negroes who are defying the government of the United States, when it became known that wives of the fugitives had been instructed to put poison in the food of any pursuers who came to their cabins. Only prearranged signals from fugitives hiding in the neighborhood of these hill cabins will prevent the women from killing any posse members who seek food at their doors.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The short shift of court martial and the firing squad will be the lot of those who persist in resistance to the draft.

The iron hand of the full military power of the nation is ready. The opportunity is now presented to those who did not wish to serve to appear in orderly manner and present the government with their excuses. Should they fail to take advantage of this opportunity they are automatically enrolled as soldiers. If they then fail to appear for duty, they are deserters. The punishment for desertion in war time is death. And the full military power of the nation will be employed if necessary to impose the penalty.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the United States court for the district of Oregon, dated June 18, 1917, all claims against the Rogue River Public Service corporation and the Rogue River Land & Investment company, duly verified, should be presented to and filed with the receivers of said corporation at their offices in the Conklin building in the city of Grants Pass, Oregon, on or before the first day of October, 1917.

Dated at Grants Pass, Oregon, June 30, 1917.

J. F. REDDY,
GEO. H. BORANSON,
Receivers.
(From Monday's Daily)

She said.
Mother—That young man of yours is simply impossible. He doesn't like Shaw; he doesn't like Rosen; he doesn't like Galworthy. Who does he like?
Daughter (demurely)—Me. — Boston Transcript.



He's telling her that nothing he received from home brought more joy, longer-lasting pleasure, greater relief from thirst and fatigue, than

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

August 3, 1917.
Complaint
Hydraulic Mining Co. vs. Elizabeth A. Smith.—Suit to quiet title of placer claims.
Mining Locations
Martha Akers on Blue Lead mine lode on Johnson's gulch near Sucker creek.
David Bour and J. W. Bigelow on Turtle Dove lode in Illinois unorganized mining district.
Job printing of every description at the Courier office.
August 2, 1917.
Transfers
Columbia Life & Trust company to Manly M. Johnson, W. D., lots 10, 11 and 12, Blk. 12, Lincoln Park addition, \$10.00.
Geo. W. Lewis, sheriff, to B. Olson, north 18 1/2 rods of tract No. 159 and tracts Nos. 160, 161, and 162.
Rogue River Orchard company's subdivision, \$5,355.12.

FANS
Another shipment of Northwind Electric fans arrived Saturday. See window.
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