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ills Attorneys Wire From Utah for Full information in Regard to Charges Against Him

ALLIES MAKE GREAT OFFEN. SIVE ON SQ.MILE FRONT NEAR GERMAN BORDER

tz, 15 Miles Northeast of Pont-Au-Mousson, Is Another Objective of the Drive

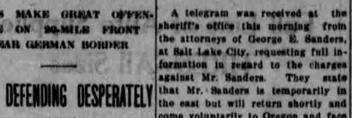
French offensive on a 20-mile front arrest, therefore, was notabrdingyw near the German border is aimed arrest, therefore will be merely a advance on an 11-mile front near primarily at the elimination of the formality. famous St. Mihiel salient southeast of Verdun, which has projected into the allied line for four years.

There have been many predictions of the American offensive this fall. The following casualties are The German citides of Metz lies 15 ported by the commanding general miles northeast of Pont-Au-Mousson of the American expeditionary and is probably the further objective forces for today. of the drive. The Germans are de- Killed in action fending their positions desperately. Died of wounds but the Americans continue to slow- Died of disease ly advance.

MENNONITES IN AMERICA SWARMING TO CANADA

Lewiston, Mont., Sept. 12.-Under a transaction recently completed, the Hutterische society of the Mennonite church has exchanged its land holdings in this county, totaling 10,034 scres, and valued at \$350,000, for a tract of land east of Warner, in Alberta, Canada. The colony had resided here for the last six years.

Another Mennonite colony near Utica disposed of its holdings of 2,700 acres early in July and removed to Canada. It consisted of some 50 persons. The Mennonite colonies of German-speaking residents; have kept to themselves, and maintained their alien point of view in many of their relations with their neighbors.



come voluntarily to Oregon and face any charges that have been made against him in this state. It was stated yesterday that the the outskirts of Donmartin and La The attack by the French and Am arrest of Sanders had occurred, but Montagne.

as he volunteers to come and face the charges against him in this city Paris, Sept. 12 .- The American- the matter was not pushed. His

U. S. CASUALTY LIST ***************

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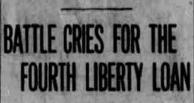
Wounded severely ... Wounded, degree undetermined Missing in action

Died of aeroplane accident Died of accident and other causes

556 Total Killed in action-Herman J. Kolkans, Portland; A. M. Tomilson, Portland.

Wounded severely-James Harding, Cottage Grove; Kenneth Melver, Riverside, Ore.

Missing in action-Ernest W. Perroas, Portland; ;: Ruel M. Bond. Corvallis: Thomas R. Fowler, Rainler: Edward Hoffman, Sandy, Ore.





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EDITION

Reply Vigorously With Big Gans at Certain Points

London, Sept. 17 .- The Ameri- hard before being driven out, after cans captured the towns of This- enduring a stifling barrage of over court, Pannes and Nonsard. General eight hours. Pershing's forces north of St. Mihiel The weather on the fighting front

captured Combres and reached is fine.

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GRANTS PASS.

The French have reached the outskirts of St. Mihiel.

The Americans made a five mile Isray.

With the American Forces on the tremendous concentration of Franco- a sharp reminder that the day for orraine Front, Sept. 12.-The Am- American artillery. The Americans registration has arrived, the day has + Lorraine Front, Sept. 12 .- The Am- American artillery. The Americans ericans and French launched an at- are still intensely eager and are St. Mihiel salient. They directed a the line and had taken some prison terrific barrage on the German posi- ers. tions. The reply of the Germans' The first wave of the Americans big guns was vigorous in some places met little resistance and at 8 o'clock

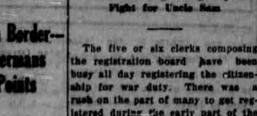
20. although weak as a whole. 359

There are some indications that points of the German first line. the Germans are going to withdraw latest reports the Germans were fall-.102 their artillery, although it is more ing back on the fronts of each side ... 1 prohable that they are going to fight of the St. Mihtel salient.



American Aviation Center, Isso- Cleveland, Sept. 12,--- The case of down, France, Sept. 12 .- This Amer- Eugene V. Debs, who has been tried can flying camp is the largest in for making dialoyal utterances, has been given to the jury. Debs defend-France and is sald to be greater ed himself in a speech, saying, "I than any other in the world. deny nothing, repudiate nothing, re-

A flying field of 36 square miles, tract nothing," and stated that he the area of an American township, was working for the good of the with nine separate flying fields on whole world. which American aviators advance to the stage of flight combatants, and pronis and all the others with offi-cers, instructors and newly equipped



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER IS, Inte

istered during the early part of the day, but the work has eased up this afternoon. The work is being done in the county judge's office, and the office will be kept open until i clock tonight.

in Line Walting to Sign Up to

This registration of approximately ericans was most daring and so far 13,000,000 men, coming on the ev has been successful. The attack of a gigantic Liberty loan drive fo along the southern side of the St. several billion dollars, is a hard Mihiel salient was for a distance of blow to the kaiser and bodes ill for 12 miles, and on the western side on every Boche fighting that Prussian

a front of eight miles. Entents airplanes are operating in great numbers. There has been a are playing and whistles are blowing,

been a quiet though busy one 10 tack this morning against the Ger- fighting magnificently. At 9 o clock Grants Pass. Men are losing no man positions on both sides of the they had progressed generally along time in getting to the registering

It is expected that nearly 100,000 men will have registered in Oregon by 9 o'clock tonight. It is predic the second wave was in possesion of that none in Josephine county will overlook this prescribed duty today. The process of registering is simple but any who wish legal advise can secure the same free from any member of the legal profession.

NORTHWEST GROWERS WILL RECEIVE RECORD PRICES

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 12-Recor prices, due to an unprecedented demand will yield northwestern apple growers this year \$5,500,000 more the size of an orange, were fired at than usual, in the opinion of P. R. Parks, general manager of the Spo- 300 each, and were sprinkled over kane Fruit Growers' company, a cooperative association of fruit men. projectiles burst into flames as they Mr. Parks estimates the 1918 hit the ground and gave off gas. rop in Montana. Idaho, Oregon and The British are continuing to Washington at 15,000 cars, and fig-

use New Kind of Project in an Effort to Stop New Zatland Troops London, Sept. 12 .- The British

ADVANCE HALF A MILE ON A

THREE AND HALF MILE

FRONT

TIGHTEN GRIP ON ST. QUENTI

nave effected a crossing of the Canal Du Nord northwest of Havrin and captured Vermand, Attilly and Vendelles, northwest of St. Quentin.

London, Sept. 12 .- General Haig's forces have captured the whole village of Havrincourt, except the ortheastern edge of the town. The British have advanced half a mile on a three and a half mile front.

British Armies in France, Sept. 12 .--- British troops today gained a footing in Pelziere and Epehy, on the railroad between Roisel and Maroing.

Just before the British las their attack this morning on enemy trenches northwest of Petsire, below Gourencourt, the Germans for the first time employed a new kind of projectile in an effort to drive the New Zealand troop from nearby positions.

The projectiles, which were about short range in salvos of from 200 to an area of two to three acres. Th

in on the Hindenburg line by small ures 756 boxes to the car under the actions and maneuvers. The lines government loading rules. This in the northern part of the battle means an apple, production of ap-proximately 11,340,000 boxes. A through Trescault, three and one-



Hays, chairman of the national re- tember 28 and closing October 19. publican committee, replying to the Here are some of them: message from Secretary Tumulty. "Stop the reign of Hell, stated that it was not true that he with a rain of shell." recently said democratic leaders "Back up Pershing and he will "Would even end the war with any Back the kaiser over the Rhine." kind of a compromise if that would "Liberty loan dollars, insure the continuance of the demo- Work and fight. cratic party in power."



ties at Portland have appointed G. "Liberty bonds speak a language W. Colvig, O. S. Blanchard and E. Talk to him today." S. Van Dyke as legal. advisors for "Turn the eagle loose on every fightthis county in regard to matters pertaining to registration, filling out "Safe as the United Statesquestionnaires, etc. Associate mem- Buy Liberty bonds." hers of the board are, E. E. Blanch- "Take the Helm from Wilhelm, ard, Fred A. Williams, J. N. John- Buy Liberty bonds." ston, W. T. Miller, C. A. Sidler, H. D. Norton and James T. Chinnock. Lay members of the board are, Sam H. Baker, Frank Bramwell and Geo. THE PRESIDENT SIGNS E. Lundburg.

Registrants who are in doubt as to what to do in regard to their registration cards, or filling out their questionnaires, can secure free advise and help from any member of the board.

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one of the scores of slogans subruit- features of this vast aviation ground. ted as battle cries for the Fourth

No prizes were offered to slogan gray machine rose from a nearby ferences with the entente allied dipmakers but many suggestions were field with a loud droning noise. Washington, Sept. 12 .- Will H. made which will be used in this dis-

trict during the drive beginning Seo-

Civilization insurance - Liberty bonds.' Your bond may throw the balance.

Buy Liberty bonds and keep them." Buy Liberty bonds-the buy-way to Berlin."

The more bonds you buy, The fewer boys need die." The adjutant general and authori- "Put four dollars in uniform." ing dollar."



tries.

San Francisco, Sept. 12,-"Put a aviators swelling our squadrons each service star on your pocketbook" is month-these were some of the main

> As the Associated Press correspondent entered one of the fields a big

> "There goes a Liberty airplane," said one of the officers. It was one of the fast-increasing number now coming, and every flight was watched with keenest interest and growing enthusiasm by those who will put it to the supreme test on the fighting front. Only one opinion was heard among these men, that it was the biggest and fastest machine of them all. It was doing wonders in quick ascents, and besides straight away flight it had been put through all the intricacies of acrobatic flight and had been pronounced equal to the whole range.



the Mount Baker district, believe found the tribe in 1908 while com-that a mineral lake in that region, manding an excedition fitted out by that a mineral lake in that region, manding an expedition fitted out by Petrograd.

ment.



Archangel, Sept. 12,-After con omatic and military chiefs, the Tac

halkovsky government, which was recently overthrown, was' reseated today and will continue to direct affairs in the region north with the advice of the allies.



hair from the blond Eskimos, alleg- the entire European civilized world."

ed proof of the existence of that strange far away tribe-is being brought back to civilization by the RUSSIAN PEASANTS explorer Vilhalmur Stefarsson, according to P. C. Lepetich, a miner who recently arrived here from Fort FROM MINERAL LAKE Yukon, Alaska, where he saw the explorer. Stefarsson, it is believed will arrive here this month.

Stefarsson is credited with the dis-

London, Sept. 12-The Russian Bellingham, Wash., Sept. 12.- covery of the light skinned natives, peasants who revolted against the

well known to them for years, could the Canadian government and the furnish ample material for explo- American Museum of Natural hissives for the United States govern- tory. The party penetrated into the STREET CARS COLLIDE

This mineral lake, about a mile white lands, marked "uninhabited" DRY ZONE MEASURE northeast of Whatcom Pass, is one on the maps, far east of the Mack-of the most remarkable bodies of enzie river, and in 1910, on Coronawater in the Cascade range. There tion gulf, found Eskimos who had are 15 or 20 springs, with tempera- never seen white men from the out-

Washington, Sept. 12 .- The pres- tures varying from 30 to 60 de- side. According to Stefarsson, they the above board. The board will ident has signed the resolution em- grees, on its shores whose saits are numbered probably 2,000. Unlike give full information on any ques- powering him to establish prohibi- useful in the production of explo- their dark hued brothers of Alaska. tion that may arise under the draft tion rones around shipyards, muni- sives. Iron to the depth of more they had white skin, many had red law. G. W. Colvig is chairman of tion factories and other war indus- than 20 feet has accumulated where hair, and men wore full beards and the for, while the people were en Cannon were re-nominated, being one spring bubbles forth. all had light eyebrows.



WWER Parks says, will be \$1.25 a box. the eastern edge of the place, where which would give a total revenue to the troops are actually in the old the growers of \$14,175,000. Prices British trenches. he asserts, will average 50 cents a

KAISERSAYSATTEMPTED

FLEE TO PETROGRAD

route down town to work.

box more than last year.



The Southern Oregon Traction ompany line, more familiarly known Amsterdam, Sept. 12 .- Emperor as the Builis railroad, formerly the Wilhelm, speaking at the Krupp mu- Barnum line between Medford and nition works at Essen, declared that Jacksonville, including the trolley line in Medford, will soon go out of he Fatherland knew he had "left no existence, at least for the period of stone unturned to shorten the war the war. The fact that part of the Seattle, Wash., Sept. 12 .- Blond as far as possible for your people and rails of the line had been regutationed by the government, together with the fact that freight and passenger traffic between the city and county seat, because of auto competition, had fallen to a low ebb, brought about this decision.

> The dismantling of the railroad to furnish the requistioned rails will begin within a week or two .- Medford Tribune.



Chicago, Sept. 12 .- Medill McCor-FORTY ARE INJURED mick, republican, has been nominatwith James Hamilton Lewis, democrat. McCormick was nominated by Seattle, Sept. 12 .- About 40 per- 62,000 plurality over Mayor William sons were injured when two Rainier Hale Thompson of Chicago, and Con-Valley street cars collided, due to gressman George Foss.

Congressmen Mann and Joseph unopposed.