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With Medford Stop-Over

SITUATION ALONG BATTLE FRONT IS STILL UNCHANGED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—An official Bordeaux dispatch to the French embassy today says:

"The battle continues on the whole front from the River Oise to the river Wevre during the 18th, without any important change in the situation at any point.

"At the left in the battle of the Oise, we occupy Menarquez and Charlepoint. On the heights of the north of the river Aisne we have advanced slightly in a few places. The attacks attempted by the Germans against the English artillery have been checked at Troyon between Soissons and Craonne. From Craonne to Rheims we have repulsed the counter attack executed during the night. The enemy tried, but has not succeeded in taking the offensive against Rheims.

"At the center from Rheims to the Argonne mountains, the enemy is reinforcing his situation by important fortifications and taking an attitude merely defensive. On the east of the Argonne and in the Wevre valley the situation is unchanged.

"At the right in Lorraine and the Vosges the Germans occupy positions defensively organized close to the frontier."

JAPAN ORDERED AIRSHIP MOTORS

BERLIN, Sept. 19, via wireless by way of Sayville, L. I.—According to the Cologne Gazette, Japan sent a special commissioner to a German motor company during the first days of July to order 400 aeroplane motors to be delivered within the shortest limit of time. The order, however, was not carried out.

The German governor of Belgium (General von der Goltz) has appointed Privy Counsellor Dr. von Faleke to decide on ways and means to effect the protection of Belgian treasures of art against burglary and pillage. Dr. von Faleke is making a tour of Louvain, Namur, Huy, Nivelles and Liege, accompanied by a Belgian art expert, and will take whatever steps to this end that may be necessary.

It is announced here that three aeroplanes are again over Paris.

The British naval commission has left Constantinople.

The Russian general, Partos, who ordered the shooting of all the male inhabitants and the burning of all villages in East Prussia, has been tried by a German court martial.

300,000 TROOPS GUARDING ITALY

ROME, Sept. 19, 10:26 a. m., by way of Paris, 4:35 p. m.—A report received here from Austro-Italian frontier says that 300,000 Austrian troops are watching the Italian border. Trieste has been left with a garrison of only 20,000 men.

ADRIATIC WARSHIPS CAPTURE AUSTRIAN

LONDON, Sept. 19, 12:08 p. m.—The Star has published a dispatch from Rome saying that warships cruising in the Adriatic have captured an Austrian steamer flying the Greek flag, loaded with arms and ammunition destined for Albania.

A TRIUMPH OF MILITARISM

SOMETHING over a week ago Kaiser Wilhelm, by the right of might and the mailed fist, declared Belgium a German province, thus degrading by annexation the nation Germany had solemnly promised by treaty should remain independent and neutral.

The following proclamation was posted throughout Belgium, signed by General Baron von Der Goltz, field marshal, and approved by the German chancellor, who referred to the treaty as a "mere scrap of paper":

"His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, after the occupation of the greater part of Belgian territory, has designated to name the Governor of Belgium. I have established the seat of government in Brussels. By His Majesty's orders civil administration has been established in conjunction with the general Government.

All resistance and revolt against the German administration will be repressed without pardon.

I expect from you all a reasonable attitude and absolute submission to the general Government's orders.

Belgian customs have been ordered supplanted by German customs. Belgian clocks are required to keep Berlin time, one hour ahead of Belgian time. Letters sent through postoffices in Belgium must bear the word "Germany" as an additional direction. Belgian cities are ruled by German officers.

Thus we have one of the triumphs of Prussian militarism, the breaking of treaties, without excuse, the invasion, spoliation and forcible annexation of a small neighboring nation whose seaboard is coveted, the slaughter of many thousands of patriotic citizens whose crime was the resistance of the spoiler, the burning of cities and villages that refused ransom, the degradation of an independent sovereignty and the political enslaving of a highly civilized, industrious, intelligent people.

The Belgians have appealed to the United States, protesting against the atrocities and violations of the war code by the invading Germans. To offset this, the kaiser has also appealed, protesting against the actions of people defending their homes against destruction and their nation from ruin. But he does not explain why the Germans are in Belgium.

What Prussian militarism has done for Belgium, it would do for the rest of the world—and the rest of the world knows it.

MOB AT VIENNA ATTACKS MINISTRY

LONDON, Sept. 19, 9:05 a. m.—In a dispatch from Rome the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says advices have been received from Vienna describing violent scenes said to have occurred last Thursday outside the Austrian ministry of war. All the windows in this building were broken.

Die Zeit, a Vienna newspaper, declares that the holy synod at Petrograd has proclaimed a religious war against Germany and Austria.

ROOSEVELT TOURS BLEEDING KANSAS

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 19.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, reaching here today, expected to begin a rapid tour through the state in the interests of the progressive party.

Three addresses have been scheduled, one here today, another in Hutchinson tonight, and a third in Kansas City, Kan., Monday night. Further speeches in the state have been forbidden by the colonel's physician. From Kansas City, Kan., Colonel Roosevelt will go to Lincoln, Neb., to speak.

TERMONDE VIOLATED BY GERMAN ARMY

ANTWERP, via London, Sept. 19, 2:30 p. m.—The Telegraf reports that the towns of Dendermonde (Termonde) and Londerzeel have been evacuated by the Germans. This is the first time that these places have been free of the invaders since the removal of the Belgian capital from Brussels to Antwerp.

The street lamps of Antwerp are lighted every evening from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock.

WASHINGTON PROGRESSIVES IN PARTY CONVENTION

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 19.—The progressive state convention met here today in the state armory to adopt a platform and elect members of the state central committee. Candidates for office were chosen at the primary September 8. It is expected that Governor Tests of Tacoma will be temporary chairman of the convention; that Nelson W. Durham of Spokane will be permanent chairman and that most of the day will be spent in listening to speeches.

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GERMANS MARCH TOWARDS OSOUREC

BERLIN, Sept. 18, 11:50 p. m., via London, Sept. 19, 4:15 a. m.—The German eastern army continues its operations in the district about Souwalki, Russian Poland, according to a statement tonight by the general staff.

The army is advancing on the fortress at Osourec, forty-five kilometers (about thirty miles) southwest of Lyck, Eastern Prussia, on the railroad between Luck and Bielsostok (a town on the borders of Lithuania and Poland). This fortress guards the river Bober, which elsewhere cannot be crossed, owing to swamps and forms a natural barrier before the advancing army.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Medford National Bank

at Medford, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, Sept. 12, 1914.

Resources	
Loans and discounts	\$492,119.58
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	7,302.85
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Other bonds to secure Postal Savings	2,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	63,696.37
Bonds, securities, etc., (other than stocks)	48,800.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	31,700.00
Other real estate owned	
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings	4,113.65
Due from approved Reserve Agents in Central Reserve cities	
\$17,486.99; in other Reserve cities \$51,854.31	69,341.30
Checks and other cash items	181.25
Exchanges for clearing house	5,873.48
Notes of other National Banks	4,870.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	195.14
Specie	41,416.25
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	5,000.00
Total	\$883,911.97

Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,736.09
National bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	450,136.65
Time certificates of deposit payable within 30 days	4,995.00
Time certificates of deposit payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	46,980.19
Cashier's checks outstanding	93,635.04
Postal savings deposits	71.49
Notes and bills rediscounted	4,273.15
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed	5,074.45
Total	\$883,911.97

STATE OF OREGON, County of Jackson.—SS:
I, John S. Orth, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN S. ORTH,

Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:

J. M. KEENE,

W. H. GORE,

J. A. PERRY,

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of September, 1914.

G. M. ROBERTS,

Notary Public.

No. 7701

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

First National Bank

at Medford in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, Sept. 12, 1914.

Resources	
Loans and Discounts	\$457,972.22
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,517.69
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Other securities to secure circulation	none
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits	1,000.00
Other bonds to secure Postal Savings	18,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand	none
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	5,787.59
Bonds, securities, etc., (other than stocks)	83,028.24
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	none
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	103,696.15
Other real estate owned	14,232.16
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	5,127.86
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings	8,245.94
Due from approved Reserve Agents in Central Reserve cities	
\$2,657.80; in other Reserve cities, \$61,049.94	63,707.74
Checks and other cash items	200.65
Exchanges for clearing house	4,695.00
Notes of other National Banks	1,975.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	253.41
Specie	46,293.20
Legal-tender notes	none
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	5,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	none
Total	\$904,832.79

Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	24,894.16
Reserved for taxes	none
National Bank Notes outstanding	99,997.50
State Bank Notes outstanding	none
Due to other National Banks	none
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	11,745.10
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	none
Due to approved Reserve Agents in Central Reserve cities, none:	
In other Reserve cities	none
Dividends unpaid	none
Individual deposits subject to check	492,100.90
Demand certificates of deposit	4,314.79
Time certificates of deposit payable within 30 days	43,940.60
Time certificates of deposit payable after 30 days, or after notice of 30 days or longer	76,464.48
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,252.93
United States deposits	1,000.00
Postal Savings deposits	4,247.33
U. S. Bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same	none
U. S. Bonds borrowed for which collateral security was furnished	none
Other bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same	none
Other bonds borrowed for which collateral security was furnished	none
Notes and bills rediscounted	none
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed	none
Liabilities other than those stated above, bonds and warrants sold	14,875.00
Total	\$904,832.79

STATE OF OREGON, County of Jackson.—SS:
I, M. L. Alford, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. L. ALFORD,

Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:

F. K. DEUEL,

CHAR. STRANG,

J. H. COOLEY,

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1914.

T. W. MILES,

Notary Public.

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