

### CANNED FRUIT MUCH DESIRED BY COMPANY 7

First Duty Sergeant Lyle Purdin of the Seventh company, evidently misunderstood an article in the Mail Tribune in which Mayor Gates called attention to the large quantities of canned fruit being collected to be sent to the company. The mayor said that the boys should not be all loaded up with fruit at once, but that it should be parceled out to the company from time to time in order that they would have a steady supply on hand all the time.

In a letter to a friend in this city just received, Sergeant Purdin writes as follows from Fort Stevens:

"We noticed in the Mail Tribune the other day that the people of Medford and other towns of the valley were trying to get a shipment of canned fruit to send to the Seventh company; and that certain remarks were made to the effect that it would not be the proper thing for us to eat. Now believe me that, as you know, is the one thing which we can't get enough of in an army training camp. So if there is any one who wants to send us anything in that line, I am sure it would not be wasted; and I am also sure it would be very gratefully received.

"The army ration is now \$0.42.21 per day per man, and that allows us money enough to buy some fruit, but not as much as we could use. We usually have fruit at least for one meal a day, and that is a great help; but at that we could stand more and still get used to not having it in a week or two and not hurt ourselves in the least.

"In conclusion, I will state that Captain Vance is of the opinion that the men can not hurt themselves by eating plenty of fruit of any sort."

### HEAD OF PACIFISTS ARRESTED IN 'FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—Before an audience composed of members and friends of the "Peoples' Council of America," a pacifist organization, gathered in the Golden Gate commandery here, Attorney Daniel O'Connell was placed under arrest on a charge of conspiring to obstruct the workings of the draft provisions of the espionage act. When served with the warrant of arrest by Deputy United States Marshal George Boraham, O'Connell read it to the gathering, which cheered him lustily.

When the cheering had subsided, former United States Senator John D. Works, who was among the speakers on the platform, arose from his place and declared:

**Former Senator Declains**  
"This arrest is a disgrace to the American people and is done for the purpose of intimidating the people." David Starr Jordan and other prominent pacifists were present at the meeting. Dr. Jordan was not heard from, but Mrs. Alice Park, who was a member of the Ford peace party, Thomas Gray and others prominent in the work of the "Peoples' Council," denounced the arrest of O'Connell before the meeting.

Fourteen others were named with O'Connell on the warrant, three of them being Christopher McCullough, Carl Wacker, and A. D. Crown. The authorities would not make known the names of the others on the warrant.

**O'Connell Confident**  
O'Connell was taken before United States Commissioner Francis Krull and his bonds were fixed at \$10,000. His sureties were his wife, Mrs. Anna M. O'Connell, Dr. John A. Miller, of San Francisco, and Mrs. L. H. Cousins of Berkeley. As soon as the sureties were sworn, the date for the commissioner's hearing was set for Wednesday, August 15, and O'Connell was allowed to go.

"The battle is on, and it will be a fight to a finish," declared O'Connell when the commissioner's hearing was ended. "We do not fear the outcome in the slightest degree. We have every confidence of a complete victory on all points. We desire a speedy trial and a speedy verdict. Our case is complete."

#### SHOOTING EXPECTED

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down when men try to destroy this relation.

Please do not understand me to say that any woman is justified in taking a revolver and shooting the person who may happen to stand between herself and her child, but a thing of that kind is quite likely to happen if the provocation is sufficiently intense. I have the deepest sympathy for Mrs. De Saullis.

### PERSHING GRIM AS HE DISCUSSES WAR PLANS WITH JOFFRE



When the Sammlies take over their sector on the French front they will profit by the experience of France and Britain. There is scarcely a day that General Pershing is not in conference with French or British officers, getting "inside" pointers on how the greatest fight in the world is being carried on. The determination of Pershing that American troops shall not be found wanting at the front is shown in the set of his jaws as he listens to Field Marshal Joffre's description of needs on the western front. Note, too, the way their hands are clasped.

### AMERICA'S WORK REHABILITATION OF RUSSIA IS BEGUN

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not unusual for the workers to leave their benches in the middle of the day, call a meeting and advise their employer that they are displeased with conditions.

"Their street meetings are peculiar. Guaranteed the liberty of free speech, they are making the most of it. The military guards permit them wide latitude and they have some heated wrangles on street corners. At the close of the debates, however, it is customary for the leading belligerents to exchange cigarettes, shake hands and proceed to other meetings.

#### Eight-Hour Day.

"The eight-hour day, enforced soon after the revolution, has greatly pleased the workers. It is a wonderful sight to see workers who have been tyrannized for years, coming out of factories at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, with nothing to do until tomorrow. In many cases, wages have been raised a hundred per cent. This seems large, but when it is remembered that wages in Russia always were low and it was not unusual for manufacturers to make from 50 to 200 per cent, the increase does not seem exorbitant. The workmen are just beginning to realize that their employers have been waxing rich off them.

"I look for very close affiliation between the government and labor. Activities of the workmen in the council now presages this, and the laboring classes are bright enough to maintain their present hold on the situation."

#### Workmen's Council.

Describing the sessions of the workmen's council, in which he sat almost daily for a month, Charles Edward Russell said it compared very favorably with other similar legislative bodies. The greater apparent difference, he said, was in the absence of lauded collars. Only the newspaper reporters wore them, he said.

"The council is very well regulated," Russell said. "There is no such disorder as might be expected. While there are more than 1000 members, 830 with votes and 200 without votes, they are under good control.

"All members may speak on any proposition, if they desire, but the speeches are limited to ten minutes, except in the cases of ministers and visitors. I recall that one minister occupied two hours in explaining the proposed railroad rehabilitation plan of the United States commission. I addressed the council for an hour and a half. The ministers are given seats on the floor, but no vote."

The session took luncheon today with Secretary Lansing. Mr. Root probably will leave for New York tomorrow. Others have not decided when they will leave Washington.

With Medford trade in Medford made.

### NO EXORBITANT WAR PROFITS TO BE SANCTIONED

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Definite assurance that the American public will be protected against profiteering and that the allied governments will get their war supplies at the same prices as the United States is contained in an announcement today of the administration's war price policy.

The pronouncement was made by the new war industries board, formed last week as a part of the council of national defense to have full charge of the government's war purchases. It made clear the administration's determination that there shall be no exorbitant war profits and at the same time stated the government's intention to see that industry receives fair prices for its products.

#### Consumers Mistrusted

Prices now charged for materials necessary to the industrial life of the nation are out of all proportion, the statement said, to the cost of production. "Unconscionable profits," it is declared are made on national resources entering into the manufacture of articles consumed by the public.

The administration attitude in demanding that American manufacturers sell to the allies at the same prices as to this government is that since there is a common purpose and, since the allies are buying their supplies with American money, justice requires that costs be equalized.

#### Allies Must Apply Rule

Two restrictions, however, will be enforced in selling to the allies. One is that the allies themselves must apply the same rule in selling to each other and to the United States and the other is that the arrangement must be limited to articles actually used for war purposes. Officials hold that the last restriction is necessary as a protection to American industry.

### SUSPECTED SPY CAUGHT, PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Aug. 9.—A. von Alven Sieben, of Seattle, a reserve lieutenant in the German army, was arrested at a leading downtown hotel here today on advances from the attorney-general at Washington, through Seattle, to intern him. Mr. Alven-Sieben came to Portland by automobile last week. His wife and three children live in Seattle, where he is well known. He took his arrest philosophically and said soon or later he expected it.

### FEDERAL JUDGE DOOLING INJURED NEAR ASHLAND

ASHLAND, O., Aug. 9.—Federal Judge Maurice Dooling of San Francisco, suffered a broken nose and wrist and other injuries late Thursday when an automobile in which he was riding with W. K. Brown of San Francisco, turned turtle on the Pacific

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the highway five miles southeast of here. The front tire burst, causing the accident. Mrs. Dooling and Mrs. Brown were in a car following with B. G. Gould of San Francisco. When they arrived, Judge Dooling was lifted into their machine and hurried to Granite City hospital at Ashland.

Judge Dooling received, besides a broken wrist and nose, a number of bruises, including some hard ones on the shoulder and hip. Mrs. Dooling, Mrs. Brown and Mr. Gould are at the Austin hotel here.

### ELEVEN REJECTED FROM COMPANY 7

According to one of the soldiers of the Seventh company who failed to pass the physical examination at Fort Stevens and who has just returned, the eleven company members who

failed to qualify at the physical examination, including three of the sergeants, are as follows: Sergeants Griffith Cowgill, Arthur E. Powell and Walter E. Painter; Privates R. Lloyd Miller, Orville E. Childreth, William Carpenter, Robert G. Stewart, Diamond Fynn, Frank M. Amy and Messrs. Jackson and McLean of Gold Hill. Only two of those rejected have returned to the city, but the most of the others are expected home in a few days.

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