

RUSSIANS ADVANCE ALONG RIGA FRONT

PETROGRAD, Sept. 24.—Russian forces on the Riga front in the region south of the Pskoff high road, yesterday took the offensive and after a fierce struggle occupied the German positions in the sector of Silzene, the Russian war office announced today.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Portland Livestock
PORTLAND, Or., Sept. 24.—Cattle, steady; receipts 500. Calves, \$7 @ \$9.50; stocker and feeder steers, \$4 @ \$7.25.

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

Mrs. Horace Mitchell has returned to her home at Klamath Falls after being here during the declining days of her father, the late Daniel Chapman.

Mrs. Fred Carter and son Frank of Eugene accompanied the remains of Mrs. Mittie E. Godfrey, Mrs. Carter's mother, who died at Eugene recently.

E. E. Cardwell of Denver is a late arrival here, having traded Colorado property for the W. M. Scott ranch of 60 acres up the canyon.

The engagement of two young people of this city has not yet been formally announced. The prospective groom has a fine position with a leading corporation, the headquarters of which is in Portland.

Mrs. E. S. Hathaway, sister of Mrs. C. C. Weisenburger, has gone to Berkeley for a visit of a month or six weeks.

Miss Mari Weisenburger and Heinrich Heidenreich were married at Salem, September 13. The bride for the past two years has been the popular assistant at Butler's Plaza confectionery.

A daughter was born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Parmelee. "No protest," but cordial welcome, Prond and Citizens Bank bookkeeper.

Frequenters of the Plaza were were charmed Saturday night by an open-air concert and exhortations as given by a band of evangelists and singers from the Apostolic Fair Mission of Portland.

John M. Scott, general ticket and passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, has been here of late in connection with the movement of excess baggage over the main line thru the Ashland gateway, and it has demanded his utmost attention, ably assisted by traffic experts like George

Kramer, Newell Wright and Fuzzy Morgan, to keep the local yards cleared of perishable passengers and other congested freight.

Mrs. Laura Willey, sister of Mrs. Robert Garrett, and a former resident of Ashland, is on her way here for a visit, at present being at Kennett, Cal., with relatives.

Mahogany Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, at a regular meeting October 2, will vote on a referendum measure submitted by the head camp providing for each subordinate organization assuming by special assessment the obligations of such of its members as are serving either in the army or navy of the United States during the prevailing war.

Cards from southern California received by friends here of late announce the marriage of Dr. Kenneth W. Gordon and Dr. Mary E. Anderson, September 11, 1917, at the sunset hour, Mount Washington, Los Angeles, in which city the newlyweds will be at home, 2246 Ivanhoe avenue.

Mrs. M. E. Eggleston and daughter, Ruby, have returned from San Francisco.

John Dent, Whilom Wells Fargo agent here during the absence of D. A. Applegate on his vacation and hunting trip, has returned to Medford now that Dan is back on the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Beebe left early this week for the east, from whence they will go to South Africa. A brief visit will be made with the bride's parents in Minneapolis, then to New York, from which port they will sail for Cape Town, via Buenos Aires, in South America.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Chamberlin and two grandchildren, of Seattle, are visiting the family of James Shelton, living on the Ashland mine road, pending arrangements for locating in this vicinity permanently.

At the quarterly conference of the local Methodist church, W. D. Hodgson, A. M. Beaver and G. P. Billings were appointed as lay delegates to the Oregon conference, which meets at Springfield this week.

Some stock trains manage to get sandwiched in between the numerous military specials which monopolize railway transportation of late.

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PRESIDENT CUTS STEEL PRICES

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"It was stipulated, first, that there should be no reduction in the present rate of wages; second, that the prices above named should be made to the public and to the allies, as well as to the government, and third, that the steel men pledge themselves to every effort necessary to keep up the production to the maximum of the past, so long as the war lasts.

"Measures will be taken by the war industries board for placing orders and supervising the output of the steel mills in such manner as to facilitate and expedite the requirements of the government and its allies for war purposes and to supply the needs of the public according to their public importance and in the best interest of all, as far as practicable.

Theaters and Movies

JUNE CAPRICE IN "E VERY GIRL'S DREAM"



At the Rialto Theater, Today and Tomorrow.

CARMEN COMING TO PAGE THEATER OCTOBER FOURTH

Manager George A. Hunt, of the Page theatre, has displayed not only business acumen but a lot of nerve in guaranteeing a large sum to bring the La Scala Grand Opera company to Medford for one performance Thursday night, Oct. 4th.

The noble action of the opera is calveined by strong contrasts of light and shade. In the first act a street scene in Seville, march of the watch, commotion of the cigarette girls and their street fight; in the second act life among the gypsies, their dances and pastimes, the third act, picturesque groups of the smugglers with its tragic interludes, and the finale in the fourth act, the procession of the bull fighters and the grim tragedy of the death of Carmen.

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WAR PICTURES FOLLOW LECTURE BY DR. REBECK

The war picture which will follow Dr. Rebeck's lecture on "A Rational Map of Europe After the War" at the benefit entertainment for Sacred Heart hospital at the Rialto on Wednesday evening this week, comes to this country with the official sanction of the French government, and was taken by the cinematograph division of the French army.

Playing at the Page theater tonight.

LESLIE SALT

runs freely from its convenient sidespout—package—it does not clog the shaker

Medford Real Estate

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many be able to land her armies in this country. With the ravages on the Somme, the Oise and the Aisne before them, in vivid scenes photographed "In the Wake of the Guns," Americans cannot remain blind to the fact that the Germans are pitiless, and that our soldiers must fight in France to keep the enemy from our shores.

Imagine your own country, your own town, laid waste—and yet, but for the allies who surrounded and bottled up what was thought to be the invincible German military machine, abject submission to Germany would have been the only alternative.

STORY OF BASEBALL PAGE THEATER TONIGHT

"One Touch of Nature" has presented its featured role, John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants. Peter B. Kyne, whose baseball stories are read the length and breadth of the land, is responsible for the story from which this photo-drama is taken.

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NO TIME WASTED

Prompt Action Is Pleasing Many Medford Citizens. Get down to the cause of everything.

Bad backs are frequently caused by weak kidneys. Help the kidneys to get rid of kidney backache.

Medford people endorse their merit. G. M. Jones, 410 Boardman St., Medford, says: "I suffered greatly from pains and stitches in my back and other annoying kidney ailments."

HELP WANTED—MALE WANTED—Ranch and orchard foreman; responsible position; give experience and reference. Box 64, Mail Tribune. 160*

WANTED—Man to operate tractor. Apply Miravista Orchard, 597-J2.

TEAMS and trucks on Blue Ledge haul. Telephone the mine. 159

WANTED—Kitchen flunkie for camp work; wages \$55.00. Ore. Highway Comm. camp, Siskiyou. —153

HELP WANTED—2 cut-off and other machine men at \$4 per day with bonus of 25c to January 1st; help-ers \$3 and up. Board 75c per day. Algoma Lumber Co., Algoma, Ore. 169

WANTED—Teamster. Mirivista Orchard, Phone 597-J2.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Pine logs. Wish to contract purchase sugar and yellow pine saw-logs for 1918 delivery. Will take output large or small quantity and pay attractive figure. See Edgar S. Hafer, Hotel Medford.

WANTED—A second-hand folding go-cart. Must be of good quality and in good condition. Call 163-J.

WANTED—Lady, man wife to share expense congenial woman in house; not profit in high. Box 79 Mail Tribune. —162

WANTED—Wells to drill for irrigation or domestic purposes. Water guaranteed. For further particulars inquire or address A. R. Engley, Jacksonville, Ore. 159

WANTED—Cook on close-in ranch. Reply to Mail Tribune, Box 15. *

WANTED—Bring us your eggs and poultry. We pay cash. Medford Poultry and Egg Co.

WANTED—Houses to move. Phone 485-M, or 485-X.

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WANTED—Housekeeping by lady in home of reliable person. Town or country. Box 31, care Mail Tribune. 159

WANTED—Position as housekeeper or work by day or hour no washing. Mrs. C. L. Grant. Phone 728 J. 172

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Good team mares, weight 2300; also 3-year-old colt, broken; ood cow; mower and rake. A. S. Warren, near Sterling mine, Jacksonville. 160

FOR SALE—English setter, 2 years old. Phone 1F4. —159

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FOR SALE or rent cheap, account of leaving; small ranch with berries; close in; good house and outbuildings; also some furniture for sale; Phone 820-R. 160*

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash if taken at once, 5-room modern cottage, corner Sherman and Geneva sts., Medford. Telephone 7X1 or P. O. box 326, Central Point, Ore. —160

FOR SALE—6-room bungalow, modern lot, 60x300; cheap, part cash. Telephone 419L or P. O. Box 792. 170

FOR SALE—Farming land, fruit land, stock ranches, timber land, from \$10 per acre up, on long time, easy payments, or might exchange for other clear property. Address Gold Ray Realty Co.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous FOR SALE—4 acres good stock corn \$150. F. S. Carpenter, Perrydale, Phone 201-R4. 163

FOR SALE—1916 Ford touring car in first-class condition. Price \$300.00 Make date by phone 196. 159

FOR SALE—Beardless barley straw. Phone 534-X. 164*

FOR SALE—One solid oak buffet with large beveled edge mirror; one sanitary couch. A. F. Hazelrigg. Phone 395-L. 160

FOR SALE—Extra choice fox and coyote hound pups, \$5 each. One pair 15 months old, very fine, \$20. Chas. Glichrist, Sams Valley, Ore. 159

FOR SALE—Baled blue stem wheat straw, \$8.50 per ton. Dr. C. C. Van Scoyoc, Garnett-Corey Bldg. 162*

FOR SALE—E. M. F. Roadster, good condition. \$225. Phone 265-J. —162

FOR SALE—Buggy, alfalfa hay, and young cow. Phone 539-R1. 162

FOR SALE—Furniture and cooking utensils cheap at 245 No. Oakdale. 159

FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa hay. Phone 201-R3. 158

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FOR RENT—Five room modern home, \$10. 1022 W. 4th street. Phone 755. 158

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FOR RENT—160 acres of land about 20 miles north of Medford on Rogue river. Perry Foster, Eagle Point. 159

FOR RENT—A piano. Telephone 748-J. 17*

FOR RENT—Farm; cash rental. Inquire P. O. Box 71, Eagle Point, Ore. —153*

FOR RENT—Farms and stock ranches, garden land. Gold Ray Realty Co.

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LOST

LOST—Collie dog from the Applegate near two weeks ago. Answers to the name of Bud. Has front tooth broken off. \$10.00 reward for return to John W. Perrault, Applegate, Ore., or for information as to his whereabouts. —159

FARM LOANS

AMORTIZATION PLAN—5 to 40 years, 5 per cent; 4 per cent on deposits convertible into 4 1/2 percent farm loan bonds; \$250,000 in bonds sold weekly and money paid farmers. E. H. Hurd, Sec.-Treas. National Farm Loans Association, Garnett-Corey Building, Medford

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WILL LOAN small amounts on improved city property. E. S. Tully, 210 Garnett-Corey Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—On good security. Phone 647-J. J. B. Andrews, Medford Business College Bldg., Room 2.

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