

# WORLD'S DEAD BY WAR COVER 4 SQUARE MILES

If Laid Side By Side, Slain In Conflict Would Fill a Field of 2,560 acres—Equals Population of Nine Western States—Require Grave 160 Feet Wide 61 Miles Long.

(By John E. Lathrop.) WASHINGTON, May 15.—The 7,400,000 war dead, if placed side by side would cover four square miles, or 2,560 acres, allowing the war department's space for each body.

When one goes into the magnitude of the losses, and makes comparisons, the horror of it grows. It is unpleasant; but perhaps occasionally a summing up, an interpretation, of results caused by the conflict may not be valueless.

The estimates that the German dead alone number 3,700,000—that is, the dead of the enemy central powers. The allies have lost approximately the same.

## Equals Whole States' Populations.

Were equal toll of human life taken, beginning on the shores of the Pacific, the entire population of Oregon, Washington and California would be wiped out. Then Idaho would be depopulated, and Montana and Wyoming, Utah, Arizona and New Mexico also would be unpeopled wastes—only Nevada of the far west would remain—and since the death war toll was estimated, enough have been added to eliminate Nevada's equivalent, and carry on the work of destruction eastward several states more.

Likewise, were the destruction to begin at the head of the lakes, there would remain none to live in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, South Dakota and North Dakota.

## 61 Miles of Slain.

Buried side by side, their grave would be 160 feet wide and 61 miles long; or in a vast mausoleum, tier of tier, in vaults, they would occupy a structure a mile long, 160 feet wide, and of 61 stories.

These of German dead alone—on allied dead alone. Both would double the hypothetical structure, of course—or the mausoleum would be a mile long, 160 feet wide and of 122 stories.

They would fill a tomb from here to Baltimore, and then on to Annapolis, Md.

## On a Portland Street.

The bodies would fill Washington street, Portland, to the top of the highest building, from the corner of Third to the bottom of the hill just beneath St. Vincent's hospital. The German dead would do that. Those of both sides! From Third and Washington to Portland Heights or Council Crest.

Or Market street in San Francisco, from the Ferry House to the postoffice, 162 deep.

## Or On Superior Street.

They would cover Superior street, Duluth, from the Spalding hotel to the old furnace in West Duluth.

The German socialists agreed with the military party—it is understood—that they would not balk until 1,500,000 had been sacrificed in the present offensive of Hindenburg, begun March 21.

The German losses promise to use all the socialists were willing to throw into the hopper of the war mill. If so, the dead would cover nearly a square mile.

## The Maimed.

How many have been maimed and lived? The number is appalling. But what use to continue? Thirty millions are under arms. Millions are dead. More millions have suffered wounding, other millions been subjected to unnecessary hardship and privation.

Hundreds of ships lie on the bottom of the oceans. Millions of property is in their holds. The sea is strewn with mines. The peace pathways of maritime man are dotted with dangerous devices. All of man's usual efforts are subordinated—and for the allies properly, too—to winning the war.

## This Is the Score.

So this is the score against the militarist of Prussia, the Kaiser, the Junkers, those who were willing that the militarists utilize the 40 years of preparation to conquer a world commercial market for the dealers of the central powers.

What sacrifice unfitting to give insurance that such never again shall be! To make "the world safe for democracy!" And to give the world true democracy, instead of an autocracy that used human blood with which to buy—or seek to buy—domination over the earth's activities!

# MINERS INDICTED FOR BISBEE I. W. W. DEPORTATIONS

Leading Mine Officials, Employers and Business Men Arrested On Federal Indictments for Deporting Depriving Citizens of Rights and Running Out Drafted Men.

TUCSON, Ariz., May 15.—Twenty-one of the leading mining company officials, employes and business men of the Warren district were arrested at Bisbee this morning on indictments returned by the federal grand jury which last week completed an investigation of the deportation last July of nearly 1,200 alleged members of the I. W. W.

Grant H. Dowell, general manager of the Copper Queen Consolidated Mining company as Bisbee, was the first man arrested. The warrant was served by United States Marshal Dillon. Bonds were fixed at \$5,000 each by the United States commissioner.

Federal Judge William H. Sawtelle in Tucson said an inspection of the indictments would not be allowed until official notification had been received that all the men indicted had been taken into custody.

## Deported Drafted Men.

Judge Sawtelle in his charge to the jury last week instructed that not only should the charge of conspiracy to deprive citizens of their rights be considered, but that the question of obstruction of the draft in deporting a large number of registered men also should be taken up.

After the arrest of Dowell, warrants were served on the following: Gerald Fitzgerald Sherman, superintendent of the mine department, Copper Queen Consolidated Mining company.

Bassett T. Watkins, miner, former city marshal and leader in the Bisbee loyalty league.

Captain H. H. Stout, superintendent of the Phelps-Dodge smelter at Douglas.

Robert Rae, auditor for the Phelps-Dodge company in the southwest.

Miles Merrill, Copper Queen miner, one of the organizers of Warren district Loyalty league.

## Mine Officials Accused.

M. J. Cunningham, cashier of the Bank of Bisbee, director in the Bank of Douglas and Douglas Investment company, secretary and director of Bisbee Naco Water company, and former president of the Arizona Bankers' association.

Dr. N. G. Bledsoe, head of the Calumet & Arizona Mining company's medical staff.

Captain Joseph Park Hodgson, consulting engineer, Phelps-Dodge corporation, member of district exemption board.

James Allison, city marshal of Bisbee, former Copper Queen miner.

Alvin W. Howe, deputy sheriff of Cochise county.

W. P. Sims, Bisbee dentist, former Arizona state senator.

Lemuel C. Shattuck, president and general manager of the Shattuck mine and president of the Miners and Merchants bank.

## City Officials Involved.

M. J. Brophy, general manager Phelps-Dodge store in Bisbee.

Phil Tovrea, Bisbee cattleman and butcher.

Henry Snodgrass, Bisbee miner, former city marshal, charter member Warren district Loyalty league.

George B. Wilcox, chief watchman Calumet & Arizona Mining company.

Dr. C. H. Hunt, member of Phelps-Dodge medical staff and county health officer.

J. L. Ganner, deputy sheriff.

Yance Johnson, chairman of board of supervisors of Cochise county.

The arrest of the twenty-first man is expected momentarily. He is widely known in mining and financial circles.

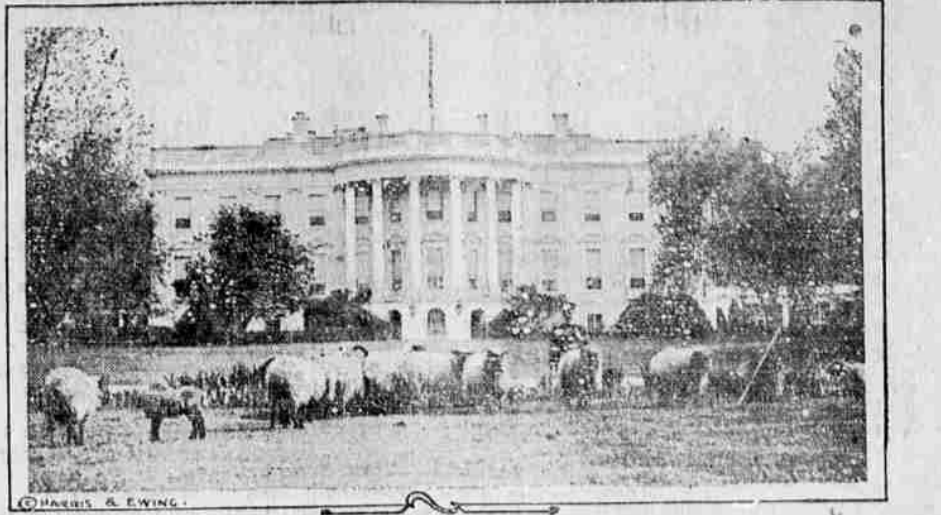
The warrants charge "conspiracy to deprive a citizen of the United States of his rights in violation of section 19, penal code."

In the absence of United States Commissioner J. D. Taylor, who now is in Chicago, the arrested men appeared before Justice of the Peace M. C. High, acting commissioner, who fixed their bonds and set their arraignment for May 28, in Tucson.

## BORGLUM DENIES SLANDEROUS CHARGES

WASHINGTON, May 15.—A telegram from Gutzon Borglum, presented to the senate today by Senator Brandegee of Connecticut, said the sculptor would submit to Senator Brandegee today further documents in denial of the "slandorous charges" presented by Senator Thomas of Colorado.

# SHEEP GRAZE ON WHITE HOUSE LAWN.



Sixteen sheep—12 grownups and four spring lambs—now graze on the White House lawn in charge of a shepherd-policeman, shown in the picture. Since the departure of the Taft family cow, the White House grounds have been devoid of animals, except squirrels. The appearance of sheep on the White House grounds is in line with the policy of the department of agriculture to promote the raising of small flocks of sheep on small farms or single animals by city dwellers.

## FLOUNCE ROCK FRILLS

Gas Ditsworth started for the valley with a load of potatoes Monday morning.

Clarence Bonssum of Griffin creek, who has been visiting old friends in this community for a week, returned home Saturday afternoon.

Frank Ditsworth made a business trip to Medford and Jacksonville Saturday, returning Sunday evening.

Mrs. R. E. Peyton has been confined to her bed since last Thursday, and is still unable to be up yet.

The three Nichol children have recovered from the measles and started to school this morning.

Mrs. J. W. Richardson and Mrs. J. F. Ditsworth were pleasant callers at the Peyton home Saturday afternoon.

Carl Rich and son came down Saturday evening to visit home folks.

Earl Peyton and sister Pearl and brother Ralph motored to Medford Saturday and came back Sunday afternoon.

Miss Vera Rountree spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Margaret Mansfield.

Miss Pearl Peyton spent Monday afternoon with her friend Miss Hazel Ditsworth.

R. E. Peyton and sons are very busy planting corn over across the river on the Charlie Vincent place, that they have rented this year.

## GERMANS GAIN CONTROL OF CAUCASUS

MOSCOW, Friday, May 10.—(By the Associated Press.) Thru the capture of Rostov-on-the-Don, the Germans have gained control of the Caucasus, the grain districts in the Donets basin and the coal, iron and oil fields.

Northern Russia now is cut off from the Caucasus, except for a single railroad running thru Tzarstain in the southern part of the government of Saratov, which the Germans are now threatening.

## Russia Is Menaced

Coupled with the fall of Sebastopol and the overthrow of the Ukraine rada and the establishment in Ukraine of a bourgeois government wholly under German domination, the capture of Rostov-on-the-Don has created great uneasiness in Moscow and Petrograd. A German advance in central Russia is generally feared and the removal of the capital to Yekaterinburg, in the Ural mountains, is being discussed.

Germany's overthrow of the Ukraine government, with which it had made peace, is regarded by north Russia as a step towards its occupation. Within a few weeks the future of Petrograd and Moscow probably will be determined, as it is considered that the soviet government either must submit to German domination or retreat eastward and prepare for a defense against the invaders.

Effective resistance will be difficult without outside assistance, because of the lack of technical experts and supplies. The bitter feeling against Germany is intensified by the ruthless seizures in Ukraine and a growing disposition to accept outside aid, if the entente allies will recognize the Bolshevik government, is evident.

**Instant Postum**  
A TABLE DRINK FOR THOSE WHO WOULD BE WELL SERVED WITHOUT WASTE  
In Tune With The Times

## TRAIL ITEMS

A. T. Moore of Perish was a Medford visitor this week.

Mrs. Fred Sturgis visited at Trail Saturday.

Mrs. Mark Applegate and little daughter of Medford spent the weekend at Trail. She leaves for Portland Saturday, where her husband is working.

Miss Enid Middlebush returned home Saturday after a few weeks in Medford, where she has been having dental work done.

Fred Sturgis, George Storm, P. F. Johnson, J. W. Miller, E. E. Ash, T. C. Gaines and W. W. Willis were business callers in Medford Saturday.

The farmers are all rejoicing over the lovely rains a few days ago.

Dolph Olson was a Sunday visitor at Trail.

Irma Ash and Mrs. L. B. Pierce spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Palmer of Medford, returning home Sunday evening.

Mr. J. Daper and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Fleming from Chicago, have been business callers at Trail for a few days this week.

## Seize All Mail for Russia.

LONDON, May 15.—The people's commissaries at Irkutsk, Siberia, are seizing all correspondence from Manchuria to Russia and confiscating all letters and telegrams dealing with the political situation in the far east, says Reuter's correspondent at Harbin, telegraphing under date of May 11.

Railroad traffic in the direction of Chita, in the trans-Baikal, has been interrupted, the correspondent adds, because of the fighting going on between the forces of General Semenov and the anti-Bolshevik leader in Siberia, and Red Guard troops near Karimaka (60 miles east of Chita.)

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# INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANNING SALMON

Salmon is now being taken from the Rogue river and thrifty housewives are canning a supply for home use.

To can salmon first clean the fish thoroughly by dipping for a minute into boiling water to loosen the scales, and then scrape until clean. Rinse several times in cold water.

Make a brine of salt and water that will support a potato and leave salmon in this brine for one-half hour. Then remove and cut into convenient sections and pack in glass jars, with the skin toward the outside of the jar. Add one teaspoon of salt per quart. Adjust lid, and cook four hours. It is not necessary to use any water in the jar as the fish makes enough liquid of its own.

When cooked four hours remove the jars and test and tighten the lids.

## ENGLISH CHANNEL COAST IS TEUTONIC OBJECTIVE

COPENHAGEN, May 15.—The Germans are still of the belief that they will be able to reach the English channel coast, bar navigation of the waters and bombard southern England, and that then it will be easy to begin peace negotiations, according to an interview the Politiken has had with a prominent German politician, a member of the reichstag, who requested that his name be not used. He added that the German offensive thus far had proved a failure, owing to heavy losses and that the German high command was waiting to obtain more artillery.

Germany had lost in killed and wounded and made prisoner three million men, he added. Answering questions about the opinion of the reichstag main committee on the situation on the west front and the end of the war, the newspaper's informant said:

"We still believe, according to messages from our military leaders, that we shall reach the north coast, where our guns can bar navigation of the channel, and fire at south England. It is suggested from the German side that this course of war will commence, and as far as Germany is concerned, it will be very easy to start armistice negotiations, as, despite my assertions, we don't aim at any conquering. We want neither the mine districts at Lorraine's west frontier, nor Antwerp.

"We have lost, including killed, wounded and prisoners, three million of men. Do you think that we intend to make foolish claims and send our children thru another four years of war? Moreover, we shall have enough to do during the age of man to control the new Russian country and secure their mercantile and industrial influence. Responsible German politicians only demand that the western powers shall give back our colonies."

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- H. A. Anderson, Medford.
- S. B. Holmes, Eagle Point.
- Frank Lewis, Eagle Point.
- Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point.
- W. L. Childreth, Eagle Point.
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