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EM-TEES

OVERHEARD IN A HANGAR.

By ADOLPHE E. SMYLIE Of the Vigilantes.

I like my job, to hang around And untie up motors on the ground— Give them that smooth old purring sound And start them off a-screaming.

Take young Jim's case. He flew, back home Then came here where they cut his comb; He comes from Watertown or Rome, Some place near the big river.

I saw him come at 10 o'clock A full-speed nose-dive, like a rock But landed sweet, no jar or shock— You get that, mechanicians!

I know God makes his presence felt To birdmen up in the moon-belt Or Jim would be dead as a smelt!

ABOARD THE TRANSPORT. By AUGUSTUS THOMAS Of the Vigilantes.

I haven't told our secret, dear, Since my good-bye to you; But flowers and birds were singing it.

I know when we get where they fight And beckoning death shall call, Where bursting steel is shelling it, And flaming guns are helling it.

Stockholders Notice. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Home Telephone and Telegraph Company of Southern Oregon will be held at the office of the company, 215 West Sixth street, Medford, Oregon, at 3 o'clock p. m. June 4, 1918.

THE COMING BATTLE.

LOYD GEORGE says that we are on the eve of the decisive battle—and that "those who know best what the prospects are feel most confident about the result."

General Bridges, chief of the British military mission, states that the German drive will be launched about June 1, under direction of Field Marshal Mackensen, who seems to have supplanted Hindenburg as German commander-in-chief.

German preparations have been most complete—more complete probably than for the Hindenburg drive of March 21. Broken divisions have been reformed and refilled.

There have been some indications that the German general staff is preparing for a triple drive along these lines:

A great offensive against the French and British on the west front, calculated to capture Ypres, Amiens and Arras, and drive the British to the sea.

A naval offensive against the British fleet in the North Sea.

A terrific drive by the Austrians against the Italians to capture Venice.

Many military authorities believe that the surprise Germany will spring at this supreme effort will be in the form of a descent upon the British coast by a great German fleet—if so, the effort will be warmly welcomed by the allied grand fleet.

The socialist leaders, in their pact with the German government, are said to have agreed to support the German offensive, providing the cost was not more than estimated by Hindenburg—700,000 lives.

There is little question but that the "grasshopper" methods of the Germans, the throwing of huge masses of troops, wave after wave, against the allied lines, will gain some ground at first for the Germans—but the reinforced and strengthened allies will not be caught unprepared.

The German objective is not the capture of more French or Belgian territory, despite all the talk about the drive for the channel ports and for Paris. Its real aim is to drive a wedge into the French and British lines which will enable the Germans to cut one or the other armies off, surround it and destroy it.

General Foch, commander-in-chief of the allied forces, therefore faces the task of saving his armies intact, at whatever cost in territory. Even though the allies be driven to the sea, there is every reason for confidence in his ability to do it.

The German drive, in the opinion of the majority of the military critics, will be centered at two points:

1. Between Ypres and Bethune, on the northern end of the line—the Flanders offensive. This is where the April fighting drove a wedge into the allied line and cost the British the towns of Armentieres and Baileul.

2. Between Amiens and Montdidier, on the southern extremity of the line—the Picardy offensive. Here the army of General Pershing is entrenched. Montdidier is likely to become as famous in American history as Valley Forge or Gettysburg.

The German strategy in preparing for this double advance has in mind two things: if successful, it will force the allies to retreat along the whole line from Montdidier to the sea; it will also prevent General Foch from shifting his men from one zone to stem a German onrush in the other.

To meet the situation, Foch has had constructed a tremendous second defense system—consisting of 27 lines of trenches behind the present battle zone.

The advance on Amiens would have to be in a triangular wedge formed by the rivers Somme and Avr, which meet at Amiens. Both sides of this triangle are under the fire of the French and American guns, which will inflict tremendous losses on a German army attempting to take Amiens.

The further the Germans advance, the more precarious their situation, unless they break thru, for flanking attacks for which the allied army of reserves is held in readiness.

The fate of the world rests upon the results of the coming battle, which promises to be the bloodiest yet waged to overthrow autocracy triumphant over the democratic world.

Wheatless Recipes

- Corn Bread. 2 cups corn meal, 2 cups sweet milk (whole or skim), 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1 tablespoon sugar, 2 tablespoons fat, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 egg (may be omitted).

tablespoons syrup, 2 eggs, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 1/2 cups corn flour, 1 cup buckwheat.

Barley and Oat Bread. Barley flour, Ground rolled oats, 1 cup liquid, 4 tablespoons fat, 4 tablespoons syrup, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 2 cups barley flour, 1 cup ground rolled oats.

Corn isn't one food—it's a dozen. It's a cereal. It's a vegetable. It's a bread. It's a dessert. It's nutritious. More food value in it, dollar for dollar, than meat or eggs or most vegetables.

Baking Powder Loaf Breads. You do not need either wheat or yeast for loaves. Can be cut in slices. Can be toasted.

Method: Mix the melted fat, liquid, syrup and egg. Combine the liquid and dry ingredients. Bake as a loaf in a moderately hot oven for one hour or until thoroughly baked.

Nuts, raisins or dates may be added if desired.

Corncorn and Meat. 2 cups of corncorn, 6 cups of water, 1 tablespoon fat, 1 onion, 2 cups tomatoes, 1 pound pork sausage.

Make a mush by stirring the corncorn and 1 1/2 teaspoons salt into boiling water. Cook 45 minutes. Brown onion in fat, add pork sausage and stir until slightly browned. Add salt, pepper and tomato. A sweet pepper is an addition. Grease baking dish, put in layer of corn meal mush, add seasoned meat, and cover with mush. Bake one-half hour. Serves six.

Indian Pudding. 4 cups milk (whole or skim), 1/2 cup corn meal, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon ginger, 1-2 cup molasses.

Cook milk and meal in a double boiler 20 minutes; add molasses, salt and ginger. Pour into greased pudding dish and bake two hours in a slow oven, or use your fireless cooker. Serve with milk. This makes a good and nourishing dessert. Serves six.

B. W. Paul left last night for a business visit to Portland.

Lemon Juice For Freckles

Girls! Make beauty lotion at home for a few cents. Try it!

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Report of the Condition of Central Point State Bank

At Central Point, Oregon, At the Close of Business, May 10th, 1918.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Capital stock paid in, and Total.

STATE OF OREGON, County of Jackson, ss. I, J. O. Isaacson, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Medford, Oregon, Jan. 18, 1917 TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned, had very severe stomach trouble and had been bothered for several years and last August was not expected to live, and hearing of Gim Chung (whose Herb Store is at 341 South Front street in Medford) I decided to get herbs for my stomach trouble, and I started to feeling better as soon as I used them, and today am a well man and can heartily recommend anyone afflicted as I was to see Gim Chung and try his Herbs. (Signed) W. R. JOHNSON, Witnesses:

- M. A. Anderson, Medford. S. B. Holmes, Eagle Point. Frank Lewis, Eagle Point. Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point. W. L. Childreth, Eagle Point. C. E. Moore, Eagle Point. V. McIntyre, Eagle Point. Geo. B. Von der Hellen, Eagle Point. Thos. F. Nichols, Eagle Point.



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